

DARING FEMALE ROBBER.

THE STORE OF M. E. CASTEX & CO., BROKEN INTO.

A Negro Woman Attempts a Bold Robbery In Broad Daylight and Narrowly Escapes Arrest

Lena Simmons, colored, is the boldest thief that has struck Goldsboro in some time. She broke into a rear window of Castex's store yesterday and stole a quantity of high priced ready-made dresses, some millinery and shoes. She entered the store by breaking a glass in the upper window frame and then removing the stick which held the lower frame down. She then raised the window and went in and took what she wanted.

The woman was noticed by Chief of Police Freeman when she emerged from the alley in the rear of Castex's store. She had a telescope in one hand and a bundle of band boxes in the other. The Chief knew the woman and knew that it was unusual for her to go around with so much personal property. He asked her where she got the packages and she replied that Mr. Castex had given them to her and told her to carry them up to his residence. The fact that all this was taking place in the broad open day time while the people were going to church did not satisfy the Chief, who wanted to see where Lena went to and then, after finding Douglass Creech, a clerk in the store, who said that the woman had not been given any bundles, the Chief followed the woman to the alley in the rear of the fish market. Here the Chief and Officer Fulghum found the telescope filled with fine dresses and dress material and also found the hat boxes on the outside of the building in which the telescope was found. The goods were taken, but Lena was not to be found. She had evidently smelled a mouse, as the officers could find no trace of her anywhere. She had disappeared in so short a time as completely as if the ground had parted under her feet and let her drop through to China. The entire police force were put on the lookout, but have been unable so far to locate her. She seems to be as clever in hiding herself as she was bold and daring to undertake the robbery in daylight.

AND STILL THEY COME.

Another High Honor to a Goldsboro Boy.

An official dispatch from Washington announcing the squadron that has been constituted to greet Prince Henry on the occasion of his early visit to this government, contains the name of a Goldsboro boy, who has already been honored in like manner. He was of the U. S. Naval contingent at the momentous and imposing meeting of King William and the Czar at St. Petersburg, some years ago.

The paragraph of the official dispatch in question reads as follows:

"It was arranged that the squadron to greet the Prince will assemble at Tompkinsville on Feb. 15, and that Rear Admiral Robley D. Evans, the squadron commander, will raise his broad pennant on the battleship Illinois, which has been selected as flagship, on Feb. 17. In addition to the Illinois, the squadron will consist of the cruiser Olympia, the cruiser Cincinnati, the cruiser San Francisco, the training ship Hartford and the gunboat Machias. Capt. George A. Converse, who commands the Illinois, will be chief of staff to Admiral Evans. The other members of the Admiral's staff will be Lieut. Frederick L. Chapin, Flag Lieutenant, and Lieut. Thomas Washington, Flag Secretary."

We have received a lot of

GARDEN SEEDS

Of fresh stock and from reputation growers. We also carry Rust Proof Beans for Truckers

White Silver Skin, Yellow Danvers and Red Onion Sets

Get our prices before placing your order,

MacKay's Pharmacy.
128 East Walnut Street, GOLDSBORO, N. C.

We Don't.

We don't substitute
We don't guess, look up facts.
We don't abbreviate unnecessarily.
We don't dispense rancid ointments.
We don't carry on conversation while filling prescriptions.
We don't fill a prescription without first calculating the dose.
We don't trust to memorizing formulas consult the authorities.
We don't forget that a slight error might result in the death of the patient.
We don't object your calling at the captain's office and settling up, (first of year).
We don't then mind indulgence.

M. E. Robinson & Bro.,
MONEYWORTH DRUGGISTS.

Prices to suit all

We can describe our goods and can tell their many points of superiority, also can quote prices that will be a surprise to lovers of Jewelry.

We therefore ask you to take a few moments of your time and make our store a visit. We have a fine line of Watches, Jewelry, Umbrellas, Silverware, etc.

L. D. Giddens.
JEWELER.

THE GREAT JANUARY SALE.

This is our annual clearance sale. We have resolved to make this the greatest event in the history of Sales. In order to carry an entirely new line of goods next season, we must clear the shelves of every thing that is on them now.

Wednesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

No goods taken back or exchanged at this sale.

