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THE SPIRIT OF PROGRESS.

Mr. J. L. Goodwin, a good farmer from New Hill, Route 2, was in our office one day last week, bringing in his subscription for another year as well as that of a neighbor. He sat and talked with us for a while on things in general, and in the course of the conversation we discussed cooperative marketing, and the great good that the organization had done in Chatham county.

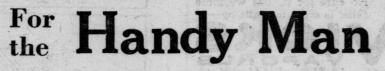
There is no discounting the fact that the price of cotton today is the result of the cooperation existing among the producers and the organization that was affected in Chatham county last year. If the old hap-hazard manner of holding cotton as individuals and marketing it in the same manner had prevailed, then the price of the fleecy staple would be much lower than it is today. We doubt seriously if it had gone above 20

cents. The spirit of progress is abroad in the land and the farmer is at the forefront now. In fact more so than at any time in the history of the world. The old farmer has come into his own. He plans, prophesies and executes agreeable to his desires and is no longer the tool or the benefactor for the greedy.

The time has been when false leaders arose and the farmer followed to his regret; he disbelieved and is not now so easily convinced on a whirlproposition, because he is o na par wind proposition because he is on a par in intelligence with any man and is the peer of many. Just so sure as the sun shines

from the heavens, there is a great future for the toilers of the soil in Chatham county. A real, literal, just reward awaits them on every hand. Old things are making new and the ape and tiger are being taken out of man and evidence is abundant of advancement on every hand throughout Chatham.

Our hats are off to the farmers of Chatham county and we pledge you our earnest efforts in your behalf in your cooperative work in any particular.



Most people enjoy doing the little repairs that are necessary around the home. It's a real pleasure when one is equipped with keen, convenient TOOLS. We have the very kind you like, and any HARDWARE, too, that you might need.

Don't neglect us when you need anything in our line. We want you to get our prices and examine the quality of our goods before you buy anything. We only carry the high grade, staple lines, and we sell them at the same price as the cheaper qualities bring.

Full line of garden seed now on hand. Cabbage plants at all times.



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A. H. LONDON President JAS. L. GRIFFIN Cashier W. L. FARRELL Asst. Cashier



A man over in Tennessee, a few days ago, was granted a divorce from his wife. He got his divorce papers from the third story of a building, came down to the second story and procured a marriage license, then came on down to the first story and secured a preacher and married another woman. Some quick work, that.

It may be an erroneous conclusion but Mr. W. E. Sharpe says the sun shone bright in Raleigh yesterday. He supposes it is in honor of the legisla-ture adjourning. But we fear it was given for light that the members might be able to find the way home to their constituents .- Alamance Observer, March 7.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT.

Court Began Monday, March 5, for Trial of Civil Cases.

Special term of Chatham superior court, for the trial of civil cases only, convened in Pittsboro Monday, March 5, Judge C. C. Lyon, of Bladen county, presiding.

Only ten cases were tried, two being compromised, for the first week of the special term.

The first case was that of Lacy Beal vs. Goldston Brick Co., which was compromised.

The next case, Ray and Harris vs. S. A. L., judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$1,000.

J. R. Bright vs. Peerless Lumber Co., judgment for Bright for \$1,500. C. L. Lindsay vs. Marks Bros. De-fendant loses. Jury awarded Lindsay \$400.

Beckie Phillips sued the W. U. Tele-graph Co., but the jury refused to give her anything. In're. will of Fogleman. Fogleman

willed all to his son, but others interested sued to have the will broken, which was done.

W. S. Durham, vs. American Ex-press Co. Plaintiff was awarded \$70 damages.

In another case against the same company the plaintiff was awarded \$60 damages.

Ad Burke vs. Henley Pickard; compromised.

Lucinda Lanier vs. G. G. Ward. Plaintiff was awarded \$1,200.

Out of 15 cases on the docket for the first week only the above cases were disposed of. When court convened there were 31 civil cases on the calendar to be tried.

The second week of the special term s now in progress, the regular term of court will begin next Monday,

NEW HILL ROUTE TWO NEWS. New Hill, Rt. 2, March 12.—Mr. and Mrs. Henry Mitchell, of Merry Oaks, spent the week-end with Mr.

Joel Jones. Mr. and Mrs. Ben Jones spent the week-end with her father. Mr. Joel Jones has been very ill

for the past week. Mr. and Mrs. Callie Jones motored

on a visit to her father Saturday.



WEDNESDAY and THURSDAY, MARCH 14 and 15 to see the most Wonderful Hats in both quality and Prices, that we have ever shown.

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will be given to Chatham county customers and we ask you to come in, make yourself known and we will be glad to give you the benefit of our years' of experience in the home furnishing business.

Goods Delivered Anywhere in Chatham if Sufficient Quanty is Purchased.

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Sanford, N. C.



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This week we are offering Ladies Silk and Wool hose. This lot is arranged in a show case for observation and we can easily show you that you get two pairs for less than the price of one.

