

Fisherman and Farmer.

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ELIZABETH CITY, March 19 1897.

In the Heart of the City

at the corner of Water and Matthew Sts. up stairs, is the office of the FISHERMAN & FARMER Printing Company. Persons having business to transact are invited to call.

We Do High Grade COMMERCIAL PRINTING.

The Greatest FEBRUARY Clearing-Up Sale

That has ever taken place in this city. We are determined not to carry over any Winter Stock if price go for anything.

It takes some time for our competitors to find out what we are selling goods at, but when they do they advertise our price as their greatest efforts, and Unheard-of-Prices.

We buy in larger quantities, pay spot cash, enabling us to make the price lower than any one in the city.

The balance of our BLANKET STOCK will be sold.

Regardless of Cost!! Commencing at 50 cents the pair and up.

Special value, all wool Blankets at \$2.38.

DRESS GOODS

at your own price. All goods in this department reduced 20 to 25 per cent.

Men, Youths and Boys CLOTHING

At prices which make our competitors exclaim, McCabe & Grice can't hold their head up much longer, selling goods at such prices.

A few choice Cloaks, have been \$10.00 and \$12.00; our price now \$6.50 and \$7.50.

We carry a full line of Rubber Boots and Oil Clothing. Fishermen's supplies for the wholesale and retail trade.

If you want to save from 10 to 25 cents on every dollar's worth of purchases, come to

McCabe & Grice, The Price Makers,

Leading Merchants and Hustlers, Water Street, ELIZABETH CITY, N. C. Agents for Butterick Metropolitan Patterns.

Brick! Brick!

Thompson Brick Works.

The leading brick manufacturers of this section are now ready to supply orders on short notice. This plant has been in active operation for twenty years, and they guarantee satisfaction as to quality and price.

These Brick have Stood the Test

And reflex action will be a guide to your further purchase. You could do worse, and we venture to say, you can do no better elsewhere.

Call Telephone No. 2, or address **F. G. Thompson, Mgr.,** Elizabeth City, N. C.

Why will you buy bitter nauseating lozenges when **Grove's Tasteless Chili Tonic** is as pleasant as lemon Syrup. Your druggist is authorized to refund the money in every case where it fails to cure. Price, 5 cents.

News Adrift.

PICKED UP BY OUR REPORTERS WHO ARE ALWAYS IN "THE SWIM."

BRIEFLY RELATED.

The Pith of the News Especially Prepared for the Busy Reader.

Its all over town—mud. Those who are tired of mud should wait.

The Elizabeth City Cotton Mill is working a large force of hands.

Mr. E. G. Morrisett is critically ill at his room on Water street.

A hail storm struck here last Saturday, but no damage was done by it.

The rain and general bad weather has greatly interfered with farm work.

Mr. A. Heskabee, of Edenton, favored this office with a call on Wednesday last.

We hear of several new enterprises soon to be started in Elizabeth City.

Dr. C. S. Blackwell is lecturing this week in the western part of the State.

Mr. K. R. Cobb, of Norfolk, is in the city visiting his uncle Mr. Geo. W. Cobb.

Wm. Ruoch and family have moved into Mr. Cohoon's new house in the Park.

Notice the change in the advertisement of Sawyer & Jones in this issue.

Miss Rena Dawson and sister, Fannie, are North this week purchasing Millinery.

Miss Virgilia Banks, of Greensboro, is visiting Miss Clarine Perry on Pearl street.

The steamer Bertie was on the ways this week at Snell's ship yard undergoing repairs.

Miss Ella Mae James gave to her friends last night an oyster roast, which was much enjoyed.

Mr. Hodgson and wife from Sioux Falls, Dak., are looking around with intention of locating here.

Miss Mattie Island has returned home after a pleasant visit of several weeks with friends in Norfolk, Va.

Rev. B. C. Krupp and family have moved into their new residence, "The Parsonage," on Riverside Ave.

Mr. Chas. F. Lumber and Miss Ida M. Reynolds were married in this city by Dr. Blackwell on the 15th inst.

This paper was in error last week in stating that Mr. Meekling had rented the Mitchell residence on Pennsylvania Ave.

The ladies of the W. C. T. U. will hold a feast at the Town Hall on Friday evening, the 19th. It should be largely patronized.

A Fair will be held at the Alhambra Park this fall. Farmers should note this while planting. Others should talk it from now on.

T. A. Commander & Son have leased the saw mill of W. W. Griffin, which they will run in connection with their bracket factory.

Mr. Benj. Bray, of Currituck county, has purchased the liquor business of J. D. Weymouth, corner of Main and Water streets.

The shade trees of the elm variety are beginning to put forth their leaves, and the blossoming of fruit trees may be looked for shortly.

Mr. John D. Parker, a prominent farmer of Perquimans Co. was here this week attending court. Mr. James Parker, of Gates county, was also here.

Zoeller having had such a large run on those \$2.00 Crayons in frame, he will run them a while longer. Go and see specimens at Studio, Water street.

Mr. Frank H. Lake, of Hampton, Va., and Miss Angie Schmeitz, of Newport News, Va., were married in this city on Monday last by Rev. J. H. Hall.

The students of the Atlantic Collegiate Institute were allowed to go, in a body, to the Court House Monday morning to hear the Judge's charge, to the grand jury.

A very delightful party was given last Tuesday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Gard, on Foindexter street, in honor of Miss Annie Mae Rhodes of Newberne.

