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### Ladies

We want you to become better acquainted with Thompson's Glove-fitting Corsets, and as an inducement to accomplish this end we will sell any style of the \$1.00 quality (until we have sold one hundred) at the low price of 75c.

**Remember**

This is to introduce this Perfect Fitting Corset more fully to the ladies of Greensboro; after one hundred has been sold the price will be and remain \$1.00. We also have this up-to-date corset in all styles and prices from \$1 to \$1.75.

Thompson's Glove-fitting Corsets, are the best and most perfect fitting corsets on the market. Every corset guaranteed to give satisfaction.

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### Of Defective Vision

Many persons have the idea that defective vision manifests itself only in a failure or inability to see clearly, but itching, burning, smarting of the lids, dull pains in the eyes or head, even the back of the head, all come from irregularities in the optical construction of the eyes and may be entirely relieved by correctly fitted glasses.

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For Sale by  
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Corner Opposite Postoffice.

### Do You Need Money?

—Apply to us at once—  
**We Have It For You.**

Improved city property as security is required by those listing money with us to be loaned. We now have on hand several thousand dollars—some of this can be obtained only on business property in large amounts. The remainder we loan on any kind of improved city property.

We have \$5,000 listed for April 1st.

**WHARTON & McALISTER,**  
AGENTS.

### Eating Works

have been established in every home in Greensboro. The proprietors are directed to our establishment for their supplies.

### Everything for the Table.

No time today to enumerate, but when you want Provisions or anything in the Grocery Line, just call

**VUNCANON & CO.,**  
Reliable Grocers.  
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### Pioneer Prepared Paints

have been tested for over 25 years. Beautiful, Durable, Economical. None better.

For sale by  
**Crutchfield Hardware Co.,**  
508 S. Elm St., Op. Water Tower.  
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We wish our patrons all a happy and prosperous New Year, returning thanks for their very liberal patronage during the past year and assuring them that our business will be conducted with the same carefulness that has always characterized in every department.

Yours to serve,  
**Holton's Drug Store,**  
McAdoo House Building.  
Allegretti Cream Chocolates.

### TRINITY NOTES

#### Of Interest to the Many Friends of Trinity College.

Correspondence Telegram  
Durham, Feb. 25.—Mr. Albert Whitehouse has been elected director of the gymnasium and is expected to reach here this week. Mr. Whitehouse has had several years experience in this kind of work at three of the well-known colleges of the United States. He received his training at Harvard University, where he was four years an assistant in the gymnasium, he was two years instructor in the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, at Boston, and three years trainer of the athletic team at Dartmouth College. He studied medicine at Tufts College, Mass. He is thoroughly equipped for this work, and will introduce into the gymnasium here the methods followed at the leading colleges of the country. The new gymnasium furnished with all modern apparatus, will be opened the 1st of March. This is something the college has long needed and much good is expected to come from it.

Hon. H. G. Connor, speaker of the house of representatives, delivered an address at the Civic Celebration, held on Washington's birthday under the auspices of the Trinity College Historical Society. His subject was "A Sane and Better Citizenship." Judge Connor is a man who has studied social questions, and his address was full of good advice and sound wisdom. His address was of great interest to a large audience consisting of residents of the Park and visitors from the city.

The third of the series of Historical Publications is just from the press. It consists of papers prepared under the direction of the Historical Society.

The South Carolina papers announce that the literary address at the commencement of Wofford College is to be delivered by President Kilgo.

Rev. C. F. Siler, pastor of Trinity church, Charlotte, has arrived at the Park. He comes at the invitation of the College Y. M. C. A. to hold a series of special religious services.

Hon. Kope Elias, member of the board of trustees, has been at the Park on a visit to his son and daughter, who are students in the college.

At the last regular meeting of the Scientific Society, Mr. W. H. Adams presented a note, with drawing concerning the recession of Mars. Mr. L. C. Nicholson gave an interesting discussion of sources of electrification, and Dr. C. L. Hornaday read a paper by Mr. Richard Webb, on optical illusions. The society appointed a committee to advance the interests of the College Museum.

### THE PEOPLE ARE READY.

#### And the Time Has Come For Real Road Improvement.

Editor Telegram:—People no longer doubt the value of metal roads. By metal roads is meant stone covered roads. They, therefore, are not looking for arguments to convince them of the pressing necessity for permanent road improvement. They want a road to show for the expenditure of money.

The fact that Greensboro and the country have been separated by mud axle deep; people in the city cannot get wood and the farmers in the country cannot haul wood; and, when they bring a load, charge fifty per cent. more because of the mud; and this, too, in face of the fact that hundreds of dollars have been spent on the roads, is a most powerful appeal for permanent improvement.

