

THE COURIER is anxious to get all the local news that is news. The public is not looking for brilliant editorials but for local news in a local newspaper. We ask our readers to send us news from every section. It is the local news the people want. There is no doubt about that. It is the newsy paper which is read.

There should be more comfortable school houses. Better school houses will help to solve the question of better attendance. Better school houses is better than compulsory attendance laws. School houses should be made not only more comfortable but more attractive. Not only the school houses and the school grounds should be made more attractive but the seats and desks should be made more comfortable. The surroundings we now have in the public school buildings belong to a past age. We should not only have better methods of teaching, better teachers and increased salaries but better school houses and equipments.

Every citizen owes a public duty to take an interest in public affairs. Good men should elevate politics by taking an interest in public affairs. It is a plain duty that good men owe the community. They should sustain and preserve free institutions by their efforts. In a free government laws are made for all, the laboring man has the same rights as the brain worker. In the campaign of 1900 the ignorant negro vote was eliminated; politics was in a great measure purified. Men of low character can no longer be elevated to offices of public trust by the ignorant negro's ballot. A higher standard should and will prevail in methods of securing nominations and at elections. Let the good citizens attend the primaries and nominate the best men for office who will run upon their merit and capacity and fitness for public position and not upon their ability to manipulate or purchase votes.

It is especially desirable that the best of men be nominated for office. The best men frequently are those who will not make a scramble for office. There will be a great political battle fought this fall. The biggest fight will be made to get the legislature. There are few counties where there is much hope for republicans to elect county officers, for the management of county affairs have been so bad under their control, the people have decided to have no more of them. A United States Senator is to be elected and there will be hard work on the part of the republicans to carry the legislature, but there is discouragement on every hand for them, the greatest thing in their way being the fact that there will not be a "corporal's guard" of the entire colored population that will be permitted to register, and it was a waste of funds for republican leaders to spend so much money in paying their poll taxes.

There is rapid advancement in every branch of scientific investigation. In nothing is their greater advancement than in the science of medicine. In urgency there is wonderful progress. Recent developments makes the consumptive hopeful. Living in the open air and night has worked wonders in effecting cures. It is now even claimed that successful cures have been made of Bright's disease by means of surgical operations. It is said that the successful treatment was accidentally discovered in using the rays for locating a stone in the bladder.

An expert, writing of these experiments, says that "while they failed to detect the presence of the suspected foreign bodies, showed marked inflammation of the organ. In these cases it was assumed that the photographs were at fault and operations followed. In the majority of instances no stones were found, and it was thought that the operations had performed needlessly. It was noticed, however, that within a few days after each operation the inflammation disappeared and that a cure followed in nearly every case."

The public wants a newspaper that gives the news. It is not a question as to what the politics of the paper is so much as it is, "does it contain the news?"

It is said that some farmers in Stanly have the fallacious idea that oat seed will produce cheat. A citizen of the county referred the subject to one of our eminent agriculturists, who replied that he had long since quit trying to argue with people who are ignorant of the laws of plant life as to suppose such a thing; as a matter of course oat seed will produce oats, while cheat seed will produce cheat. He adds: "If our farmers would study more and learn the wonderful plant life around them they would get rid of these old superstitions and see how absurd they are."—Stanly Enterprise.

THE ROWAN LYNCHING.

The horrible lynching in Salisbury last week was a stain upon the State. The crime was an unusual one, but there was no possibility of the escape of the prisoners. The murder of the woman was a brutal one, horrible to contemplate, and the brutes perpetrating the crime richly deserved death, but not at the hands of a mob. There are no better people anywhere than in Rowan county, and they do not deserve this bloody stain of lawlessness. No county in the State has better juries and justice scarcely ever miscarries in her courts, nor is there anywhere a surdier, or more upright type of manhood composing her citizenship. A regular term of court not being near at hand one would, no doubt, have been called after the excitement had subsided so that the accused culprits could have had a fair and impartial trial, as under the law every criminal should have. There should be no hasty, intemperate procedure in bringing criminals to justice.

