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**Our Great Clearance Sale Proceeds  
 With Bargains Mighty as Ever.**

"July dullness is a fable so far as we are concerned, and the busy hum of buyers will grow to greater proportions this week because of the Extraordinary Bargains we offer.

Our Clearance Sale takes in with one broad sweep of marvelous price reductions every department and every counter. The close of summer must find our stock at the lowest notch. Relentless mark-downs bring within your reach the finest summer goods. Cost and profits are completely ignored. **CLEARANCE SALE OF WAISTS.**

Waists worth up to 75c, at 38c  
 Waists worth up to \$1, at 50c.  
 Waists worth up to \$1.25, at 75c.  
 Waists worth up to \$1.50, at 95c.  
 Silk waists worth \$4, \$5, \$6. Our price, \$2.48, \$2.98, and \$4.25.  
 Few more pieces of those 30c Challis, left. Our Clearance Price, 19c.  
 A fine line of California suiting for wrappers, bath robes, and night robes, worth 12 1/2, and 15c. Our Clearance Price 8 and 10c.  
 Ten pieces of beautiful Plaid Dress Goods, cheap at 75c, our price, 43c.  
 An elegant line of wool covert Suitings regular price, \$1.25, at 73c.  
 Another line of striped Dress Suitings, cheap at 75c, at 48c.  
 1400 yards of N. L. 4-4 Bleaching, the 8c quality, at 6c.  
**OUR GREAT SKIRT SALE.**  
 Russian Duck Skirts in white, worth 75c to \$1, at 48c.

P K Skirts, nicely trimmed, worth \$1.50, at 93c.  
 A line of Crepon skirts in green, blue and red, worth \$1.50, at 75c.  
 A lot of fine Skirts, black only in Crepon Brilliantine and Silk, will be sold in proportion.  
 Only a few more pairs of those Ladies' 75c Oxford Ties, to be closed out at 50c.  
 Few more pairs of Men's \$1.50 Russet Shoes at 99c.  
 Men's Patent Leather Oxfords, cheap at \$1.50, at \$1.  
 Men's Russet \$2.50 Shoes at \$1.48.  
 Men's \$4 and \$5 shoes at \$2.98.  
 Infant shoes black and tan at 23c.  
 Only 68 more of those fine \$1.25 and \$1.50 Silk Umbrellas at \$98.  
 All straw hats and summer caps at 50 cents on the dollar.  
**25 PERCENT OFF.**  
 on all summer clothing for men or boys.  
**NOW IS YOUR CHANCE.**

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**CAROLINA NEWS**

**Interesting Items from Various Parts of the State.**

**Glimpses of Life and Progress in the Land of the Sky.**

**Notes Gathered for the Gazette and Selections from Latest North Carolina Newspapers.**

Thus Alexander has been sentenced to be hanged on August 24 in Mecklenburg county for criminal assault. The jury was out 18 minutes.

The Colored Normal at the A. and M. college enrolled more students last week than at a corresponding time in previous sessions. Fifteen counties and five states are represented.

Bishop Key of the Methodist church has appointed Rev. W. L. Grisson of Greensboro to fill out the unexpired term of Dr. J. W. Jones as presiding elder of this district.—Morganton Herald.

The Postal Telegraph and Cable company began work this afternoon on the line to Winston. A foreman and 11 men arrived on the afternoon train from Greensboro to do the construction work, which will be pushed as rapidly

**Beauty Is Blood Deep.**  
 Clean blood means a clean skin. No beauty without it. Cascarets, Candy Cathartic clean your blood and keep it clean, by stirring up the lazy liver and driving all impurities from the body. Begin to-day to banish pimples, boils, blotches, blackheads, and that sickly bilious complexion by taking Cascarets—beauty for ten cents. All druggists, satisfaction guaranteed, 10c, 25c, 50c.

as possible. The company has not yet selected an office here.—Winston Sentinel.

At Rock Ridge Academy, Wilson county, yesterday, two thousand persons attended an educational rally, at which addresses were made by State Superintendent Mebane, J. Y. Joyner and Jerome C. Horner.—Raleigh Correspondence Charlotte Observer.

J. F. McEntire left home with 24 fine chickens Tuesday morning, and when he reached town, found 10 were dead. He sold the 14 live ones and, before leaving for home, got him some hot water and salt, picked and salted down the 10 dead ones and said: "I'll have me a chicken pie tomorrow."—Rutherford Vindicator.

Last Sunday while the congregation was at Ebenezer church the top of a tree in the grove in which the horses and vehicles were left off and landed on a hack, completely demolishing the vehicle, and then fell over on another conveyance, damaging it. No one was in either of the vehicles, so no one was hurt. There was no hard wind blowing and what caused the tree top to fall is not known.—Salisbury Sun.

John Wesley Carroll tells us that he saw an English sparrow perched up in a tree holding a lady's linen collar in its beak. He thought there was a cravat around the collar, but was not certain as to this. The little irrepresible bird no doubt took advantage of the warm weather to fly through an open window into some lady's boudoir during the early morning and to help himself to what he saw. A great many petty thefts may be accounted for in this manner.—Fayetteville Observer.

**WHO IS TO BLAME.**  
 Women as well as men are made miserable by kidney and bladder trouble. Dr. Kilmor's Swamp Root, the great kidney remedy promptly cures. At druggists in 50 cent and \$1 sizes. You may have a sample bottle by mail free, also pamphlet telling all about it. Address, Dr. Kilmor & Co., Binghampton, N. Y.