The people are ready for stone covered roads. A fine opportunity for real action in this regard will soon be afforded the county commissioners. Let them not allow this opportunity for the cause to pass.

A metal road twelve feet wide from Greensboro to Pomona is of the greatest importance. It will cost only six hundred dollars more to build it twelve feet wide than nine feet wide. Since it is at the city it should not be less than twelve feet. Anything less will be a mistake. A competent engineer at hand knows the cost.

The best of material is also at hand; the convict labor is at hand; the time is now for real road building, and there is a place for beginning. Let us begin.  
Citizens.

### Charlotte People Lose.

Senator Osborne asked the senate to relieve him of the mental strain he was enduring and not until next Tuesday to settle the Charlotte dispensary matter, but to take it up and settle it last night. The request was granted and the bill was defeated by a vote of 31 to 12. Thus the will of the great moral element of Mecklenburg was slapped in the face because of one senator being bound by a pledge to barroom men.

The Cash Racket Store, 332 South Elm, will be open for business on and after Saturday, February 25th. Having bought the stock of the "Guilford Racket" at an enormous discount from first cost, we shall be in position to offer the cheapest goods ever shown in Greensboro. Cash Racket Company.

### Offer for A. & N. C. RAILROAD

#### Mr. W. J. Edwards Agrees to Pay \$300,000, AND EXTEND IT TO CHARLOTTE.

#### Will Put Up a Guarantee of \$100,000 That the Line Will Be Completed.

The Telegram, on the 13rd, announced there was a rumor concerning a deal with reference to the A. & N. C. Railroad. It has developed that there was abundant grounds for the rumor as the following, from the Morning Post of this date shows:

A bill will be introduced in the legislature today providing for the sale of the state's interest in the Atlantic & North Carolina Railroad to Mr. W. J. Edwards.

Mr. Edwards agrees to pay \$300,000 for the road. He further agrees to deposit \$100,000 additional as a guarantee that he will extend and complete the road a distance of 100 miles in the direction of Charlotte and Salisbury.

Mr. Edwards is well known in the North Carolina railway world. He was for fourteen years with the Seaboard Air Line and won promotion to the position of chief disbursing agent under the administration of Major John C. Winder. When seen last night Mr. Edwards said:

"The proposition is a bona fide one. We propose to take the road and build an independent line to Charlotte. We would open up a country that has a great future. Associated with me is North Carolina and northern capital. We have no connection whatever with any other railroad."

The following is the bill:

Section 1. That upon the payment to the state treasurer, for the use of the state of North Carolina, within ninety days after the ratification of this act, of the sum of three hundred thousand dollars (\$300,000.00), the said state treasurer be and is hereby authorized and directed to sell, assign, transfer and deliver to W. J. Edwards and such others as may be associated with him, or his assigns, all the shares of the capital stock owned and held by the state of North Carolina, in its own name or in the name of any other person or persons for the use and benefit of the state, in the Atlantic & North Carolina Railroad company.

Sec. 2. That at the time of the said sale and transfer and before the delivery of said shares of stock, the said W. J. Edwards shall enter into a contract with the state of North Carolina in a form thereof to be approved by the attorney general of the state, to construct and complete or cause to be constructed and completed, within four years from and after the ratification of this act, a line of standard gauged railroad at least one hundred miles in length, connecting with said Atlantic & North Carolina railroad and running westwardly through the counties of Wayne, Johnston, Harnett, Moore and Montgomery, and thence in the direction of Concord, Salisbury or Charlotte.

Sec. 3. That at the time of executing the contract provided for in the next preceding section, the said W. J. Edwards shall deposit with the state treasurer bonds or other valuable securities to be approved by said state treasurer, of the market value of one hundred thousand dollars (\$100,000.00), as collateral security for the faithful performance of his aforesaid contract within the time therein limited, the condition of said contract to be that, if the said one hundred miles of railroad shall be completed within four years from the ratification of this act, then the said bonds or other security shall be surrendered and returned to the said W. J. Edwards, his associates or assigns, but that, if the said one hundred miles of railroad shall not be so completed, then the said deposit shall be forfeited to the state of North Carolina and shall be converted into money and converted into the general funds of the state, it being distinctly understood that the advantages to accrue to the state from the completion of said one hundred miles of road constitutes a material inducement for the sale and transfer of the aforesaid stock: Provided, however, that, until the deposit hereinbefore provided for shall become forfeited, the said W. J. Edwards, his associates or assigns shall be entitled to collect and receive the interest, dividends and profits accruing thereon.

