LOCAL DOTS.

- **Cotton is bringing 73 to 77 cents on our streets to-day.
- ** Wood will he taken on sub-
- scription at this office.
- ** A blind minister preached at the Baptist church to-night.
- ** It is well to buy Christmas presents early and read advertisements thoroughly.
- ** There will be only two more issues before Christmas. Get in your Christmas "ad."
- ** Mr. F. B. Parker is teaching part of the free school in this district at Greenwood about one mile from
- ** Mr. J. L. Benton, section master on the W. & W. line moved his family to town last Friday. We ex-
- tend a hearty welcome.
- bon keeping, and occupies the
- ** The Wilming on and Weldon the sum of two dollars. Just such

hearty welcome extended to all.

- unite and have a Christmas tree? We had ought to encourage the children and this is a good plan. Only people will push the matter.
- ** Mr. J. D. Parrish of Benson will return to that place Thursday with a large lot of fine horses and mules which he will offer to the publie at remarkable low figures. Mr. Parrish is a man who understands buying and handling stock and inrites you to look at his selection before you purchase.
- ** Mr. D. Henry Hood has several locals in this issue. Old Santa has made his store headquarters this Christmas, and left him a very choice line of Holiday goods and iastructed him to sell them very cheap. When you come to Dunn don't fail to call at his store and examine his beaus tiful and well selected stock.
- ** Talk about your first-class eating, but we saw a man at Lillington last week who destroyed more rations than any one person we have yet seen. We took notes and this is what he ate: One 3 pound ham, one chicken, 3 pounds pork, one dozen biscrits, two cups coffee, cakes and spies accordingly. His friends paid for the dinner and the bill was \$1,25.
- ** We put several new names on our subscription list while at Lillingple but there was several who filed last week. to see us, if so they failed to recogshape by Jan. 1st, and it is important | Manufacturing Co. list you send your subscription to us
- The party given by Miss Lula morning and night. hays were indulged in and some of the boys acted their part very graceful, which added much to the enjoyment of the evening. Confecbyed. We are all indebted to Mr. juture of Dunn. and Mrs. Jackson and their daughter but such a pleasant evening.
- one of the horse traders on the teets of Lillington last week beme tired and sleepy, dismounted and tied his horse to himself and ent to the land of dreams. At length borse broke loose from where he as tied and never disturbed seping form of his master. The e no doubt became disgusted h hie companion, and rather des fed to be fastened to a corn crib or

** We will give our readers in our next issue a little more of the Exposition from the pen of one whose

- describing powers are unsurpassed. ** Mr. D S Wil'iams of Bunn's Level has moved his family to the old J M Jones place near town, Mr. Williams is a good farmer and we are pleased to welcom him.
- All orders for job work must be the stock of Mrs, C. Lane, and took Court Street Baptist church in Portsnaid one half when order is given and charge Monday morning. The busi mouth, for twenty five years, and his the ballance when delivered, Thirty ness will be continued at the same people still prefer him to all other old stand.
 - ** We learn that some negroes while in a drunken row Saturday livered an address at the request of Roads, shot at each other. No one church, Rev. W. F. Watson, (who is
 - ** Mr. R A Hales gives notice in this issue of big bargains offered at his store. He is closing out at cost.
 - I was once the grand ru'er,
 - And had things my own way, But the people now rule
 - And things are, in a different way.
 - In the town I now reside. It is the town of Dunn; And by its ruler I must abide,
 - Ferever I'll keep "mum." I thought justice I would have.
 - And appealed to his Honor on the bench,
 - But there I was turned down And hal to pay the cost. ALAS-ADIEU-FAREWELL
- ** The News and Observer showed more enterprise last Thursday than ** Chris' mas comes on Wednes- any paper ever has in the State, when day this year, so the editors, printers it came out with that Mammoth Cots an air of Sunday seemed to pervade and devil will all strike bristmas ton Mill Edition. The publishers the entire business portion of the ** Mr J. J. Dupree has gone to it was a success in every particular. Perhaps some day it will be that way Spence house in the northern part of broughout the entire State received all the country around us; for, in all ** Rev. W. H. Frost, an evangelist the paper, the mill owners and the be grateful. will deliver a grand lecture at the State. The only thing we regret is Free Will Baptist church in Duan that our little city has no cotton mill next Saturday Dec. 7th at 11 A. M to be displayed with the many others for the advancement of e lucation. A of North Carolina in that write up.
- ** We under tand that a young man in the upper part of this County Railroad Company was sued at the went out to a neighbor's house some last term of Court in the County for night's ago, at which place his best girl was residing. His special purs cases as this is the cause of such long pose on this occasion was to have a delay in trials at the L'illington shirt made, but he only had one, and that he had on, so there was no way ** Will not the people of Dunn of getting the proper measurement without taking off the shirt. The youngster cent out and removed his shirt, locked down the road and saw a short time now, and we hope our his rival coming, so decided to frighton his rival away by hanging his shirt up in the road. His rival came up, took the shirt down and cut it into strings. The reader can easily brough of Falcon. see the helpless condition the young man was left in. We suppose he sick for quite a long time is much the W. & W. R. R. Company, and went home, and perhaps will never better.

