

# THE COUNTY UNION

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 9, 1916.

DUNN, N. C.

## LOCAL DOTS.

—Cotton is selling for 5 1/2 to 5 3/4 cents to-day.

—The town aldermen have had several new streets opened recently.

—Cotton went up to six cents a pound last week for the best grades. There is a good deal on the farms yet to be sold.

—Don't buy a mule or horse until you see Lane & Galbraith's Tennessee raised mules and horses. They are the best on the market.

—The personal property of the late Erasmus Lee was sold at public sale yesterday at his residence, three miles from town.

—Don't fear! If war with Spain is declared, you will not have to go unless you wish to go.

—If our officers would keep an eye open they might capture another "blind tiger." Do your duty gentlemen.

—The contract for the building of 18 miles of Mills' railroad has been given out to Mr. N. G. Wade, of Bingham, S. C. Convict labor will be employed.

—See the advertisement of the White Sewing Machine in this issue. Mr. E. H. Woodall, of Benson, sells them and will be pleased to show his machine.

—Hall's Hardware House, of Benson, has some business locals in this issue. It is putting in an extensive stock and is a reliable firm.

—Lane & Galbraith are now closing out their last lot of Tennessee mules and horses. If you want one cheap see them quick.

—The rains of last week raised the waters in the rivers and the timber men took advantage to get off to Wilmington with large rafts.

—Saturday was a big day with the guano dealers. A large crowd of farmers were in town and nearly all came after guano.

—Don't fail to read the new advertisement and business locals in this issue of Messrs. Hood & Grantham. They always keep a full stock of drugs.

—New dwellings are being built in several portions of the town just now and there is a demand for more—an evidence that our town is steadily growing.

—This evening at 8:30 o'clock at the Baptist church, Miss Lola McNeill and Mr. M. H. Privett, two of Dunn's popular young people, will be joined in marriage, an account of which will appear in our next issue.

—It is thought that war with Spain is inevitable and that the President will call for troops in a few weeks. The war spirit is growing with our people and there will be volunteers by the score in this county.

—It is reported that the measles are epidemic in several counties of the State and there are cases of the disease in more than half the counties. There are a good many persons sick with them in this county at present.

—A programme of the exercises of the Sunday School Institute to be held by Rev. B. W. Spillman at Friendship church, near Bunnsville, on the 18, 19th and 20th of this month, is unavoidably crowded out of this issue. We will say that an interesting programme has been arranged which will be of much help to Sunday school workers.

—The trustee of the Lee Hardware Company, Mr. J. C. Clifford, has mailed to all the creditors of the company a statement as assets and liabilities of the firm as follows: Assets, stock of goods and other property \$3254.28; Book accounts \$1,354.67; total \$4,608.95. Liabilities: Preferred creditors \$2,060; other indebtedness \$4,513.21; total \$6,573.21.

—In making up our local items last week we failed to mention the Missionary exercise given by the children at the Methodist church on Sunday night. The exercises were very good and the children did admirably well. The exercises were under the supervision of Mrs. L. F. McKay, president of the Missionary Society, and to her is due the honor for such a splendid and delightful entertainment.

—On Saturday evening the horse of Mr. J. A. Culbreth ran away and threw him and Mr. Needham Warren out. Mr. Warren was thrown head-foremost against a stump and so badly injured that he was unconscious for several hours. Mr. Culbreth escaped slightly hurt.

—We learn that this county has no organized board of health and that we have no county superintendent of health. Just at present we need one (and we should have one anyway) for we don't know what day a case of small pox might be brought in to our midst. We don't think there is any danger but it is well enough always to be prepared for an emergency, and at the next meeting of our county commissioners, we would suggest that they elect a county Superintendent of Health, whose duty it is to attend the sick at the county Home and in the jail and look after contagious and infectious diseases if any should occur in our county.

—Monday evening at six o'clock the "Feast of Esther" began and lasted for twenty-four hours when it was succeeded by the "Feast of Purim." This fast and feast is regarded by the Jews with strict observance in memory of Queen Esther, whose entreaties with the King saved Mordecai from the gallows which Haman had prepared for him, and the Jews from destruction. The fast is strictly observed by them and on the feast day the rich Jews have banquets that probably rival the one given by Queen Esther at which Haman was a guest just before he was hanged on the gallows he had prepared for Mordecai.

