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IS  
**THAT SO.**

Yes, startling  
as it may  
seem

IT IS:

THE  
BEE - HIVE

STORE

is full of people at this  
very hour who will  
attest the fact that

R. J. MITCHELL & CO.,

of EDENTON, N. C.

Proprietor of the Bee  
Hive is selling goods at

ROCK BOTTOM PRICES.

while they make no  
accounts, selling  
goods for

CASH ONLY,

or, its equivalent, he  
puts everything down  
to actual

New York Figures.

TRY THEM

Ye who wish

Dry Goods, Notions, Groceries, Hats,  
Caps, Boots and Shoes, Hardware, Wil-  
low-ware, &c., and be convinced of the  
truth of what we say.

Entered at the Post Office at Eden-  
ton as Second-Class Matter.

## LOCAL.

Read L. Levy's notice of removal.

Limeades 5c each, at the Bay View.

The storm on the coast last Saturday  
was general in its character.

Call and examine Stock at the Bay  
View.

C. M. Murden is still afloat. For har-  
ness and coffins he is the man.

Milkshakes, Limeades and all Tem-  
perance drinks at the Bay View.

Mr. Spruill is still in the dairy busi-  
ness. Milk delivered at your door up-  
on order.

Our town continues quiet—not a sin-  
gle case before the Mayor's court in two  
weeks or more.

All in need of fall and winter clothing  
are invited to call and examine W. T.  
Hall's new line of samples.

A revival meeting is in progress at the  
A. M. Zion church. Several ministers  
from a distance are present assisting.

Dr. C. P. Bogart and Master Cheshire  
Mitchell, with others, are up from Nag's  
Head where they have pleasantly so-  
journed this season.

Mr. M. H. Dixon is at home from the  
hill-country of Virginia where he has  
been to take his family for the remain-  
ing portion of the season.

The exercises at the M. E. church  
Wednesday evening were very interest-  
ing. A full congregation was present  
and manifested marked appreciation of  
the service.

Mr. L. L. Brinkley announces the  
connection of his name with the adver-  
tised excursion to Nag's Head, Saturday  
night, without authority either ex-  
pressed or implied.

Remember we enter no names upon  
our subscription book unless the money  
accompanies your order. Subscriptions  
are positively cash. If you want our  
paper send the money and get it.

Little Johnny Harrell called to see us  
yesterday and says he "sells two big red  
apples for one cent" and he wished peo-  
ple would hurry and buy him out "cause  
he wants to go to Nag's Head Saturday.

The first number of the Baptist Pilot,  
a newspaper published at Winton, N. C.,  
by three well known colored men of  
that place, is upon our desk. It is devo-  
ted to the religious interest of their race.  
It is a well gotten up sheet and we wish  
it abundant success. Rev. C. S. Brown is  
Editor.

Fresh Beer, on tap, daily. A small  
keg will be tapped at 10 o'clock every  
morning, thereby enabling me to fur-  
nish my patrons with a fresh article. I  
buy in small kegs in order that none  
shall become stale before use. Eight or  
ten kegs constantly on hand in ice  
house. \* R. B. HAYES.

Beer can also be bought at my place  
fresh every day at 10c per quart. Kegs  
furnished if wanted.

The excursion to Nag's Head, Str.  
Hamilton, bids fair to be the most pleas-  
ant of all the excursions had during the  
season. Steamer leaves Edenton at 11  
o'clock P. M. Saturday night, arriving at  
the Head at 6 o'clock A. M. Sunday.  
Remaining until 6 o'clock A. M., Wednes-  
day. The party will be given three days  
on the beach. Fare, round trip, from  
Edenton \$2.00. Refreshments will be  
served by R. B. Hayes at prices moder-  
ate. No LIQUOR ALLOWED to be sold,  
under orders specially made and agreed  
to by all parties interested. For further  
information see posters generally cir-  
culated.

## STEAMER SUNK.

The Steam barge, Mary Louchary,  
under the command of Captain Gore,  
running railroad ties for the N. S. Road  
at this place, sprung a leak at the  
mouth of Chowan river last Monday  
evening. The leak being one of danger  
the captain at once put the craft for  
shore, where she sunk in a short while.  
The crew is now in Edenton awaiting  
for the barge to be lifted.

