

**GOOD AND GREAT REASONS WHY YOU SHOULD TRADE WITH HOOD & GRANTHAM.**

- No. 1.—They buy the best drugs on the market and always have what you want, or get it on short notice.
- No. 2.—They sell as cheap as you can buy anywhere and give you exactly what you call for.
- No. 3.—They are very careful in selecting good stock, and are always in the store and see that customers get what they call for and promptly waited on.
- No. 4.—They carry Drugs, Chemicals, Patent Medicines, Pharmaceutical Preparations, Proprietary Remedies, Fluid Extracts &c. Pills, Oils, Tablets, Ointments, Ceraters, and will fill your Prescriptions at the lowest living prices.
- No. 5.—They sell Stationery, Writing Tablets, Blank Books, School Books, new and second-hand, Ink, Pens, Pencils, Perfumery, Toilet Goods, Cosmetics, Fine Soaps, Candles fancy and plain, Lanterns, Lamp Chimneys, Pratt's Food, Horse and Cattle Powders, Cigars and Cheroots. They have bought the largest and finest line of Christmas Goods, "which will come in on time," that ever came on this market. All they want is a visit to their store, and they will prove every word they have said and make you a life long customer.

**HOOD & GRANTHAM,**  
Wholesale and Retail Druggists, **Dunn, N. C.**

**THE COUNTY UNION**  
DUNN, N. C.

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 27, 1899.

**LOCAL DOTS.**

—Great reduction in Wool Dress Goods at R. G. Taylor's.

—Cotton is on the advance, it is selling to-day at 6 1/2 to 6 3/4 cents.

—Indian Summer is here and the straw hat is yet an agreeable companion.

—The mosquito is a friend that sticks through thick and thin—skin.

—It doesn't take much of a "hot time" to melt a considerable amount of "cold cash," so the boys say.

—"Go west young man." Some of our sporting boys in Dunn generally go west six nights in the week.

—The foundation for the prize house near the Star warehouse has been laid and work will be rushed very rapidly.

—Work is progressing rapidly on the new building for the John A. McKay & Co. tool and iron foundry. A few more weeks and it will be completed.

—The Dunn High School is still growing. Miss Rossa Honcyeutt of Sampson and Mr. John Monk of Newton Grove, entered school Monday. The enrollment is now 113.

—On the fourth page of this paper you will find a notice from Sheriff Salmon to the tax payers of the county. Read it and get up your taxes. No use in putting it off for your taxes must come.

—Mr. Dave Jones, who lives two miles from town happened to the misfortune to lose a barn of tobacco last Thursday morning by fire. We learn that Mrs. S. N. Wood had a quantity of tobacco in the barn.

—Dunn has long since won the reputation of being the leading cotton market in this section. The receipts this season will probably exceed 10,000 bales. The place to market your cotton and buy your goods.

—Miss Eva Holder has accepted a position with the Benson High School as music teacher. Her sister, Miss Meda, has accepted a like position with Glenwood High School. Both schools may consider themselves lucky in securing such excellent ladies in their music department.

—Dunn still moves forward. There are four or five more new dwellings to be erected at once. The town has kept forty or fifty mechanics busily employed since the first of January, and there is now enough work ahead and in sight to last them until Christmas. Let the good work continue.

—The many friends of Rev. L. R. Carroll will be pleased to learn that his health has so improved that he will be able to fill his next appointment here, the second Sunday in October from which time the meeting will be protracted. Rev. M. A. Adams, who conducted a meeting at Spring Branch a few weeks ago will assist in the meeting.

—The guests at the entertainment at the residence of Mr. E. Lee last Friday evening greatly enjoyed the music rendered by the Orchestral Regina, and it was through the kindness of our popular drug firm, McKay Bros. & Skinner that this pleasant feature was added. You can hear it too if you will call at their store.

**Business is Business.**

Spare us just two minutes of your time, and after you have read this remember that we mean simply business and nothing more. On January 1st, 1900, we are going to adopt a new system in business, that of the CASH IN ADVANCE system, it will be strictly cash in advance to all, not even our uncles and aunts can get it on a credit. We are losing money every year and this is our only hope. If you want this paper after January 1st you must pay in advance, and we are certain it will suit most of our readers just as well. We will keep this notice before you until that time and hope all back subscription will be arranged and that you will take it for 1900.

