THE MOUNT AIRY NEWS.

Mount Airy, N. C., Mar. 5, 1896.

JUDICIOUS ADVERTISING

CREATES many a new business;
ENLARGES many an old business;
PRESERVES many a large business;
REVIVES many a dull business;
RESCUES many a lost business
SAVES many a failing business
SECURES success in any business.

The next election is for Mayor and Commissioners.

March arrived on schedule time and as windy as ever.

The fishing party Friday night is to be the event of the season.

Our young friend, W. R. Sanders, is building a nice residence.

The work on the furniture factory has been delayed on account of lumber.

"The spring time has come"—the season for pic nics, blossoms, pretty roses and such.

Hundreds of our subscribers are behind. Let every one due for the paper call and settle just as soon as possible.

The sound of the tobacco factory whistles in different parts of town reminds us that business is starting up again.

Quite a number of our citizens attended the closing exercises of Mr. G. L. Atkins' school at Salem last Saturday.

We have had some rain and cold weather since last issue. We do not expect much pretty weather before the middle of April.

We regret to learn of the death of Mr. Samuel Barnes, which occurred Monday. Mr. Barnes lived near Westfield and was in his 28th year.

Mr. J. G. Powell, one of our most popular young men, gave a birthday dinner to a number of his friends on last Friday at Hotel Reynolds.

The town of Mount Airy having been divided into four wards, it was not so crowded last Monday at the water works' election. Every voter had plenty of time and room.

The editor of THE NEWS congratulates Mount Airy for taking the step she did last Monday. See to it, citizens, that every cent of the $25,000 is judiciously expended.

There will be a Fishing Party at the residence of Mrs. Edgar Gilmer, Friday evening, March 6th, from 7 until 11 o'clock. Given by the Ladies Aid Society of the Methodist church.

Off for the North Pole! Blake H. Jakemore, the picture man, left yesterday for the North to improve his work and keep up to date. His son Charlie will run the gallery until his return.

Messrs. Jas. S. Flippin, of Francisco, C. L. Nichols, of Yadkin county, T. J. Logan, of Siloam, and G. M. Hatcher, of Patrick county, Va., sold their tobacco at Graves' Warehouse last week.

Some "peace disturbers" were shooting and cutting up last Wednesday night at 2 o'clock between the Methodist chapel and Rockford street. How we did wish for an officer to pounce down on that set!

The indications for better times are abundant. Not less than fifteen thousand dollars will be paid out here during the next year for labor putting in water works. This is a snug little sum to scatter around among our people.

A member of Central Methodist church requests us to state that he did not get to hear Dr. Barnett's sermon Sunday night on account of certain parties who whispered and "twisted" all the time during the services.

A Premium Sale of Tobacco at Richmond, Va., appears elsewhere. Mr. White, agent for the Acme Guano, that did the work, calls attention to the closing paragraphs and his visit to this section. It is a North Carolina article and all right.

Mr. R. L. Yokley's free school at Flat Rock is out, but, through the kindness and liberality of Messrs. Woodroffe, Mr. Yokley has been enabled to continue the school until the latter part of May. There are few, if any, better teachers in this country.

The wisest men get fooled sometimes. Some of our wisest citizens regard the outlook for a general business revival here this year as gloomy, while others who are equally as intelligent are looking for a good year. We cannot afford to talk dull times—times are all right enough. The biggest trouble is with the people.

The remains of Wilcher Greenwood, colored, son of Chas. Greenwood, of this place, were brought up Saturday night and buried Sunday morning. Wilcher, who had been working in the mines at Pocahontas, Va., for some time, he having gone from Mount Airy sixteen years ago, was killed Friday morning by a fall of slate.

The first number of the Pilot Times, published at Pilot Mountain, and issued weekly, is before us. It is useless to say that the business men of Pilot Mountain and vicinity should support their local paper. They know that and we hope they will stand up to Dr. Smith in his efforts to establish a paper in their beautiful, progressive town.

We have just received a letter from Elder J. D. Draughn, dated at Quince, Fla., requesting us to state through these columns that he will not be able to reach White Plains in time to preach next Sunday, his regular appointment for Dover, but, providence permitting, he will preach for his people at that church on the 4th Sunday, in the morning and at night.