## THE STORM.

Reports from various places along the  
coast make the storm of Saturday the  
most terrific and destructive witnessed  
for many years. Parties arriving from  
Nag's Head give a most exciting account  
of the spectacle occasioned at that point  
and recount the scenes along both the  
Sea and Sound beach in a manner that  
gives evidence of an experience almost  
appalling. Houses were shaken  
until they rocked to and fro like a cradle,  
some of them being greatly damaged.  
The rain descended in torrents  
flooding the main avenues and filling  
the houses so as almost to float the  
furniture on the first floor of some of  
the dwellings. Excitement reigned  
supreme. Stout hearts of strong men  
were made to quake with fear while the

women were heard in shrieks of dreadful  
apprehension. Quite a number of peo-  
ple, filled with excitement amounting  
almost to consternation, have left the  
Head and many more are expected to  
leave as soon as means for transportation  
are furnished them.

We are sorry to record this almost  
unheard of and very high tragical oc-  
currence lest its publication shall injure  
Nag's Head as a Summer resort but, the  
fact that the storm was general and  
disaster not specially confined but was  
(as indicated by reports coming from  
every quarter) general in its character  
we apprehend that the news will be re-  
garded, in the natural light, as one of  
those visitations, so to speak, from  
which no place is entirely exempt and  
to which Nag's Head is not any more  
subject than are the rest of the popular  
resorts along our Southern coast.

## IN EDENTON.

If it was not a tidal-wave, it was  
something very much like a rise in the  
waters of Albemarle Sound that struck  
Edenton last Friday. Some of the houses  
near the bay shore were almost sub-  
merged. Portions of Water street were  
under cover of water, and a canoe  
almost was a necessary adjunct to travel.  
—Albemarle Enquirer.

False as falsity itself, and only worthy  
the editor of the Enquirer who delights  
only in sensation and feeds upon excite-  
ment.

## TROUBLE IS EXPECTED.

GREENSBORO, N. C., August 24.—A  
negro man, named Horton, assaulted  
Miss Sapp, a beautiful young lady, at  
Kennesville, about fifteen miles from  
this city yesterday. He was arrested  
and taken to jail at that place, but the  
threats of the mob made it necessary to  
remove him to this city, and he is now  
in jail here. Trouble is expected.

## SLANDER.

The editor of the Enquirer does not  
profess to be a judge of horses or cows  
or animals in general, but a day or two  
ago he saw the finest Durham cow that  
he has laid eyes upon recently. Mr.  
Andrew J. Bateman, our wholesaler and  
hospitable fellow citizen has a Dur-  
ham cow, two years old, with a fine  
little calf a few weeks old that appears  
to us to be an improvement on much of  
the stock that we see in and around  
Edenton. The cow is gentle, kind and  
can furnish in a day as much milk as  
one preacher in our town can use for his  
milk punches in a week.—Albemarle  
Enquirer.

"As one PREACHER in our town!"  
Now, we have six white ministers, Revs.  
Jos. Bond, F. M. Satterwhite, C. P.  
Bogart, R. B. Drane, R. A. Armstead,  
J. Wm. Lee, in Edenton, all of them  
christian gentlemen of standing—men  
too who are above reproach, whose char-  
acters defy the flings of the wicked  
and whose lives brand as false and slan-  
derous anything, from any source, reflect-  
ing upon their habits or personal good  
conduct. There are, with these white  
men, three colored ministers stationed  
here, Revs. W. S. Windfield, J. A. Gar-  
ris, H. H. Whedbee, whose exemplary  
conduct has won for them the respect of  
the entire people and whose own self  
respect would drive them to pronounce  
the author of the above article as un-  
worthy even to unloose the latches of  
their shoes. Let the man speak out.  
To be indefinite is to reflect upon all.  
We demand, in behalf of an outraged  
community, that the Enquirer call the  
name of the "preacher."

## REMOVAL

When first he came among us, eight  
years ago, L. Levy considered himself  
compelled to occupy a store which, from  
its retired situation, he called country.  
After, when opportunity offered, he  
moved to the Rosenthal store when he  
thought himself in town. Now, con-  
trolled by business interests, the firm  
moves again, and, this time, to the  
large and spacious building formerly  
occupied by Messrs. Skinner and Par-  
sons, Main street, which situation he  
declares to be in the midst of the city  
and of all places, most attractive to  
purchasers.

His life experience as a merchant war-  
rants him in saying that to advertise  
prices amounts to simple nonsense.  
Call and examine goods, see for your-  
selves their quality and then let the  
price control your purchase as he is  
determined to close out the remnant of  
goods on hand in order to make room  
for a New Fall and Winter Stock which  
will be selected in the great city of New  
York with which no market can suc-  
cessfully compete.