—A yellow negro man struck this town last week and claimed to be a doctor. Saturday he went to the house of John McLondon, colored, and told his wife, who had been sick for some time, that she was conjured and that he could remove the spell from off her if she would give him some money. She gave him three dollars and he found the article which the conjurer had used to bring on the spell under her pillow and left. He skipped town before John went home and found that he had fooled his wife out of the money. He is probably working the same trick on some other poor negroes at other towns. He ought to be in the chain gang.

—Quite a number of fat beef cattle have recently been bought here by Mr. J. A. Galbraith who ships them to Richmond. He buys them by the pound, gross weight, and pays from a cent and three quarters to three cents a pound, according to the quality of the beef, for them. It seems to us that there would be more money in raising cattle at these prices than there is in cotton at five cents. There are a good many oxen in this section which if fattened well would weigh from 1000 to 1250 pounds gross, and \$25 or \$30 is no bad price for an ox now. We can raise cattle cheap here and it behooves every farmer to improve his stock and raise all he can. There is always a good market for fat cattle.

—Latest War News.

Spain has decided not to demand the recall of Consul General Lee from Havana.—The court of inquiry has not finished its work on the cause of the blowing up of the Maine. It is reported that it was evidently blown up from a submarine mine.—Congress has appropriated fifty million dollars for war preparations and also provided for two more regiments of artillery. Agents have been sent to England to buy war ships.—The situation is threatening but it is hoped that war will be averted. The Montgomery left Key West yesterday afternoon for Havana and will anchor there near the wreck of the Maine to-day.

—Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The best Salve in the world for cuts, bruises, sores, ulcers, salt rheum, fever sores, tetter, chapped hands, chilblains, corns, and all skin eruptions, and positively cures piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by N. B. Hood, Druggist.

—When in Benson see E. L. Hall for Traces, Plow-lines, Back-bands, Single-trees, Bolts, Castings and all other farmers supplies.

—What pleasure is there in life with a headache, constipation and biliousness? Thousands experience them who could become perfectly healthy by using De Witt's Little Early Risers, the famous little pills. Hood & Grantham.

I have bought Mr. E. H. Woodall's entire stock of Hardware and will sell many articles at reduced prices to make room for my new stock which is arriving daily. E. L. Hall, Benson, N. C.

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## People and Their Movement.

—Mr. Polie Gardner, of Smithfield, spent Friday night in town.

—Mrs. J. L. Hooks, of Matthews, N. C., is visiting her son, Mr. S. J. Hooks.

—Miss Hattie Privett, of Spring Hope, is in the city to attend the marriage of her brother this evening.

—Mr. W. H. Harrison, soliciting agent for the Wilmington Star, is in town, to be present at the marriage this evening.

—Mr. D. McN. McKay, who has been in Edenton for the past year in a drugstore, is here on a visit to relatives and friends.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Cowell spent Sunday and Monday here with Messrs. A. D. and W. H. Newberry, brothers of Mrs. Cowell.

—Misses Ora and Sue Washburn, who have been visiting relatives and friends here for some time, left yesterday for their home in Wake county.

—Mr. O. J. Carroll, representing the Raleigh Morning Post, one among the best daily papers in the State, spent Monday night in town.

—Miss Gertrude Downing left for her home near Fayetteville Saturday. Miss Gertrude made many warm friends while here who will always gladly welcome her to our town.

—Prof. A. C. Holloway came in Monday from Joford, Duplin county, where he has just closed a very prosperous session of a school, and spent a few hours in town on his way to his home near Winslow, this county.

—Mrs. E. W. Anderson returned, one day last week, from the Northern markets where she bought her spring stock of millinery goods. She bought a very select stock and will be able to please you in the latest novelties and styles. Her "ad" will appear soon.

—TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY. Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All Druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. 25c.

## Projectoscope Entertainment.

On Monday and Tuesday evenings of next week, March 14th, and 15th, at the Academy Prof. Arthur L. Butt will give exhibitions with the Projectoscope, Edison's wonderful electric machine that gives life size living pictures, acting as if real living creatures. The entertainment will be given for the benefit of the Ladies Aid Society, of Dunn, and it is hoped that a good attendance will be had.

The Projectoscope is one of the most wonderful inventions of the age. You see men, horses, birds and numerous other life size objects moving and acting as if they were real living creatures. Prof. Butt is well known to our people and his name guarantees a splendid exhibition. All our people remember his panorama of fine paintings and the Projectoscope is superior to that. Popular prices. Don't fail to see it.

—A Narrow Escape.

