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We make this offer because we must have  
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Ask our Prices—Compare Quality.

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Honest  
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The Best Suit Values in  
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the best Custom Tailored  
garments at twice the price.  
Come in and inspect our  
garments and see if we can't  
save you some money on  
your

Easter Outfit.

We have just received a  
Nice Assortment of Ties made  
especially for our trade, in  
Silk and Washable Goods, at  
from 15 cents to 50 cents. □  
Look out for our big offer  
in

Shoes

Next week.

Jenrette-Singletary Co

Next Door above Dr. McMillan's  
Drug Store.



### HOLINESS DISAGREE.

"Talking With Tongues" not  
Unanimously Accepted Here.

What is known as "Speaking  
With Tongues" and referred to  
by some as the "Modern Religious  
Mania" has caused a disagree-  
ment among the followers of the  
Holiness faith here. Some  
believe in it while others do not.  
Just what effect on the local con-  
gregation the disagreement will  
have is not known yet.

The Holiness membership here  
was 90 or 100 strong. It is com-  
posed of some good, strong, con-  
scientious and influential people.  
They have a tabernacle here and  
have accomplished good. They  
reach a class of people that need  
the Christian influence thrown  
around them but who are some-  
times not reached by other  
churches. In this way they have  
accomplished much lasting good.

But any one familiar with con-  
ditions were not surprised to  
hear Saturday morning that  
there had been a breach in the  
congregation over the "Speaking  
With Tongue." This idea, start-  
ing in California had spread and  
some time ago reached Dunn,  
this State, where is a stronghold  
of the Holiness followers. Know-  
ing that it was a short time until  
it would be brought to Lum-  
berton and taught to the congre-  
gation here, two officers of the local  
congregation went to Dunn to at-  
tend one of the services in the  
"Unknown Tongue." When they  
saw and heard, while not ques-  
tioning the genuineness of the  
effect of the teaching, they thought  
and advised that the time was  
not ripe for the new doctrine to  
be taught here. The Lumberton  
officers came home and no more  
was heard by them of the com-  
ing of the teachers of the new  
doctrine. However, two weeks  
ago yesterday two of the preach-  
ers did arrive here and in the  
absence of the regular pastor of  
the church here they were per-  
mitted to use the tabernacle for  
preaching these new ideas. It is  
believed that a few of their ser-  
vices at the first did good. Some  
of the congregation were so af-  
fected by the teaching that they  
talked in the "tongue" while  
there were others who were not  
affected to that extent. It was  
this that caused the disagree-  
ment. The teachers of the new  
doctrine went so far as to  
claim that no one who could  
not be so affected had not received  
the Holy Ghost. Many of the  
conservative element of the con-  
gregation could not see it this  
way and were not willing to have  
the hope that they had built up  
and believed in set aside by such  
teaching. The pastor of the  
church is not himself a believer  
in the "unknown tongue" idea  
and offered his resignation to the  
congregation unless a stop was  
put to the new preachers. When  
the visiting preachers announced  
services for Saturday night they  
were asked to withdraw them  
until a conference of the church  
could be had and until it could be  
decided whether the meeting  
should be allowed to continue or  
not. The new teachers seems to  
have misconstrued the spirit of  
request and withdrew from the  
church. We hear they expect to  
place a tent here later and con-  
tinue the preaching of the un-  
known tongue idea.

This new teaching has been  
disastrous to the minds of some.  
Those who have believed all along  
they had been saved and received  
the Holy Ghost were resting con-  
tent on their accomplishments  
and felt at ease about their soul's  
salvation. When they had  
reached that state they are told

that they have not showed evi-  
dence of the real and supreme  
test of their salvation. They  
must be affected so as to express  
themselves in "unknown tongue."  
They, some of them, endeavored  
to do so and could not. The re-  
sult is that their mind has been  
affected.

### AROUND THE TOWN.

Reporter Finds Things Busy  
Where he Walks.

If one would know the busiest  
class of men in town he should  
have taken advantage of the  
spring-like days of the past week  
to perambulate around town a  
little. The workmen were hard  
at work. The carpenter has all  
he can do and there is more of  
that kind of work than there are  
carpenters. The brick-mason has  
no time to be idle and the unpro-  
fessional laborer is in special de-  
mand.

Around the railroad yards is  
the greatest evidence of activity.  
The new depot is building and  
taking shape. The walls are al-  
ready several feet above the  
foundation. It is going to be  
pretty and up-to-date in every  
respect unless it should become  
too small for early future needs.  
With the present growth of the  
town it is a hard matter to plan  
definitely for even a few years  
ahead. The Seaboard also has a  
large squad of hands at work  
building sidetracks from the de-  
pot east. They are filling in on  
both sides of the main line. This  
is badly needed as the congestion  
of tracks has been very incon-  
venient for several weeks. We un-  
derstand it has been impossible  
lately for several days at a time  
for the Raleigh & Charleston  
trains to get up near the station.  
Freights and passenger trains  
have to exchange all kinds of  
courtesies at times to get pass.

