

COMMENCEMENT NEXT MONTH.

Closing of Medical College, April 15—Mr. Charles P. Pressly, of Augusta, Ga., is delivering a sermon...

A FEASIBLE PLAN PROPOSED.

Leading Manufacturer Advises Mills Not to Pay Drafts on Cotton Until Bill of Lading is Received Showing Car Numbers and Initials.

COURT CALENDAR ARRANGED.

Charlotte Bar Meets and Arranges the Calendar for the Civil Term of Superior Court, Which Commences March 11th.

membership is said to comprise numerous prominent citizens, if this course should be pursued a gay time would be a not improbable eventuality.

THEY SAW IT IN PRINT.

School Committee Wants \$50 Extra From the County Fund Because The Observer Inadvertently Gave It to Them.

A MEMORIAL WINDOW.

One to be Placed in the Pritchard Memorial Baptist Church in Honor of the Late Rev. Dr. T. H. Pritchard.

A BUSINESS MEN'S TICKET.

Talk of a New Municipal Ticket for the Coming Election—The Proposed Platform.

William Still Granted Bail.

William Still, the negro who killed another negro by the name of Pierce, in Providence township, a few weeks ago, and who has since been incarcerated in the county jail, has been released on a \$100 bond.

A Private Telephone Exchange.

The Southern Power Company, which occupies office space on the first, third, fourth and sixth floors of the Trust building, has installed a private telephone exchange connecting the several departments with one another and the outside world.

Rev. Ralph Atkinson Coming.

Rev. Ralph Atkinson, a noted evangelist of Chicago, Ill., will spend several weeks in Charlotte during the month of May in order to assist Rev. Dr. W. W. Orr, pastor of the East Avenue Associate Reformed Presbyterian church, in a protracted meeting.

Death of Mrs. H. H. Helper.

A message was received in this city yesterday morning from Mrs. E. W. Moore, of Davis county, announcing the death of her mother, Mrs. H. H. Helper, at her home near Mocksville.

It's a pleasure to tell our readers about a Cough Cure like Dr. Shoop's. For years Dr. Shoop has fought against the use of Opium, Chloroform, other unsafe ingredients commonly found in Cough Remedies.

REPUBLICAN EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE TO MEET IN GREENSBORO TO-DAY TO DECIDE MOOTED QUESTION—POSTMASTER SMITH A CANDIDATE FOR REAPPPOINTMENT AND MR. JOHN B. SPENCE ALSO A CANDIDATE—BOTH HAVE STRONG BACKING.

Should it be Postmaster Smith as now, or Postmaster Spence hereafter? This is the question which has been uppermost in the minds of two "char" gentlemen and their friends for some weeks.

RACE FOR POSTMASTERSHIP.

Those in the "race" number only two. The present incumbent, Mr. R. W. Smith, and Mr. John B. Spence, both prominent local Republicans, are applicants with strong backing.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Mr. George M. Phifer was sold to Mr. E. Brice McLaughlin, for \$1,300, a lot on North Overland street, near Eighteenth street.

AT THE ODEON.

"Wedding Bells? Not for Him!" "The Troubles of a Fireman," and "Mutiny at Sea," are the pictures being presented at the Odeon this week.

A HEALING GOSPEL.

The Rev. J. C. Warren, pastor of Sharon Baptist church, Belair, Ga., says of Electric Bitters: "It's a Godsend to mankind."

INTERESTING RUMORS AFOAT CONCERNING REPUTED EFFORTS OF RECORDER SHANNONHOUSE TO INVESTIGATE MORE FULLY PARK DRIVING CLUB—SUMMONS ON PARK HAS AN ORGANIZATION, MAY BE ISSUED.

The case of the recorder versus the Park Driving Club is one which is the subject of considerable comment and interested observation throughout Charlotte just now.

MAY SUMMON DRIVING CLUB.

For several days the efforts of the officials have been balked by an inability to procure the names of the members of the organization.

