

GREAT REDUCTION

On all Spring Cloth Coat Suits
25 Per Cent Off
See Window Display.

J. K. HOYT.

WASHINGTON PRODUCE MARKET

THURSDAY, APRIL 18, 1912.

Cocoa	46c
Turkeys, lb.	11c
Spring chickens	12 1/2 and 15c
Green chickens, each	20c to 30c
Lamb skins, each	10c to 20c
Shearings	5c to 10c
Sheep skins, each	30c to 50c
Tallow	5c
Dry first hides, per lb.	14c
Dry salt hides, per lb.	12c
Dry hides, d'good, per lb.	4c to 6c
D. E. Peas	1.80
Clay peas	1.70
Black peas	1.70
Worm peas	1.70
Spickled peas	1.70
Soja beans	90c to 1.10
Green salt hides	9c
Green hides	8c
Deer skin salt	25c
Deer skin fat	15c

The "Titanic Tragedy"

is another case of the "impossible thing" occurring. YOU may think it impossible for your house for store to be completely destroyed by fire. But it can happen, and an insurance policy would lessen the loss just that much.

See us about it.

Wm. BRAGAW & CO.

FIRST INSURANCE AGENTS IN
WASHINGTON, N. C.

Most People Can't Set Them.
"We would willingly have others perfect and yet we amend not our own faults."—Thomas a Kempis.

Reinforced Concrete of Old Rome.

Although concrete has been used for many centuries, it is generally supposed that reinforced concrete is a modern invention. This, however, has been disproved, according to Popular Mechanics by the finding of bronze reinforcing rods in the concrete roof of an ancient Roman tomb, and in the discovery of reinforced concrete in the construction of one of the walls of the old palace of the Louvre, Paris. The reinforced concrete in the latter dates back only 800 or 400 years, but created much commotion because the walls were thought to consist of brick, of ashlar and of masonry. The discovery that the stone casing concealed a core composed in part of reinforced concrete was made while workmen were piercing the wall for an elevator installation.

Lessens Danger From Disease Germs
The use of mullin in dairy windows instead of glass is said to lessen the danger from disease germs.

Advertise in the Daily News.

CONFERENCE ON THE NEGRO

Special to the Daily News.
Tuskegee, Ala., April 15.—A score of missionary societies and numerous foreign countries are represented by delegates at the International Conference on the Negro, which assembled at Tuskegee Institute today for a three days' session. The general purpose of the conference is to discuss the work that is going on in Africa and elsewhere for the education and upbuilding of Negro people. Booker T. Washington presided at today's sessions of the conference and among the speakers were F. Z. S. Peragino, an editor of Cape Town; Rev. Isaiah Gada Sishuba, president of the Ethiopian Church at Queenstown, South Africa. Many other prominent African leaders are present.

SEARCH FOR TIP OF WOMAN'S NOSE

Special to the Daily News.
New York, April 18.—For half an hour an ambulance surgeon, a policeman and half a dozen other men searched the steps and streets below the elevated station at the Thirty-fourth street ferry for the tip of a woman's nose which had been torn off when she fell off the steps. The hunt was unavailing, and after being attended by the surgeon the woman, Mrs. G. Cornley, of the Bronx, went home minus about half an inch of flesh and cartilage. The surgeon had hoped to find the missing nose tip so that he could graft it in place.

DIDN'T TRUST HIS LAWYER

Shrewd Client Paid Fee In Advance to Learn if He Had Reasonable Chance of Winning.

It was told at luncheon at the Lawyers' club the day before the Equitable building burned down. A group of legal luminaries were gathered about a table discussing the apparent impossibility of insuring the honesty of any man, and it was contended that there was no remedy for it save to pick out your man and trust him absolutely. No matter what safeguards you might hedge him about with, if he was dishonest he would contrive to cheat somehow. One of the lawyers told this story to emphasize his point.