Cleaning the Dress Goods

Here is a feast for you, not something to eat but a feast of bargains that will make you bargain mouth water. Read over the bargain menu—a table of fine dress goods at one-half price.
38 inch all wool camels hair in Oxford greys, tans, etc.—was 60c now 30c.
52 inch all wool spring grey price \$1.50, this sale 75c.
Sharp reductions made in dress goods. Every piece is to be moved.

Ladies' Coats.

Automobiles and box coats at cost. Short jackets and cloth and plush capes at one-half price.

Shoes.

On our regular stock of "Berling Imperial" shoes we will give 20 per cent off. This includes one of the prettiest and most stylish line of shoes in the city. We also have broken lots of ladies and childrens shoes that will go for about one-third the regular price.
Infants shoes worth from 50c to 75c at 25c and 5c.
A lot of Misses shoes worth \$1.25 to \$1.50 will go at this sale at 75c.
Ladies shoes in broken sizes from 1 1/2 to 4 1/2 worth all the way from \$1.25 to \$3.50, sale price 75c, \$1, \$1.50.

Art Squares.

We have only a few of these and they must go.

Underwear.

Ladies and childrens union suits, vests and pants. Oasita union suits were \$1.50, this sale \$1.00. 50c fleeced lined Jersey ribbed pants and vests at 25c.

Lace Curtains.

We have a fine line of lace curtains. These we will also move. The prices we give you on curtains will astound you. We have a few odd pair that will go for a song.

Dressing Sacques.

\$1. dressing sacques, 50c
\$1.25 " " 65c
\$1.50 wrappers at 98c.

Skirts,

Silk skirts in peau de soie and taffeta, trimmed and untrimmed, percale lined, at cost. Walking skirts in double faced goods at half price.

5c.

Torchons faces and ham burg insertings

10c.

A big lot of Hamburg edgings and insertings.

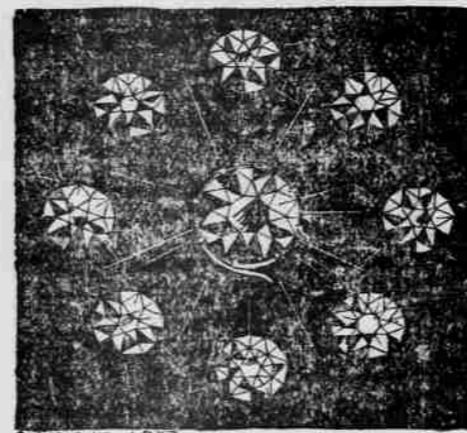
Rugs.

Moquette rugs price \$3 now \$2. Black Hair Rugs \$4, now \$2.50.

As our entire stock will be included in this sale, we have a great many bargains we can't name.

FROM JANUARY 22nd TO JANUARY 25th.

M. E. CASTEX & CO.



Silver and Pearl Handle Umbrellas, High Grade Pictures, Novelties, Gold Clocks, Pocketbooks, Card cases, etc.

No Vain Regret,

NO REGRET ever comes to the one who buys a diamond here.

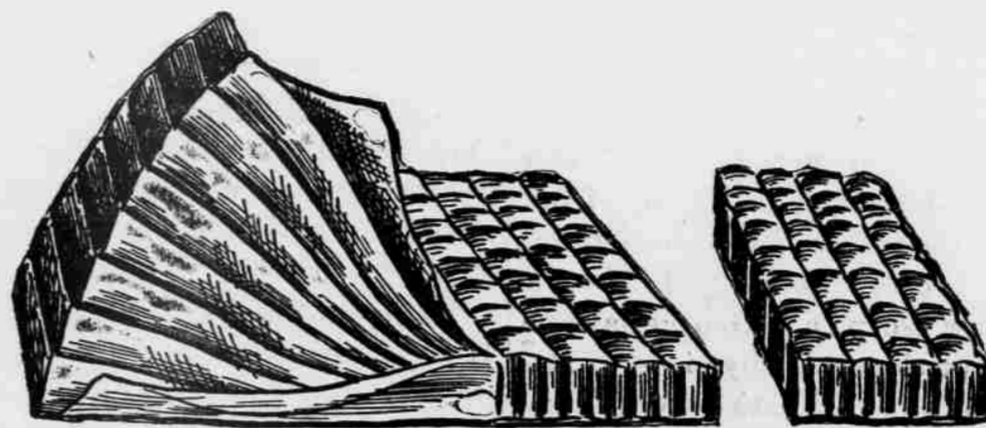
DIAMONDS are a side issue with us—we don't depend on diamond selling for our bread and butter—they're not a jeweler's staple—we keep them in stock because they are always A Good Investment.