Music and refreshments at the Fishing Party. Everybody cordially invited.

Come and bring your children to the Fishing Party for the benefit of the new Methodist church.

Several real good communications were received too late for this issue. Communications must always reach us by Saturday, and never later than noon on Monday.

Mr. Geo. O. Graves, of Martinsville, Va., has formed a copartnership with Mr. C. B. Keesee, of this place, and will make Mount Airy his home. We are glad to have these hustling leaf tobacco dealers with us.

Mr. J. R. Paddison has been asked to accept the chairmanship for this county for the American Silver Organization. Having several years ago retired from active political work, he declines, notwithstanding he always takes a lively interest in the political issues of the day. He is a silver Democrat, and in favor of the restoration of that metal to its former value, and opposed to the single gold standard.

On last Saturday evening, at the home of Capt. W. C. Moore, on Rockford street, a beautiful birthday supper was given by Mrs. Moore, it being Miss Mary's third birthday, notwithstanding she is 12 years old. She will be twenty on her next birthday. The following young ladies and gentlemen were present and partook of the elegant supper: Misses Mamie Banner, Jeannette Trotter, Bettie Patterson, Margaret Hines, Lillian Gilmer, Laura Ross, Myrtle Hines, Grace Gallaway, Cordie and Moselle Olive, Mattie Yokley, and Masters Reece McDuffie, Herbert Foy and Clem Wrenn.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Mr. C. B. Keesee is at Martinsville, Va., this week.

Mr. J. W. Prather is gone North again after more goods.

Mrs. J. M. Fuller is visiting her relatives at Kernersville.

Mr. Jack McPherson went down to Wilmington Tuesday.

Mrs. Sam'l G. Pace, who has been quite sick, is much better.

Sam Taylor, a most popular drummer, was in town Wednesday.

Mr. Stephen Williams, of Snake Creek, Va., was in town Thursday.

Messrs. W. A. & M. D. Moore have returned from the Newbern fair.

Mr. A. C. Short left Thursday morning for Thomasville, Ga., on a business trip.

Mrs. J. D. Jenkins and little daughter, Juna, are visiting relatives at Hillsville, Va.

Mr J. F. Vass, of the firm of Matthews, Vass & Co., Cep, Va., was in town Wednesday.

Mr. J. W. McNier, a popular "knight of the grip," called on our hardware dealers last Wednesday.

John G. Burrus, Esq., of Rockford, N. C., was in to see us last week. He is one of Surry's best citizens.

Mr. W. H. Butler was down at Pilot Mountain again last Sunday. He seems to have business down that way right often.

Mr. J. D. Taylor, our former telegraph operator at this place, came up from Walnut Cove the first of the week and will be here several days.

Mr. R. J. Gallaway has gone North to purchase his spring stock of goods. Look out for his grand opening announcement next week.

Mr. Jess Powell, our clever engineer on the C. F. & Y. V., who pulls the throttle on the Flat Rock branch, spent last Sunday in Greensboro.

Mr. Greenberry Griffith McKinzie Bobbitt Turnira Quinsira Quesinberry, of Fancy Gap, Va., was in town Wednesday with a load of fine apples.

Miss Nannie Childress, after a visit of several weeks to her sister, Mrs. J. D. Jenkins, at this place, returned to her home at Hillsville, Va., last week.

Dr. W. R. Hollingsworth, after spending two weeks attending lectures, etc., at the University Medical College, Richmond, Va., returned home Monday evening.

Mr. C. L. Banner, Jr., of this place, attended the great Fish and Oyster fair at Newbern last week, returning Saturday night. Cons says the crowd was large and the fair good.

Mr. Jesse A. Ashburn, of Pilot Mountain, was in town this week. He has just returned from an extended trip through portions of South Carolina, Georgia and Florida.

Dr. J. T. Burrus, of Rockford, who has been attending one of the oldest and best Medical Colleges in Richmond, Va., is at home for a short time. After practicing with Dr. Holcomb until fall he will return and take another course.

Advertised Letters.

