

Orders for job work must be given when order is given and delivered when delivered. Thirty cents per line for advertising.

LOCAL DOTS.

As we go to press cotton is at 8.20.

Passum and later time is now.

tax collector has his issue.

Dunn is quite a cotton market.

last week there was 104 and the highest number in one day.

Read the new "ad" of Mr. A. Wade's buggies. He has a splendid buggy and sells them cheap.

We call your attention to the supplement sent out in this issue.

The supplement gives you what you can find at Mr. Taylor's store.

On the outside of this paper, stop advertising. These rules will all work. Advertising is a divine commandment.

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It was sent out 3 months for ten cents just about what it has been worth all the time. The people who paid more than 40 cents a year for it have paid extortion prices. Just what that paper claims to oppose in every shape, unless its coming to some of their followers.

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A town is no bigger nor better than the citizens. It grows if it has public spirited and growing citizens — languishes and drags out a slow existence if it has a dead lot of citizens. The laws are enforced if the people care to have them enforced; they are dead letters if the people are too indifferent to make them live by statutes. By their fruits ye shall know them. Just as shrewd, energetic men can accomplish almost anything and outstrip the drones, so a liberal, ambitious, up-to-date public will forge ahead of rival communities with its enterprise. Cast the matter in any light you please the conclusion is invariably the same. A city is no more or less than what its own citizens make it.

Men who are all time trying to get out of business or out of town, will never build up either. One of the two things must be done, run the town for what it is worth, get up steam and keep it up, or quit the whole thing, slide out and let nature take its course. Do you want trade? Do you want business to come to your town? Encourage those who do come. Do you want a prosperous town, where people can come who are disposed to make homes? Then do away with, bury from sight, all spite, work, work no more for a few individuals, but work together for a common prosperity and a mutual benefit. Wake up, rub your eyes roll up your sleeves and go to work. Don't work with fear and trembling, but take it for granted that blood will tell. Leave results with themselves borrow no trouble, but all unite and make it the biggest kind of a city.

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The long wished for rain came Monday night and people feel much better.

A pair of cotton seas is being put down on the lot next to Mr. J. J. Wade's store.

Rev. Mr. Cain is conducting a meeting at Blacks Chapel this week. Rev. B. B. Holder of Cokesbury is assisting him.

The carpenters are at work repairing the Presbyterian church which was struck by lightning some time ago.

Our streets were so dusty last Saturday that it became necessary for us to bring out the street sprinkler, which did much good.

Our readers will find that we give them our short editorial briefs on the outside of the papers now, as advertising matter has crowded out their space on editorial page.

Anderson Coats a white man broke Lillington Jail Tuesday evening but was captured Wednesday morning at his home in Averasboro township by Sheriff Pope.

The Dispensary in Spartanburg, S. C. refused to close on circus day last week. So the consequences were that some 800 people got drunk that day. There were 20 or more fights and over 40 arrests made. The great wonder is that no blood was shed.

If you want to be a poor worthless Christian, stop praying. If you want to be poor in body, stop eating. If you want to be poor financially, stop advertising. These rules will all work. Advertising is a divine commandment.

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# THE SUMMER

## Is gone but we are still here offering Bargains.

Husbands bring your wives, wives bring your husbands, wives and husbands bring your children and all examine my immense

### STOCK OF GOODS,

Selected by our two buyers who spent two weeks in the Northern markets picking up bargains.

My goods were bought with the TARIFF OFF, and that is the way I propose to sell them.

I can sell you any kind of Dress you wish from five cent calico up to well, any price you wish to pay.

Shoes and Boots have advanced nearly fifty per cent but having bought my stock before the advance I will for the next 60 Days sell them at old prices as long as they last, but they are selling so rapidly they will not last over 30 days, so come right on and buy your winter Shoes.

Our line of

### GENTS' AND BOYS HATS

is the most complete—prettiest and cheapest ever been shown in the town.

## Our stock of clothing for men and boys has to be seen to be appreciated, we invite you to come and inspect it.

We have the largest and finest line of Millinery goods ever shown in Dunn. Miss Addie Young who is with us, spent two weeks in the North learning all the new styles and picking up bargains in her department.

### Our Grand Opening

took place on Tuesday Sept. 21st, and proved to be the grandest display of pretty and attractive styles ever made in Dunn.

CALL AND SEE FOR YOURSELVES.

YOURS TO PLEASE,

## E. F. Young,

DUNN, N. C. mr-27-stf.

### COMING AND GOING.

Rev. L. J. Holden left Friday for his home in Jonesboro.

Mr. Walter Bvd. paid our sanctum a call while in town Friday.

Rev. D. B. Parker returned to Lillington Friday.

Mr. John Thompson of Raleigh was in town Saturday.

Mr. W. B. Austin made a trip to Raleigh Sunday and returned Monday.

Mr. E. F. Young made a trip to Wilson Sunday.

Mr. D. H. McLean returned from a trip to Lillington last Friday.