A negro preacher from Wilmington has been causing quite a sensation among the colored people of Murphy for a week or more. He is crippled and claims to have been pronounced dead, placed in his coffin and his funeral preached. When at the cemetery the coffin for some reason was opened, the fresh air revived him and he lives to tell the tale. He kept his congregation one night until daylight next day. He preached in the court house Tuesday night.—Murphy Republican.

The physicians who are attending Henry Gilmore, the negro who was struck by lightning on the Kirkpatrick plantation, tells us that in all probability he will recover from his dreadful wounds. It is a remarkable case, probably without a parallel. Gilmore says that he was standing under the cherry tree holding a pair of mules with his left hand and had just placed his right hand on Mr. Murdock's shoulder when he lost consciousness. Now the bolt of lightning struck Murdock and passed through his body, killing him instantly; then it entered Gilmore through his right arm, going down his right side to his foot, back again across his chest down his left side to his foot, up again and out of his left arm into the mules, both of which died instantly. Though this mysterious current left fearful scars on Gilmore's body, he was conscious in a few hours and is now on the way to recovery.—Fayetteville Observer.

In the biennial report of the state board of charities, just issued, appears the following: "For nine years the subject of a state reform school has been presented in various forms, through the action of this board, to the public mind in this state. The town of Washington reports 900 persons under arrest, and 50

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of these minors; Wilson had 900 arrests, 50 minors; Wilmington 639, with 160 minors; Durham reports 691, of which 205 were for actual crime and 386 for violation of ordinances, but failed to distinguish the number of minors. In the principal city, Raleigh, the police were especially active. Their arrests and commitment to police station include 607 white males, 30 white females, 583 colored males, 139 colored females, making a total of 1,359. Of these, 186 were minors, and 43 under 14 years. There is a remarkable unanimity of views among the police officials in favor of a restriction of the privilege accorded to minors of a tender age to wander in the streets at night, when corruption by vicious company usually begins. They also cordially and earnestly favor the establishment of a reform school for those already contaminated. Our needs require an institution, to be located near a town of some importance, but sufficiently far in the country to permit the purchase, if not offered by donation, of four hundred or five hundred acres of good land, to help the school to be as nearly self-supporting as possible at an early period as practicable."

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 The best salve in the world for cuts, bruises, sores, ulcers, salt rheum, fever sores, tetter, chapped hands, chilblains, corns and all skin eruptions, and positively cures piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by T. C. Smith, W. C. Carmichael, and Pelham's pharmacy.

**Where a Bone Lived.**  
 The late Professor Hyrtl of Vienna was present one day during the examination of an aspirant for the medical degree by Professor Langer. Finally the latter handed the student a small bone, saying: "Mr. Candidate, here is a bone. Don't look at it, but tell me from feeling it what kind of a bone it is, whether it belonged to the left or right side of the body and whether it was part of a man or woman." The poor student blushed from embarrassment. There was a large audience present, and he saw failure staring him in the face. He cast a helpless glance at Hyrtl, who moved about in his chair restlessly for a moment and then sprang to his feet. "And tell me, Mr. Candidate," he cried out, the spirit of anger lighting up his large blue eyes, "after answering the questions of my dear colleague, the name of the original possessor of this bone and where and in what street he lived."

This unexpected outburst saved the day for the poor candidate, but Professor Langer ever after declined to conduct an examination when Hyrtl was present.—Atlanta Constitution.

You can't cure dyspepsia by dieting. Eat good, wholesome food, and plenty of it—Kodol Dyspepsia Cure digests food without aid from the stomach, and is made to Cure. Paragon Pharmacy.

**Good Fresh Whisky.**  
 Two negro laborers who had been at work all the morning carrying bricks and mortar to the workmen on a new building in South Washington were overheard recently discussing the important matter of locating the best whisky. They sat in their dusty overalls puffing their pipes at the end of the midday meal. "Brother Simon," said one in a meditative tone, "whar does yo' usually git your dram?"

"Well, Brother Rastus, most in generally I buys my liquor at Mistah Dan Jones'. Why does you ax me that question?"

"Cos I gits mine at Mister Bill Carbey's. I wouldn't drink none o' that ole stale whisky of Mister Jones'. Mr. Carbey he makes his fresh every day, and it bunns as it goes. Yo' can tas' it all de way."—Washington Post.

What you want is not temporary relief from piles, but a cure to stay cured. DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve cures piles, and they stay cured. Paragon Pharmacy.

**The Population of Ireland**  
 Catholics form 75.40 of the population of Ireland, the actual number amounting to 3,547,307 in a total population of 4,704,750, according to the census returns in 1891. In the counties of Antrim and Down and possibly Fermanagh the non-Catholic population is in the majority.—Boston Pilot.

A diseased stomach surely undermines health. It dulls the brain, kills energy, destroys the nervous system, and predisposes to insanity and fatal diseases. All dyspeptic troubles are quickly cured by Kodol Dyspepsia Cure. It has cured thousands of cases and is curing them every day. Its ingredients are such that it can't help curing. Paragon Pharmacy.

**Ate Too Fast.**  
 Hicks—They have music during lunch-noon. Let's go there.  
 Wicks—No. I used to go there, but it gave me indigestion.  
 Hicks—Cooking bad?  
 Wicks—No, it was the music they play nothing but marches and quicksteps.—Catholic Standard and Times.

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**SOUTHERN RAILWAY.**  
 IN EFFECT JUNE 12, 1899.

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