J. P. PITTMAN, Proprietor and Publisher THE COUNTY UNION.

**Died.**

Last Wednesday about 2 o'clock Mr. O. R. Starling passed from this life into the life eternal. He was brought here seriously ill from Wilmington a few weeks ago, and continued to grow worse. He was afflicted with cellulitis which is said to have come from having some teeth extracted five weeks before his death. Dr. O. L. Denning attended him and did all he could, assisted by kind friends and relatives of the young man. Mr. Starling was about 23 years of age, and a member of the Missionary Baptist church at Antioch. He was an exceptionally good young man. His remains were taken from here to Falcon Thursday and interred in the cemetery at that place, the funeral services being conducted by Rev. W. M. Page.

The Union extends sympathy to the bereaved ones and bids them look to Him who doeth all things well.

**Examined R. G. Taylor's Silk and fine Dress Goods.**

36 inch all wool, striped chevrons, just the style you want for a nice dress. To sell at 20% call quick or you will miss them. R. G. Taylor.

**Refused Treatment.**

Green Sexton, of near Buie's Creek Academy, died last Friday of some form of fever which is not exactly known as he refused to have a physician visit him. He belonged to the "Fire Baptized Holiness Association" and thought his faith sufficient to overcome the ravages of the disease. His body was not buried until Monday, and had become so offensive that people could hardly stay near the room. The delay of the interment, we are informed, was to have ceremonies of some kind over the body. The friends of the deceased were informed that the whole crowd would be prosecuted unless the body was buried. We will not permit ourselves to comment upon such foolishness.

What has become of all the chickens and eggs? We can scarcely buy enough to fill orders. Bring us all you can spare and if you don't care to take trade we will pay all cash. W. H. Lane & Co.

We picked up a bargain in 400 pounds of good sound chewing tobacco which we offer to our friends at 25 cents per pound. This is a bargain and you should supply yourself before it is all gone. W. H. Lane & Co.

A diseased stomach surely undermines health. It dulls the brain, kills energy, destroys the nervous system, and predisposes to insanity and fatal diseases. All dyspeptic troubles are quickly cured by Ecol's Dyspepsia Cure. It has cured thousands of cases and is curing them every day. Its ingredients are such that it can't help curing. Hood & Grantham.

Flannels and Outings to beat the band at W. H. Lane & Co's.

Flour in barrels cheap for cash at W. H. Lane & Co's.

We have just received 50 Bolts of the prettiest Calico ever saw. W. H. Lane & Co.

Pants and Pant Goods, lower than the lowest. W. H. Lane & Co.

**MONEY IN YOUR POCKETS!**

If you will buy your winter Shoes, Hats, Pants and Pant Goods from

**W. H. LANE & CO.,**

you will have more money in your pocket the first day of January, 1900 than you had January 1st, 1899.

Give us a trial on Ladies' Dress Goods, such as Cashmires, Henriettas, Flannels, Suitings, Outings, Prints &c. Satine for the old ladies at their own price. Bed Ticking lower than the lowest. Checks and Sheetting bought before the rise and will be sold at startling prices.

**SHOES! SHOES!**

for young and old. Come to see us and we will show you something that you need, sell you something that you want and save you money on everything you buy.

Those who visit Dunn regularly know we have held the price of Chickens, Hams, Eggs and all other produce up and kept everything we sell down at rock bottom prices.

**We are leaders in low prices.**

Your friends and servants,  
**W. H. LANE & CO.**

**To the Farmer's of Harnett Co.**

There will be a meeting of the farmers of the county at Lillington on next Monday the 2nd of October to appoint delegates to the Farmers' Association that meets at Raleigh on Wednesday of the State Fair. This is an important movement for the betterment of the agricultural interests of the State and our people should take a deep interest in it.

The children must have shoes. Now don't forget that we can save you money on every pair you buy. W. H. Lane & Co.

Don't forget that we carry the largest and best selected stock of Canned Goods in town. W. H. Lane & Co.

Our City Soda Crackers are the finest cracker ever shipped here. W. H. Lane & Co.

