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LIZABETH CITY, May 14, 1897.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

House for rent by J. W. Sharber.

Mrs. F. L. Grandy advertises a cottage at Nag's Head for rent.

Notice the change in the "ad" of The Fair. Also change in Sawyer & Jones' "ad."

Dr. S. W. Gregory, of Goldsboro, will succeed Dr. Swindell at this place. See card.

P. E. Byrd & Co., of Edenton, invites the attention of our readers to their advertisement.

The advertisement of Nags Head Hotel, under the management of C. W. & F. M. Grice, will be found in this issue. Post yourself for the summer by reading it.

CASTORIA For Infants and Children. The most desirable medicine for children.

FOR SALE The Most Desirable Cottage on NAG'S HEAD!

The Jones cottage—situated 200 yds. south of hotel, 2 stories, 7 rooms, tongue and grooved floors and piazza all around building, double kitchen with rooms for servants; also mattresses, chairs, tables, lounges and good cook stove. Drive pump and good water nearby. Title guaranteed. Can be bought very cheap. Apply to J. M. JONES, EDENTON, N. C.

A NEW DEPARTURE FOR EDENTON.

The now famous Optician, Watchmaker and Jeweler has added to his workshop a GOLD and SILVER

Plateing Department. Work guaranteed or money refunded. Respectfully, B. E. BYRD & CO.

SPRING SHAVES! AND NEAT HAIR CUTS ARE TO BE HAD AT ALL HOURS AT W. C. PARSONS' TONSORIAL PARLOR, On POINDEXTER STREET.

The most popular place in the city. Fine Barbers and everything to please the customer. A Call Will be Appreciated.

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 pills when Grove's Tasteless Chill Tonic is as pleasant as Lemon Syrup. Your druggist is authorized to refund the money in every case where it fails to cure. Price, 50 cents.

FOR RENT! A furnished cottage on the beach at Nag's Head, also a vacant lot on the beach for sale. Apply to Mrs. F. L. GRANDY, Eliz. City, N. C.

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 Readers.

A revival is in progress at the M. E. Church.

Mrs. T. G. Skinner, of Hertford, is in this city.

Polk Miller will be at the Court House Hall to-night.

Miss Lucy Twine, of Winfall, is visiting friends in the city.

Mr. George W. Cobb was at Raleigh this week on business.

Miss Sarah Gaither, of Hertford, is visiting friends in this city.

Delightful rains on yesterday much to the delight of every body.

The schooner Wm. Hill has been undergoing repairs this week.

The admission to the Fire Company's Minstrel will be 25 and 35 cents.

Miss Ida Murden will sever her connection with the Racket Store on to-morrow.

Mrs. John H. Banks went to Norfolk this week to spend a few days with friends.

Mrs. Harry West, of Cornland, Va., is visiting her mother Mrs. Brooks, on Road street.

Mrs. W. W. Leary, of Roper, is in the city on a visit to her son, Mr. W. J. Woodley.

Messes. Louis Hines and R. W. Temple, of Edenton, spent last Sunday in this city.

Mr. E. F. Sawyer is attending the Grand Lodge of Odd Fellows this week at Charlotte.

Miss Inez Angel, of New Berne, is the guest of Miss Katie Davis, on Pennsylvania Ave.

Miss Rosalie Mitchell, of Edenton, is the guest of her brother, A. H. Mitchell, on Martin St.

Picnics will soon be in order. A few warm days and people will begin to talk about them.

Miss Kate Engle has accepted a position in the Dry Goods establishment of Sawyer & Jones.

Miss Jacobs, of South Mills, is being entertained this week by Miss Wilma Sawyer on Main street.

The Ceylon-India Tea Company has opened a tea store on Main street, opposite Albemarle Hotel.

Mr. Charley Balfour, of Norfolk, has been spending several days with his sister, Mrs. J. H. LeRoy.

The Naval Reserves of this city contemplates holding a "Military Bazaar" about the 10th of June.

For Rent—A new residence on Burgess Street. Roomy and convenient. Apply to J. W. Sharber.

Mr. and Mrs. David Whitehurst have returned after a very pleasant tour through the Northern cities.

Mrs. Herbert Newby of Hertford, spent Tuesday in Elizabeth City, the guest of Mrs. O. McMullan.

A party will be given by the young people to-night at the residence of Mr. B. F. Spence, on Road street.

Mrs. Joseph Booth, of New York, spent Sunday last in Elizabeth City, the guest of Mrs. Frank Cook, Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. Jordan, of New York, are the guests of their cousin, Mr. C. T. Merrill, at the Hotel Arlington.

E. D. Midgett and wife of Mann Harbor Dare Co. N. C. are the guest of A. E. Mann this week in this city.

Miss Bessie Morgan, of Shawboro was in the city this week, the guest of Miss Bessie Crawford, on Main Street.

Mrs. Frank Cook, Sr., returned home Wednesday from Norfolk, where she has been spending some time with friends.

Messrs. A. E. Mann and Will Hettrick were at South Mills Saturday. They report work on the canal locks progressing.