It is true in Rowan county as well as in other counties there has been some delay in carrying out the judgment of the court in capital cases, due to appeals to the Supreme court, but there have been no pardons or reprieves or commutations to life imprisonment, and in fact no acquittals by the juries in capital cases recently, and in every case where there has been an appeal to the Supreme court for the past year, at least, the judgment of the lower court has been confirmed. Of course, it is contended that there are two sides to this Rowan county lynching, but it is a wrong side and a right side.

The recent outbreak of lawlessness in the Salisbury lynching is somewhat surprising when it is remembered that outside of the large criminal class of negroes in that county, there is no where a more law-abiding people. It is true in sparsely settled sections our women often have to be left alone, but the law gives them protection against the fiends incarnate who commit rape and murder. Every lynching is a violation of law a disgrace to our civilization. Protection is given by law, and the rifle and rope should not be resorted to. Wherever a crime is committed there is a law to punish the criminal.

It is true that when we stop to think as to do the friends and relatives of the poor woman on the impulse of the moment there may appear to be reason for lynching, but when we remember that there is a remedy for every wrong, and that in the courts, good citizens go for justice and for the punishment of criminals. Mob law is never justifiable.

To Build the Greatest Cotton Mill on Earth.

Greensboro, N. C., June 17th.—Moses and Caesar Cone, the largest mill and real estate owners in the State, announce this evening their purchase of sixteen hundred acres of land adjoining this city on which they will at once begin the erection of another cotton factory and mill village. The contract has been awarded for fifteen million brick to build with. The mill will make blue denim goods exclusively and will be the largest plant of the kind on earth. There will be 30,000 spindles and 3,000 looms in operation, employing three thousand operatives. The power will be supplied by a twenty-five hundred horse power engine. Material and supplies have already been contracted for and the estimated time for completing the building is one year. The mill will be in the neighborhood of the two large cotton mills here, Proximity and Revolution, and the mill will be furnished with water from the same dam. It is one mile from the city and from the large finishing mill.

The Cones are the principal stockholders in this latest mill and Moses Cone gives out that the company has figured out that the building and equipping of the plant ready to begin operations will cost one and a quarter million dollars, and that they are thoroughly prepared to carry it to a finish.—News & Observer.

Bad Storm in Georgia.

Columbus, June 16, (Special).—A terrible wind, rain and electrical storm did considerable damage at Richmond, 39 miles from here, on the Seaboard Air Line, this afternoon. Mr. J. M. Hurley, a prominent peach merchant, was instantly killed by lightning. He was packing peaches under a shed at the time, and his wife who was near him at the time was severely shocked. The stores of Layfield & Bell, W. E. Etheridge, W. B. Mayo, T. S. Chappelle and the large Clegg building were unroofed and their stocks almost ruined by wind and water. The new school dormitory, a negro academy, the Methodist church, the new Christian church and the new residence of Mr. Ed. Woodard were blown to the ground, besides numerous small houses and shops and trees were uprooted and gardens and crops ruined. The peach crop suffered greatly.

Solicitor Investigating.

Solicitor Hammer arrived in Salisbury this morning and is today investigating the lynching which occurred here last Wednesday night. The law requires Mr. Hammer to make such an investigation and he is endeavoring to get into all the facts connected with the lynching. Mr. Hammer had made considerable headway with his investigation up to noon, having secured the names of several parties whom it is alleged were in the lynching party. The solicitor will probably remain here several days.—Salisbury Sun of 17th.

Will Get \$2,000.

By a decision of the Supreme court John L. Phillips, of Wharton, N.C., will get \$2,000 damages from the Atlantic Coast Line. He sued for \$5,000, but the jury said \$2,000. It seems that Phillips shipped some potatoes to Wharton and asked the conductor to let him go along on the train to look after his goods. This was agreed to, but the conductor abused him, put him off and made him walk back.—News & Observer.

A Mother's Crime.

