

**\$50,000**  
Being Invested in Manufacturing Enterprise in Elizabeth City.

Very few people in Elizabeth City, know that a stock company has recently been organized here with capital to the amount of fifty thousand dollars, to be invested in manufacturing enterprises. But such, we learn, is the fact.

A few days ago Mr. E. R. Wixon, of Providence, R. I., came South with several thousand dollars to invest in Southern enterprises. Having secured a through ticket, over the N. & S. Railroad, he gave Elizabeth City the go-by and went to Edenton and there remained several days. On his return trip Mr. Wixon stopped to take a peep at us, and was in the city scarcely a day before he had become favorably impressed with our town and people. He was met by one of our most progressive citizens, Mr. N. R. Zimmerman, who delighted in showing him our town and country. Among the many things pointed out to the visitor was the little mill on Poindecker street known as the Cotton Mills Supply Company. Knowing the demand for its product he became interested, purchased stock and organized a company with \$50,000 capital. Mr. Wixon is now North purchasing the latest improved machinery for the mill, and as soon as it arrives and is put in motion everything used in a cotton factory, such as spools, spindles, &c., will be manufactured by this concern. Other enterprises will be started by the Company later.

I desire to attest to the merits of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy as one of the most valuable and efficient preparations on the market. It broke an exceedingly dangerous cough for me in 24 hours, and in gratitude therefor, I desire to inform you that I will never be without it, and you should feel proud of the high esteem in which your Remedies are held by people in general. It is the one remedy among ten thousand. Success to it—O. R. DOWNIE, Editor Democrat, Albion, Ind. For sale by W. W. Griggs & Son.

**SMOKER**  
**The World's Favorite**  
**5c. Cigar.**  
Manufactured by  
**C. W. STEVENS & Co.,**  
Elizabeth City.

**THE WEEK AT EDENTON.**

Items of a Personal and Newsy Character.

Beautiful weather.  
Court at Hertford next week.  
Mr. W. H. Baker will be in Hertford next week.

Hon. W. M. Bond, of Greenville, was in the city this week.  
Miss Pearl Eure, of Norfolk, is the guest of relatives in Edenton.

Mr. Stephen Barnes and family, spent Sunday in Elizabeth City.

Rev. Mr. Davis and wife, of Plymouth, spent Sunday in Edenton.

Mr. Wallace Winborne has returned from a business trip to Norfolk, Va.

The factory of the Edenton Ice and Cold Storage Co., is a busy place these days.

Our fishermen have been catching all the shad they could conveniently handle, this week.

Mr. Wm. J. Leary, Jr., has placed a very handsome soda fountain in his drug store this week.

Great many new residences are being erected in Edenton just now. Evidences of prosperity!

After spending several days in the city, Miss Ada Melick left to day for her home in Elizabeth City.

Mr. William Spruill, of Columbia, N. C., has removed his family to Edenton. We welcome them.

See ad. of S. L. Hyman, repairer of sewing machines, and let him put your machine in first-class order.

Mr. D. G. Bond left Tuesday morning for Norfolk, Va., having accepted a position in the Gosport Navy Yard.

Mrs. I. A. White, after a delightful visit with relatives in Edenton, left Tuesday for her home in Norfolk, Va.

By far, the prettiest wheel we have yet seen is the new Colum-

bia chainless bicycle, ridden by Mr. Joe Baumgardner, of this city.

Mr. R. J. Butler, of Jamestown, N. J., who has been spending several weeks with his son-in-law, Mr. F. M. Whitmore, left Tuesday for his home.

Rev. K. H. Basmajian, a native Armenian, delivered an interesting illustrated lecture on Armenia, before a large audience at Rea's Opera House, on Monday night.

The reliable "pound net" has amply demonstrated its superiority over the "gill net," during the past week. Of the great number of fish caught, the bulk came from the pound nets.

Mrs. Jno. C. Bond returned a few days ago from Baltimore, where she went to undergo a very serious surgical operation. We are pleased to hear she is improving as fast as could be expected.

WAR WITH SPAIN or other powers, would cause trouble for some one. A sewing machine out of repair also causes trouble for the busy seamstress. I cannot avert war, but I can repair your sewing machine, (no matter how badly out of repair it may be), and put it in first-class condition. My charges will be low and my work guaranteed. Orders left at L. F. Ziegler's furniture store will have my prompt attention. Give me a trial. Respectfully,  
S. K. HYMAN.

**GLIDEN.**

The weather is just as fine as can be for farm work.

Public Schools in this section are nearly all closed.

Messrs Wiggins & Bros., saw mill, newly erected commenced work yesterday.