Mr. Joe Creel and wife of Fayetteville spent Sunday in town.

Messrs. E. W. Pou and P. T. Massey of Smithfield were in town Monday.

Mr. Henry Pope made a trip to Smithfield last Saturday.

Miss Lillie Morgan, of Wythe is visiting Mrs. W. F. Utter this week.

Mr. C. A. McNeill of Dickinson was in town Saturday.

Prof. J. C. Clifford took a trip to Raleigh Saturday and returned Sunday.

Mr. Gib Blanchard and sister, Miss Della took a trip up in Wake Sunday.

Mr. Hardy of the News and Observer was in town Monday calling on his subscribers.

### POE ITEMS.

We've had another rain. New students again this week.

Prof. Campbell spent Monday at the "city by the river."

Mr. W. P. Byrd spent several days in Sampson county last week.

Mr. Joe Collins of Winslow, spent Monday at the Academy.

Mr. R. T. Kennedy went over to Lillington Monday.

Jono Bogs and Snooks attended the Sunday-School Convention near Benson last Saturday. Jona says "he saw his intended."

Snooks was in Benson about a pair of minutes Saturday evening.

The boys here have a well organized Literary Society which meets every Friday night.

Messrs. P. H. Rogers and Seth Parrish attended the Sunday-School Convention near Benson Saturday. They report a good time.

Mr. A. F. Johnson is selling out his goods at public auction. He will open a store at Lillington in the near future.

Mr. H. L. Hall former register of deeds of Cumberland, spent Saturday with his son who is attending school here.

Rev. C. W. Blanchard, of Wake Forest, will give a lecture at Buie's Creek Academy on the night of the 23 inst. There will be some pieces by the school also. The public are invited to attend.

Jona Bogs was "in honey to his eyes" Saturday night, but Oh! my, how sad he looks this week. Poor fellow we are sorry for you but such is life. Jona we believe if you would go to Rome you would be all smiles again.

Mr. A. L. Byrd of Buie's Level was at the Academy Friday. He tells us that Rev. C. V. Brooks has a flourishing school at that place.

That beautiful and charming young lady Miss Ida Condon, who has graced this section with her presence for several weeks, returned to her home at Holly Springs last Saturday. Come again Miss Ida we are always delighted to see you.

We are sorry to note the death of Miss Julia Mathews which occurred Sunday night. She was a young woman just in the very bloom of life. She was sick only a short while and her death was quite a shock to the community. She was buried at the family burying ground.

Snooks,

When you come to Benson don't fail to call and see me I have a full line of Drugs, Patent medicines and everything generally carried in a first class drug store, Prescriptions carefully filled.

call to see me,

J. W. Benson.  
Benson, N. C.

Dr. W. L. Hudson will commence at once renovating the store on corner of Wilson and Broad street. The Dr. has purchased it from Mr. R. Lucas formerly known as the Brack rope store. It will be arranged in first class order both for his office and medicine. Residence on East Avenue leading from Broad street.

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### NOTICE.

All parties desiring Fire Insurance of any kind, dwellings, stores, gins &c, will do well to consult me before insuring. I represent only good companies.

Respectfully,  
Sept 14—3m.  
J. A. TAYLOR.

### Attention!

We call your attention to the fact that we are still in Dunn, located at the same old stand, and are fully equipped with all the improvements for the repairing of Watches, Clocks and Jewelry. We guarantee our work to be first-class and will convince you that we do as good work as you can get elsewhere.

We also have a full line of new watches and clocks, and a handsome line of Jewelry, and many other things generally found in a Jewelry store.

Thanking you for past favors, we solicit the same in the future

Very truly,  
GAINES & JORDAN,  
Dunn, N. C.

### ADMINISTRATRIX NOTICE.

Having qualified as Administratrix of Misses M. Ann McNeill and Katharine McNeill, deceased, late of Harnett County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned on or before the 17th day of Sept. 1895, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment.

This 17th day of Sept. 1895.  
Sarah M. Andrews,  
Adminx.

## HEADQUARTERS FOR DRUGS.

Look to your interest and save money.

### Harper & Hood

are still at their old stand—corner of R. R. and BROAD STREET where you will find the largest and most complete stock of

### Drugs, Toilet Articles etc.,

to be found in the county. Also Fancy and stick Candies, Stationery, School Books, Lamps and Lamps

Goods, Cigars, Snuff, Tobacco &c, all of which we offer at greatly reduced prices.

The best variety of **COLD DRINKS** very day.

Thanking all for past favors, we cordially invite all to come and examine goods and prices. We guarantee satisfaction.

Remember the place.

### HARPER & HOOD, DUNN, N. C.

GO SET THE BELLS TO RINGING.

PLAY THE FIDDLE AND BEAT THE DRUM.

LET'S ALL JOIN IN THE SINGING—

THERE'S GOOD NEWS FOR EVERY ONE.