The social giving Tuesday night by the B. Y. P. U. was, as usual, a success. The violin solo rendered by Mrs. Meekins was a very enjoyable feature of the well prepared programme.

WE DO NOT WANT BOYS OR LOAFERS! To write but men of ability. \$100 to \$500 per month salary or commission. State and general managers, RACING FIRE ENGINE CO., Racine, Wis.

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Cures Talk

"Cures talk" in favor of Hood's Sarsaparilla, as for no other medicine. Its great cures recorded in truthful, convincing language of grateful men and women, constitute its most effective advertising. Many of these cures are marvelous. They have won the confidence of the people; have given Hood's Sarsaparilla the largest sales in the world, and have made necessary for its manufacture the greatest laboratory on earth. Hood's Sarsaparilla is known by the cures it has made—cures of scrofula, salt rheum and eczema, cures of rheumatism, neuralgia and weak nerves, cures of dyspepsia, liver troubles, catarrh—cures which prove

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is the best—in fact the True Blood Purifier. To cure liver ills; easy to take, easy to operate.

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H. E. Hodgson, Repairer

AND Tuner —OF— PIANOS AND ORGANS

NORFOLK, VA.

Parties wishing his services can leave orders with Louis Selig, the leading jeweler, Elizabeth City, N. C.

He will visit you and do your work reasonable. Perfect satisfaction guaranteed.

WHEN YOU WANT

Diamonds, Watches, Jewelry, Solid Silver, Silver plated ware, Clocks, Bric-a-brac and Sterling silver Novelties

Always Go To Headquarters.

Why not get one of the latest things out. We have just received another supply. You will always have good luck if you have one.

Graveyard Rabbits Foot. —25c, 35c and 50c each.—

If you have not got one, get it at once, and don't be behind time. —We have got what you want:—

Vinegrette bottles, from \$1.25 to \$3.00 each.
Sterling silver Thimbles only 25 cts each.
Emery balls, 45 and 65 cents each.
Ladies Sterling Silver Blouse Sets, 25 cts set.

Sterling Silver Cuff Pins for Babies, 50 cts pair
Nickle Alarm Clocks, 75 cents each.
Sterling silver tea spoons, 1 doz., \$4.00
Rogers plated tea spoons, " \$1.25 & \$2.00
Solid Gold Watches from \$18.00 up
Gentlemen or Ladies solid gold filled Watches with Elgin or Waltham movements from \$13.00 to \$20.00
The Celebrated Waterbury Watch, at \$2.50
Prompt attention paid to mail orders.
If your Watch or Clock needs repairing bring it to me and I will guarantee satisfaction.

LOUIS SELIG, The Leading Jeweler,

Elizabeth City, N. C.

1897 Rambler and Crescent BICYCLES.

Just received a line of '97 RAMBLER and CRESCENT Wheels, which we invite you to call and inspect

'97 RAMBLER	\$80.00.	'97 CRESCENT	\$75.00.
'96 RAMBLER—while they last	60.00	'96 CRESCENT	50.00
'97 CRESCENT—Boys and Girls	40.00	'96 CRESCENT—Boys and Girls	30.00

Call or Write for '97 Catalogues containing valuable information.

LOUIS SELIG, The Leading Jeweler,

Elizabeth City, N. C.

N. G. GRANDY & Co.,

Brokers & Commission Merchants,

Have Just Received:

100 barrels Holton Early Rose Potatoes, which are being sold cheap for cash.

Also agents for High Class Fertilizers for truck and corn and cotton.
Cotton Seed Meal and Hulls for stock—best and cheapest feed.
Also a fine stock of Apples and Cabbage.
Highest cash prices paid for Eggs.

A Day's Difference in picking Peas

often means the difference between profit and loss. All truckers, whether experienced or not, know this to be true. If it is true, and if we can prove that our Nonpareil is not only a pure, handsome, prolific extra early pea, but that it is also the earliest by several days, shouldn't you consider whether you do right in planting any other kind. Here is some—we have more— Of fifty brands of extra early peas selected by the North Carolina Experiment Station for competitive tests, ours were the earliest and the only ones given special praise. In similar tests at the Virginia Experiment Station, ours were the earliest and the only ones given special praise. All our peas are perfectly pure but the Nonpareil is the earliest every time. It will be sold this season at \$3.50 per bushel for cash. Don't take the risk of being too late for the sake of saving fifty cents or so per bushel—It isn't sensible. We will ship your order the day it is received.

Geo. Tait & Son. Seed Growers. 34 Commercial Place, Norfolk, Va.

If you feel bad in the morning and want a brace, use

CURES ALL HEADACHES

And gives new life to the nerves.

2 Large Doses for 10 cts.

BROMO CELERY

See that every Bottle is Stamped with 3 Sprigs of Celery.— PREPARED BY YAEKEL DRUG CO, BALTIMORE, MD.

WELCOME RESTURANT

Edenton, N. C.

J. D. ELLIOTT, PROPRIETOR

Best the Market afford. Neat Rooms.

Special rates for board and Lodging by the Week or Month.

ALL MEALS \$23 CTS.

Choice Lynnhaven Oysters A SPECIALTY.

WANTED! COTTON SEED

Empty sacks furnished and Cash paid on delivery at EDENTON or on N. & S. steamer at points on Chowan and Scuppernon rivers.

Terms, &c., Address, **S. P. WIXON,** EDENTON, N. C.