The Gramophone exhibition given by Mr. J. D. Sykes last Friday night at the A. C. Institute was enjoyed by many.

Miss Sallie Pegram, daughter of Rev. J. D. Pegram, of Garysburg, N. C., is visiting her sister Mrs. R. A. Dudley in this city.

We are in receipt of an unsigned communication from Poplar Branch. Writers must send us their names if they wish communications published.

Educate Your Bowels With Cascarets. Candy Cathartic, cure constipation forever. 10c, 25c. If C. C. C. fail, druggists refund money.

There are some people who never wear dark glasses and yet they never see anything bright; it's the people who are dyspeptic and soured. Everything is out of joint with such people. "I suffered many years with Dyspepsia and liver troubles but have been relieved since taking Simmons' Liver Regulator. I know others who have been greatly benefited by its use."—James Nowland, Catrolton, Mo.

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Misses Lennie Rogers, Cora Gard and Mittie Hayman returned this week from a pleasant visit to friends at Buffalo City, N. C.

Miss Hallie Dickerson, of Greensboro, who has been teaching at the home of Mr. John T. Davis, in this county, was in the city Wednesday on her way home.

Mr. D. R. Morgan will leave Monday next for Charlotte, N. C., to attend the Firemen's State Convention as a representative of the Albemarle Company of this city.

The Naval Reserves in uniform will attend service next Sunday night at the Presbyterian church at which time Dr. Johnston will preach a special sermon to them.

The mammoth barge, Fred Walton, used by the N. & S. R. R. Company as a floating wharf at Ocracoke, was pulled out and repaired and painted this week at Scott's Shipyard.

Louis Selig makes a special offer for the next ten days. Ladies' Solid Gold watches, with Elgin or Waltham movements, at \$15.00 each. It will pay you to give him a call.

Next Sunday a number of young men of Elizabeth City will go to Edenton on bicycles to hear Evangelist Schoolfield. The party will leave Hathaway Bros. corner promptly at 6 a. m.

The 14th annual Council of the Diocese of East Carolina, is to be held in Goldsboro, May 20th, 1897. Tickets will be sold by the N. & S. R. R. via New Berne May 18th to 20th, good to return until the 30th. From Elizabeth City, \$4.00; Hertford, \$5.00; Edenton, \$6.05.

The "Praise Service" held last Sunday night at the Baptist church was a grand affair. The church was packed to its utmost capacity. The instrumental and vocal music was beautiful and inspiring, and the programme was made up of some of the finest sacred selections.

The Minstrel, organized for the benefit of the Albemarle Fire Co., will give a performance next Wednesday night at Overman's Academy of Music. An amusing and unique program will be rendered by selected performers. The music will be a striking feature. The songs are of the latest and jokes up-to-date. Give the boys a big audience.

Rev. W. O. A. Graham, A. B., D. D., Superintendent of the Atlantic Mission Conference, M. E. church, and President of Graham Seminary, Marshallberg, N. C., preached on the doctrine of Sanctification to a large, quiet and respectful audience at the Opera House Wednesday night. At the close of the sermon 21 persons came forward seeking the divine blessing. The interest in the meeting increases at each service.

When you are weak, tired and lifeless, you need to enrich and purify your blood with Hood's Sarsaparilla.

The election of Town Commissioners on Monday last was a quiet affair. All the Republican nominees were elected except in the Second Ward, where the Democratic nominee was elected without opposition. The Commissioners are: For the First Ward, J. A. Kramer; Second Ward, Dr. W. W. Griggs; Third Ward, F. Spence; Fourth Ward, T. A. Commander; Fifth Ward, Dr. Palemon John. Mr. Kramer is the only Commissioner not a member of the old board. The Mayor, Chief of Police and other town officers will be elected by the Commissioners at their first meeting on the first Monday in June.

The Wilmington Messenger, in speaking of the pleasant session of the Southern Baptist Convention held in that city, contains the following complimentary notice: "Dr. C. S. Blackwell, of Elizabeth City, N. C., is without doubt one of the most unique and conspicuous figures in the convention. He is president of the Baptist Young People's Union forces of the State and pastor of the first church in his city. He is a preacher of great vigor of thought, an orator of thrilling and matchless force, and a lecturer of national reputation and universal popularity. He is prominently mentioned for the position of corresponding secretary to the Baptist Young People's Union of the South."

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A CARD.

Owing to the ill health of Dr. R. B. Swindell, he has had to give up the practice of dentistry, and I wish to announce that I have desolved co-partnership with Dr. Parker, of Goldsboro, and will move to Elizabeth City, where I will be glad to serve Dr. Swindell's patrons and the public generally, in the most skilled and improved practice of dentistry. Office at same place. S. W. GREGORY.

IN NORFOLK JAIL.

Mr. M. Traver, who recently located in Pasquotank county and having purchased property and built a nice home near Berea church, is in Norfolk jail. He sold property over which there seems to be some contention as to title of same.

The Best Remedy for Rheumatism.