COMING AND GOING

Glad to note that Mr. L J Best is able to be on our streets again,

Miss Foy Barnes spent Sunday in the country at her bome.

Mr. Walter Marks spent Sunday with his parent in the country,

Mr. W B McKay and daughter, Miss Lizzie, of Dickinson, spent Sunday in town.

Messrs Hall, Duncan and Weeks. of Benson, attended the party at the Jackson House Friday night.

Mr. A R Wilson and Rev. N Hood spent several days in Golds, quickly and satisfactorily. Our Hol- in wishing for him and his charming

Mr. W H Privette of Spring Hope has ontered school at Lucknow in-

Mr. Gib Blanchard and his sister, Miss Beulab, left Sunday morning for Wake county.

Mr. F C Goodwin of Chatham spent several days with his brother, ton last week. We saw several peo- Dr. J C Goodwin and returned home on the strength of our advertisements

Mr. E Lee left Sunday for a trip pize us. We want our books in in the interest of the South Dunn

Rev. A M Hassel was in town goods. Sunday and filled his regular appointment at the Presbyterian church

ackson at the Jackson House Rev. J A Campbell, accompanied ast Friday night was well attended by Miss Gertrude Abernethy, stopand highly enjoyed. Several differ. ped over in town a few hours Sunday taggy and harness. Any one desir-

Smithfield Herald spent Tuesday good qualities generally. A rare had been very ill and was delirious consumed about a day and a half best bargain can be had. Whole outlit last night, and it is thought he essentially the consumed about a day and a half best bargain can be had. have him visit our town, and pleased oneries were served and highly en- with his favorable prediction of the

> IF you wish to be careful and eco. nomical in your purchases and at the same time select from a well chosen line of the very newest and best in Holiday Goods, you have only to I invite my friends and customers to start for D. H. Hood's Drug Store at once and both of these desirable advantages will be yours without any Dunn, N C. other moments delay.

> Old papers at this office 25 cents sins Currents, Citron &c., at D. H. per hundred.

Trip to Norfelk Va.

Rev. Dr. Harrell and wife have ju t returned from a pleasant trip 'o Portsmouth Va, and to Norfolk, visiting their son, Mr. Will P. Harrell, who resides in the former "city by

Dr Harrell preached, on Sunday night while absent, for Dr. A. E. ** Mr. J D Barnes has purchased Owen, who has been pastor of the prechers.

On Menday night following, he de night at Taylor and Slocums Cross; the pastor of the Spurgeon Memorial pleasantly remembered by our people here) to the B. Y. P. U. of Norfolk

> This is a late organization of the Baptist young people, and it is doing effective work among young church members wherever organized by giving them something to do in Christian development; and that is what is needed in all the churches.

On his return trip, Dr. Harrell visited the Baptist church in Wilson N. C., of which Dr. J. A. Mundy is pas- pose to sail them. tor (or was at that time, but has since resigned,) and also addressed the congregation, and witnessed the baptism of two young men, by the pastor, in the new baptistery arranged in the rear of the palpite It was a very solemn and impressive scene.

Thanksgiving day was generally observed in the growing city of Wilson. Every store was closed, and should feel proud of their effort, for toor, This was commendable. and we are sure that the people in this growing little city too, and in is with a hearty welcome, and great our troubles, we still have much to be good will be the restit, we hope to thankful for, and much for which to

> If careful selections of the newest and best novelties in christmas gifts and a uniform scale of low prices will be an inducement to Holiday shoppers then one and all should pay us a visit before they buy. We take great pains to provide desirable selections for all kind of people and have been equally careful to make prices right.