A client went into a lawyer's office in Fulton street and said that he had a grievance with his neighbor and wanted to go to law. He stated all the circumstances of the case and counsel listened attentively. The case fully stated, the client asked:—"Well, those are the facts. Do you think I'm in the right safe enough to win if I go to law with him?"

"If the facts are as stated you certainly have got a case. If I were in your case I should begin suit," answered the lawyer.

"And how much would your fee be for taking the case and pushing it clear through?"

"Oh, I'll see it through for you for a hundred dollars."

The shrewd client produced from an inside pocket a well worn wallet, from which he extracted a roll of bills and peeled off one hundred dollars.

"There," said he, "that's yours. It's your fee. That's all you'd get if you led the case. Now, without doing any work on it at all, just tell me, honestly, whether I've any chance of winning the case."

Laying in Winter.
Almost every hen running at large says in the spring and lays well. If the poultryman can provide these conditions through winter, his hens will lay then the same as they do naturally in the spring.

Geese Pay Well.
No kind of poultry keeping can be carried on at so small an expense for buildings and equipment as that of raising geese, because of the hardness of the birds, and their desire to remain in the open air.

Special Sale on Ladies and Misses Middy Blouse and Shirts

Values in Ladies Shirt Waists up to \$1.25, at 59c
Good Values in Ladies Middy Blouse, sizes to 20 yr's, at 48c

THE HUB

"The Home of Good Clothes."

TO THE DEMOCRATIC VOTERS OF BEAUFORT COUNTY

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for Register of Deeds. If nominated and elected, will serve the people at all times to best of my ability. The support of every democrat is earnestly solicited.

Very respectfully,
WILBUR H. ROSS.

Aurora, N. C.
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United Confederate Veterans Reunion, MACON, GA., May 7th, 8th and 9th, 1912

Very Low Round Trip Fares via SOUTHERN RAILWAY

Account the above occasion the Southern Railway will sell very low round trip tickets to Macon, Ga., and return as follows:

From	Round Trip
Goldboro	\$9.25
Salem	\$8.75
Raleigh	\$8.50
Durham	\$8.50
Henderson	\$9.35
Oxford	\$9.15
Chapel Hill	\$8.50
Burlington	\$8.50

Rates in same proportion from all other stations.

Tickets will be on sale May 5th, 6th, 7th and 8th, with final return limit May 15th, or if you prefer to stay longer by depositing your ticket and paying a fee of fifty cents you can have final limit extended until June 5th, 1912.

Liberal stop-overs will also be permitted on these tickets.

For detailed information apply to any Southern Railway Agent or the undersigned.

J. O. JONES,
Traveling Passenger Agent,
Raleigh, N. C.

Knew It Was an Idle Threat

"Then," he cried tragically, "then you reject me? And for my hated rival?"

"Yes," she answered, coldly, but colloquially. "Yes to both questions."

"Ha! Then I owe the fellow a grudge. I will pay owed him \$10. And now I will pay both debts at once and he will fall dead!"

Lighting his cigarette at the hall gas jet, he departed with a mocking laugh. But the beautiful girl was not alarmed. She knew he could never carry out his devilish scheme. For she knew that he never had \$10 at once in his whole life.

More Favorable Ground

When our son was a boy of four—a family of children moved next to us who were simply incorrigible. Of course their doings were much commented on in our family, and many a time I talked about "those dreadful Smith children."

One day I had occasion to correct my little son, talking to him seriously. He listened quietly for awhile, then looked up at me and said with the most engaging air: "Don't let's talk about this, mamma! let's talk about the Smith children."

European Model Villages.

The plan of "garden cities" has been taken up with great enthusiasm in France and in many industrial centers efforts have been made to follow the English example of establishing model villages for work people. A big coal mining company near Douai has laid out a splendid garden village and now is rendering more beautiful the approaches to the mine, masking the ugly shafts and engine houses with rose gardens.

Women Travelers Expect Much.

