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 LAURINBURG, N. C. APRIL 9, 1908.

We want an active hustling correspondent at all the post-offices in Scotland county, where we are not represented already. It is our desire and aim to print a real county paper—that is, a paper for all the people of the county, and in order to do this necessarily we must necessarily have the co-operation of the people whom we serve. We are anxious to satisfy every reader, and thus make this paper a household necessity.

The construction in this issue by Mr. Manry L. John, which is addressed to the people of Laurinburg and Scotland County, tells us that the Seaboard Air Line R. R. authorities have emphatically refused to erect the passenger depot in Laurinburg which they promised, or at least the one which their division superintendent acknowledged first that it was a necessity, and then gave no sufficient reason to believe it would be built.

They have built passenger depots separate and apart from the freight ware houses in many other towns of no greater importance than Laurinburg. Why don't they do the same thing here, and thus relieve the Laurinburg situation?

We understand that they are making arrangements to improve the old warehouse and passenger waiting rooms, remove the side-track, etc., which they will expect to take the place of the next fifty years of something we discuss and ought to improve.

SCOTLAND LOCALS.

The erection of a handsome new dwelling on North Railroad St. by Mr. James Blue, has added much to the appearance of that section of our city. The dwelling will be occupied by Mr. K. C. Cameron, who is expected to move in this week.

A base-ball club has been organized here, and the first game of the season will be played Friday afternoon. The diamond is at the rear of the old Blue store building.

The arrival of a big bouncing boy has recently gladdened and brightened the home of our efficient and clever postmaster, J. M. Butler, Esq.

Miss Berta Livingston, of Gibson, was a pleasant visitor here last week, as the guest of Madame Mamie L. Blue.

Miss Fannie Clarke, of Aberdeen, and Miss Laura McDuffie, of Columbus, Ga., spent last week in this city, visiting Mr. J. W. Page and Mrs. C. M. Ballentine.

Mr. Sam Ellis, who has been at McBoe, S. C., for several months, arrived here Thursday and will spend a week or two with friends and relatives.

Messrs. Q. A. Williams, Alex. Nicholson and Tommy Blue, visited Southern Pines and Pinehurst last Sunday.

Mr. D. T. Wallace made a brief trip to Carthage Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Brinson, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Blue and Mr. J. M. Livingston, of this city, attended preaching services at Susad's Grove last Sunday.

Mr. P. H. Livingston, of Scotland, visited here first of the week.

CASTORIA.
 The Kidney and Bladder Tonic.
 Prepared by *Charles H. Foster*

A Queer Law Case

The daily papers not long reported a trial case where a man offered a hundred dollars for a case their remedy could not cure. It seems that the man had been cured, though he had taken the remedy. The defence was that he had not taken the medicine long enough. He did not get a hundred dollars.

We allude to this because Vinol does not give a slippery guarantee. We sell it on its merits, and leave it to the user. If the user comes back with his empty bottle and says: "I took that bottle of Vinol, and I can't see that it did me any good," we don't argue the matter. We say, or our client says, "Sorry that you happen to be among the few—here's your dollar!"

The few! They are very few—less than one out of a hundred, according to the experience.

Vinol is a scientific non-secret compound of cod liver oil (greater medicinal food known), organic iron (iron that can be taken up into the blood and used), and a milk table wine. It is pleasant to take. Our Vinol, for constipation, is Vinol's companion remedy, sold at the same guarantee.

GEO. D. EVERINGTON DRUGGIST.

Confessions of a Friend.
 Rev. John S. Cox, of Wake Ark., writes: "For twelve years I suffered from Yellow Jaundice. I consulted a number of physicians and tried all sorts of medicines, but got no relief. Then I began the use of Electric Bitters and I feel that I am now cured of a disease that had me in its grasp for 12 years." If you want a reliable medicine for Liver and Kidney trouble, stomach disorder or general debility, get Electric Bitters. It's guaranteed by all druggists. Only 50 cents.

A Hero and Noble Life.

Chastity & Children.
 An incident in connection with the life of the late W. G. Quakenbush, of Laurinburg, is so remarkable as to be well worth the telling and remembering. After giving up his school, to which he had devoted the strength of his manhood, he engaged in the insurance business, and would have made a fine success of it, but some two years ago he was stricken with paralysis, which so impaired his speech as to unfit him for his business. He had accumulated some property which he had invested in the cotton mills about town, but which paid no dividends. A half dozen of his friends, seeing his condition, quietly deposited into the bank \$225.00 to his credit, which made the way easy for him. A message was sent to him that when that was exhausted a like amount would be placed at his disposal. He did not live to use the first deposit. We recite this incident in his life, now that he has gone, to show the manner of man he was. A man must live a high and unselfish life to grip a community like this; and it shows also the value of sincerity and honesty and charity—three characteristics which adorned the life of William Graham Quakenbush.

