

# Sole Agencies---Exclusive Control!

## WE ARE SOLE AGENTS

For some of the Most Desirable Articles of Merchandise, We sell HAMILTON BROWN SHOE COMPANY'S FACTORY MADE SHOES. We sell Thousands of Pairs of these Shoes annually. THEY GIVE SATISFACTION---EVERY PAIR GUARANTEED. For Boys and Girls buy SECURITY SCHOOL SHOES, they wear a long time, you receive value for every penny. For Ladies wear buy "AMERICAN MADE," "PICNIC," and "WATCH UP." For Men buy the "LION" at \$2.00, or "AMERICAN MADE," at \$3.50. The CELEBRATED POLICE SHOES FOR MEN---you get more correct style and good wear for the price than any other make of shoes. THEY ARE GUARANTEED and OUTFITTERS ENCOURAGE ANNUALLY on THEM. We have customers that have kept shod with Douglas Shoes for the last 15 years and they are our strongest Friends as shoe customers. See them at \$3.00, \$3.50 and \$4.00.

## Clothing for Men, Boys and Children.

We sell the great SNEELINGBERG CLOTHING COMPANY'S NEW YORK and PHILADELPHIA LINE of GOODS. They make great Coats for the Street. Clothing and their chairs will wear for years. We find correct styles as to Cut, Trimmings, and general appearance. We sell CHILDREN'S SUITS \$1.00 to \$6.00. BOYS' SUITS \$1.00 to \$4.00. MEN'S SUITS \$4.00 to \$20.00.

## Visit Our Furniture Department,

ON THE SECOND FLOOR. Pretty line, Reasonable Prices. Bed Room Sets, Lounges, Couches, Iron Bedsteads, Baby Carriages, Baby Cradles, Gunn Sectional Book Cases. FULT MATTRESSES \$5.00 to \$15.00. CARPETS at 25 cents to \$1.00 PER YARD. ART SQUARES \$5.00 to \$25.00 EACH. PICTURES for PARLORS, SITTING ROOMS, ETC.

## in Our Dry Goods Department,

You can find the proper DRESSGOODS, SILKS, VELVETS, LACES, TRIMMINGS, LADIES UNDERWEAR, HOSIERY, ETC. We show ENGLISH JACKETS at \$1.98. LONG MANISH COATS at \$3.89. LADIES' RAIN COATS \$2.50 and \$5.00. Many of the latest styles of Coats and Cloaks.

## The Millinery Department.

IS REALLY CROWDED WITH BEAUTIFUL FALL AND WINTER MILLINERY. Come to see it. We offer Style and Quality at Reasonable Prices.

## Stoves and Heaters.

We are sole Agents for RICHMOND STORE COMPANY'S COOK STOVES and HEATING STOVES. We will receive another Full Carload of these goods on October 16th. We have an assortment now in Stock, but will have, after that date, a Stock unequalled and unsurpassed. SEE OUR COOK STOVES at \$8.00, 10.00, 12.00, 15.00 and 20.00. See Our AIRTIGHT HEATERS at \$1.50, 2.00, 2.50, 4.00, 5.00 and 7.50.

## Crockery, Glassware, Etc.

Don't forget that we carry a great line of CROCKERY WARE, GLASSWARE, etc. and that we sell a CHINA SET of 100 PIECES for \$10.00. 46 PIECES for \$5.00. 10 PIECE CHAMBER SETS \$2.50.

## Our Grocery Department.

Remember that we sell the real good and perfectly satisfactory goods---"ROB ROY"---Flour Michigan Patent. "OBELISK," the famous Kaffir Flour. Our Grocery Department will not disappoint you.

## Wagons, Builders Supplies, Etc.

Farmers, get your next Wagon from us, we sell "THE GREGORY" two-horse wagons and "OUR KING" one-horse wagon, both made by the Chase City Manufacturing Co. EVERY PIECE OF EVERY WAGON GUARANTEED. Don't forget our ANCHOR BRAND LIME---said to be the best made, and OUR PORTLAND CEMENT.

We can only call attention at random, to a few of the Splendid Articles of Our Stock, but as we have said before, we rarely fail to please a Customer.

