

THE GREENVILLE INDEX

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GREENVILLE PRODUCE MARKET.
Cotton 64, Oats 50 cts, Peanuts 40 & 50 cts,
Corn 60 cts, Meat 71 County Hams 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.

Glad to see friend J. H. Small, of Washington, Wednesday.

Mrs. Clayton Joyner, near Farnville, died of heart disease Monday.

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

Ollen Warren is on a business trip to Washington.

Coffee 20 cents and Snuff 25 cents. Boswell, Speight & Co.

Mr. Jesse Starkey has been seriously ill, but is better.

J. A. K. Tucker set out tobacco plants last week. G. M. Tucker was planting Wednesday.

Mr. C. T. Munford's store reminds one of a regular retail city business. So large and complete is his stock, arranged with great care and taste. Go and see it.

Mr. Jesse Sugg is at Edenton in the insurance work for a week or more.

New Goods arriving at Higgs Bros.

Mr. Owen Gaion a prominent attorney, of Newberne, is in town this week.

Messrs. L. E. Cleve, Frank Dancy and Frank Tisaale, of Newberne, were in the city this week.

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

Miss Mamie Hines, of Wilson, spent a day or two with Miss Etta Hines this week.

A big stock of spring and summer clothing at Lang's.

The jury in the Breckenridge case decided against him and gave the woman \$15,000 damages.

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

Mr. Robt. Carr, Mr. and Mrs. F. T. Carr, of Greene, were in the city Wednesday.

A great variety and quantity of pattern hats, latest styles at Mrs. M. D. Higgs.

Cotton planting is all the go this week. Next week many tobacco plants will be set out.

Beautiful line New York pattern hats at M. T. Cowell & Co's.

Miss Minnie Carraway, of Bethel, spent Saturday and Sunday with Miss Myra Skinner.

Sam Shultz is selling some fine cabbages raised by a Pitt county man in Florida.

Job work cheap and neat at the NDE X office.

Mrs. Julian Timberlake, of Raleigh, is visiting her parents at Cottendale. She and Mr. Bruce Cotton were in to Church Sunday.

Large stock of shoes at Cobb's

Mrs. H. F. Price, of Wilson, is spending some time here at the King House, with her husband Capt. Price.

Mr. J. H. Tucker, of Asheville, who has been several days at his old home left with his attractive son, Powell, for home last Friday.

Nice line Ladies slippers just received. Boswell, Speight & Co.

The citizens of Greenville are requested to meet in the Court House Monday night to consider the question of electric lights.

W. S. Rawls, Chin'n
Moire crepe and silks, butter laces Infant's caps, children's hats at Mrs. M. D. Higgs.

A wonderful variety of ladies' novelties at Lang's.

MARRIED.—At the residence of Alfred Forbes, Esq., in Greenville, Wednesday night by Rev. G. F. Smith. Miss Rosa Forbes to Mr. Mark Quinlerly, of Kinston.

New Line Silks and Trimmings at Higgs Bros.

See that buzz-saw straw hat at Lang's.

A Sunday school has been organized in the new Presbyterian church with Mr. B. D. Evans, Sup't and J. R. Moore, Sect'y. Meets every Sunday at 9:15 o'clock.

Novel ties in moire silks, ties and laces at M. T. Cowell & Co's.

An endless variety of shoes and slippers at Lang's.

Jim Cherry, Jr., has a fine new Rambler corrugated pneumatic tyred bicycle. The only time we ever used one we were corrugated, tired and rheumatic too.

Just to think, Lily White flour for \$1.00 at Cobb's.

New Spring Goods at Cobb's. Large selections cheap.

Miss Josie Joyner, who has been teaching school at Durham's Creek, spent a few days at Mrs. Wm. H. Smith's on her way home near Ballard's.

Silk Mitts, all colors and full line millinery to select from at Mrs. M. D. Higgs.

Those baby caps at M. T. Cowell & Co's millinery emporium are beautiful.

Mr. J. L. Grimmer who has been confined for several weeks with a severe case of Painter's colic is getting better and his many friends hope to soon see him out.

For the cash we buy bargains, for cash we sell bargains, one dollar will buy more than ever before, Higgs Bros.

We regret to announce the critical illness of Dr. Zeno Brown and hope that he will soon be better. Mrs. Jennie Morrill and L. V. Morrill of Snow Hill, came over to be with him Wednesday.

For all new styles in dress goods, hats and clothing go to Higgs Bros.

Mr. Alfred Worthington had a runaway Tuesday afternoon on Main street, resulting in a broken wagon, a smashed up barrel of flour and a damaged tree in front of Mr. C. T. Munford's residence.

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

Revs. Mr. Smith and McCall will begin a protracted meeting at Salem church the first Sunday in May. The one just closed at Bethlehem was productive of a great spiritual revival in that neighborhood.

Col. Skinner showed us a letter from E. P. Creecy, of St. Louis, enquiring about Wm. Skinner a Lt. Colonel of N. C. State troops in 1775

-76. Creecy wants to join the "Sons of the Revolution" and wishes proofs of his relationship to Col. Wm. Skinner, who was the great grand father of Col. Harry Skinner.