The following unclaimed letters, remaining in Mount Airy, (N. C.) postoffice, March 2, will be sent to dead letter office after two weeks, unless called for. In calling for same, please say advertised:

1 J P Carico,
2 Miss E B Collins,
3 G T Evans,
4 Mrs Emily Gilmer,
5 W B Hargrave,
6 N E Honeycutt,
7 John Jones, Jr.,
8 Mary Lack,
9 Press Willard.

T. J. LOWRY, P. M.

$25,000 FOR WATER WORKS!

MOUNT AIRY VOTES FOR THE BONDS—WATER WORKS CARRIED!

New Life Infused Into Our Already Progressive and Stirring Town.

The election for water works for Mount Airy, held last Monday, was carried by a respectable majority.

The strange thing about it is that no one seemed to think much about the election and very few persons took, apparently, any interest in it whatever. The fact is heretofore we have been voted down, and all hands had, it seems, come to the conclusion that we would "catch it" again. But not so.

Bonds have been carried and Mt. Airy will have water works!

The people seemed to vote as they pleased and a large majority of those who came out to the election voted the little ballot upon which was printed the simple word "Approved."

Good for Mount Airy! There are better days ahead for every one of her people.

The following is the result in the different wards of the city:

First Ward—registered vote,	99
Approved,	67
Not Approved,	19
Second Ward—reg'ed vote,	97
Approved,	75
Not Approved,	9
Third Ward—reg'ed vote,	113
Approved,	74
Not Approved,	20
Fourth Ward—reg'ed vote,	106
Approved,	32
Not Approved,	51

Majority of the votes polled for water works, 149. Majority of the registered vote for water works, 40.

Now that water works has been carried, let Mount Airy take fresh courage and put forth every effort to accomplish something this year.

The outlook is bright and we do earnestly hope those entrusted with handling the $25,000 will use every cent of the money for the very best advantage of Mount Airy. Later on our town will be compelled to have lights and graded schools, and if the $25,000 is properly applied, our town improves, and everything works smoothly, it will not be so difficult to arouse our people and secure the other necessities.

Greensboro Glad to Hear the Good News.

Mr. T. H. Muse, of this place, engineeer C. F. & Y. V., a warm friend of Mt. Airy and one who worked for water works, received the following dispatch Tuesday:

GREENSBORO, N. C.,
March 3, 1896.

Mr. T. H. Muse—I am glad to hear the good news from election yesterday. J. C. MURCHISON.

We Must Make Business.

The following is from the Richmond Tobacco Journal, and as it contains a pointer that might be of benefit to some man, we give it a place in our columns:

"Waiting for business to improve has taken up such a long, weary time that we have, looking into the why and wherefore of the delay in improvement, come to the conclusion that Mr. Delay was waiting around the corner for us to make a move, and he would follow. As long as both waited, one waiting on the other, nothing could happen. We said to ourselves, why don't somebody else make the motion, then we will follow; but we found that somebody else waiting after the same manner for us. Then came a fear that we were not capable and would not be recognized and were not cut out for a lead horse, but finally the thought came, Do something, that is better than idleness and suspense, and the moment we struck out we met Success, though both of us going along together had still a howling crowd following crying, Pull him down, Put him out of lead, Come back, and the like. He'll fail, he'll fall, he'll stumble. Stumble we did, but the crowd of go-aheads had got started, and many ran over us, but we had caught the spirit and courage, gathered grit, and went on.

When a lot of Delays get this notion in their heads, they make business boom, and still the croakers have all they can do to croak."

The Paris Exhibition of 1900.

The magnitude of the labor involved in the preparation for the Paris Exhibition of 1900 may be judged from the fact that already the French people are actively engaged in the preliminary work of organization, although the opening day of their great enterprise is nearly five years distant. It is estimated that the preparation of the grounds, erection of the buildings, and general maintenance of this Exhibition will absorb a round sum of $20,000,000.

Catarrh Cannot be Cured

with Local Applications, as they cannot reach the seat of the disease. Catarrh is a blood or constitutional disease, and in order to cure it you must take internal remedies. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, and acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces. Hall's Catarrh Cure is not a quack medicine. It was prescribed by one of the best physicians in this country for years, and is a regular prescription. It is composed of the best tonics known, combined with the best blood purifiers, acting directly on the mucous surfaces. The perfect combination of the two ingredients is what produces such wonderful results in curing Catarrh. Send for testimonials, free.