Please come to see us, or rather to see and inspect our Goods. Our goods cover the most of requirements of human needs. We began with Baby Cradles and end with Burial Casquets. Again we say COME. With thanks for present liberal patronage, we remain,

# Caldwell & Carlyle,

LUMBERTON,

N. CAROLINA.

### Should Have Paid Out and Saved Sentence Too.

Stateville Landmark  
The settlement of the Mt. Airy case on a money basis was due in a measure to the fact that the young woman who was shot was an orphan and has others dependent on her for support. This being so it was contended that it would be better for her to get \$2,500 damages, which would be a great help to her; that to punish the young man by sending them to the penitentiary or the chain gang would be of no personal benefit to her; and in addition the payment of the damages, the fines and costs, which amount to about \$5,000, will be some punishment to the guilty. We appreciate the force of this reasoning and it was probably best to settle the case that way. But whenever men of influence and wealth escape punishment for a serious offence by the mere payment of money, we cannot but feel that a wrong has been done---that a bad and pernicious precedent has been set. Judge Boyd had the right view when, in the case of a prominent citizen of Salisbury, he inflicted a jail sentence in addition to a heavy fine, stating, in answer to the arguments in favor of the aforesaid prominent citizen, that it was neither just nor right to allow men who had money to escape imprisonment by the payment of money and to put in jail other men because they had no money, for this puts the administration of the law on a money basis. And nobody has yet answered Judge Boyd, for that statement cannot be answered.

### An Alarming Situation.

Frequently results from neglect of clogged bowels and torpid liver, until constipation becomes chronic. This condition is unknown to those who use Dr. King's New Life Pills; the best and gentlest regulators of Stomach and Bowels Guaranteed by all druggists. Price 25 cents.

### LONG BRANCH NEWS.

**Mr. Elton Sunday's beat notes**  
Quarterly Meeting---Sick Folks Personal.  
Correspondence of The Robesonian  
The M. Elton Sunday school held its quarterly meeting Sunday at Hog Swamp, with a large attendance and good speeches. The health of the community at present is bad---lots of colds, grippe and fever.  
Mr. Wm. S. Stone is not yet able to be up from typhoid.  
Mrs. Eliza Lee is very ill with her cold.  
Mr. A. L. Stone visited in Columbus Saturday and spent the night at Cerro Gorda with relatives.  
Mr. Caswell Britt has returned from a trip to the beach and reports the tummy tribe scarce.  
Rev. J. P. Hedgpeth spent Thanksgiving with us at Long Branch which was very much enjoyed by his hearers.  
Mr. L. H. Britt has treated himself to a new toy buggy. Look out girls!  
Wonder how far those boys got Sunday night before he found out he had the wrong hat. Wasn't it funny?  
Mr. and Mrs. John Britt, of Kingsdale, spent Sunday at the home of Mr. A. L. Stone.  
The talk these days is "are your potatoes rotting?" "Mine are."  
Glad to report that Miss Dollie Lan., who has been suffering with typhoid for some time, is mending. Hops that she soon will be herself again.  
The public school at Long Branch is progressing fine with Prof. N. D. Johnson, of Lumberton, and Miss Dollie Singletary, of Back Swamp, both highly cultured teachers.  
Mrs. I. W. Thompson, of Wilmington, is spending some time with Mr. and Mrs. Thompson, of

Thompson's father.  
Master Bruce Edmund, who has undergone such a severe attack of typhoid, is improving.  
Long Branch, N. C., Dec. 3rd.  
**Captain Bowen Sues.**  
Capt. J. D. Bowen, through his attorneys Messrs Bellamy & Bellamy and Herbert McClammy has entered suit against the Seaboard Air Line for \$25,000 damages. Capt. Bowen it will be remembered was the conductor on one of the ill fated trains that crashed together at Hamlet some time ago, in which some 30 persons were killed and injured. He sustained injuries in consequence of which he is still laid up at his home in Wilmington. Physicians say that it will be six months before he can walk if he is ever able, without crutches.  
**Circus Folks Resent Wrecks.**  
Charlotte Observer.  
One of the peculiarities of circus people appears to be that they physically resent being wrecked and smashed up on the railroads, whereas the general public has become sufficiently civilized to take it out in suing the company. A special in this morning's paper, describing the partial wreck, on the branch line south from High Point, of the train hauling the small John H. Sparks show, tells of a vicious assault upon the train's conductor by snowmen whom the death or injury of several comrades had infuriated. The assailants will doubtless be captured in the woods, to which they took, and given proper punishment in the courts. Several years ago, when the principal section of Buffalo Bill's show train was wrecked a few miles south of Lexington by collision with a freight train, the freight's engineer had to flee for his life, pursued by a mob of cowboys and Indians bent upon lynching him. The attitude of circus folk toward the railroads is decidedly primitive.