EXECUTORS NOTICE.
 Having qualified as Executors of the estate of Joseph Gibson, deceased, we hereby give notice to all persons to whom said estate may be indebted to present their claims duly verified, on or before March 2nd, 1908, or this notice will be filed in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment.
 A. P. Gibson, and
 A. P. Gibson
 Executors.
 Feb. 2, 1908.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Having qualified as administrator of the estate of the late W. G. Quakenbush, deceased, notice is given to all persons holding claims against the same to present them duly verified for payment on or before the 20th day of March, 1908, or this notice will be filed in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to the estate are requested to make immediate payment.
 M. L. JOHN,
 Administrator of W. G. Quakenbush.
 Feb. 2, 1908.

LAND SALE!

NORTH CAROLINA, In Superior Court, Scotland County, before the Clerk. D. T. Chance and wife Petrie Chance, Tom Stein and wife Elsie Stein, Isaac Cherry and wife Divinity Cherry, Joseph Cherry, and Mrs. Joe. Cherry versus Peter Cherry, Gary Frewitt, Walter Frewitt, Lulu Frewitt, Lewis Frewitt, Isalia Frewitt, Sallie Cherry, Donny Cherry, Richard Cherry, McH. Davis and wife Minnie Davis, John Harly and wife Mattie Harly, and Miranda Cherry.
 By virtue of an order of the Superior Court of Scotland county, in the above entitled action, the undersigned Commissioner will offer for sale at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, on Monday, April 27th, 1908, at 12.30 o'clock p. m., at the court house door, in the town of Laurinburg, N. C., the following tract of land, to-wit:
 Lying and being in the county of Scotland, Williamsen's township, known as the J. B. Cherry estate, beginning at a stake where the eastern line of the Graham land crosses the Carolina Central railroad (said Graham land being Anderson Guilan's and runs with said line a 21 w 16.50 chains to Frewitt's corner, then a 46 e 19.75 chains to a stake, then a 4.75 to a stake, then e 24 chains, then a 2.75 chains, then e 24.50 chains, then s 20 w 15.25 chains, to the Kelly corner, then a 38 e 3.40 to a stake, then a 18 w 8 chains to a stake, then a 9 w 2.50 to a stake, then a 60 w 24.57 chains to the Carolina Central railroad, then with said railroad a 49 w 35 chains to the beginning.
 JOHN C. McNEILL,
 Commissioner.

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HUSTLING TIME

With farmers will soon be here, and the question that arises is "where can we buy our supplies for the year to the best advantage." This question is easily answered. I have been

IN BUSINESS THIRTY YEARS
 And am sure that I am acquainted with the needs of the people of this section.

My line of **HARDWARE, CROCKERY, AND GLASSWARE IS COMPLETE.** Anything you want that comes under this head can be found at my store.
 Big Stock of Heavy and Fancy Groceries, Dry Goods, Shoes, Furniture, Etc.

F. B. GIBSON,
 GIBSON, N. C.

N. F. PARKER,
 111 Market Street, Wilmington, N. C.

The Finest, Best Selected, Cheapest and **LARGEST STOCK OF FURNITURE IN NORTH CAROLINA.**
 On top with quality and quantity. At the bottom with low prices. **MAIL ORDERS RECEIVE MY PERSONAL ATTENTION.**

OPHTHALMOMETER!

The new and up-to-date machine. Come and have your eyes examined free. All glasses fitted by us are guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded.



DR. EVERINGTON'S DRUG STORE.

SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENT!

We wish this week to designate some of the many good things we have in NEW SPRING GOODS and hope that when you are ready to purchase that you will give us an opportunity to show you what we have.

RUGS.
 We have quite a nice line of Rugs in all the latest designs and colorings, bought direct from the leading manufacturers in this country and the prices are right. We have them in Moquette, Axminster, Velvets and Wiltons. Some beautiful designs. See them, please.

MATTINGS.
 The very latest effects in Mattings—both Cotton Warp and All Straw. Wish to call your attention to a white piece that we think will be very popular. We know there was never a larger assortment of mattings in Laurinburg than you will find in our Store. Come in and examine it.

REFRIGERATORS.
 These different sizes and prices. You can scarcely afford to attempt to go through the summer without this great economical and convenient piece of furniture. Three and Four-Quart Ice Cream Freezers also kept in stock. Make your Cream at home, in five minutes with our celebrated "Fresco" Ice Cream Freezer.