Mr. Willie Briggs and Miss Fanny Stallings, were married last Wednesday night.

Mr. Jacob T. Spivy, are able to be out again after several days treatment by Dr. T. N. White.

Mr. Timothy Bunch, who has been sick for some months has not improved much at this writing.

Mr. A. J. Ward's Water Hill came near being torn up badly, caused by a leak through the dam near the house.

Dr. R. F. Lamb and two Justices of the Peace, Miles W. Elliott and O. E. Ward, were called to the house of Mr. Frank E. Parkers whom they examined for insanity and upon the certificate of Dr. Lamb was recommended to the Asylum.  
A. J. W.

**SUPERIOR COURT.**  
The Mill of Justice is Grinding Away This Week in Elizabeth City.

The Spring Term of Pasquotank Superior Court is in session this week, Judge Norwood presiding.

Judge Norwood's charge to the grand jury was an able one—plain and instructive. As an officer, he is just and equitable, painstaking, kind and courteous. He knows his duty and fearlessly and honestly executes it.

Up to noon yesterday the following cases were disposed of:

**STATE DOCKET.**  
State vs. Charles Thompson and Robert Gray, false pretense; nol pros with leave.

State vs. Mary Davis, alias Brozier, bigamy; nol pros with leave.

State vs. Wiley Robinson, carrying concealed weapon and affray; nol pros with leave.

State vs. James Brown, assault; nol pros.

State vs. John Gordon, abandonment of wife; nol pros.

State vs. F. Pruschanski, assault; nol pros.

State vs. Aaron Johnson, injuring stock; jury verdict guilty; discharged on payment of costs.

State vs. Isaac Whedbee, false pretense; acquitted.

State vs. Henry McCleese, carrying concealed weapon; guilty; judgment suspended on payment of costs.

State vs. Sansberry Riddick, carrying concealed weapon; discharged on payment of costs.

State vs. Buck Baxter, forcible trespass; submission; discharged on payment of costs.

State vs. Ambrose Bright and Margaret Griffin, f. and a.; acquitted.

State vs. Edward Reed, removing crops; submits and is discharged on payment of costs.

State vs. Ambrose Bright, assault with deadly weapon; nol pros.

State vs. Paul Brinkley, larceny; pleads guilty and is sentenced to six months in the penitentiary.

State vs. Daniel Barner, assault with deadly weapon; tried and acquitted.

State vs. Ed Markham and James Palmer, affray. Palmer submits and is discharged on payment of costs.

**CIVIL DOCKET.**

The only case on the Civil docket that has been reached, is the suit for \$15,000 damages brought by Mrs. L. A. Brown against Jesse Brown, for alienating the affections of her husband. Both defendants prominent colored people of Elizabeth City. The case is of unusual interest, and is attracting a large crowd.

Let and Sawyer are for plaintiff, while the defendant is represented by Pruden, Garner and Ward. The trial has been in progress for three days and will perhaps occupy the rest of the week.

The suit of R. C. Evans vs. O. B. and Nannie E. Baker, has been removed to Dare county.

**Merit Made**  
Made and Merit Maintains the confidence of the people in Hood's Sarsaparilla medicine cures you when sick; if it does not cure you, it will save every penny you pay for it. See that you get G. A. S. T. O. B. I. A. The only signature of *Charles H. Fletcher* is on every wrapper.

**Hood's Sarsaparilla**  
Is the best—in fact the One True Blood Purifier. It cures nausea, indigestion, biliousness. 25 cents.

**Unloaded The Schooners.**  
So now we are prepared to lead your Jug and fill your Bottle with one of those choice Liquor, Wine, Brand, etc., at **BERGERON'S BEER ON DRAUGHT**—AND—**FINE CIGARS**

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**SEE THAT THE FAC-SIMILE SIGNATURE OF EVERY WRAPPER OF EVERY BOTTLE OF CASTORIA**

*Charles H. Fletcher*  
IS ON THE WRAPPER OF EVERY BOTTLE OF CASTORIA

Castoria is put up in one-ounce bottles only. It is not sold in bulk. Don't allow anyone to sell you anything else on the plea or promise that it is "just as good" and "will answer every purpose." See that you get G. A. S. T. O. B. I. A. The only signature of *Charles H. Fletcher* is on every wrapper.

**GRANDMA'S SYRUP OF RATS**

Why do you wait till you get down before taking medicine. When you feel dull, aching and stretching, just remember that the next thing will be malaria chills and fever. To avoid this, use the great **Fruit Laxative** if taken in time it will save you a long spell of sickness, and much money. It is for the **Kidneys, Liver and Stomach,** and will cure **Constipation.**—A Safe Remedy for Young and Old.—**Regular Size 25 and 50 cents. Trial Size 10 Cents.**

MADE BY YEAKEL DRUG CO., BALTIMORE MARYLAND.