Take notice that I deal largely in second hand furniture, repairing and over-hauling. I also have furniture to sell for repairs below the cost of manufacturer's price even for repairs Shop on 5th street near Hickory Hill church. J. W. Williams.

The seventy-fifth anniversary of the I. O. O. F. in America will be celebrated by Covenant Lodge No. 17 on Thursday the 20th inst., with the usual ceremonies of the order for such occasions and an address at 11 o'clock in the Opera House in Greenville by Rev. J. S. Hall, D. D., a distinguished Baptist divine, of Norfolk Va. The public generally are cordially invited to come out and hear him.

The lodges of Tarboro, Bethel and Robersonville have been invited to be present.

Messrs. Evans & Forbes have tendered their large tobacco Warehouse for the dinner which will be served to visiting lodges and invited guests. The INDEX returns thanks for an invitation.

A large congregation greeted Rev. J. N. H. Sumner last Sunday morning in his first services in the new Presbyterian church in Greenville. The church is well constructed, tastefully designed and will seat about 500. The windows are stained glass and are very handsome.

As soon as the small amount due on the church is paid off, it will be formally dedicated. Mr. Sumner preached with more than his accustomed power and beauty, both morning and night. We rejoice that this congregation can now worship in their own temple.

It speaks well for them and the people of Greenville that in so short a space of time this beautiful church has been erected. Mr. Sumner is a fine executive manager as well as an admirable man, pastor and preacher.

Greenville is certainly blessed in its clerical force, for never in its history have five better or abler pastors ministered to them than Revs. Smith, McCall, Greaves, Lambreth and Sumner.

The first performance of the Greenville Amateurs under the most excellent management of Mrs. Charley Skinner, in "Comrades," was given in the Opera House Friday night to a large and appreciative audience.

It is a splendid play and was well rendered. The following Greenville people were on the boards and dignified the audience by their fine display of unusual histrionic talent: Messrs. Harry Whedbee, Chas. Lang, Inghouse, R. Hyman, Misses Carrie Cobb, Belle Greene, Annie Perkins. The play was for the benefit of the Episcopal church, and \$40 was realized. It was given at the Opera House in Kinston last night.

At 12 o'clock Tuesday the bells of Greenville tolled in sad refrain the hour of arrival of the last remains of our dead Senator at the Capitol, at Raleigh. Our citizens repaired to the Court House to hold memorial services. Maj. Latham in a few pathetic words announced the purpose of the occasion and Dr. G. J. O'Hagan was called to preside. Dr. O'Hagan said that no man in North Carolina for one hundred years had been beloved and honored more than Vance. One true indication of greatness was evinced by him, in that he always rose to the level of the occasion in the fierce strife of arms or the halcyon days of piping peace. As a truant school boy, as a young teacher, as a young lawyer, as a legislator, as a soldier, as prisoner, boon companion, Governor and Senator, he

was always the peerless, the unapproachable Vance. In the Senate he reached his proper place. His speech on the tariff was the best ever made and his literary abilities whenever drawn upon gave evidence of wonderful reserve of garnered fruit. Big brained, big hearted, whole souled, we shall not look upon his like again.

We have only given the substance of Dr. O'Hagan's few remarks. It is impossible to describe the thrilling effect of his magnetic voice, charged as it was with the overflowing affection of his tender heart and by the melody of beautiful sentences strung as pearls along the corridors of grief stricken hearts.

Judge John Gray Bynum next spoke feelingly and eloquently of Vance as a public and private loss. Every throb of his heart was for North Carolina. He loved her mountains and her seas, the whole people and they all loved him. Whenever there was conflict, Zeb Vance stood for North Carolina against the world not timidly, but like a lion. He made no mistakes. His last public conduct has been criticised by some, not by himself, but if he was wrong the recording angel when it reached the heavenly court dropped a tear and blotted it out forever, leaving a tear dimmed page the only evidence of fault for forty years of public service. It was at home I loved Vance best. Intimate as I was with him, private secretary to his committee when the great tariff speech alluded to by Dr. O'Hagan, was prepared, knowing how grand, how able, how pure he was in public life the nobler qualities, the softer side of his nature, were brought out at home for there he was as playful as a child, as tender as a woman. God grant that the one upon whom his mantle falls, may be as honored, respected and beloved as our dear departed friend to-day.

Capt. Swift Galloway also paid a loving and strong tribute to the worth of Vance. His grand character and the one mould would shed light on millions yet unborn and was heritage so dear, so rich, that we almost rejoice while we mourn.

The Chair then appointed L. C. Latham, Andrew Joyner, E. A. Moye, F. G. James and Harry Skinner to draft resolutions to be reported at an adjourned meeting to be held on Saturday at 2 o'clock. Adjourned.

D. J. WHICHARD,
ANDREW JOYNER,
Secretaries.

The memorial committee requests the choirs of the different churches to assemble at the Methodist church Friday night to practice selections for the memorial meeting Saturday evening.

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Mrs. Georgia Pearce.