FURNITURE.
 Up to this time we have not paid any attention to anything in this line except the cheap grade of goods. Our success in handling that has been phenomenal. Pushed on by that success, we have recently included in our last car-load purchase a few very nice suits and some very handsome Hall Benches, as well as a line of nice straight Chairs and Rockers. We think that we are headquarters for anything in a line of cheap goods and our SUITS up to thirty-five dollars, we believe, cannot be excelled. Full line Felt, Cotton and Straw Mattresses, Bed Springs in all the desirable makes—soft iron as well as the oak bed. You have not always heretofore allowed us to supply you with you made your purchases in this line. Please do not fail again. We honestly believe we will save you some money. If so, it's your gain. In either event you have nothing to lose.

We try to carry a Stock of Goods that is complete in every detail. We try to. Suppose you drop in. We will try to show you a Stock of Goods that is better than any other in the town. We are extremely grateful to the people of this and the surrounding country and will be to make your dealings with us mutually profitable and pleasant.

JOHN F. McNAIR

This is a section in an advertisement for goods. It describes the quality and variety of the merchandise available, emphasizing the value and selection of the goods.

EMERALD DRESS GOODS.
 This advertisement highlights the arrival of a new collection of dress goods, specifically mentioning emerald-colored fabrics and the variety of styles available.

LAUNDRIES AND LACES.
 This section advertises services for laundry and lace, promising high quality work and prompt delivery for customers.

Ribbons.
 An advertisement for ribbons, showcasing a wide selection of colors and patterns, and encouraging customers to visit the store to see the full range.

HATS.
 This advertisement promotes a collection of hats, including straw hats and other seasonal styles, highlighting their durability and fashion.

ward line of goods to describe to any ones satisfaction. We have a BIG, and the past week's selection of goods to believe we have a GOOD, selection of dresses. Never in the history of this business has our department reached the proportions that it has to record since our new line come in. We urge you to record before making your spring purchases. Come and see what we have. We will try to sell you, to be sure; but if we are not right, why of course you will not buy. We make the selection COMPLETE.

LAUNDRIES AND LACES.
 We have just received a consignment of the very best Laces and Ribbons. Could not wait for freight trains. These are the pieces, and are, therefore, about half the price. The difference is yours for the asking.

Ribbons.
 The advertisement in the press we hope to have more an assortment of ribbons that is second to none and price. Please see this before you purchase. If we can sell you, all right; if not, we won't.

HATS.
 This week a line of straw Hats, that for its size and merit than anything we have seen this season. A big lot of Hats, too. In fact you can get just what you want out of it. You would be surprised at the quality of the Hats that we have, in this, and the other lines, either. No genuine Panamas included in this line. There are some it would take an expert to tell you everybody wants a good, cool hat for summer. We have done so, would you like to mention a lot of other things that we have, but this thing has gotten longer now than we wanted to say. We are extremely grateful to the people of this and the surrounding country for their almost unanimous patronage, and we wish to say now that our chief aim and endeavor has been to please.

YOURS VERY TRULY,

JOHN F. McNAIR.

like that you would get it; if not, try the other fellow. Anyway just take a look at ours; if we sell you we are the profit better off, and you are perhaps better off than if you would buy them somewhere else.

SUITS.
 The "Ready-Made" Clothing business has almost become a thing of the past. There is not one suit sold from stock now to where there were five, some years ago; and when you come to think of it, it's about the best thing for all concerned. There are no odds and ends left on hand to take up the profits and sometimes more, and most people can anticipate their wants ten days ahead. If you will do that and learn us your shape for about two minutes we will guarantee you a fit that WILL SATISFY YOU in every particular from any one of a selection of four hundred samples now on display in our store. Ask any one of a large number of customers who have had suits made by the International Tailors, and we treat if they are not satisfied. Of course we carry a nice line of Pants, and also an especially strong line of Children's Suits, which we think is a credit to the town.

SHIRTS.
 Colored Summer Shirts! We have a selection that we are proud of. The best 50-cent and one dollar shirt that is possible to buy in this country. You will do well to see our one dollar Suit of Underwear. It's sway ahead of anything we have ever shown before.

BUGGIES.
 Complete stock in Tops and Opans. All of Home Manufacture, that is, they are not Western made. Our old stand-by, "Barbour," is better this year than it has ever been. We also have Taylor Cassidy Buggy Co's, Corbett Buggy Co's, A. Wrenn & Son's, and Hughes Buggy Co's. The Wire Wheel, Rubber Tire, Ball Bearing Jobs are dandies, and the price is not out of reach, either. And, by the way, we have the best \$10 Harness sold by any retailer in the State, and "that's no joke."

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