THURSDAY, JANUARY 6, 1898.

LOCAL [illegible]

—How do you like [illegible]?

—Easter comes this year on the 10th day of April.

—Why will you [illegible] the new year in debt to your paper?

—Miss Adner's [illegible] school opens on Monday, Jan. 10th, 1898.

—See how long you will keep the good resolutions for—for New Year's day.

—One of the most attractive places in Pittsboro is the fruit and confectionery store of John L. Cotten, agent. Call on him.

—Dr. J. Hampton Harris [illegible] found daily at the office in the Central Hotel, over the drug store of Brooksack & Hayes, prepared to do all kind of dental work.

—The county board of school [illegible] hold their regular meeting on last Monday and Tuesday, but the business of importance was [illegible] except the apportionment of the school fund which is $1.20 per capita for this year.

—They have a good stock of ready made clothing at the popular store of W. L. London & Son and will now give you special low prices for the rest of the season. [illegible] are extra cheap. They have the best $5.00 overcoat ever sold. They are worth $6.50 in any market.

—You can buy a [illegible] cheaper less money than ever. The popular store of W. L. London & Son [illegible] 12 1-2 on [illegible] for less than New York [illegible] have a light colored [illegible] your own price. If you need any [illegible] of the kind it will pay you [illegible] these.

—As has been [illegible] New Year's Eve, the [illegible] all the church bells [illegible] slowly and solemnly [illegible] old year, just before [illegible] last Friday night and [illegible] o'clock [illegible] year. It gives [illegible] to several churches [illegible] midnight by [illegible] several church bells.

—During the [illegible] our venerable [illegible] Heaton, [illegible] three of his [illegible] place, Rev. C. F. Reed, [illegible] J. J. Jackson and L. [illegible] The first [illegible] three—the [illegible] were 304 years [illegible] years each. [illegible] first [illegible] being [illegible] good we prove [illegible].

Mention [illegible] year 1897 there were [illegible] licenses issued [illegible] which number [illegible] and 7 to black [illegible] less than the year [illegible] 226 licenses were issued [illegible] white and 7 to black [illegible] we indeed with the [illegible] Rivers were issued [illegible] colored people more [illegible] people in county. [illegible] of white [illegible] and the number issued [illegible] has decreased.

The New Year.—The year 1898 has made a brilliant and auspicious beginning, at least so far as the weather is concerned. While the first three days were quite cold, every day thus far the sun has shone brightly, and yesterday was as lightful a winter day as anyone could wish, indeed almost too warm and balmy for a Sabbath. We sincerely hope that the pleasant weather and auspicious omens may be auspicious and typical of the prosperity and brightness that the new year may bring to each and every one of our readers!

Personal Items.—Mr. and Mrs. James A. Mc[illegible] have gone on a short visit to [illegible] leave for their home in Atlanta.

Miss Blanche Pickard and Mr. Marvin Pickard of Chapel Hill have been here on a visit to Mr. G. H. Pilkington.

Mrs. Herbert E. [illegible] and son, of Apex, are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Hayes.

Mrs. C. C. Hayes and [illegible] have returned from a visit to her parents at Wilson.

Mr. Herbert W. Jackson, of Raleigh, spent last Sunday with his relatives at this place.

Mrs. A. M. Hayes has returned from a visit to Apex.

Last of January.—At the last meeting of the county commissioners the following were drawn as jurors for the next term of Superior court, which begins on the 14th day of February: Alexander Richardson, H. J. Marshall, Marion Womble, A. H. Yow, Sidney Roberts (colored), Thomas Kelly, C. A. Siler, J. A. Robertson, Wesley H. Hicks, W. L. London, Mike Atkins (colored), C. M. Dowd, T. M. Watson, R. L. Tyson, S. C. Johnson, R. S. Williams, H. A. Fields, J. M. Hackney, Archie Oldham, T. F. Overman, C. M. Lawley, Wesley Lynn, John F. Andrews, T. J. Renshaw, Pinn Hollingsworth (colored), F. S. Tally, H. M. Harris, R. L. Harris, O. T. Williams, M. F. Wilson, John C. Atwater, J. W. Goodwin, Thomas Lewis (colored), N. A. R. Sanders, T. A. Lawley, J. A. Marshall.