Thankful words written by Mrs. Ada E. Hart, of Groton, S. D. "Was taken with a bad cold which settled on my lungs; cough set in and finally terminated into Consumption. Four Doctors gave me up, saying I could live but a short time. I gave myself up to my Saviour, determined if I could not stay with my friends on earth I would meet my absent ones above. My husband was advised to get Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds. I gave it a trial, took in all eight bottles. It has cured me, and thank God I am saved and now a well and healthy woman. Trial bottles free at N. B. Hood's Drug Store.

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## BUSINESS LOCALS.

Large stock of tinware, glassware, crockery, table and pocket cutlery at lowest prices. S. G. Marks & Co.

Ribbons and Laces, see Young

If you want Boots, see Young

See Gainey & Jordan when in need of Bicycle Sundries.

Remember you can get Tobacco Bed Cloth at M. T. Young's. It will pay you to try some tobacco.

Trunks, Bags and Valises at Young's.

Gainey & Jordan will sell you an 8-day Clock for \$2.00.

Five hundred pair of odd pants at Young's.

Look for E. Lee's Harness Shop, next door to S. G. Marks & Co.

E. Lee has a few more buggy Robes left that he will sell at cost.

The Old Reliable Seth Thomas Clock at Gainey & Jordan's

Best Seed Potatoes at lowest prices. S. G. Marks & Co.

Clothing, all styles at Young's

Do you need a sewing machine? See M. T. Young.

Children's Shoes at Young's.

59 acres timbered land in Upper Little River Township for sale cheap. 12 miles from Sanford. Apply to Grantham & Pearsall, Real Estate Agents, fe-16-1m. Dunn, N. C.

The New Home Sewing Machine is still leading the market. You can get them on easy terms. See M. T. Young.

Fleischman's Yeast always on hand at Lane & Co's.

Latest style Dress Hats for men and boys at Lane's.

Nice line of hats just received at S. G. Marks & Co.

For a pair of good shoes go to Lane & Co.

Lane & Co. have the choicest selection of seed potatoes. Will make earlier than the ordinary.

Towels from 5 to 50¢ at Young's.

Children's and Misses' Spring Heel Shoes at Young's.

Fresh garden seeds at Lane's.

Lee's Harness Shop keeps a cheap, nice line of mule collars always on hand.

M. T. Young is selling his entire line of Dress Goods at cost.

You can buy your Hats for Ladies' and Children at cost. M. T. Young.

## Tutt's Pills

Cure All Liver Ills. Perfect Health.

Keep the system in perfect order by the occasional use of Tutt's Liver Pills. They regulate the bowels and produce

A Vigorous Body. For sick headache, malaria, biliousness, constipation and kindred diseases, an absolute cure

TUTT'S LIVER PILLS

Seventy-Seven Weds Eighteen. Mr. John W. Lucas of McDaniels and Miss Emma Hall were married in Clinton on Saturday, the 26th. In the marriage license the age of the groom was stated to be 77 and that of the bride 18. The ceremony was performed by Justice H. B. Giddens. According to the figures given this groom is 59 years older than his bride.—Sampson Democrat.

The Sure La Grippe Cure. There is no use suffering from this dreadful malady, if you will only get the right remedy. You are having pain all through your body, your liver is out of order, have no appetite, no life or ambition, have a bad cold, in fact are completely used up. Electric Bitters is the only remedy that will give you prompt and sure relief. They act directly on your Liver, Stomach and Kidneys, tone up the whole system and make you feel like a new being. They are guaranteed to cure or price refunded. For Sale at N. B. Hood's Drug Store, only 50 cents per bottle.

NOTICE—All persons indebted to the Lee Hardware Co., are notified that the books may be found at Lee's Harness Shop on East Broad Street, next door to S. G. Marks & Co., where settlement may be made either with Mr. E. Lee, or the undersigned. It is earnestly requested that all accounts be settled at once as the law will compel the trustee to sell all unpaid accounts at auction for the benefit of our creditors. J. C. CLIFFORD, Trustee of Lee Hard. Co.

Everybody Says So. Cascarets Candy Cathartic, the most wonderful medical discovery of the age, pleasant and refreshing to the taste, act gently and positively on the kidneys, liver and bowels, cleansing the entire system, dispel colds, cure headache, fever, habitual constipation and biliousness. Please buy and try a box of C. C. C. to-day, 10, 25, 50 cents. Sold and guaranteed to cure by all druggists.

Tobacco—Henry Co. Va. "Fig" and Baily Bro's. "Old Bob" at Hood & Grantham's.

After years of untold suffering from piles B. W. Purcell of Kilmersville, Pa. was cured by using a single box of De Witt's Witch Hazel Salve. Skin diseases such as eczema, rash, pimples and obstinate sores are readily cured by this famous remedy. Hood & Grantham.