F. J. CHENEY & Co., Props., Toledo, O.
Sold by druggists, price 75c.

I have moved my shop to the building next to J. F. Harrison's harness shop, on Main street, where I will be glad to serve you.

L. R. ALBERTSON.

MR. J. D. JENKINS.

What Energy, Pluck and Sticking Everlastingly to Business Will Do.

Some men succeed in spite of themselves, while others fail to accomplish anything with every advantage.

Mr. J. D. Jenkins, who is well acquainted with everybody in Surry and adjoining counties in North Carolina and Virginia, commenced business in Mount Airy in 1882, with less than one hundred dollars capital, and in a year or two had a business worth $500 or $600. In a few more years his business increased to such an extent that Mr. Jenkins knocked down the partition in the blue front store and turned the whole place into one store-room and increased his stock. In two or three years he found it absolutely necessary to move into larger and more commodious quarters, and he at once commenced the erection of the elegant brick store he now occupies, getting into his new, handsome building just in time for the holiday trade of the year in which it was built.

By this time Mr. Jenkins had accumulated, by hard work and close attention to business, several thousand dollars, and invested in more real estate next to his store and erected the two-story modern style brick at present occupied on the first floor by Mr. W. W. Burke as a grocery store.

In the meantime Mr. Jenkins, as all men should do, got married, and put carpenters to work fitting up the second story of his magnificent brick store for occupancy as a home. We do not think there is a better arranged place of abode in Mount Airy—sitting room, elegantly fitted up and furnished parlor, bed chamber, dining-room, kitchen, servant's room, closets, &c., &c., in fact everything has been provided for convenience and comfort. Nice porches in front and in rear of the building and stairways leading to side-walk in front and also to the ground on back side of premises. Lattice work has been put up and everything well painted. In a word Mr. and Mrs. Jenkins have an ideal home—one that anybody might be excused for envying.

The secret of Mr. Jenkins' success is not easy for everyone to understand. He considers one man's money as good as another's, and, therefore, treats all alike. He is prompt—always on time. Discounts his bills, keeps an up-to-date stock of goods and is never too tired to look after business.

Mr. Jenkins has an immense stock of goods, and is continually adding to his already magnificent line of notions. He keeps everything in the way of school books, school supplies, writing material, &c., and his customers are scattered all over this section of the State and in a goodly portion of Virginia, and he is still reaching for more.

J. D. Jenkins is not stingy. He has spent nearly fifteen hundred dollars for outside enterprises during the past few years, and for which he received no return, all for the good of Mount Airy.

He is willing to aid anybody in distress. Patronizes home industries liberally, takes his town paper, advertises in it and pays his bills punctually and never says "you are high," after the fashion of some.

Success has followed Mr. Jenkins all these long years simply because HE EARNED it. That is the reason for all this. And when that man takes a firm grasp on the Lord—when he gets in earnest about his "soul's success" you will find a Christian you can count on.

Who Will Start a Canning Factory?

The following is published for the purpose of showing our citizens what others are doing in the canning business. We mention this industry now because if any of our business men should decide to engage in the fruit canning business this year, now is the proper time to make arrangements. Read this paragraph copied from the Lenoir (N. C.) Topic:

"Mr. A. G. Corpening, of Cora, one of Caldwell's most enterprising men, was in town on business last Thursday. Mr. Corpening says he is having a lively trade in his canned goods this season. There is ample room for a dozen more canning establishments in this county. Who next will get out of the old ruts and do something?"

Greenwood-Matthews.

Married, on Wednesday, February 26th, 1896, at the home of the bride, in the vicinity of Salem church, three miles from Mount Airy, by Rev. J. P. Lanning, Mr. J. M. Greenwood to Miss Mary J. Matthews. THE NEWS extends its congratulations to these young people and wishes them much happiness. Miss Mary has been holding the family of children at her home together since the death of her parents, and we know her young brothers were loth to give up so kind a sister as Mary has always been.

AYER'S SARSAPARILLA — WORLD'S FAIR Chicago 1893

Cures OTHERS, WILL Cure You.

AYER'S Sarsaparilla MAKES THE WEAK STRONG.