From the Fairhaven (N. Y.) Register. James Rowland of this village, states that for twenty-five years his wife has been a sufferer from rheumatism. A few nights ago she was in such pain that she was nearly crazy. She sent Mr. Rowland for the doctor, but he had read of Chamberlain's Pain Balm and instead of going for the physician he went to the store and secured a bottle of it. His wife did not approve of Mr. Rowland's purchase at first, but nevertheless applied the Balm thoroughly and in an hour's time was able to go to sleep. She now applies it whenever she feels an ache or a pain and finds that it always gives relief. He says that no medicine which she had used ever did her as much good. The 25 and 50 cents sizes for sale by W. W. Griggs & Son.

The FISHERMAN & FARMER'S agent made a very successful trip this week through Currituck, and Camden counties, bringing in many new subscribers and several orders for Job printing.

Much in Little

Is especially true of Hood's Pills, for no medicine ever contained so great curative power in so small space. They are a whole medicine.

Hood's Pills

cheat, always ready, always efficient, always satisfactory; prevent a cold or fever, cure all liver ailments, headache, jaundice, constipation, etc. etc. The only Pills to take with Hood's Sarsaparilla.

NAGS HEAD HOTEL

Open From June 15th To Sept. 15th, '97.

The hotel has been renovated and improved, and will be conducted under new management

C. W. & F. M. GRICE, PROPRIETORS.

The favorite Summer Resort on the North Carolina Coast.

For novelty of scenery and entirely new experience in sea-shore life, this old-time resort surpasses them all.

SURFBAGGING is the delight of the strong and vigorous, while invalids and children can bathe in the salt water of the Sound with safety and pleasure.

Driving, Sailing and Fishing. The Fishing is unsurpassed.

Commencing July 1st, Steamer Newberne will make daily trips, leaving Elizabeth City at 1 p. m. Returning, leaves Nags Head at 6 a. m. Saturdays steamer will be held at Eliz. City until 3 p. m. Steamer can be chartered for Excursions on Tuesdays. For further information address

C. W. & F. M. GRICE.

Get on to This

P. DeLON, Repair Shop, Matthew Street, ELIZABETH CITY, N. C.

With proper tools and much experience I can guarantee work done in the best workmanship manner and to be satisfactory to all. I can also supply bicyclists with all equipments belonging to wheels.

Prices Low. My shop is thoroughly equipped which enables me to do work neatly and promptly. Give me a Trial.

Geo. Tait & Son, Seed Growers, 78 Commercial Place, Norfolk, Va.

GOOD SEEDS GOOD SOIL GOOD CULTIVATION

and then you may reasonably expect good crops. Sometimes, by extra cultivation, you may get along pretty well on really poor soils, and sometimes, on extra soils, passable crops are made without proper cultivation, but there is one thing to be remembered—no matter what the soil or the cultivation, you will never succeed unless the seeds are all right. "Figs do not grow from thistles," nor good crops from poor seeds.

We sell no seeds which are not good. Will you let us help you to grow good crops? No matter how small operations may be, we want to furnish the seeds, and you will be surprised to find how easy it is to buy our seeds by mail. Write for a catalogue—it is the best ever written for the Southern gardener.

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and a pretty foot in a pretty Shoe is a good deal more. But a pretty foot in an ill-looking, ill-fitting shoe is worst of all. The Oxford Ties and Sandals we sell will make a pretty foot prettier, or a less attractive "understanding" neat and trim. We've the nicest line we ever carried; neatest shapes; all toes and all prices from 50c to \$2.50. We can suit any Purse.

FIT ANY MAID BUT A MERMAID.

and we'd try right hard to fit her. They come in Blacks and Russets; bows or buckles, and are altogether the cheapest foot-beautifiers you ever saw anywhere near the price we ask.

MOSES WEISEL, WATER STREET, ELIZABETH CITY.

BICYCLES!

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ANNOUNCEMENT!

I have purchased for CASH FIFTY brand-new "RUGBY" BICYCLES, the same to be delivered to me in quantities to meet my requirements, and in view of the low price at which I made this purchase, I shall dispose of this stock at a price within the reach of everybody. These wheels were

MANUFACTURED BY THE CRAWFORD MANUFACTURING COMPANY, HAGERSTOWN, MD., AND LISTED IN 1896 AT \$75.00.

They are now offered to you at the ridiculously low prices of

\$29.75 for Gentlemen.

\$32.75 "Ladies.

These Wheels are advertised daily by the largest dealers in New York City at \$35.00 and \$40.00 respectively for Gentlemen and Ladies models.

Below you will find a List of Other Bargains:

1897 "Elmores," Gentlemen, 28 in Wheels, \$37.50. "Elmores," Ladies 28 inch Wheels, 38.50. "Elmores," Youths 26 inch Wheels, 35.00. "Elmores," Misses, 26 inch Wheels, 35.00.

1897 SEARCH-LIGHT LAMPS, \$3.50 EACH.

RAMBLER AND CRESCENT, The Highest of high-grade Bicycles from \$50 to \$80. NONE BETTER MADE

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CURES ALL Headache.

And gives new life to the nerves. 2 Large Doses for 10 cts.



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