Jackson, Miss., June 16th.—Mrs. Louis Westrop, a white woman living near Martin, a small station several miles from here, yesterday afternoon killed five of her children by shooting them to death in an outburst of manhood composing her citizenship. A regular term of court not being near at hand one would, no doubt, have been called after the excitement had subsided so that the accused culprits could have had a fair and impartial trial, as under the law every criminal should have. There should be no hasty, intemperate procedure in bringing criminals to justice.

The democratic convention for this congressional district meets in Monroe July 10th; the republican convention meets in the same town on July 18th.

The employees of the Southern Railway at Greensboro presented Superintendent N. J. O'Brien with a diamond ring Monday which cost \$200 as a token of their love and esteem. Mr. O'Brien has resigned as superintendent of this division and Mr. E. H. Copman has been elected to succeed him.

Thomas and Frank Bright were convicted last week in the Federal court at Charlotte for the Anne O'Connell cherry tree swindle. Two lawyers M. McBrayer and A. B. Justice of Rutherfordton, were indicted as partners in the concern. The law firm of McBrayer & Justice were the attorneys for the "cherry tree" people and took as their fee a certain part of the net profits.

Deputy Sheriff Parish brought Jesse Davis down from High Point Sunday and placed him in jail here charged with burglary. It is reported that outside of the large criminal class of negroes in that county, there is no where a more law-abiding people. It is true in sparsely settled sections our women often have to be left alone, but the law gives them protection against the fiends incarnate who commit rape and murder. Every lynching is a violation of law a disgrace to our civilization. Protection is given by law, and the rifle and rope should not be resorted to. Wherever a crime is committed there is a law to punish the criminal.

Mr. Elder, of Philadelphia, one of the incorporators and leading financiers of the proposed electric road to connect High Point, Winston, Greensboro, Guilford College, Kernersville, Archdale, Jamestown and Thomasville, arrived at Greensboro Sunday afternoon from High Point. He has been making a personal inspection of the territory on foot for several days and expresses himself as being well pleased with conditions here.—Record.

Items from Ramseur.

Miss Ozella Outland, of Guilford College, is visiting Mrs. J. N. Copeland this week.

Mrs. T. W. Glass, of Randleman, accompanied by Mrs. Hammer and Mrs. Wingstaff, spent last Sunday with Mrs. J. B. Hurley.

Mr. W. C. Capel left Sunday for Sanford.

Miss Eugenia Harris, of Chapel Hill, is spending some time with Mrs. W. D. Lane.

Mr. Nick Bray and sister, Miss Fannie, of Siler City, spent last Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Carter.

Mr. E. F. York, of Greensboro, is spending this week with his parents here.

A number of young folks attended the ice cream suppers at Cedar Falls and at Mr. Lab. Parks.

There was a delightful ice cream party at the residence of Mr. Dan Thomas on the evening of the 14th inst.

Mr. A. H. Thomas, one of our progressive young men has launched a very nice boat on the pond but we failed to learn whether he christened it L or F.

The excursion to Wilmington on the 20th inst. had to be given up on account of the parties failing to get the necessary equipment to carry the train.

Rev. Thomas Carrick preached a very able sermon in his pulpit last Sunday.

Farmer Items.

Good rains in south-western Randolph on Friday, Saturday and Sunday of last week.

Miss Nora Johnson, of Greensboro, is visiting relatives in this community.

Miss Lucy Rice, who has been an invalid for many years, is seriously ill and cannot live many days.

D. B. Lewis, "Uncle Drew," as he is familiarly known, is recovering from an attack of paralysis.

Dr. Lewis and Dr. Moore, of High Point, were called to see Mr. John Workman, of Lassiter, for the purpose of operating for Pyemia, but owing to the critical condition of the patient the operation was deferred.

Miss Ida, daughter of Mr. Ling Hix, is eight years old and weighs 147 pounds, and Miss Davis, a door neighbor, is twelve and tips the beam at 115.

The Young People's Prayer Meeting at Concord is growing in interest and is well attended.