Obituary.

Mrs. Ruth Ellen Brim, wife of Samuel G. Brim, was born June 20th, 1867, and was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. —— Connor. She lived a peaceable and quiet life; kind and affectionate to all.

On the 2d day of May, 1887, she was married to Samuel G. Brim. They lived happily together 8 years, 9 months and 20 days, during which time they were blest with four bright, intelligent children, three boys and one girl, all of whom yet survive their mother. She was sick, or feeble, some six months, but during the last two months she was confined to her bed and her suffering none can tell.

A few days before her death she made known to her husband that she was prepared for a home in Heaven, and on the 22d of February, at 11:45 a. m., she died. The breach is great.

A young husband in bloom of life
Is left to mourn o'er a loving wife.

Four children are left orphans, no mother to sing the lullaby song and soothe the little ones to sleep, or teach them how to shun the traps and snares of this crooked world, yet in all this bereavement we must own the justice of a sovereign Lord. She is at rest, peace to her forever.

J. A. A.

Pilot Mountain, Feb. 25th, 1896.

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PAIN-KILLER

THE GREAT Family Medicine of the Age.

Taken Internally, It Cures Diarrhœa, Cramp, and Pain in the Stomach, Sore Throat, Sudden Colds, Coughs, &c., &c.

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A speedy cure for pain—no family should be without it.—*Montreal Transcript.*

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It is really a valuable medicine—it is used by many Physicians.—*Boston Traveller.*

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Persian Corn, finest on the market.
Dr. Lafferty's Complete Flour,
Pure Maple Syrup,
Banquet Waters in 1 lb. packages,
Northern Seed Irish Potatoes,
Eastern Sweet Potatoes,
Full line Garden Seeds,
Yellow and White Onion Sets,
New Mackerel.
Cashmere Bouquet, Jerena Bouquet and other fine Toilet Soaps.

Read this! L. J. Norman boards jurors and State witnesses at 50 cts. a day, pays cash for tickets and feeds your horse whether he feeds you or not. Is building substantial stables to accommodate his increasing patronage, and Aunt Mat will give you a fit le well-cooked meat and bread and such other mountain eatables as Alleghany, Grayson and the "State of Wilkes" affords. So you can call at court and test the matter for yourself—don't take any hearsay.

Goose Grease will cure you of all aches and pains, or your money refunded. For man or beast. For sale by S. G. Pace, liveryman, Mt. Airy, N. C. Made by Riverside Medicine Co., Ore Hill, N. C.

A Mass Meeting to Stop a Distillery.

On last Thursday there was a very interesting mass meeting held at Mt. Hermon church in Jackson township. It was composed of the christian people of the community without regard to church affiliation. The object of the meeting was to take steps against the whiskey traffic which had been giving that neighborhood a great deal of trouble recently. There was a large congregation present and after a number of addresses it was decided that the congregation should go in a body to the house of Wm. Starnes, who was erecting a large distillery, and ask him to refrain from his injurious work. Almost the entire congregation went to Starnes' house and laid the matter before him and a number of mothers begged him with tears and earnest prayers not to erect a distillery in the community. The distiller would not heed the appeals of his neighbors, however, and is going on with his work. One of Starnes' daughters told the ladies that she would go with them and help cut the still to pieces.—Monroe Enquirer.

If you eat what you want, and digest it, you will surely be strong and healthy.

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If you find that you can't digest it, there is a simple help for your stomach.

It is Shaker Digestive Cordial, made by the Shakers of Mount Lebanon. It has never failed to cure the worst case of indigestion.

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are a source of comfort. They are a source of care, also. If you care for your child's health, send for illustrated book on the disorders to which children are subject, and which *Frey's Vermifuge* has cured for 50 years.

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These are the highest products of Foreign looms. Silk and Wool Canvas and Etamvin, Plain and Fancy Brocade, Silk and Wool Crepon, New Pelamatic tones, Meteniques & Manarr's Scotch and English Cheviots.

The above are unquestionably the choicest novelties we have ever shown and the respective low prices at which they are marked makes them of unusual value.

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123 and 125 FAYETTEVILLE STREET,
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RALEIGH, N. C.