**Christmas.**  
Written For The Robesonian.  
We hail thee, blessed Christmas tide,  
And shout thy praises far and wide,  
Thou day of joy and mirth!  
Thou beautiful, blessed holiday  
That bids us cast each care away,  
And hail a Savior's birth.  
The children sport around the fire,  
And Christmas joys never tire,  
Or seem to be abated.  
The ring of laughter, glee, and mirth  
Sends forth the peal heard round the earth  
With childhood's joys freighted.  
Children, use these pleasures well  
Enjoy each sounding Christmas bell  
For age will mar your glee  
When Santa Claus is real no more,  
And festivals are all but a bore;  
Then you will say with me:  
Oh! give me back those happy days  
Of Christmas stories, lays and plays.  
Those days of ignorant joys.  
Give me again a Santa Claus  
With a beady face and a stately poise,  
Make me a frolicsome boy.  
Let me think those tales are true  
Of Santa Claus with his reindeer crew,  
And leagued magic sled;  
As the reindeers trip and bound along  
To the crack of the whip and Santa's song,  
To me, a boy in bed.  
Let me look with muffled breath  
In the stocking hanging above the hearth,  
To view each shining toy.  
Let me feel the exultant pride  
Of the child that stands close by my side,  
And this will be my joy.  
---Wm. Otis Johnson.  
Wake Forest, N. C.  
**A Cotton Tree.**  
According to a letter from J. R. Spence, at Wellas, India, a cotton tree has been discovered and he is sure the new discovery will revolutionize the cotton industry. He states he had the good fortune to discover that there exists a tree, practically indigenous, at present growing in various parts of the Bombay and Madras presidencies, which produces a cotton infinitely superior both in classification and staple to American cotton, and in every way equal to Egyptian cotton. Up to the time of discovery of this new tree, nothing of any value had been done with the new product except to use it for making lamp wicks and stuffing beds

and pillows.  
Experts in the Bombay and Liverpool mills, after a careful examination gave out the following to both exchanges, classed it as "fine", white in color staple 1 1/4 to 1 1/2 inches long and said it would spin up to the 60s', and would be valued from 14 to 16 cents per pound above the price of "middling" American.  
Mr. Spence said he had since planted 10,050 of the trees and all were in a most flourishing condition and in six months, had grown from four to five and a half feet, full of buds and bolls, and bearing cotton after being planted only six months.  
The quality of the "new crop," in 1906 cotton of this tree is superior both in classification and staple to that of the parent tree. The estimate to that first year at a minimum of four ounces per tree, or about 600 pounds to an acre. The second year's crop should double the first and the third's crop double the second, and it is well known that trees after three will yield as much as 5 to 10 pounds per tree, and the known life of the tree is twenty years.  
It will thus be seen, said Mr. Spence, that if 1-3 of the India cotton growing area were planted with this tree, and it will be, that after the third year the cotton production, of India would more than greater the amount of India and the United States combined. American experts are said to claim the same.  
Well gentlemen, if that be the case it would be a good and wise thing for our cotton growers to experiment with this tree also, it would be little trouble to get both the seed and plant, but should we find it some what difficult, no doubt in time your labor would more than be repaid. You cannot afford to let Judia get such

a start, as many of your cotton experts are having all they can do to keep "John Bull," from controlling the raw market, as he does the manufactured goods, where he seems to have an iron grip.  
**Keep in Good Health.**  
There are many thousands of people all over the world who can attribute their good health to taking one or two Brandreth's Pills every night. These pills cleanse the stomach and bowels, stimulate the kidneys and liver and purify the blood. They are the same fine laxative tonic pill your grandparents used, and being purely vegetable they are adapted to children and old people, as well as to those in the vigor of manhood and womanhood.  
Brandreth's Pills have been in use for over a century and can be obtained in every drug and medicine store, either plain or sugar-coated.  
**It Quiets the Cough**  
This is one reason why Ayer's Cherry Pectoral is so valuable in consumption. It stops the wear and tear of useless coughing. But it does more---it controls the inflammation, quiets the fever, soothes, heals. Ask your doctor about this.  
The best kind of a tea's ironical---  
"Sold for over sixty years."  
Made by J. C. Ayer & Co., Lowell, Mass.  
Also see: Sarsaparilla, Pills, Hair Vigor.  
We have no superior. We publish the formulas of all our medicines.  
Hasten recovery by keeping the bowels regular with Ayer's Pills.  
Nine hundred and sixty-three corporation certificates have been filed in the office of the Secretary of State during the year ending yesterday, November 30th. Ten years ago the number for the year was 151. In 1898 there were only 21.  
Boys' and Men's clothing, hats and caps at Caldwell & Carlyle's.