**Couldn't Fill the Order.**

The Telegram has been urging the establishment of more manufacturing enterprises. Take this case and look at it: A gentleman, large furniture dealer of Lynchburg, was in this city yesterday to purchase over three hundred suits of furniture and over a thousand bedsteads. It's a little humiliating to confess it; but the furniture factory here couldn't fill the order and the gentleman went on to High Point.

Let Greensboro get in shape to accommodate all who come.

### WASHINGTON CITY NEWS.

#### Opposition to Confirmation of Another Judge.

Special to THE TELEGRAM.  
Washington, Feb. 25.—Some opposition appears to be developing to the confirmation of Mr. Shelby, of Alabama, nominated for the judgeship of the new southern circuit. Senator Bacon who was instrumental in securing the passage of the bill through the senate for the establishment of the new circuit court for the states of Alabama, Georgia, Louisiana, Texas and Florida, is a member of the senate committee on judiciary, to which the nomination of Mr. Shelby has been referred. Senator Bacon was one of the most earnest supporters of Col. Glenn, of Georgia, who was endorsed by the entire delegation, as well as democratic and republican newspapers of the state. Senator Bacon and other members of the Georgia delegation thought when the new circuit was established that Georgia would be honored with the appointment. Although Senator Bacon intimated at the meeting of the judiciary committee the other day that he would oppose hasty action on the nomination, there has, so far as can be learned, transpired nothing upon which to base a belief that Shelby will be defeated, or that the nomination will be hung up in committee. As Col. Glenn, after the nomination of Shelby was sent to the senate, promptly telegraphed his congratulations to the successful candidate, and assured the latter of his warmest wish for prompt confirmation, it is not perceived how the senators from Georgia could now consistently or successfully resist confirmation, even were they disposed to do so. Moreover, those who know Judge Shelby regard him as fully qualified for the bench, and as a man of unimpeachable integrity and honor. As a lawyer his reputation is not confined to the state of Alabama, but he is favorably known throughout the entire south. Several members of the judiciary committee say that they do not anticipate much trouble in getting a favorable report on the nomination.

The members of the Virginia delegation in the house have given up hope of securing the passage through the house this session of the bill for the relief of the Richmond Locomotive Company. Representative Lamb, of the Richmond district has on several occasions sought the consent of Speaker Reed to allow him to call up the bill and ask unanimous consent for its passage, but the speaker has so far declined to yield. There are several claims pending in congress of interest to the southern states, but by the attitude of the republican majority in refusing them consideration, none of them will go through at this session, as the time is too limited. Yesterday was the last day which under the rules of the house should have been devoted to bills on the private calendar, but the day was consumed with the army appropriation bill, which is considered as being of more importance than the payment of just and honest claims of the citizens of the south which have been pending in congress, many of them, since the close of the war of 1861.

Some opposition is developing to the passage of the compromise on the army reorganization bill. In the senate several of the democrats say openly that they do not like the bill, although there does not seem to be any disposition as yet to delay its passage. In the house among the republicans there is also much opposition, principally among the republicans, who do not like what they call a back-down on the part of the president. Representative Hull, of Iowa, although he introduced the substitute prepared, and will vote for it, admits privately that it is not framed according to his liking, and that if he had the matter in his hands the compromise would not have been made.

M. B. Shrier and wife, of Greensboro, are at the Hotel Raleigh for a few days. Mr. Shrier is in the city on personal business.

Among other North Carolina people in Washington are Messrs. Ed. Latta and C. Manning, both of Charlotte. The former is stopping at the Ebbitt House and the latter is registered at the St. James hotel.

Postmasters have been appointed in North Carolina as follows: Ascend, Chatham county, Wiley Goodwin; Bryant, Chatham county, R. F. Johnson; Marble, Cherokee county, Jesse C. Anderson; Palmyra, Halifax county, Samuel M. Alexander; Richardson, Bladen county, John Davis.

"Popular" is the name of a line of ladies' oxfords made by the Hamilton-Brown Shoe Co., and they are rightly named, for it is one of the most popular lines of low shoes in the country. They are sold in Greensboro by Thacker & Brockmann, who now carry them in stock in a great variety of styles and sizes.

**No Cure—No Pay.**

This is the way all druggists sell Groves' Tasteless Chill Tonic for Chills and Malaria. It is simply iron and quinine in a tasteless form. Children love it. Adults prefer it to bitter nauseating tonics. Price, 50c.