A Trip to Jackson Springs.

On the morning of the 16th inst. we boarded the train at Staron route for this noted health resort. It was an excursion given the Sunday school. We had often heard of Biscoe and seen this little hamlet loomed in sight, and this scene was forgotten in the flurry.

About 11 o'clock we arrived at our destination, and all hands, with eager curiosity to see this wonderful spring, alighted.

To say that I was amazed is to do a word for it. I had expected to see the typical mineral spring with several buckets of water in it, looking reddish on top and reminding us of medicinal qualities; but we were very much mistaken. Just a short distance from where the train drew up was Jackson Springs; a large flat rock, and this little spring on top, measuring over two and a half feet, and furnishing 60 gallons of water an hour, with heating powers miraculous.

The great heart of nature seems to beat regular and strong in this questioned place nestling among the pines of Moore. All around the hamlet forest waves to the breeze, playing amid its foliage. The hand of man has scarcely changed nature's handiwork.

The spring is situated rather in a miniature ravine and at one side stands the pavilion or dancing room airy and cool open on all sides to the summer night's balmy breezes. We could in imagination see vast crowds "tripping the light fantastic toe," and eyes looking love to eyes that spoke again, and all going merrily on far on into the June morning. It was really a comforting sight to see this token of health and good cheer, situated so near the fountain of life.

Standing upon a slight eminence just above the rock and the spring is the handsome hotel, with its wide verandas supported by large colonial pillars representing that style of architecture of a century ago. We walked up and down the wide paths, and lingered about upon the broad piazzas, enjoying the balmy breeze and inhaling the odor of beautiful flowers, which form lovely spots upon the sloping lawn.

At length the investigating party from this fountain of youth, armed with various other reasons, turned us needed refreshments of a more solid nature, so pretty soon the dinner gong reminded us it was time to go to the dining-room, so thither we betook ourselves one and all into the spacious dining hall; and soon were washing down a delightful repast with the sparkling mineral water. While we sipped our soup as a kind of beginning to dinner our ears were regaled with the most enchanting strains of a band of music. No indignation accompanied this repast; what could happen to a dinner passing through the various stages of mastication under the inspiring strains of some of the finest airs of this or any other country.

After the hotel dinner we rambled about the grounds, drank again at the springs and gazed around at the overhanging hills encircling this beautiful retreat.

We were told the spring was discovered in 1833. Tradition credits about a hunter while pursuing a bear indicated that the little animal stopped and lapped upon the rock, and the hunter coming up saw the tiny spring bubbling up from a cleft in the rock.

As the shadows began to slant we boarded the train for Star, and our last sight of this most delightful place was the broad columns supporting the galleries of the hotel at Jackson Springs. Truly "ACHT ANNIK."

Biscoe Items.

The farmers in this locality report that almost wheat crop of the year, they say they have harvested some of the best wheat they have for years. The corn crop is in excellent condition and, with proper seasons, promises an abundant yield. The cotton crop is not so good on account of there having been so much dry weather.

Miss Esther Leach, of Star, died of diphtheria on the 13th inst. The remains were interred at Star on the 12th, with appropriate services, by the side of her mother who passed over the river only a few months ago. Our most heart-felt sympathies goes out to the bereaved family.

We are having a Sunday school excursion by here to Jackson Springs almost every day, and have been for some time. The children seem to enjoy themselves immensely, and appreciate very highly this generosity of the officers of the road.

We understand that the bowling alley at Jackson Springs is now complete, and the lovers of the fascinating game of ten pins can exercise their muscles to fullest extent. The hotel is being rapidly filled, and it is only a matter of a few weeks until the place will be crowded.

Mr. A. W. Burt, we are sorry to say, has been right sick for several days.

Capt. E. L. Pleasants was on the sick list some days ago, but has about recuperated, and will soon be on his run again.

Mr. Frank Page and children went to Jackson Springs Tuesday, where they will remain for some time.

Rules of Politeness.