D. H. Hood.

Falcon News.

Mr. T W Starling spent a few days at Hope Mils last week.

Miss Minnie Culbreth spent last

and Monday in Benson.

Clement Arsil our singing mastedidn't sing near as much at the Conr vention as he wanted to,

Miss Salley Pope is in this commu nity visiting.

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ner, but nowhere better than America four years. He has made Dillon, S. nowhere better than in this vacinity. C., his home for more than a year. His headquirters are at our store, His many friends through this secwhere your wants can be supplied tion will no doubt join THE UNION liday Stock comprises the new, the companion a long, happy and pross useful, the beautiful, will please your perous life. eye, vour pocket-book and your friends.

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well, any price you wish to pay. Shoes and Boots have advanceed nearly fifty per cent but having bought my stock before the advance I will for the next 60 Days sell them at old prices tion with Mrs. J H. Pope of Dunn, as long as they last, but they are selling so rapidly they will not last over 30 days, so come right on and buy your winter Shoes. Our line of

AND BOYS is the most complete-prettiest and cheapest eyer been shown in the town.

Our stock of clothing for men and boys has to be seen to be ap- charming maldens is teaching near preciated, we invite you to come and inspect it.

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took place on Tuesday Sept. 24th, and proved to be the grandest display of pretty and attractive styles ever made in Dunn. CALL AND SEE FOR YOURSELVES.

Yours To PLEASE, DUNN, N. C.

MARRIED.

On Tuesday night, Nov. 26th, Mr. Miss Lida Daughtry, who has been O. D. Godwin, a clever employee of son of that highly esteemed citizen Sport went to Spring Branch last who resides near our town, Mr. John R, Godwin, was happily united in Mr. J M Starling spent last Sunday | wedlock to Miss Mary Campbell, a charming young lady of South Carolina. The marriage took place at the residence of the bride's father, and was a quiet and home affair. Rev. Zermow, a Presbyterian minister of Marion, S. C., tied the nup-

tial knot. Mr. Godwin is one of our home boys, and has been in the employ-Comes to all nations in some man- ment of the Railroa for nearly

WE only ask an inspection to convince you that we offer many extra nice bargains in Christmas Goods this year. Come in and see our beau-Remember we ask no one to buy tiful goods and let prices talk for

D. H. HOOD.

Mysterious Beath of a Cumber land County Farmer.

FAYETTEVILLE, N. C., N. v 30 .-D. A. C. Denning, a promine t and the halls of Congress. wealthy farmer, of Godwin, a small The case above mentioned was the I offer for sale cheap my horse, top village on the A. C. L. Railroad, most important case on the docket, ing to purchase, wi'l do well to see found dead in a cave near the Cape dred dollars involved, and the law-Fear river, at that place to-day. caped from his attendants, and met Charles W. Cain. his death in a tragic manner. Whether he was murdered is unknown. GOODS AT AND BELOW COST. The coroner has empanneled a jury, In order to close out my entire but the verdict will not be given stock of General Merchand se by out until a late hour to-night,- News

NOTICE.

of any kind, dwellings, stores. gins insuring. I represent only good

Respectfully. Sept 14-3m.

McNeill Still Holds.

Democrat wherein Mr. Wilson had F Serrell, Solicitor E W Pou. gotten out quo warranto proceedings The people interested in the court Pass. Agent, Wilmington, N. C. against Mr. McNeill for the office of were well pleased with the Judge Mayor of Dunn, fees and salary, He pushed the business on the dockcame up before Judge Timberlake et and desposed of upward 40 cases last Wednesday in the Superior on the civil docket. Court for trial and promised to be an interesting one, as every citizen of case in regard to the election of the town was interested, and both of Mayor of Dunn which was decided the contesting parties had strong at- in favor of H C McNeill, the acting torneys. Mesers. McLean, Argo, Mayor. The next was Hugh McLean Chapin and Murchison appearing for vs Back of Fayetteville, in which Mr. Wilson and Messrs. Jones, Pou, \$1495 was involved, which took three and Broadfoot for Mr. McNeill, but days to decide. It was decided in before the case proceeded far the favor of the Bank. Judge threw the whole thing out of Court on a demurer, that is, that the except prisoners in jail which only whole proceedings were illegal, so two was in jail. One was acquitted Mr. McNeill yet holds the office and and one convicted, Mr. Wilson stands where he did last May after the vote was cast and counted. The plaintiff gave notice of an appeal.