Try a can of Hopkins' Steamed Hominy (Hulled Corn). It is delicious.

Buy T. W. Wood & Sons Garden Seeds of J. F. Allred and save postage and freight.

J. F. Allred's is the place to buy your Clover, Timothy and Orchard Grass Seed. He sells only first-class seed.

For Trunks and Satchels call on J. F. Allred. A big lot just received.

Parties desiring Typewriting and Short Hand work done will do well to call on W. B. Brown at Geo. W. Sparger's office. Prices reasonable. out-12-m-ch

Store house for rent at low figures. This stand, known as the Griffith & Smith store, is one of the best locations for business in the lower part of town. Call early. Possession given any time. Apply to

MRS. WM. GRIFFITH.

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Notice to Tax Payers.

All taxes not paid by the 15th of March, 1896, will positively be advertised, and cost will be added. I am compelled to have the money.

J. A. ADAMS, Sheriff.

March 2d, 1896.

WANTED.

A live House or Party to represent us, and take orders for FINE CUSTOM CLOTHING. For particulars address MARKS ARNHEIM, Broadway and Ninth Street, New York.

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Prompt attention given to all orders.

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Correspondence Solicited.

March 5, '96, tf

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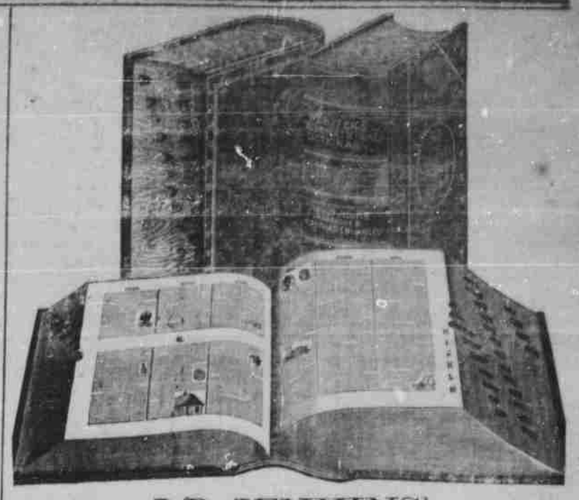
I wish to sell privately my two-story 7-room dwelling house, and 3-room store house, corner Main and Hamburg streets.

Call early or you might lose a bargain. The lot is large and has one good spring on it. There is a good cellar under the store, also a new buggy house on the lot.

MRS. WM. GRIFFITH.

March 3rd, 1896—2m



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A fine line of Shoes, Hats, Groceries and everything kept in a first-class store. Examine our stock before buying.

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Everything in my line bought for cash, consequently prices for Clothing of EVERY DESCRIPTION are as low as those of any other clothing store in the country. Give me a trial. 12-23-3m

Farmers, Don't Forget! Graves' Warehouse,

Corner Main and Rockford Streets,

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Is the place to get the highest market prices for your tobacco; the best accommodations for both yourselves and your stock; the most convenient location to the stores and the bank, which saves time for you. We are always on hand to

LOOK AFTER YOUR INTERESTS AND COMFORTS,

And above all, to see that every pound of your tobacco is displayed so that it brings the FULL MARKET PRICE. Thanking you for the share of business you have seen fit to entrust us within the past, and soliciting a continuation of the same, we are,

YOUR FRENDS,

Graves Warehouse Co.

New Years' Greeting!

Wishing you a happy, prosperous 1896, the Globe Warehouse begs to thank you for past patronage and cordially invites you to continue your favors with us and bring your neighbor with you. The outlook, we think, is good for a strong demand for your Tobacco, and for fair prices.

THE GLOBE GUARANTEES HIGHEST MARKET PRICES —AND THE— Best of Attention While in Town,

So when you start to market put wool in your ears and hear no tales until you land safely in the

Globe Warehouse.

Dixie Gilmer is our auctioneer, John Nutt the Book-keeper, George Milk 2d night watchman, and Joe Ashby superintends the sale of every pile and waitops the buyers up on prices. The Globe is open every day except Sunday. It is closed on Saturday night and remains closed until Monday morning. So, again thanking you for past favors, we lift our hat and say COME AGAIN!

Your Friend, JOS. W. ASHBY.