### THE SITUATION IMPROVING.

#### One Thousand Two Hundred Suspects Arrested.

#### POLICE EXTREMELY VIGILANT.

#### British Cruiser Landed Men To Fight Fire—Underwriters Refuse To Pay Losses at Manila.

By Cable To THE TELEGRAM.  
Manila, Feb. 25.—The arrest of 1,200 suspects since the fire started and the extreme vigilance of the police is believed to have averted all danger of further incendiarism at present.

The main fire brigade of the British cruiser Narcissus was landed every night for the protection of British banks.

Underwriters refuse to pay losses from the fires here, claiming exemption by reason of the war clause in the policies.

Four American soldiers were wounded in last night's fighting in front of Calosa, and one at San Pedro. Scattering shots continue all along the line.

The situation is slightly improved, although the Chinese are still timorous.

**"THE MISOGYNIST."**

This Splendid Comedy Was Repeated Last Night.

A larger audience than on any night since Monday greeted the Murray-Hart company at the academy of music last night, when, by special request they played "The Misogynist, or, A Woman Hater."

A continuous roar of laughter throughout the entire performance attested the high appreciation by the audience of the clever work of the characters in the play, every one of whom were perfectly suited to his or her part. To make special mention of any certain one is not possible—all were good.

As on previous nights, Miss McCullough and Mr. Yost delighted those present with their singing, both responded to hearty encores.

Tonight the company will present a four act farce comedy, entitled, "The Man from Maine." Mr. Murray promises a lively time, plenty of "spice," and perfect satisfaction to all.

This will close the engagement of this good company in our city. Give them a rousing send-off.

**Pulliam Gives Bond.**

Mr. Lawrence P. McLeod, of Asheville, arrived at noon today to liberate his uncle, Lawrence Pulliam, who was brought here yesterday from California. He went immediately to Marshal Millikan's office and gave the bond of \$5,000. Mrs. McLeod, Lawrence Pulliam's sister and J. E. Rankin, cashier of the Battery Park Bank, of Asheville, are mentioned as securities on the bond.

The meeting at the jail was a sad one: As soon as the cell door was opened the two men clasped hands and neither spoke for more than a minute. They went to the Benbow to spend the afternoon and Pulliam brought a new suit of clothes which he brought with him from California. They will return to Asheville tonight.

**In Court Today.**

T. R. Link, alias Dunn, yesterday pleaded guilty of forgery, though he has not yet been sentenced.

Joe Hanes pleaded guilty of forgery, and was sentenced to 4 months on the public roads.

Annie Wright, charged with writing libelous letters was found guilty and sentenced to 18 months in jail.

A number of less important cases have been tried this afternoon.

The grand jury made its report and was dismissed this morning.

The Gibson case having taken up two days the criminal docket will not be finished this week.

**Another New Dwelling.**

Mr. C. S. Watson, one of the best known and most successful shoe drummers in the state, has purchased the lot between those of G. Sam Bradshaw and R. W. Murray on Ashboro street, and will during the spring, erect a handsome residence thereon. This is one of the best locations in the city, in a splendid residence section, and Mr. Watson intends erecting a residence in keeping, if not superior to, those in that vicinity. Let the good work go on.

**"The Man From Maine."**

The above is a very pleasing comedy lately written by one of our cleverest New York dramatists and though it has not been written long enough to win recognition among the comedies of today, it bids fair to be one of the most popular of plays. It will be produced at the academy of music tonight for the first time in the south. Come out and have a good laugh. Ladies admitted free.

### NOTES FROM HIGH POINT.

#### The Local News From Our Neighbor Briefly Told.

TELEGRAM BUREAU  
HIGH POINT, N. C., Feb. 25

D. H. Lyall and Louise Breese, advance agents for the Murray-Hart Co were in the city yesterday making arrangements to show here three nights next week, commencing Wednesday. Joe Jackson is billing the town for this company.

Miss Ethel Duffie, of Central Falls, arrived in the city this morning. She has accepted a position as stenographer and typewriter with the Home Furniture Co. Glad to have her with us.

Mrs. A. Adams and children went to Asheville this morning.

R. D. Craver left yesterday for Thomasville to paint some signs.

Miss Annie Woolen, of Randleman, is visiting her sister, Miss Jessie Woolen.

W. T. Parker, of Archdale, passed through the city this morning returning from a trip in the eastern part of the state.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Walker and Master Sammie, went to Asheville today to spend Sunday.

R. A. Wheeler who has been right sick for some time, left yesterday for Baltimore to enter Johns-Hopkins hospital.

We welcome Lee Cartland back to his position with the High Point Clothing Co.