A Brillirgt Orator.

Those who had the pleasure hearing Mr. D. H. McJean's speech at Lillington last Wednesday in the case of Hugh McLean against the the grandest flow or oratory ever before heard in the county. We are proud that Harnett can claim and own such a gifted man as Mr. Mc-Lean, for his speeches would do [] L. bonor to United States Senotors in

yers all worked very hard. The case fore it reached the jury and they were several hours coming to a decision. They gave a verdict in favor of the bank.

Messrr, Hugh McLean and Hector McLean are twin brother, and about 90 years old. One not familiar with them can hardly tell them apart These old gentlemen have lived the past two years in expectation -fully All parties desiring Fire Insurance confident they would receive the amobat suid for, but now their hopes &c, will do well to consult me before must go dow to rise no more, which will no doubt shorten their days on earth. Elsewhere we publish an article from the Fayetteville Ob-J. A. TAYLOR server speaking of the case.

POE ITEMS.

Still marrying and giving in war-

Prof. Charles Parker of Raleigh

was at the Academy Friday.

Mr. W P. Byrd is having a full Mas Flora Stewart spent Sunday school at Pleasant Union.

Miss Ids Spence opened school Monday at the Weaver school house this week. near Barclaysville.

Mr Geo. Cavenaugh and wife of Miss Minnie spent Sunday near Benson spent Sunday night in this Stewart's Academy.

heard of before.

Miss Alda Green opened school

Glad to learn that Mr. D N Stew art is having a full school at Hope

Rev. J A Campbell filled bis ap: Say Met what next, a yf? and Sunday. He was accompanied tion in the factory at Dunn. by that accomplished young lady Miss Gertrude Abernethy.

Rumor says "we'll have a few more weddings yet" before Christmas.

Gad to learn that Miss Alice Taylor is having a full school at Spring Brrnch, Sampson county.

Miss Foy Barnes, who has a posispeat Sunday with her parents near

Mr. Reddin Byrd of Jonesboro spent a few days in this section last

Sunday with his parents near here, or this time. rather with his girl. Miss Rosa Poe one of B. C. A's

New Hill. Clement Ansil that 'ar male fell down the other night and came very

near breaking my neck. Last Sunday morning at the resis-Johnson, Mr. Henry Prince of Chalk VIA: ATLANTIC COAST LINE. Level led to the hymenial altar Miss Florence Johnson and were joined together in the holy bonds of wedlock. Rev. Mr. Aven officiating. We wish for them a long and happy

SNOOKS.

Harnett Superior Court. Court met Monday Nevember 25. Hon. E W Temberlake Judge presiding. His Honor convened court promptly at 10 o'clock.

Attorneys precent: Hon. R Buxton, C W Broadfoot, N W Ray. Charleston, S. C. J A Spears, D H McLean, F P The case of Ex-Mayor Wilson. Res Jones, O J Spears, Col. T M Argo, publican against Mayor McNeill, H E Norris, W E Murchinson, A A

The most important cases was the

This term was for civil cases only

Troyvills Items

Mr. T D Stewart was in the Poe section Sunday.

Mr, J M Stewart went over to Lillington Monday.

in the Poe section. Snooks is having a full school here

Mr. Rufus Parrish and daughter

Mr. A D Coats, who has been at-More weddings now than we have tending school at Buie's Creek will now attend here for a while.

They are still marrying, we never Monday at the Tap near Barclays, heard the like. Pittman when will our time come? [Can't tell brother, every dog has his day-P.]

Mr. R M Coats is clearing a new ground and trimming out a grove.

L V Denning has accepted a posi-

Mr. D F Hodges of Dunn was in his section Monday.

On last Thursday at the residence of the brides father Mr. Jeff Mitchell, Mr. James E. Dorman of Johnston ied to the hymenial altar Miss Ellen Mitchell and were united in the boly bonds of matrimony. S R Wilson J. P. tied the knot. We wish for them a long and presperous life.

JUMBO.

PRESIDENT Cleveland now has Congress on his bands again, but it is Mr. Walter Marks of Dunn spent composed of a different set of men

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