Chocolates, Bon-bons, Vanilla Cream, Peanut Brittle, Marsh Mallows and other fine candies just received at Hood & Grantham's.

We are anxious to do a little good in this world and can think of no pleasanter or better way to do it than by recommending One Minute Cough Cure as a preventive of pneumonia, consumption and other serious lung troubles that follow neglected colds. Hood & Grantham.

Truckers and gardeners can get their seed Beans, Peas &c. of us at lowest prices. Hood & Grantham.

Whooping cough is the most distressing malady; but its duration can be cut short by the use of One Minute Cough Cure, which is also the best known remedy for croup and all lung and bronchial troubles. Hood & Grantham.

England is now consuming large quantities of American slate.

BEAUTY IS BLOOD DEEP. Clean blood means a clean skin. No beauty without it. Cascarets, Candy Cathartic clean your blood and keep it clean by stirring up the lazy liver and driving all impurities from the body. Begin to-day to banish pimples, boils, blotches, blackheads, and that sickly bilious complexion by taking Cascarets—beauty for ten cents. All druggists, satisfaction guaranteed. 10c, 25c, 50c.

There are 1,425 characters in the twenty-four books Dickens wrote.

Don't annoy others by your coughing and risk your life by neglecting a cold. One minute Cough Cure cures coughs, colds, croup, grippe and all throat and lung troubles. Hood & Grantham.

Russia's standing army which comprises 800,000 men, is the largest in Europe.

Children and adults tortured by burns, scalds, injuries, eczema or skin diseases may secure instant relief by using De Witt's Witch Hazel Salve. It is the great Pile remedy. Hood & Grantham.

CASTORIA. The favorite medicine of the great Dr. J. C. Ayer.

All kinds of stove fixtures and repairs at Hall's Hardware House, Benson, N. C.

## OUR CLEARANCE SALE.

In order to make room for our Spring Stock we will reduce the price on all goods for the next 15 days.

DRESS GOODS.

We have sold a great many but still there is more than we want, so they will go at Cost for 15 days. If you need anything in that line it will pay you to examine our stock.

SHOES.

We have a large and well selected stock of Shoes for old and young, little and big. We can fit you in price as well as shoes.

CLOTHING!

Clothing!! Clothing!!! Do you need Clothing? We have lots of it and the price is way down, the quality way up, and we can suit you.

Hamburgs & Laces.

Hamburgs and Laces for the Spring. Our Stock is complete in this line. We invite the ladies to come and see it.

Groceries.

Remember, we keep the Largest Stock of Groceries in town at the LOWEST PRICE. We will pay the highest market price for country produce.

WHEELER & WILSON Sewing Machines for sale.

Yours very truly, M. T. YOUNG, DUNN, N. C.

## BARGAINS!

that are being offered at the TWIN Hardware and Furniture Store,

are too numerous to mention.

A look through our Mammoth Stock of Furniture will convince you that for Quality, Style and Prices, we lead any house in the State. Just a look at the Celebrated O. K. Cook Stoves and Ranges will convince you that one is needed in your kitchen to make your home a place of love and happiness.

When you come into our Shelf Department you find first the most complete line of Crockery, Glass and Tinware, where you can buy anything you need from a Dish Pan to a nice China Dinner Set, and the price will always suit your purse.

Our stock of Builder's Hardware is complete and we buy in such quantities that we can always interest the closest buyers. We make a specialty of Carriage Material and always keep a good stock and never fail to make prices right. Last, we will take you through our

## AGRICULTURAL DEPARTMENT

where we never fail to interest those who till the earth and make a living for all. Here we make special low prices for we feel that if any people under the sun needs help, it is the farmer who makes 5¢ cotton, so we have placed such goods as he needs at the lowest possible price, and we feel proud that we can say that in the short time we have been in business we have reduced the price about 50% and if the farmers of Harnett, Cumberland, Sampson and Johnston will stand together and help us in this fight, we will be an instrument in their hands to place such goods as they need at prices that will suit them.

Always give us a call when in need and you will save money. Yours for business, DUNN HARDWARE & FURNITURE COMPANY.

## SPRING GOODS!

Our Stock of Spring Goods are coming in.

We have an elegant line of CLOTHING,

FARMERS' SUPPLIES

—AND— Fertilizers,

which we are offering low down for cash, and when parties can give us undoubted security we will furnish goods on Fall time. Call on us and see what we can do. Respectfully, THE MASSENGILL DRY GOODS COMPANY. P. T. MASSENGILL, Manager.