- 1. To be polite is to have a kind regard for the feeling and rights of others.
2. Be as polite to your parents, brothers, sisters and schoolmates as you are to strangers.
3. Look people fairly in the eyes when you speak to them or they speak to you.
4. Do not bluntly contradict one.
5. It is not discourteous to refuse to do wrong.
6. Whispering, laughing, chewing gum or eating at lectures, in school or at places of amusement is rude and vulgar.
7. Be doubly careful to avoid any rudeness to strangers, such as calling out to them, laughing or making remarks about them. Do not stare at visitors.

Wanted a Bible.

Judge Boyd, who holds the circuit court here, during McKinley's administration, Assistant Attorney General. To his credit and to the credit of the old North State, it may be said in passing, that he made a splendid impression and the department of justice suffered in no way while he was attending to the duties that devolved upon him.

The first day Judge Boyd went to the department of justice one of the clerks showed him two rooms saying that he could select either. Both rooms were handsomely furnished. Easy chairs and comfortable lounges were all about the room, and over in one corner an electric fan was doing duty in a splendid manner. Judge Boyd took a look at the room and turning to the clerk said: "There is an article of furniture that I do not see in this room that I always want near me."

The clerk assured him that no matter what he might want would be brought in at once. Just then the chief clerk of the department came in and Judge Boyd repeated what the clerk said to the assistant. The chief clerk replied in the same manner as did his assistant, and informed Judge Boyd that if he would let his wants be known, he would attend to them at once. Turning to the chief clerk, Judge Boyd said: "I always make it a rule to have a Bible near me, for I am a great hand at quoting the Scriptures. Most of my friends question my scriptural quotations whenever I give them and I want a Bible here to settle all disputes. These disputes are certain to arise the first quotation I make."

The chief clerk looked at Judge Boyd in astonishment, for he said that was the first time the Bible, in his knowledge, was ever called for in the department of justice. That Bible, Judge Boyd still holds to this day. When he left Washington, he took it to Greensboro with him and when he comes to Charlotte it occupies a place in his dress suit case—that Bible, the first in the department of justice in the United States.—Charlotte News.

A Plot to Kill King Edward.

LONDON, June 17.—A sensational story is current in London to-night of the discovery of a plot to assassinate King Edward. This story has created considerable discussion in newspaper and other circles, but it is lacking in anything like official confirmation. According to the current report King Edward's sudden illness at Aldershot was due to a cold but was merely an excuse for withdrawing His Majesty from the function, on the discovery by Scotland Yard detectives of a plot against his life. The principals in this plot have not been arrested. At Scotland Yard to-night the utmost reticence was maintained concerning the rumor. It was notable, however, that the chief inspectors who usually go home at night, were all on duty and refused to interview newspaper reporters, and declined to deny or confirm the rumor.

Mr. Olivet News.

The farmers are very busy in their crops and don't get together often to talk politics, but will be on hand to vote.

Wheat harvesting nearly over; wheat much better than expected; forward wheat being very good.

We had a nice rain Sunday.

Mr. Archie Beck is at home from Spry.

Mr. Walter L. Brown returned to Oak Ridge last week to attend the summer school.

Messrs. Claude and Frank Bird were at home a few days ago, but have returned to Greensboro.

Mr. Lonnie Teague spent a few days at home last week returning to Ramseur Sunday.

Mrs. L. O. Sugg, who has been visiting her parents at Rockingham, returned home Tuesday accompanied by her sister, Mrs. Bolton, and little daughter Pearl.

Miss Flora Sugg visited Miss Lura Lowdermilk Sunday.

Miss Mary Waddell returned home from Asheboro last week, where she has been spending some time.

We hear the address by Rev. Holcomb Spiby on May 30th spoken of in high terms.

Mr. D. B. Leach, aged about 85 years, was quite ill Saturday night, but is better now.

Aunt Hannah Spinks, an old and highly respected colored woman died last Saturday, aged about 85 years.

An Indian Curio.