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"	[illegible]	[illegible]
"	[illegible]	[illegible]
"	[illegible]	[illegible]
"	[illegible]	[illegible]

Total for six years, [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

Card of Thanks.

For [illegible] of Saint Valentine's Day we [illegible] those good friends who so generously remembered them on the Eve of the New Year. We only deserve [illegible] kindness [illegible]

We [illegible] of which [illegible] the "[illegible]" were by the way [illegible] than the [illegible] gone. The babies should have special mention as good examples of the effect of early training, [illegible] were two of these little [illegible] represented.

The young ladies who took the [illegible] work have our special thanks, and we wish all our friends a happy and prosperous New Year.

Pittsboro, N. C., Jan. 1st, 1898.

Only one passenger in [illegible] 300,000 killed in the [illegible] killed in the course of a year by American railroads.

Commissioners' Proceedings.

[illegible]

[illegible]

Public Schools Children.

New York, Jan. 3. The [illegible] of the public schools [illegible] New Year morning [illegible] Brooklyn, [illegible] 300 popular journals and [illegible] Enfranchisers and [illegible] were knocked down [illegible] Two [illegible] paid [illegible] Brooklyn Bridge. They [illegible] The [illegible] by the [illegible]

Mr. C. B. [illegible] of Durham, killed a hog that weighed 710 pounds.

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1898 1899

WE WILL START THE NEW YEAR

[illegible] and when you [illegible] show you [illegible] ever seen for [illegible] our stock to run [illegible]. We will [illegible] week in each custom- [illegible] especial attention [illegible] bleached shirtings [illegible] and low prices of [illegible] Look at our stock of [illegible]

[illegible] Napkins for $1.00 per [illegible] goods and in [illegible] any market. We [illegible] the popular store, [illegible] city welcome and [illegible] by the firm

W. L. LONDON & SON

[illegible] Farmers Bank,

[illegible] EMBER 15, 1897.

	$ 100,000.00
	20,000.00
	8,351.73
	364,919.36

[illegible] on deposits.
[illegible] with safe banking.

[illegible], Vice President.
[illegible], Assistant Cashier.

[illegible] Thompson, Raleigh.
[illegible] Aberdeen.
[illegible] Raleigh.
[illegible] Raleigh.
[illegible] Pittsboro.

[illegible] RAILWAY.

[illegible] Schedule.

[illegible] 6, 1897.

No. 2 DAILY	No. 1. DAILY	No. 4. DAILY.	No. 3. DAILY.	No. 16. Mixed Daily Ex'p Sunday	No. 15. Mixed, Daily Ex'p Sunday
2 00 a.m.	8 40 a.m.	8 00 a.m.	4 50 p.m.	8 40 a.m.	1 35 p.m.
12 10 p.m.	10 04 "	9 02 "	5 07 "	8 45 "	1 55 "
12 22 "	10 33 "	9 07 "	5 43 "	9 17 "	3 15 "
12 27 "	11 06 "	9 33 "	6 11 "	9 35 "	4 35 "
1 45 "	11 55 "	10 20 "	6 15 "	11 07 "	6 10 "
2 24 "	12 15 p.m.	10 40 "	7 15 "	11 55 "	
3 47 "	12 43 "				
4 20 "	2 07 "				
4 30 "	2 36 "				
5 17 "	3 55 "				
5 47 "	4 00 "				
6 15 "	4 10 "				
7 45 "	7 20 "				

CONNECTIONS

[illegible] with Atlantic Coast Line, at [illegible] Central Railroad, at [illegible] Hot Springs and Bow [illegible] with Seaboard Air [illegible] and Charlotte Railroad [illegible] Railway, at Walnut [illegible] & Western Railway.

N. L. KYLE, Gen'l Pass Agent.
J. W. ESTES, Gen'l Manager.

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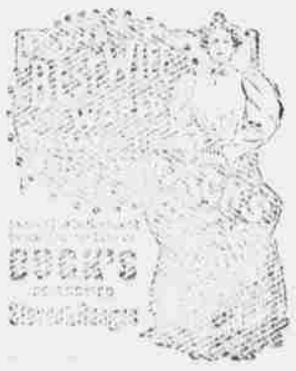

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Thomas & Campbell,

Hardware,

Furniture

COOK STOVES.

[illegible] & Co.,

Raleigh, N. C.

[illegible] 7, 1898.

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