We place them in your hands at prices that make them the same good investment for you

Diamonds, Watches, Solid Silver, Cut Glass, Locket, Chains, Rings, Gold Jewelry.

R. O. Creech
LEADING JEWELER

This is the Best MATTRESS On Earth.



Royall & Borden.

OUT THEY GO!

Boys overcoats go at cost during our After Inventory Sale which lasts all this week. This means a saving of from 20 to 25 per cent. and is an opportunity that comes but once a year. We have not many left so if you are fortunate enough to find your size here, it's just like so much money found. Come early as the week will soon be past and gone.

Another item added to the long list of specials. BOY'S COLORED COLLARS 5c. EACH.

A. A. Joseph,

UNDER HOTEL KENNON. GOLDSBORO'S LEADING GLOTHIER

And He Never Took Hold Again

Some ten or twelve years ago a lady in this State was suffering from severe hemorrhage of the womb. For years she had been subject to almost continuous flow, and at last she got into so low a condition that she was confined to the bed. All effort of the doctors failed to check it, and finally two of the leading physicians of her locality pronounced the case cancerous. Her prostration was great, and nothing seemed to reach her case. One of her neighbors insisted on her trying my Remedy and Wash. This she would not do until she had consulted her doctor. His reply was, "When Mrs. Person takes hold, we turn loose; when she turns loose, we take hold." However, she concluded to try it. Without letting anyone into the secret, she used my wash copiously. A great improvement soon set in and by its use she was soon well. She has been cured all these years, and says she can never say enough for Mrs. Joe Person's Wash.

The name of the lady will be given, if desired, upon application to me.

Respectfully,
MRS. JOE PERSON,
October 6, 1900. Kirtrell, N. C.

NOTICE.

OF THE SALE OF THE GREAT EASTERN RAILROAD.

By virtue of a decree of the Superior Court of Wayne county, in the case of John Howe Payton and others, vs. The Great Eastern Railroad Company, the undersigned will sell at 12 o'clock m. on Monday, the 3rd day of March, 1902, at the court house door in Goldsboro, the franchise, rights and privileges, right of way, road bed and track and all other property, both real and personal, of the Great Eastern Railroad Company, by public auction, to the highest bidder for cash.

This the 17th day of January, 1902.
W. T. DORTCH,
Commissioner.

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WANTED.

We are offering the following valuable premiums for names of responsible and intelligent young people: For twenty five names, one magazine—Munsey's, Cosmopolitan, or the Ladies' Home Journal; one dozen Spencerian pens; or two dozen visiting cards, written. Send only the names of intelligent and responsible people who may be induced to enter our school, as wholly ignorant or illiterate people cannot enter the classes, and would be of no value to us. Our premiums are worth your trouble. Address, Peelle's College of Business and Shorthand, Greensboro, N. C.

Notice of Dissolution.

The firm of T. C. Bryan & Co., composed of T. C. Bryan and J. A. Stevens was dissolved on the 1st of January by mutual consent and T. C. Bryan assumes all obligations, will collect all money due the late firm and will continue the business at the same stand 110 Walnut street West. I take this method to thank my friends and the public for their generous patronage in the past and hope by strict attention to business to merit a continuance of the same.
T. C. BRYAN.



Money Saved.

by bringing your prescription to us. When your doctor writes your prescription tell him you want us to fill it. Prescribing is his business. Filling prescriptions is ours. Our prescription department is complete.

We employ only skilled pharmacists, and we claim to save you money, and give you PUREST DRUGS that money can buy at living profits, is verified by our prices. If you have not been one of our well pleased customers, try us.

Goldsboro Drug Co.

The People's Popular Drug Store.

DR. THEO. L. GINN,
Physician and Surgeon.

Office over Ginn & Best's Store, GOLDSBORO, N. C.

FOR RENT—An 8 room house on West Centre street. Apply to Humphrey-Gibson Company. tf

LOST—Baby rattle, pearl and silver rattle with two silver bells. Lost on the street between Mr. Henry Lee's residence and Robinson's drug store. For reward apply to Mrs. Geo. C. Southerland.

Nut coal at W. H. Griffin's coal and Wood yard. Phone 47.