O, BLOW THE TRUMPET INSIDE OUT,

AND SHOOT YOUR BIGGEST GUN,

FOR MASSENGILL IS STILL AT THE FRONT— THE CHEAPEST MAN IN DUNN.

Our stock of General Merchandise is now complete and we cordially invite our friends to call and inspect our goods and prices. Below you will find a list of the leading articles which we carry:

- |                    |                   |                       |
|--------------------|-------------------|-----------------------|
| Calico,            | Shirt waists      | Cigars, Cheroots      |
| Gingham,           | Jersey waists     | Snuff                 |
| Twill Trapery,     | Belts             | Hats & Caps           |
| Suitings,          | Buckles           | Boots & Shoes         |
| Zarico Cloth,      | Bags              | Shoe-laces            |
| Satin Henrietta,   | Side Combs        | Shoe—Over             |
| Satin Fleurettes,  | Hair Pins         | Shoe blacking         |
| Satins,            | Tucking Combs     | Baskets               |
| Outings,           | Hooks and eyes    | Wash boards           |
| Flannels,          | Dress Stays       | Sifters               |
| Flannelettes,      | Needles           | Lamps, wicks &c.      |
| Duck,              | Pins              | Pictures              |
| Cheveco's,         | Pins safety       | Picture frames        |
| Moleskins,         | Kitting Needles   | Easels                |
| Cashmere,          | Knitting Cotton   | Starch & Pearline     |
| Glenolden Cloth,   | Cotton yarn       | Gold dust             |
| Henrietta Cloth,   | Sewing silk       | Baking powders        |
| Covert Cloth,      | Waterproof Twist  | Bleuing & Lye         |
| Waterproof Cloth,  | Embroidery Cotton | Soda & Nutmegs        |
| Eider Down,        | Machine thread    | Flour and Sugar       |
| Crepe St. Quentin, | Thimbles          | Candy                 |
| Russian Fleece,    | Buttons           | Coffee and Rice       |
| Crepon,            | Brails            | Lard and Molasse      |
| Taffeta Mire,      | Brails Finishing  | Vinegar and Syrup     |
| Chambrays,         | Coat binding      | Meat and Meal         |
| Cambrie,           | Pencils           | Cheese and Fish       |
| Hair Cloth,        | Envelopes         | Corn                  |
| Corset Jeans,      | Penknives         | Kerosene oil          |
| Crenoline          | Paper             | Plow lines            |
| Wigan,             | Tablets           | Buggy whips           |
| Pant Cloth,        | Writing pens      | Buggy robes           |
| Denims,            | Account books     | C uperjeans           |
| Sea Island Goods,  | Juk               | Blankets              |
| Birds eye Goods,   | Story books       | Comforts              |
| 10—4 Sheeting,     | Pocket books      | Bagging & Ties        |
| A A Sheeting,      | Pocket glass      | Fire Dogs             |
| Bleaching,         | Pocket Rules      | Asht Shovels          |
| Tickings,          | Jewelry           | Pocket Knives         |
| Plaids,            | Pipes             | Powder and Shot       |
| Shirts,            | Towels            | Caps                  |
| Startings,         | Ties              | Pumps and piping      |
| Unde shirts,       | Soap              | Spice and Pepper      |
| Drawers,           | Face powders      | Dish pans             |
| Pants,             | Cologne           | Dippers               |
| Suspenders,        | Tooth brushes     | Pitchers              |
| Half Hose,         | Clothes brushes   | Plates                |
| Gloves,            | Brooms            | Cups and Saucers      |
| Cuffs,             | Umbrellas         | Butter dishes         |
| Cuff Buttons,      | Trunks            | Sugar dishes          |
| Collars,           | Valises           | Syrup Pots            |
| Scarfs,            | Grips             | Tumblers & Goblets    |
| Neck Ties          | Grip straps       | Oil clothes           |
| Winsor Ties        | Hamburgs          | Napkins,              |
| Handkerchiefs      | Laces             | and many other        |
| Ladies Vests       | Swiss Muslin      | things too tedious to |
| Corsets            | Lina Damask       | mention.              |
| Corset clasps      | Ribbons           |                       |
| Stockings          | Ribboa Velvet     |                       |
| Balmorals          | Tobacco—chewing   |                       |
| Garters            | Tobacco—smoking   |                       |

All of the above goods were bought before the advance, consequently we are able to sell at the same low prices as heretofore. All we ask is a trial

Yours for business,

### J. A. MASSENGILL & CO.,

mr-27-stf. DUNN, N. C.

## DUKE and BLANCHARD,

DEALERS IN

### General Merchandise.

Family Groceries a specialty.

## Goods Fresh!

## Goods - Cheap!

Our store will be found in the Lee Block, next door to Mr. J. J. Wade's store, and we extend a cordial invitation to one and all when in town to visit our place of business and examine our stock and low prices.

Come and we will treat you right.

Yours for bargains,

### DUKE & BLANCHARD,

DUNN, N. C. oc-24-stf.