But for an interesting, discriminating and all-round exacting proposition the lady patron is doubtless the winner. She must always have a parlor floor room, with bath, fronting the street; plenty of closet room. The room must be large enough to accommodate a couple of box-cars she calls trunks. She will use three times as many towels as a man; keep the bell-hops in perpetual motion to answer her calls, and make more complaints about the temperature of her room in one day than a man would in a month.

Mexican Plague of Field Mice.

Mexico reports that a plague of mice has visited the fields in that section of Colima and almost destroyed the corn and rice crops. The rodents have gnawed away at a rate that alarmed the farmers and they have appealed to the authorities for some means of exterminating them. Whole fields of corn have been mowed down and the farmers are at a loss how to check the advance of the mice to prevent further loss.

An Indian Day.

In the dew-beanled morning, while the air was caressingly cool, we went forth to ride along the river bank and beside fields of yellow mustard or sun stubble; then, on our return to the shadowed tents, a bath, breakfast, and the day's occupations, then again, in the swift dusk of evening, when furtive jackals rent the twilight stillness with wailing and demonic laughter, or the silver bark of little foxes echoed over the mist-veiled rice-fields, while under the moon we gathered in comfortable deck chairs in a great, dim aisle of the mango grove, with the tents shone orange in the lamp-light, to tell sad stories of the deaths of kings, or listen to the Police Chota Sahib, who had a pretty, sentimental tenor, sing "The Long Indian Day."—Charles Johnston, in the Atlantic.

Snake Had Lived on Eggs.

On his morning round for eggs recently, Michael Heiseman of Canby, O., reached into a hen's nest and touched an object that made him jump back quickly. A closer examination showed a big spotted snake coiled in the nest. Being a lusty rector, Heiseman secured a shotgun and on reaching the nest noticed that the snake had swallowed a china nest egg and was gradually working it down his throat. It was but the work of a moment to blow off the head of the reptile. Heiseman then recalled the fact that his egg supply had declined recently, and he thinks that the snake, with perhaps its mate, had been making forays on the roost for some time.

Norfolk-Southern Railroad Night Express

Schedule in effect March 3, 1912.
N. B.—The following schedule figures published as information only and are not guaranteed.

TRAINS LEAVE WASHINGTON.

Northbound.
2:20 a. m. Daily—Night Express Pullman sleeping cars for Norfolk

10:55 a. m. Daily—For Norfolk west. Parlor car service.

3:05 p. m. Daily except Sunday—For Belhaven.

Westbound.
6:50 a. m. Daily except Sunday—For Greenville, Wilson and Raleigh

Connects north, south and west with all lines.

4:05 p. m. Daily—For Greenville, Wilson and Raleigh. Broiler parlor car.

2:30 a. m. Daily—Pullman sleep and Raleigh. Connects north, south and west.

Southbound.
2:30 a. m. Daily—For New Bern, Kinston and Goldsboro. Pullman sleeping cars.

10:07 a. m. Daily except Sunday—For New Bern.

3:50 p. m. Daily—For New Bern, Goldsboro and Beaufort.

For further information and reservation of Pullman sleeping car space apply to T. H. Myers, Wash.ington, N. C.

W. R. Hudson, W. W. Croton, Gen. Supt., G. P. A., Norfolk, Va.

NOTICE OF SALE

By virtue of a decree of the Superior Court of Beaufort County this day entered in a Special Proceeding therein pending entitled "Frank Cuttrell and others vs. Minnie Bell Walker and husband, T. K. Walker," which is hereby referred to, the undersigned commissioners will sell, at public auction, for cash, to the highest bidder, at the Court House door in Beaufort County, on Tuesday, the 23rd day of April, 1912, at Noon, for partition among several tenants in common, those three certain tracts or parcels of land whereof Alex Cuttrell died seized and possessed, situated in Richland Township, Beaufort County, and described as follows:

1. All of that entry or grant to Alex Cuttrell adjoining the Beaufort and Pamlico Counties, containing 222.44 acres, the same being grant No. 17511, dated January 22nd 1902 and duly recorded in the Register's Office of Beaufort County in Book 114, Page 237, which is hereby referred to.