Meat, Flour, Sugar, Coffee and Meal at jobbers prices. W. H. Lane & Co.

Oil Cloth, the prettiest patterns we ever saw for 12¢ per yard at W. H. Lane & Co's.

50 boxes best Full Cream Cheese must be sold at once. W. H. Lane & Co.

Spokes, Hubs and Rims for buggies, wagons and carts at less money than the factory price. Dunn Hardware & Furniture Co.

Don't forget to ask for your ticket when you trade with us. Remember the \$40.00 Buggy. Dunn Hardware & Furniture Co.

\$250.00 worth of Buggy Robes just received. Don't buy until you see our line. Dunn Hardware & Furniture Co.

Buy the Blue Grass Axe if you want the best. Dunn Hardware & Furniture Co.

HARNESS at Old Prices. Buggy and Wagon Harness, Collars, Brides and Pads at prices to suit your purse. We know that this is true for we are selling Harness. See us. Dunn Hdwe. & Furn. Co.

Trunks and Valises must go. W. H. Lane & Co.

New arrivals of chemicals and pharmaceutical specialties at McKay Bros. & Skinner's.

Thoroughly prepared to do analytic work and prepare your prescriptions accurately at McKay Bros. & Skinner's.

If you are unhappy or unhealthy call on McKay Bros. & Skinner.

**KEEPING ABEAST OF THE TIMES.**—This is what we are doing in our prescription department. A thorough knowledge and close study of every branch of the profession enables us to keep up with the rapid progress of Pharmacy. McKay Bros. & Skinner.

DeWitt's Little Early Risers expel from the system all poisonous accumulations, regulate the stomach, bowels and liver, and purify the blood. They drive away disease disperse melancholy, and give health and vigor for the daily routine. Do not gripe or sicken. Hood & Grantham.

**Blue Grass LOOK! O.K. Stoves at OLD PRICES.**

AXES The Best.

What is CASTORIA FOR? HOLLIDAY & PRIVETT.

**LAST WEEK WAS A HUMMER**

They sold the goods. It must be their prices that draws such Business for there is no good looks in the firm. They have just received a Big Shipment of the Celebrated BLUE GRASS AXES, the best the world has ever known and the best of all they were bought so they can be sold at manufacturer's price. Remember they are headquarters for anything you need.

99 cent Beds ARE moving

DUNN HARDWARE & FURNITURE CO. DUNN, N. C. R. L. CROMARTIE, Salesman.

Two-third prices On Crockery to beat the Band.

**Dunn Hardware & Furniture Company.**

**BUSINESS IS BUSINESS.**

We can be found at Brown's old stand next to the Racket Store, where we will be pleased to show and price you anything you may need in the way of

Meat, meal, flour, sugar, coffee, corn, snuff, tobacco, etc.

Our stock of Canned goods are all fresh and O. K. We sell no shoddy or old stuff, nothing but the best we can buy. We have just received a fresh lot of Cakes, Crackers and Candy.

Don't forget that we handle Bread, Cakes &c. fresh from the Bakery as often as possible, and hope to be able to get it regularly every day in the near future.

We appreciate the liberal patronage you have given us in the past and hope to see all our friends and customers regularly in the future at our new stand, when in need of anything in our line.

Yours for good goods and low prices.  
**J. F. PHILLIPS & CO.,**  
DUNN, N. C.

**CASTORIA**

For Infants and Children. The Kind You Have Always Bought Bears the Signature of *Wm. D. Thomson*

WANTED at once, good live men to sell the Singer Sewing Machine, good contract to hustler. Must furnish small bond and horse. Address The Singer M'fg. Co., Wilmington, N. C.

E. Lee will sell you a set of buggy harness for \$4.50.

Call at McKay Bros. & Skinner's and see the wonderful Orchestral Regina, the musical wonder of the age.

**THE GREAT "Orchestral Regina."**

THE MUSICAL WONDER OF THE AGE. You can see it by calling at our store, where you will find a large and complete line of

**DRUGS**

Chemicals, Stationery, Perfumery, Brushes and everything in an up-to-date and well equipped Drug Store.

Yours truly,  
**McKay Bros. & Skinner.**