Don't forget Prof. Geo. H. Crowell's annual sermon tomorrow morning in the Methodist church to the Junior Order. The public cordially invited.

**An Eloquent Speaker.**

It is a pleasure to announce that Rev. Dr. W. S. Creasy, of Winston, will speak at Centenary church, this city, tomorrow night, at a union meeting under the auspices of the local W. C. T. U. To hear Dr. Creasy is to be delighted, instructed and entertained. He is one of the most fluent and eloquent preachers in the state. The public is cordially invited to hear him.

**Death of a Bright Little Boy.**

Lit'e Miles, the 15-months-old son of Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Wysong, died at 10:50 o'clock this morning after an illness of twenty-eight days with meningitis. The funeral will be held at the home, 600 West Lee street, at 3 o'clock tomorrow afternoon. The Telegram extends sympathy to the bereaved parents.

**THE MARKETS.**

Closing Quotations by Paule, Murphy & Co.

By private wire to F. A. Burgin, Manager.

NEW YORK, Feb. 25, 1899

American tobacco	187 1/2
Ach., Top. & Santa Fe	64 1/2
B. and O.	28 1/2
C. and O.	14 1/2
Chic., Bur. and Quincy	14 1/2
Chic. Gas	11 1/2
Del., Lack. and Western	15 1/2
Delaware and Hudson	11 1/2
Federal Steel	51 1/2
N. & W. Pr.	60 1/2
General Electric	109 1/2
Jersey Central	109 1/2
Louisville and Nashville	65 1/2
Lake Shore	112 1/2
Manhattan Elevated	112 1/2
Missouri Pacific	40 1/2
Metropolitan and S. railway	147 1/2
Northern Pacific	79 1/2
National Lead	36 1/2
New York Central	137 1/2
Pacific Mail	137 1/2

CHICAGO, Feb. 25, 1899

Wheat, May	72 1/2
" Sep	71 1/2
" July	71 1/2
" Feb	71 1/2
Corn, Sep	34 1/2
" Feb	36 1/2
" July	36 1/2
" May	36 1/2
Oats, July	26 1/2
" Feb	27 1/2
" July	26 1/2
" May	28 1/2
Pork, Dec	97 1/2
" July	93 1/2
" Feb	97 1/2
" May	97 1/2
Lard, Sep	57 1/2
" July	55 1/2
" Feb	52 1/2
" May	54 1/2
Ribs, Nov	44 1/2
" Mar	44 1/2
" July	44 1/2
" Feb	45 1/2
" May	48 1/2
Cotton, Sept	612 @ 613
" Jan	614 @ 616
" Feb	624 @ 626
" March	625 @ 628
" April	622 @ 623
" May	625 @ 626
" June	622 @ 623
" July	623 @ 624
" August	625 @ 626
" Oct	611 @ 612
" Nov	610 @ 612
" Dec	612 @ 613
Spot cotton	6 1/2

### Just Received

#### Baylis Horseradish and Mustard

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### Heinz's and Durkee's Dressing

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A cough's more dangerous to you than a run-away horse yet you don't get out of a cough's way with the same quickness as you would a run-away horse.

### Southern Pine Cough Syrup

is a certain cure for coughs and colds.

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121 S. Elm St. Opp. Benbow

### Fordham's Grippe Capsules

will positively cure La Grippe in 12 hours. Price 25 cents.

No cure no pay.

### Grissom & Fordham,

Prescription Druggists.

### Real Estate Specialties!

### Take Your Choice

### Here are Bargains For You!

The following property is listed for sale:

House and lot on East Market, near Davis street. \$200 sacrifice if sold in February.

A good lot on Ashboro street—partly leaving town and wants money for the lot.

House and lot on Pearson street, desirable location. Owner moved to New York.

Good house and 3-acre lot on Ashboro street.

House and lot on Walker avenue, vacant lot on Keogh street, near Green street.

Thirty-four vacant lots on and near Gorrell street, sold as a whole or separately.

Call on us for full particulars.

### Wharton & McAlister,

Agents.

### D. W. Robertson,

### ELECTRICIAN.

Odd Fellows Building, 120 W. Market  
Cosmopolitan incandescent lights put in for \$1.00 each.  
Welsbach Mantles put in for 40 cents each.  
Shades, Chimneys, etc., furnished at low prices.  
Electric Burglar and Fire Alarms, Door Bells, Annunciators, Incandescent Lamps, etc.

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1,000 Note Heads	15
1,000 Statements	15
1,000 Bill Heads	15
1,000 Letter Heads	15
1,000 Business Cards	15

All printing done on superior stock. No shoddy material used. Work guaranteed to please or money refunded.

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