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Folks will refuse to get stirred up to any great extent over the Marina affair until after it is decided whether Hughes or Roosevelt is going to have the say-so in international affairs.

The New Bern Sun-Journal issued a most attractive fair edition in magazine form last Saturday. It was "class" from cover to cover and an effective means for spreading interesting information regarding the Eastern Carolina fair.

## CONDITIONS IN MEXICO.

News coming out of Mexico these days is about as intelligible as that which has been coming since Huerta started all the trouble about three years ago, or rather since the split between Villa and Carranza. That Villa is again very active and that he has gained some distinct advantages over the first chief appear to be well established facts. In short, another good-sized revolution seems to be under way and what it will lead to remains, of course, for the future to disclose.

Some of the party organs in the eastern states are trying to connect Villa's latest activity with the American political campaign. They say that he is being financed by the G. O. P. "slush" fund and that his only purpose is to arouse anti-Democratic sentiment just previous to the election next week. Of course that is campaign talk and must be just as closely scrutinized as all other campaign claims and talks, yet the fact can't be denied that the bandit chief is getting the sinews of war from somewhere and that somewhere is outside the limits of the Mexican republic. Even Villa can't conduct war on atmosphere, say that he is being financed by the G. O. P. "slush" fund and that his for the better. At least the Atlantic City conference should show some signs of activity.

## THE BENEFITS OF CIRCUS DAY.

Yesterday was "circus day" in Washington. The two performances were witnessed by hundreds of residents of both city and country. All had a good time and all enjoyed the exhibitions.

Some people claim that the visit of the circus should be discouraged, on the grounds that it takes too much money away from the city. It is true that several thousand dollars are taken in by the circus, but we believe that the community, in which the circus plays, gets value received for every dollar that is spent.

The circus accomplishes a number of things. It provides clean, wholesome and instructive entertainment for all classes, it makes a big day for the merchants, it brings hundreds of persons into town and gives a general opportunity for a "mingling together" and getting better acquainted.

Instead of being discouraged, we feel that every inducement should be made by a city to get the circuses to visit it. It leaves a "pleasant taste" for many days after the tents have been torn down and the elephants are many miles away.

The Robinson shows, which were in Washington yesterday, cannot be commended too highly for the class of attraction which they presented. It was one of the best circuses ever seen here and it is to be hoped that they will come back this way again next season. A hearty welcome will await them.

## TOWN FACTIONS.

Perhaps after the election, things will change in Mexico and change tarding the growth and prosperity of a town as factionalism. It spreads itself as a pall over the community life, and under its malign influence all progress wilts like a pear tree under the blight. No amount of energy and public spiritedness is sufficient to survive its depressing effects.

Take the average town torn by factionalism. A measure of public improvement is proposed. It comes from one of the two factions. It really has merit and would be beneficial to the town. Does it meet with approval? Yes—from that side of the house. From the other side, bitter opposition. Why? No mortal man can tell, except that it emanated from "the other side."

There you have the meat in the cocoanut. "The other side" stands for everything that is undesirable and vicious.

And it is a sad commentary on our boasted Christian civilization that this spirit of bitter factionalism too frequently originates where it should never be found—in the churches. With them, all too frequently, "our folks" does not mean, as it should, all of God's creatures, but is contrasted to apply to "our church," be it Methodist, Baptist, Presbyterian, Christian, or what not.

Again, in many small towns, this factionalism centers in the banks. Each has its following. Each is striving not only to build up its own fortunes but to tear down the other.

But from whatever source, the fact remains—and the factionalism flourishes—a sad commentary on the boasted "progressiveness" of our countrymen.

And the pity of it is that it is all useless and fruitful of no good results to either side. United effort would invariably accomplish for both what divided wrangling accomplishes for neither.

There is a world of truth in the old emblem of the bundle of sticks, bound together, which no man could break, but which, taken separately, a child could destroy.

No factional fight in a community ever yet resulted in complete victory for either side.

Many communities have had the sagacity to recognize this fact and, while there have always been and will always be differences, have had the good sense to endeavor to harmonize and work together for the common interest.

When we see a community torn by factions, we feel like reminding it of the old fable of the cats and the monkey—the cats found the cheese, but the monkey ate it at last.

## How Delightful

IS

WASHINGTON PARK!

For the Children's Sake let's build there.

A. C. Hattaway.

If you had never visited any of our stores you could still decide, from reading today's ads, which ones are most likely to secure most of your patronage.

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Round Trip Fare from Washington—\$29.50  
Tickets will be sold to Atlanta as above by the  
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For further information, schedule, sleeping car accommodations, etc., call on S. R. CLARY, Ticket Agent, Washington, N. C.

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Underwear, Hosiery,  
Gloves, Neckwear and  
Shoes.

## For This Week

BIG VALUES ARE  
BEING OFFERED.