The new railroad, the Carolina  
& Virginia Southern, is also a  
factor in the railroad activity.  
The promoters are at work on it.  
Grading is going on and rails for  
several miles of track are enroute,  
we understand.

There are stacks of railroad  
cross-ties on the depot yards and  
there is the material for the Sea-  
board's new trestle across the  
river. We hear that the Sea-  
board and the town are negotiat-  
ing arrangements for the town to  
furnish water for the Seaboard's  
trains. If this is done we sup-  
pose the old tank will be removed  
at the depot. This will remove  
an unsightly object and at the  
same time save the trains some  
time on their schedule, as they  
will be able to get water while  
the passengers are getting on  
and off the trains.

About the town are many new  
houses going up, and others are  
undergoing noticeable repairs and  
and still others will be started  
soon. Mr. A. W. McLean is  
planning to build a handsome re-  
sidence on the lot where the late  
B. Godwin lived. We understand  
the Godwin residence will be  
moved back and give way to the  
new one. The cottage occupied  
by Mr. J. R. Poole will also be  
moved back. Other new and  
handsome residences have been  
completed recently and have al-  
ready been referred to in these  
columns, with the new court house  
and other needed  
undertakings completed we will  
have ground for being proud.

The town authorities are con-  
sidering the matter of numbering  
the streets and houses of the  
town in order that we may know  
where we live.

McIntyre & Lawrence, attor-  
neys for bankrupts, publishes  
notice of sale.

### THE "DEESTRICT SKULE."

Fairmont Local Talent Presents  
Amusing Play.

The "Deestrick Skule", a play,  
was presented at Fairmont, (Ash-  
pole) Friday evening by Fair-  
mont's local dramatic talent.  
Rather the play was repeated  
Friday evening, as it was pre-  
sented two weeks ago and proved  
so popular that its repetition was  
insisted on.

The play was given in the au-  
ditorium of the school building.  
It was for the benefit of church  
purposes. The attendance Fri-  
day evening was large and atten-  
tive. The door receipts were  
supplemented by sales of cream  
after the play.

The play as presented was  
just what the name suggests—a  
"Deestrick Skule." Characters  
assigned to act the different parts  
did so with distinction and glory  
to themselves. There was the  
Ichabod school master, a teacher  
of the old school, with his switch  
with which "he urged sometarydy  
loiterer along the flowery path  
of knowledge." The personnel  
of the school was the same. There  
was the "smart-alec", the "know-  
all", the "know-nothing", the  
"timid-lad", the "blushing-  
lassie", the "mischief-maker"  
above all, praise be, there was  
the immortal Blue-Back.

If one had forgotten the scenes  
of his childhood in and around  
the country school he should  
have witnessed the presentation  
of the "Deestrick Skule" at Fair-  
mont Friday evening.

Charge Against Oil Mill Came  
as Surprise.

The Washington correspon-  
dents of The Charlotte Observer  
and the Raleigh News and Ob-  
server sent their papers news  
stories Thursday to the effect  
that cotton oil manufacturers in  
the State have been charged be-  
fore the interstate commerce  
commission with a form of rail-  
road rebating. The more spec-  
ific charge filed with the commis-  
sion was that the Laurinburg  
Oil Company and the Lumberton  
Cotton Oil & Ginning Co. had  
been giving false weights of cot-  
ton seed after receipts of ship-  
ment by the railroad.

The statements sent out and  
published in reference to the  
Lumberton Cotton Oil & Ginning  
Co. have excited considerable  
comment here. Much surprise  
has been manifested and it is  
generally thought that there  
must be some mistake about the  
matter. The officers of the com-  
pany are men of high character  
and integrity. An inquiry at the  
offices of the company has elicited  
the information that they know  
no nothing whatever about the  
charges being preferred; that pro-  
cess of any kind has been served  
and that if the investigation re-  
ferred to is either being made or  
is contemplated on the part of the  
Government that the officers of  
the company have had no notice  
of it. No counsel to represent  
the mill or its officers as individ-  
uals have been sent to Washington  
by any one connected with the  
mill here.

### Good Spelling.

In a recent examination in  
written-spelling in which one  
hundred and forty words were  
given to a class of twelve in the  
Long Branch school Miss Emma  
Roberts missed 1; Miss May  
Roberts 2; Miss Lee Pope 2;  
Ernest Prevatt 2; Bun Edmond; 4  
Grover Pope 5; Grady Pope 6.

The Stieff piano has been se-  
lected for the Jamestown Expo-  
sition.

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Cotton per pound..... 10c  
Corn per bushel..... 80  
Fodder per hundred..... 1.25  
Hams per pound..... 15 1/4 - 15  
Sides..... 11-12 1/4  
Shoulders..... 10-11  
Eggs..... 15  
Chickens grown..... 25-35  
Chickens, fries..... 15-25  
Turkeys..... 75-1.50  
Butter per pound..... 35-40  
Beeswax per pound..... 25 1/4  
Tallow per pound..... 06  
H&A, per 100 pounds..... 1.0