Our good friend, Lieut. Haywood Robbin, formerly of Back Creek township, this county, sends the editor a "back-skin" tobacco pouch and writes the following letter: "Ft. Apache, A. T., May 31, 1902. Mr. W. C. Hammer, Asheboro, N. C. Dear Mr. Hammer:

I am picking up quite a variety of Indian curios but kept as souvenirs, when I got back in civilization again. Visited the missionary some miles up the river, this afternoon and ran across quite a novelty in the way of a tobacco pouch—and I let it take up with me. I enclose it herewith, and am pleased to present it to you, as a curiosity from the wild and woody West. This pouch was made by the Navajo (Apache) Indians. Went front fishing down on Boote creek twenty miles away, some time since, and caught about fifty trout. It is a very common occurrence for one to go out fishing here, and catch one hundred and fifty or two hundred trout in a day. And catch them with hook and line, too. We have lots of game here, and would be pleased to have you come out and go hunting with me this fall. Hunting parties are sent out every fall, and in two weeks time they generally return with fifty or more turkeys, and from ten to twenty deer. Guess I did not tell you about my last fall for two weeks. Shot one bear, one deer, and saw lots more that I shot at, but didn't get. Very resp'y, HAYWOOD ROBBINS, 2nd Lieut. 15th Infantry, Quartermaster.

So Tired

It may be from overwork, but the chronic are its from an inactive LIVER. With a well conducted LIVER one can do mountains of labor without fatigue. It adds a hundred per cent to ones earning capacity. It can be kept in healthful action by, and only by

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Central Falls Items.

Quite a number of our young people attended Children's Day at Giles' Chapel Sunday.

Miss Maggie Trogdon, who has been quite sick with meningitis, is now improving.

Messrs. C. L. York and Will Armstrong made their usual trip to Cedar Falls Sunday afternoon.

The ice cream supper given at Mr. Jim Craven's Saturday night was well attended, and greatly enjoyed by all. Mr. Albert Williams is all smiles; 'tis a girl.

Mr. W. P. Conner, who has been at work at High Point, returned home last Friday.

Mr. George Trogdon and family, and Mr. Neighbors, of Franklinsville, spent Sunday here.

Misses Pearl and Winnie Nelson came over to the ice cream supper Saturday night.

Messrs. Floyd Russell and Bob Lineberry, of Randleman, spent Sunday evening with friends in our town.

We were all glad to see our old friend, Mr. Henry Candler, in town Saturday evening.

Mr. Rufus Brown, of Millboro, spent Sunday evening in our town as he usually does when everybody is well.

Mr. Burley Yow, who has been at work at Osipco, has accepted a position in the mill here on night time.

Wheat crop is short in this section. Miss Myrtle Cross spent several days last week visiting friends in Randleman.

Mr. Edgar Hamilton, of Rockingham, is visiting his mother here.

To Cure a Cold in One Day

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure a cold. Groves' signature is on each box. 25c.

Educational Rally at Coleridge.

There will be an Educational Rally held at Coleridge, N. C., on Tuesday, July 1st, 1902, consisting of speaking on education and other interesting subjects. Brass and string bands, and at noon a free dinner will be given on the grounds.

Let everybody come and have a good time. Bring your kids and let's have a day of merriment. Don't fail to come, and hear the Brass Band and listen to the tunes, "Yankee Doodle," "Dixie," and many other good pieces. Don't forget the time and place. Tuesday, July 1st, 1902, Coleridge, N. C. Everybody come.

Guaranteed Cure or Diphtheria.

Trogdon's Throat Balm, the best Diphtheria medicine made for sale at Standard Drug Co., 25c and 50c per bottle.

The North Carolina Booklet.

The editors of the N. C. Booklet announce that a sufficient number of subscriptions have been received to warrant the publication of the N. C. Booklet. It will be issued monthly from October, 1902. The following being the proposed list of articles: 1. May-Eu-King Klan; Mrs. T. J. Jarvis; 2. The Old North State; 3. The N. C. Booklet; 4. The Story of the Albemarle; 5. The Story of the Albemarle; 6. August-Moravian Settlement in North Carolina; 7. Dr. J. E. Glasswell; 8. The Story of the Albemarle; 9. The Story of the Albemarle; 10. The Story of the Albemarle.

