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LOCAL AND STATE SQUIBS.

Persons receiving the NUT SHELL with a cross mark opposite their names are thereby notified that their subscription has expired and they are solicited to renew and remit by next mail. Clubs of 10 will be furnished the paper at 15 cents each per month.

Go to Watkins' for good Cigars.

No sales of corn yesterday.

They are here! 100 pieces new prints for Spring and Summer, at Kosminski's.

Newbern was on its muscle yesterday; something less than a dozen fights occurred.

If you want a nice neck tie, go to N. B. Agostine's and get it.

If you want fine, pure Catawba Wine at low figures go to T. A. Green's grocery store.

The good people of Oxford and vicinity are determined to have a railroad run to that place.

If you have boys call at Kosminski's and get a nice suit of Spring clothes.

We were pleased to receive a visit last night from Geo. W. Nason, Jr., "which was post-master" at this place. The Colonel is in good health and carries his usual jovial spirits. He is in our city on business for Geo. C. Rixford, Esq., at Rixford, Fla., his present home, as well as on a visit to his many friends here.

Go to N. B. Agostine's and get one of those pistol fans; you can load on Monday and shoot wind all the week.

Raleigh is in a muddle over the summary ejection of a negro voter colonized in a house in the 5th Ward "to pull out chesnuts," in defiance of the threatened blood-shed illegal interference of the Mayor.

The latest thing out in Ladies' Ties, at N. B. Agostine's. Remember the place, at the sign of Cheap William.

In the communication of A. Pope, published in yesterday's NUT SHELL, the types made us say that vegetables, &c., shipped north from Goldsboro via the W. & W. R. would arrive in Portsmouth at 7 o'clock, P. M., when we should have said 4 o'clock, which will allow close connection with northern lines.

W. F. Rountree has undoubtedly got the largest, and prettiest, stock of Dress goods, Notions, Hats, Caps, Boots, Shoes, &c., that I have ever seen in Newbern.

I would advise all the Ladies to call and look at the prettiest Stock of Ladies Silk Ties and Roushings that they ever saw. They will find them all very cheap.

Cucumber Pickles, Crosse & Blackwell's Pickles, Sardines, Lobster, Pineapple, Peaches, Jelly, Preserves, Lemon Sugar for Lemonade, fine Cigars, "May Flower" Chewing Tobacco. Also good 4 cent Flour, and Sugar 10 cents per lb. The best of Butter constantly on hand.
C. E. SLOVER.

Greenboro Lottery.

We clip the following special telegram from the Wilmington Star of yesterday:

GREENSBORO, April 20.

The Grand Gift Drawing commenced at 10 o'clock this morning. The following are the largest prizes drawn up to 9 o'clock P. M.:

Ticket No. 63549 held by Prior Woodson, of Lynchburg, Va., drew the capital prize, the Benbow House. No 98032 drew five thousand dollars; 916, one thousand dollars; 32715, five hundred dollars; 34605, five hundred dollars; 94280, two thousand dollars; 21715, five hundred dollars; 1358, forty-five hundred dollars.

The drawing will be continued another day. The prizes were sealed to one-sixth.

GUILFORD.

"THE CAPITAL.—The new daily made its appearance yesterday morning. It is capitally gotten up typographically, and its columns sparkle with life. The editorial matter is sound, well written and with a live appreciation of the topics of the day. It is a most commendable enterprise, which has our sincere wishes for success.—*Ral. News*, April 21.

Says the Warrenton Gazette: "On Monday or Tuesday last there occurred a most shocking accident by which one of our citizens lost his life. As far as we have heard, the circumstances of the sad affair are about as follows: Mr. Curran, who had charge of Mr. Thos. Flemming's mill, near Gardener's church—took his hammer and went down under the large water wheel to wedge up some of the machinery. This was while the mill was grinding. Soon after his disappearance, the mill stopped, and an investigation revealed the horrible spectacle of Mr. Curran's mutilated body ground to pulp in the wheels. His clothing was doubtless caught in the cogs, and he was found with knife in his hand, evidently having used it to liberate himself from his perilous position. He was heard to call to his wife, but the unhappy lady could not reach him until life was extinct. Mr. Curran was about 35 years old, and leaves a wife and several children."

Broad Street Boarding House.

Farmers and others, when you come to Newbern call on the Broad Street Boarding House kept by G. W. Ward, (lately kept by H. C. Russell) for something good to eat and drink, good Lodgings and the best cart House accommodations in the City. Don't fail to come and see him. G. W. WARD, Proprietor, Broad St. near New Market.

Ho! for May Day!

Just received, at Hughe's Cheap Variety Store, a fine assortment of Baskets—just the thing for May Day. Also, a variety of canned Fruits and Vegetables, inclusive of Chow Chow, or Piccalilli, French Prepared Mustard, Lobsters, Sardines and assorted Jellies. Don't forget the place: West side Middle St. one door below Broad.

Arrived at Last.

Those celebrated Prison-made CALF GAITERS for both Men and Youths. Also a full line of Ladies and Misses Dress Shoes, both buttoned and laced.

MOSES PATTERSON,
68 and 70 Middle Street.

Grand Spring Opening at the Temple of Fashion.

I will sell to all in need of Dress Goods and Notions, Parasols, checked and striped Muslins, Embroideries, Hosiery, Gloves, Collars, Cuffs, Hdf's and Veiling, at prices that will surprise all.

Yard wide Dress Muslin at 20c.
" " Linens, all colors, at 15c.
" " black and white Grenadines, 12½c.

Japanese Poplin, in all the new shades, from 15 to 25c. Pink, Blue and Buff Chambr.

Ladies' Silk Scarfs at 30c. worth 50c.
Linen Hdf's " 10c. " 20c.

Ladies, Misses and children Straw Hats, in any shape and latest style, at 50c. a piece.

A full line of Ladies Misses and Children Shoes and Slippers, and all other goods in proportion, at JOS. MARKS, Pollok St.,

No trouble to give samples. Next to Postoffice.

Papers for Sale.

Charley Griffin, News boy on the A. & N. C. R. R. train, desires to state to the citizens of Newbern that he can furnish them the following papers, delivered either at their dwellings or places of business, at the prices set forth:

N. Y. Ledger, N. Y. Weekly, N. Y. Fireside Companion and Saturday Night, 30 cents per month each; Frank Leslie's and Harper's Weekly and Baazar, Lad's Journal and Day's Doings, 10 cents each, per week; Waverly Magazine, 15 cents per week. All Magazines, and other leading Literary and News papers constantly for sale. Charley can be found at the Bateman House after the arrival of evening train.

Charlie also keeps Base Ball books for sale.

Ice Cream Freezers, Water Coolers, Toilet Sets, Bird Cages, Fish Hooks and Lines, for sale cheap at B. L. Churchill's.

Come from Everywhere!

25 PER CENT CHEAPER

Than Heretofore at

M. PRAG'S

Spring and Summer Stock

IS A REALITY.

Every department in my stock is full, and my prices are down to the very lowest notch. I am confident that no other house will do better by you than mine. I wish it distinctly understood that I am in the market. I propose to meet all competition. I don't propose to sell my goods at a loss, but I bought cheap and propose to give my customers the benefit of my experience and judgment. Bring me your money and I will show you bottom prices. I think I can please you. Give me the satisfaction of trying at any rate. I can make it an inducement for you to patronize me. The most good for your money will do it. Come and see if I don't make my word good. Be careful to look for name and store.

M. PRAG,

at McLean building, opposite old Post office.