2. All that tract of land containing about 75 acres, known as the J. D. Purser tract, conveyed by J. D. Purser to Alex Cuttrell by deed dated February 22nd, 1899, and recorded in the Register's Office of Beaufort County in Book 105, Page 290, which deed is hereby referred to.

3. All that tract of land containing about 75 acres, whereon Alex Cuttrell resided at the time of his death and known as the Alex Cuttrell Home Place, on the Sand Hills, and being the same tracts conveyed to the said Alex Cuttrell by B. F. Crutch and wife, Jennie, and Roland Morris and wife, Susan, B. W. Burgeson and wife and W. B. Rodman and others, the said three tracts constituting the Alex Cuttrell Home Tract, excepting ten acres of which was conveyed by Alex Cuttrell and wife to J. Benjamin Smithwick.

We reserve the right to sell the said lands either as a whole or in parcels as may be deemed best on the day of sale.

This the 20th day of March, 1912.
HARRY McMULLAN,
W. A. THOMPSON,
Commissioners.

UNITED CONFEDERATE VETERANS' REUNION, MACON, GEORGIA.

EXTREMELY LOW FARES via NORFOLK SOUTHERN RAILROAD

Tickets on sale May 5, 6, 7 and 8, 1912.

Norfolk	\$11.95
Elizabeth City	11.95
Hertford	11.95
Edenton	11.35
Plymouth	10.95
New Bern	10.40
Beaufort	11.30
Kinston	9.75
Greenville	10.30
Wilson	9.25

Rates in same proportion from other stations.

Final limit May 15, 1912, unless ticket is deposited with Special Agent and upon payment of fifty cents when extension to June 5, will be granted. Stopovers allowed.

Ask agents for detailed information.

B. L. BUCCO, W. W. CROTON, Traffic Mgr., Gen. Pass. Agt., Norfolk, Virginia

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HOME TOWN HELPS

BETTER HOUSING CALLED FOR
Community Can Not Be Made Attractive Without the Co-operation of the Builder.

"The housing problem is one of the most important aspects of home development and good homes are the keystone of the whole social arch," writes Edward T. Hartman, secretary of the Massachusetts Civic League, in the annual report of that organization. Mr. Hartman discusses the housing problem in towns, and says in part:—"I want particularly to mention three aspects of the housing problem: the aesthetic, the social and the economic. For many years we have had in Massachusetts a succession of short-lived organizations developed to improve the appearance of towns. They have in the main died because their aim was superficial. Beauty cannot easily be grafted upon rotteness. People are beginning to see that in a town in which every house is of good design and in which maintenance work is carefully looked after, there are those elements of art which when combined make for a beautiful community.

"The social aspects of the housing problem are enough, it seems to me, to cause every one of us to re-estimate the values of the items covered in our efforts for social advance. Bad homes are responsible for a large percentage of the immorality which the churches are trying to cure; they are responsible for a large part of the sickness of the hospitals, dispensaries and nurses are trying to cure, and directly or through immorality or sickness they are responsible for much of the poverty the charities are trying to cure.

"The economic aspects of the housing problem are serious. Towns get, as a rule, that for which they bid. That is, a force of circumstances brings a large number of people to a town, the quality of these people will depend in large measure on the kind of homes which are offered there. If the people have to content themselves with the abandoned dwellings, out-buildings and similar inferior homes, they will be of an inferior type of people, because self-respecting people will not live in such homes.

"But when the people coming into a town are offered attractive homes on well planned streets self-respecting people will come, they will increase the taxable value of the town, they will pay their way through the schools, the streets and elsewhere, and they will decrease the per capita demand for all the remedial institutions.

"It is not enough to develop good homes. They must be maintained in a good condition. There is therefore a call for an active local healthy authority. To meet its conditions and needs every town must have a good law, the efficient enforcement of which will give the town what it needs in the way of houses, and it must have an active board of health that will see that houses are always kept clean and sanitary."