GOOD PEOPLE EVERYWHERE

During the week-end the editor was privileged to visit through a good portion of Chatham around Carolina, Goldston, Bonlee and through that section. We were in no hurry and stopped here and there to shake hands with the folks. On every occasion we found things in a prosperous condition. People were cheerful, full of spirit and happy as could be.

In our travels through Chatham we have found the folks on an aver-age of the better sort. It is true that anywhere a person may go they will find good and they will find bad people, but it can safely be said that there are more good people in Chatham than in any other county in North Carolina.

There is only one black spot on the horizon for this county and that is the small amount of blockading. This is fast dicappearing. There is a deter-mined set of people in the county that will eventually overcome this evil and every court we now have puts some of the older offenders where they will do no more harm. This evil against the county is in the hands of the lawless, of course, and nothing better can be expected of them. Any self-respecting man, a man with a conscience and one with intelligence enough to know that there is a hell

It will take time of course to educate these unfortunate people up to ham. It is being accomplished every

a pleasure to be among them. We hope to perambulate further as the summer comes on.

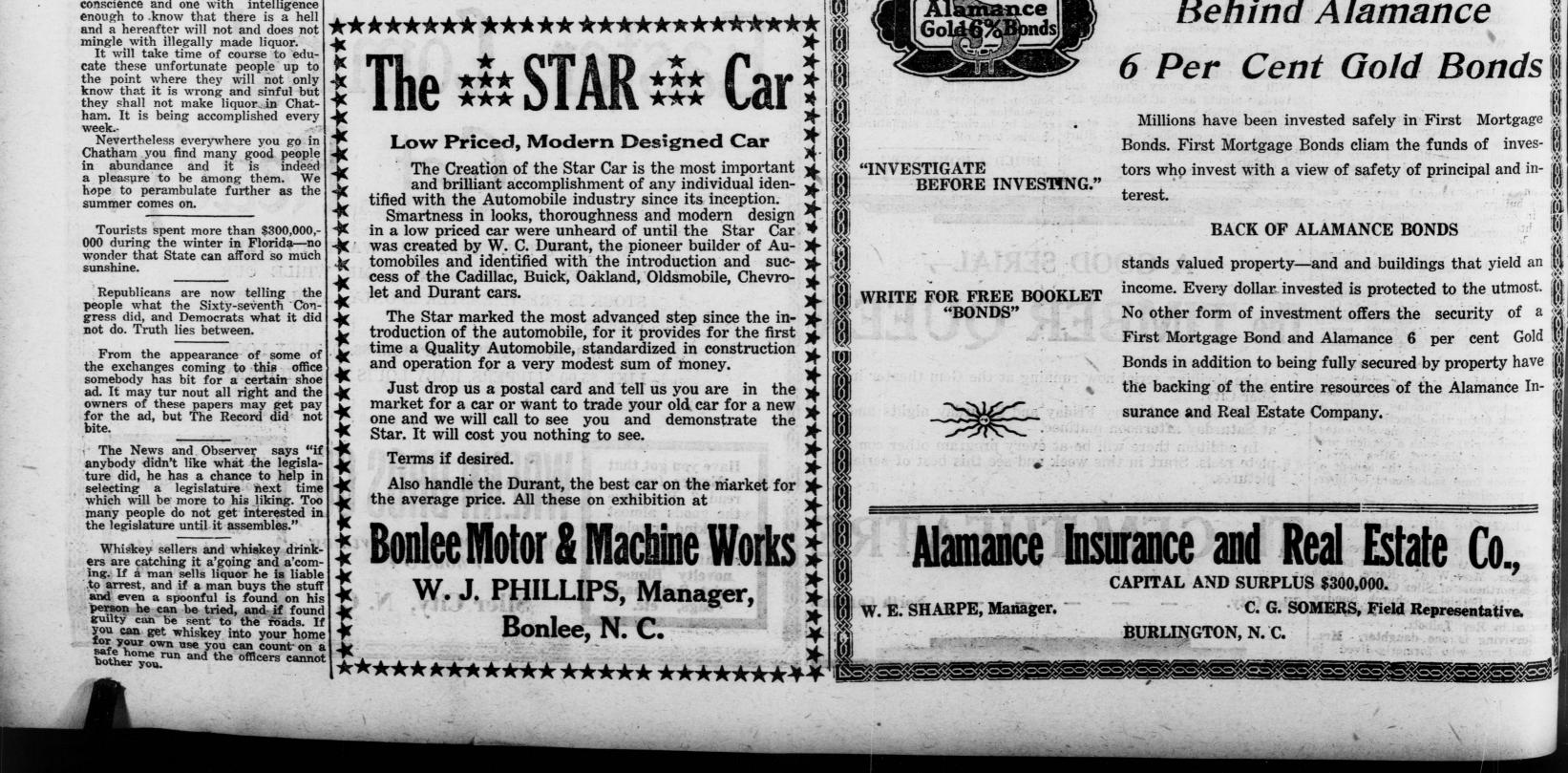
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Call in our store and let us show you anything that you may need of any character and the price will be found to be the lowest and always see the specials. Flour this week \$7.50 Sugar 11 cents.

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