Thanking my customers and public  
generally for past favors and asking a  
continuation of the same, I respectfully  
subscribe myself for the firm

**Louis Levy,**  
Dillon building, formerly occupied by  
Skinner & Parsons.

Look-out for ad when he returns.

# MACHINERY!

I AM NOW SELLING

Engines, Boilers, Saw Mills,  
Cotton Gins and Presses,

And Machinery of every description 30 per  
cent. lower than ever before. If you are in  
need of anything in this line write me for  
prices before buying.

LONG TIME GIVEN WHEN DESIRED.

I am also prepared to furnish Castings of all kinds promptly  
and at low prices.

Address: **T. A. PERRY,**  
PLYMOUTH, N. C.

## SCHOOL NOTICE.

TO TEACHERS OF PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

I hereby notify you that the SECOND  
THURSDAY in September, and FRI-  
DAY and SATURDAY thereafter, are  
public days for examination of appli-  
cants for teachers' certificates.

Teachers whose certificates have ex-  
pired or will before December, and those  
who wish to become teachers will appear  
at the Court House in Edenton on either  
of the days mentioned.

Rev. Mr. Deane, Chairman of County  
Board at Edenton, Chowan county,  
will conduct the examination.

Those having passed satisfactory ex-  
amination in part of the branches at the  
Institute, and failing to pass in others,  
will be required to be examined only on  
the studies in which they failed.

J. H. GARRETT,  
County Supt. Chowan Co.

## SCHOOL NOTICE.

EDENTON N. C., July 28, 1887.

To the Public:—We are glad to an-  
nounce that Mr. F. P. Hall, a graduate  
of Davidson College, N. C., and a teach-  
er of successful experience, will on the  
1st Monday in October next, open a  
school in Edenton for boys and girls.

The terms will be reasonable and will  
be published later.

Mr. Hall brings with him the very  
highest endorsements, as a gentleman  
and a teacher. He is employed by a  
number of citizens, who feel the need of  
increased educational advantages in  
Edenton and whose ONLY purpose is to  
promote that object. No means will be  
spared to make the school a success.  
We have been appointed to make the  
announcement and to ask the patronage  
and good will of our people for the  
school.

W. D. Pruden, T. B. Bland, Jno. C.  
Bond, J. R. B. Hathaway, Edward  
Wood, Committee.

**\$100 TO \$300** A MONTH can  
be made working for us. Agents preferred, who can  
furnish their own horses and give their  
whole time to the business. Spare mo-  
ments may be profitable also. A few  
vacancies in towns and cities. B. F.  
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mond, Va. au23 3m

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PAYS THE FREIGHT  
5 Ton Wagon Scales,  
Iron Levers, Steel Bearings, Brass  
Face Dials and Beam Set for  
\$60.  
Every size Scale. For free price list  
mention this paper and address  
**JONES OF BINGHAMTON,**  
BINGHAMTON, N. Y.

## Wood House, Nag's Head, N. C.

This house is located on the Sound-  
Side, South of the Hotel, with eight  
large comfortable rooms, and is now  
open for regular and transient boarders.

## TERMS:

Per Day, \$1.00; per week, \$6.00; per  
month, \$20.00. Single meal 35c.

Boarders requiring a separate room will  
be charged \$2.00 per week extra. Special  
terms can be made for families for the  
season.

B. F. ELLIOTT.

## J. D. Groves & Co.

GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANTS FOR  
THE SALE OF

Vegetables, Truck and  
Fruits of all kinds,  
ALSO

FRESH FISH of all kinds,  
No 10 Bowly's Wharf,

Baltimore, Md.

Consignments solicited and prompt  
returns made. al ly

## NOTICE.

The Str. Lucy, Capt. Jones, will make  
regular trips during season, leaving Ed-  
enton at 10 o'clock A. M. for

**NAG'S HEAD**

every Saturday, until further notice.  
For particulars apply to K. R. Pen-  
dleton.

June 29, 1887. J. J. JONES, Owner

This space be-  
longs to



W. J. Moore & Co.,

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A full supply of cheap wood Coffins,  
Fine Cases and Caskets and Metallic  
burial cases furnished at short  
notice and at low figures.



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WANTED.

As I do ALL of my own work it en-  
ables me to fill orders cheap.

Pictures and frames of every variety  
furnished upon orders.

Place of business, the old Hankin's  
cabinet shop, opposite the Woodard  
House, Main street.