The 64-Time Barber.

Old-time barbers had to display more variety than their successors. A work published in 1880 describes a barber's greeting to a customer: "Sir, will you have your hair cut after the Italian manner, short and round and then smoothed with the curling irons to make it look like a half crown in a suit, or like a standard, long at the ends and curled like the two sides of a shell, or will you be French-style with the French comb in your shoulders? The English cut is here, and gentlemen, please sit; novelty is fading. Speak the word, sir, my scissors are ready to execute your wish."

TRY A NEWS WANT AD.

STEAMSHIP DISASTERS

Year.	Steamship.	Lives Lost.
1890	—Steamer Shanghai, burned	300
1891	—Steamer Utopia, collision	408
1892	—Steamer Nachow, foundered	509
1893	—Warship Victoria, collision	300
1914	—Steamer Horn Head, sunk by iceberg	26
1895	—Steamer Chicora, vanished in Lake Michigan	62
1905	—Warship Renia Regina, collision	400
1895	—Steamer Colima, wrecked	171
1896	—Steamer Copernicus, sunk	152
1897	—Steamer Kapunda, foundered	300
1898	—Steamer LaBourgeois, collision	540
1904	—Steamer General Stocum, burned	750
1904	—Steamer Norge, wrecked on reef	938
1905	—Steamer Hilda, sank	123
1906	—Steamship Sirio, foundered	225
1906	—Brazilian cruiser Aquidaban, sunk	212
1907	—Steamer Larchmont, lost	185
1907	—Steamer Hongkong, strikes rock	130
1907	—Steamer Berlin, wrecked	125
1907	—Steamer Dakota, struck a reef	Unknown
1907	—Steamship Columbia	70
1909	—Steamer Republic in collision	None
1909	—Steamer Hestia, foundered on a bay of Fanday shoal	36
1910	—Pere Marquette car ferry, sunk in Lake Michigan	30
1910	—Steamer Cinque, sunk in Lake Michigan	30
1910	—Steamship Chinque, sunk by explosion off coast of Panama	50
1911	—Steamer Emir, foundered in Straits of Gibraltar	93
1912	—Russian steamer Russ foundered in Black Sea	172

Kindly Service.

"The editor of the Weekly Plain Dealer is a charitable sort of fellow," commented Farmer Hornbeck, in the midst of his perusal of the village newspaper, wherein he had encountered an example of the linotype's peculiar perversity, says Puck. "In his article on the death of Lefe Dab-sack, who, he writes, me and you, hadn't mean to recommend him except that he wasn't quite as bad some time as he was others, he says that he deceased was generally regarded as a big, strong, powerful, and big-hearted fellow."

"And I guess that's about as near as anybody could get to making an estimate of the departed without hurting his relatives' feelings."

A lecture is a cure for many ills.

NEWLAND NOT A CANDIDATE

Special to the Daily News.
Raleigh, N. C., April 18.—"Inasmuch as I have been in the race for governor up to a few weeks ago and withdrew in the interest of party harmony it would now be inconsistent for me to be a candidate for secretary of state," declared Lieutenant Governor W. C. Newland at the session of the state text-book commission for use in the public schools of the state. This put an end to reports that Gov. Newland would contest with Col. J. Bryan Grimes, present secretary of state, for that office in the democratic state convention.



The Toasties Lunch

If you want a clear head—and to feel "fit as a lord" for the afternoon's work, cut out rich foods and join the big army of those who make

Post Toasties

the principal dish for their lunch

These golden-brown, crisped bits of corn are delicious satisfying and full of wholesome nourishment.

Most eating places serve Post Toasties.

"The Memory Lingers"

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LYRIC THEATRE TONIGHT

Entire Change of PROGRAM
Prize Drawing Tonight

Bring Your Coupons With You.

Admission Prices - 5 & 10c