FILES OF PEOPLE HAVE FILES.

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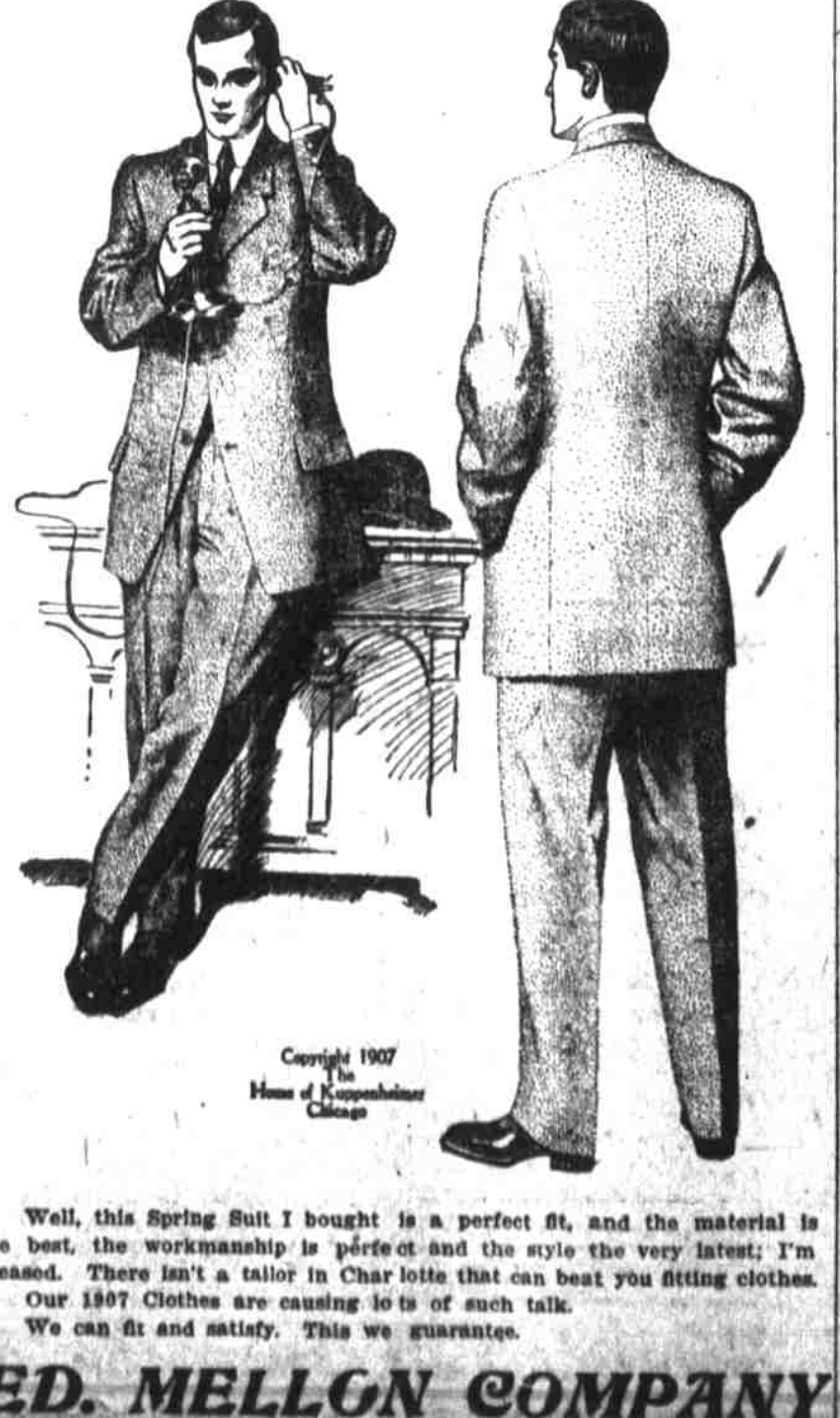
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