**LUMBER AND Truck Boxes CRATES**

Now is the time to place your order for the latter for the Spring Shipping. Address **Kramer Bros., & Co.,** Elizabeth City N. C.

**KEEPS IT ON HAND**

*Gen. D. S. Forbes*  
Fredonia, N. Y.

**Dr. Fenner's Remedy Never Fails.**

It is a Sarsaparilla-Mandrake-Prince's Fine Astringent, Nerve Tonic and Restorative Compound. **CERTAIN AS THE LAW OF GRAVITATION.** Physics from blood, liver and tissues all worn-out particles and impurities, without weakening but strengthening and restores the Nerves. Cures Head aches, Dyspepsia, Constipation, Bad Breaths, Skin Diseases, Old Sores, Blisters, Scrofula, General Debility, etc. **Satisfaction Guaranteed. Sample free.** Mother! Keep your child's stomach and bowels healthy with Dr. Fenner's Sarsaparilla. The best laxative and corrective known. **Dr. Fenner's Soothing Syrup.** Allays irritation and gives refreshing sleep. **Dr. Fenner's Worm Syrup.** "Brings out" worms from our child. **Dr. Fenner's Family Salt Rheum Ointment.** Best for eruptions, Piles, Sores, Cuts, etc.

**HATS.**  
**THE BERKENSTOCK SPECIAL.**  
Our buyer has selected one of the largest lines of goods for the head-wear of his life; for men, boys and children, consisting of the Spring Shape Stiff Hats of all colors. The most modern shape in Alpine for this spring; and in colors to suit your clothes. We have decidedly the largest line of Straw Hats in Elizabeth City for the respected ages of men, boys and children.

**SHOES.**  
We have just received 100 pairs of Messrs. Ziegler Bros. most modern styles and colors of fast wear, for ladies and in such toes and colors as will suit our buyers and as we are sure of pleasing—will be much pleased to show our line to all the ladies—misses' and childrens', numbers 3 and 4, made by Ziegler Bros. and Woodbury Shoe Co.—in Slippers and High Shoes to suit the occasion. We are agents for Louis A. Crosett's Fine Shoes for men and boys in modern prices. We have all the latest styles and colors; prices to suit. 5000 pairs of men's and boy's cheap Shoes in such prices and styles as the public wish.

**MR. EDITOR:—**  
We have just returned from the north with as fine a line of Dry Goods as has been brought here for years. We find since we have taken on a lady buyer, that our Dress Goods Department is so much improved, that goods go with but little effort; in fact, we find the expense is nothing to having our lady customers so well pleased with a nice line of Dress Goods; and our ladies' department is in much better shape, having gotten all the modern styles in Trimmings etc. As we have been coming before our customers through your valuable paper, we want you to remember us kindly to all the buyers in this section of the state and say we have one of the largest and nicest assortment of goods for the trade that we have ever had; and we will mention a few of them.

**CLOTHING.**  
We would most respectfully invite you to call and examine our stock of Clothing for spring and summer before you purchase, and see one of the best stocks in Elizabeth City; and decidedly one of the best fitting lines you have ever had the pleasure of examining. Well, the prices are so low that we will not mention them, as you will be so well pleased we are sure of selling to our customer; in fact the line is complete.

**Dress Goods Department.**  
5000 yards of Dress Goods for Spring and Summer wear; consisting of Covert Cloth in all colors, Serges, Whipcord, Silk, Wool Dress Patterns Plaids, etc. A full line of Silks (changeable), Taffetas plain, plaid and figured, in both colors and black. Wash Goods of every description and of the very latest colors and style, Hamburgs, Ginghams, Dimities and Organdies. White Goods of all kinds and prices. A line of Percalé Shirtwaists from 35c. to \$1.00.

**Notions and Trimmings.**  
A complete line of Ladies' Collars, Cuffs and Neckwear. Belts of all colors. Plaid, Striped and Drop-stitch. These of every description. Sontache, Tubular and Fancy Braids for trimming; Roman strip lining the newest thing for Ladies' Skirts. Gloves to match any dress.

**Gents' Furnishing Goods.**  
This department is the largest and most complete in our experience for the spring and summer use. Shirts of all kinds and prices. Our neckwear and Collars are of the latest styles that can be had. Hosiery, Suspenders, Underwear and such as the men and boys will wish. The finest line of Umbrellas we have ever brought to this market; at such prices as you can not help buying.

**SAWYER & JONES.**  
Elizabeth City, N. C.