Arrangements have been made to have this volume of the Booklet bound in library style for 25c. Those living at a distance will please add 5 cents in stamps to cover cost of mailing. State when ordering whether black or red leather is preferred.

Mortgage Sale.

By virtue of the power contained in a mortgage deed executed to the undersigned by Ed. Maness and wife to J. E. Harper on the 21st day of June, 1896, which mortgage deed is duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for Randolph county in book 80, page 352, I will sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash at the court in one hour in Asheboro on the 21st day of July, 1902, at 12 o'clock, n. m., the following described real estate to-wit: A certain tract or parcel of land lying and being in West Brower township in said county and State and known and designated as follows, viz: Beginning on the North bank of Fork Creek, thence N. on the Brower line 26.00 chs. to a post oak; thence West 10.25 chs. to a post oak; thence East 22.91 chs. to a pine oak; thence East 22.91 chs. to a state in edge of pond; thence South 24.30 chs. to a stone; thence East 17.75 chs. to a red oak bush; thence South 12 chs. to a rock; thence West 15 chs. to a rock; thence South 34 chs. to the bank of Fork Creek near a pond ditch; thence West up the creek with its various courses to the beginning, containing 177 acres more or less.

This is the 15th day of June, 1902. J. E. HARPER, Mortgagee, J. R. LANE, Assignee.

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Announcement! We wish to announce to our patrons and the public that we are receiving our Spring and Summer stock of goods and are prepared to offer some real bargains in Shoes, Dress Fabrics, Furnishings, Hats, Umbrellas, Etc. Our stock of FAMILY GROCERIES is always fresh and relishing to these food of good eatables, and the price suits the times. When in need of anything usually kept in a general store be sure to see MOI-FITT & COMPANY.

Spring Arrivals! Our new spring and summer goods have just been received and are now on exhibition. Come and see them.

Ladies' Furnishings. We have the most beautiful line of Ladies' Furnishings ever displayed in Asheboro. Fine dress Silks, Lawns, Percales, &c. Also Trimmed Hats, Shoes, Etc. In fact almost anything you can think of. Prices reasonable, too. We are acknowledged leaders in this line, and our new spring and summer stock will sustain our reputation. Everything in this line is new, nobby and up-to-date, and you will make no mistake in seeing our stock.

Wood & Moring. We also have a large stock of Shoes of all kinds, Carpets, Rugs, Groceries, &c. Give us a call.

The Right Quantity and Quality Of the Drug Called for Goes into Prescriptions. Filled here. We use no substitutes, nor drugs of doubtful purity or freshness. Goods of the highest quality only are used in compounding medicines and this insures results expected by prescribing physician and patient. Our prescription department is open until 9:30 at night. Cold drinks can be had any time during the day and until 9:30 at night. Depot St. STANDARD DRUG CO.

COME AND SEE. We have a large and complete line of SPRING AND SUMMER GOODS JUST IN. Our stock consists of everything that will add to the pleasure or comfort of man or beast. All at ROCK BOTTOM PRICES. Will exchange for all kinds country produce at market prices. For 30 days will sell SLIPPERS AT COST. NAOMI FALLS STORE CO., W. T. Bryant, Mgr. Randleman, N. C.

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Buggies! Buggies! AT AND Below Cost! In order to reduce stock. First come, first served. Also \$5 reduction on all 2-horse Nissen wagons. McCrary-Lassiter Co.

New Spring Goods. Arriving Daily at the Store of W. J. Miller. Dress Goods, &c. Shoes, Pants, &c. We are receiving our spring stock of Dry Goods, Notions, Laces, Etc. Also a nice line of men's pants. We have on hand a full line of shoes for men, women and children.

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