THE HUB  
SUSKIN & BERRY

## The Town Gossip

THE OTHER day.  
I WROTE something.  
IN THIS column.  
ABOUT THE demonstration.  
OF CAKES and crackers.  
THAT WAS given.  
AT CREDLE'S store.  
BY MR. Wier.  
OF THE National.  
BISCUIT COMPANY.  
AND YESTERDAY morning.  
MR. WIER sent me.  
FOUR OR five boxes.  
OF HIS finest cakes.  
AND I'VE eaten most of them.  
AND THEY sure were good.  
AND I guess that Mr. Wier.  
GAVE ME the cakes.  
BECAUSE OF the piece.  
THAT APPEARED.  
IN THIS column.  
AND THAT makes me think.  
OF SOMETHING.  
AND I think.  
THAT CLAUDE Carrow.  
IS A mighty fine fellow.  
AND I'VE always liked him.  
AND HE'S always just as jolly.  
AND PLEASANT as he can be.  
AND HE'S got a garage.  
AROUND ON Main street.  
AND HAS sold.  
A LOT of automobiles.  
TO THE people of this section.  
AND THEY'RE good cars.  
AND, CLAUDE.  
IF THERE'S anything else.  
THAT I can say about you.  
JUST LET me know.  
AND I'LL say it.  
AND I hope you'll go back.  
AND READ this over again.  
AND NOTICE that part.  
ABOUT MR. Wier.  
GIVING ME the cakes.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.  
Having qualified as Administrator  
C. T. A. of John S. Moore, deceased,  
late of Beaufort County, this is to  
notify all persons having claims  
against the estate of said deceased  
to exhibit them to the undersigned  
on or before the 25th day of September,  
1917, or this notice will be  
pleaded in bar of their recovery. All  
persons indebted to said estate will  
please make immediate payment.  
This September 25th, 1916.  
MARTHA J. MOORE, Admr. C.T.A.  
Ward & Grimes, Attorneys.  
9-26-16c.

## IN BANKRUPTCY.

In the District Court of the United  
States for the Eastern District of  
North Carolina, Sixth Division.  
In the matter of,  
W. D. Harris and Mrs. E. N. Harris,  
individually, and trading as Mrs. W.  
D. Harris & Company.  
To the creditors of W. D. Harris  
and Mrs. E. N. Harris, individually,  
and trading as Mrs. W. D. Harris &  
Company, of Swan Quarter, in the  
County of Hyde, and district afore-  
said, bankrupt.  
Notice is hereby given that on the  
26th day of October, 1916, the above  
named parties were duly adjudicated  
bankrupt; and that the first meeting  
of their creditors will be held at  
Washington, North Carolina, in the  
office of the undersigned referee, on  
the 8th day of November, 1916, at  
10 o'clock A. M., at which time the  
creditors may attend, prove their  
claims, appoint a trustee, examine  
the bankrupts, and transact such  
other business as may properly come  
before the said meeting.  
This the 27th day of October, 1916  
FRANK H. BRYAN,  
Referee.  
Washington, N. C.  
10-28-16c.

## Better Farm Implements

WE MEAN EVERY WORD OF THIS

The next time you drive to town with a load, just take note of the road. Wherever you find a rut the pulling is hard and slow and the vitality of your team is sapped away. Ruts in a road are bad things to encounter—they don't pay.

And poor, out of date implements and machinery are to the farmer what the rut is to his team. They are bad things to cling to—they don't pay.

If you want increased profits from the soil, new machinery and better implements will produce them, and with less labor and cost.

If you want the RIGHT implement or piece of machinery at the RIGHT price, we will sell it to you.

If you want to look them over, come and do so. We will afford you every opportunity and facility.

If you want additional information—want to know what they will do for you—come and ask questions. We will tell you. Come now.

Read Carefully the List Below and Then Let us Show them to You.

GASOLINE ENGINES  
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HAY RAKES  
HAY PRESSES  
DISC HARROWS  
DISC CULTIVATORS  
DISC GANG  
REVERSIBLE DISC HARROWS  
TANDEM HARROWS  
SMOOTHING HARROWS  
5 TOOTH CULTIVATORS  
RIDING PLOWS

WALKING PLOWS  
COTTON PLOWS  
CORN PLANTERS  
COTTON PLANTERS  
SEED DRILLS, 1 & 2 Horse  
MANURE SPREADERS  
FERTILIZER DISTRIBUTORS  
WHEEDERS  
STALK CUTTERS  
FEED CUTTERS  
FEED GRINDERS  
CORN SHELLERS  
CORN SHUCK SHELLERS  
CORN BINDERS

BINDERS TWINE  
BUGGIES  
FARM WAGONS  
FARM DRAYS  
CART WHEELS AND AXLES  
WAGON HARNESS  
BUGGY HARNESS  
PLOW HARNESS  
AUTOMOBILE ROBES  
BUGGY ROBES  
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WE WILL GIVE THE DOLL TO THE LITTLE GIRL UNDER FIFTEEN WHO SECURES THE GREATEST NUMBER OF VOTES IN THE CONTEST.

WE WILL GIVE ONE VOTE WITH EACH TEN CENT PURCHASE OR ONE VOTE ON EACH TEN CENT PAID IN ON ACCOUNT BY THE 10th OF THE MONTH FOLLOWING DATE OF PURCHASE.

Contest Begins Wednesday, Nov. 1 & Closes at Noon  
on CHRISTMAS EVE DAY

THIS WILL ENABLE US TO COUNT THE VOTES AND DELIVER THE DOLL CHRISTMAS MORNING.

ENTER AT ONCE SO THAT YOU WILL HAVE THE BENEFIT OF EVERY MINUTE'S WORK—DON'T LOSE A SINGLE DAY IN SECURING VOTES.

WE WANT EVERY LITTLE GIRL IN TOWN TO RUN IN THIS CONTEST AND AT THE BOTTOM OF THIS YOU WILL FIND A NOMINATION BLANK WHICH ENTITLES YOU TO REGISTER AND ONE THOUSAND VOTES. SIGN IT AND BRING IT IN AT ONCE.

The Doll is Now on Display in the window of  
LEWIS DRY GOODS COMPANY  
Where it will remain for a few days

E. K. Willis

Nomination Blank

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Name

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