

## A Statement

Of facts is always interesting. The recent depression in business—competition among the manufacturers—improved machinery—are all facts that have united to make watches cheaper than ever before. Our stock includes all styles, from \$2.50 up. But we sell none that we cannot guarantee.

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Have the Best.

## Talk Is Cheap.

A man might talk "hill doomsday" about himself and his business, and still he would make no permanent impression on the people if he told falsehoods. The public has a way of finding things out themselves. Sometimes you can fool the people a little while, but it doesn't last long. We have a good deal to say about our watches and jewelry, and about our moderate prices, because we are confident we are right in this matter. We feel sure the public likes to know who sells the best jewelry, and who charges the smallest prices. We are sure, because when they buy once they keep on buying, for

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## LOCAL NEWS.

R. J. Mitchell had his fall and winter opening Wednesday. See ad. on editorial page.

Blucher Ehringhouse and Nathan W. Walker of the A. C. I. have entered the Sophomore class at the University.

David Davis, an old citizen of this town, departed this life on Sunday, after long and painful sickness, aged 67 years.

Miss Lina V. James and Mr. R. H. Welch were united in holy matrimony, at her home in lower Pasquotank, by Rev. P. S. C. Davis, on September 29, 1898.

Mr. Weeks, assistant Professor of the A. G. I. made us a courteous call last week. He is a graduate of Wake Forest College, a man of culture and pleasant address and makes a good impression on first acquaintance.

Mr. T. T. Whitcomb was elected Mayor of Elizabeth City on Monday night by the town authorities vice I. M. Meekins resigned. Mr. Whitcomb per se would make a good Mayor, but he will be connected with evil influences that we fear he will not be able to withstand. So, we shall await developments.

We beg pardon for our typos last week in printing J. M. Beasley, of Currituck instead of S. M. Beasley. If printers have to give an account of the typographical errors they have committed on earth then they are a doomed class of men, and should constantly supplicate for mercy for misdeeds done in the body.

Departed this life on Tuesday, 4th inst. at his home in this town, Mr. J. J. Jordan. He was a native of this county and all his mature life he was a peaceable and quiet citizen of this town. He was a member of the order of F. & A. M. and was laid to rest with Masonic ceremony and the funeral religious service was conducted by Rev. W. S. Penick. He was about 46 years old.

Mrs. Overby, beloved wife of Rev. Dr. R. R. Overby, departed this life in Camden county on Sunday, aged about 75 years. Mrs. Overby was a most exemplary woman, a devout Christian, a faithful friend, a charitable, kind and sympathizing woman. She was a devoted wife and a hearty worker with her distinguished husband in his varied and useful labors.

We are requested by Mr. Roscoe Turner, one of the committee of arrangements for the grand White Man's Union rally in Lowry's Academy, to announce that it will take place on Monday night 17th inst. instead of the 10th as heretofore stated. This postponement is made to give the ladies, who will kindly assist us in the musical entertainment, an opportunity of making more thorough preparation. All white men who are opposed to negro supremacy are cordially invited to attend.

## Skinner did not meet Small at Edenton on Monday.

Mr. Louis Selig, jeweler, leaves to-morrow for New York to purchase his holiday and Christmas goods. Look out for something handsome.

Willie Wemycott, a native of this town, who enlisted in the army from Portsmouth, Va., is critically ill of lockjaw at camp in Jacksonville, Florida.

Mrs. Dr. Flades, and her little son Camden, after an absence during the summer in the mountains of Pennsylvania, have returned in perfect health.

Mrs. S. P. Wilson, of Burlington, N. C., who has been at the Johns Hopkins hospital several weeks, left here, where she has been some days visiting relatives, returned home yesterday, much improved in health.

Major and Mrs. Green left for their home in Alexandria, Va., on Monday, accompanied by Rev. and Mrs. L. L. Williams and Mrs. Alexander Wadsworth, who will be the guests of Major and Mrs. Green during the sessions of the General Convention of the Protestant Episcopal Church which assembled in Washington, D. C., on Wednesday and will be in session about three weeks. Major Green called on Monday t. t. l.

The city of Norfolk, our neighbor and friend, is in the throes of a smallpox scare, and the doctors' lancet and vaccine virus are doing a great work. And it is well, blessed be the memory of Dr. Jenner, and also the cow that first furnished him the virus that counteracted the ill of one of the greatest scourges of mankind in the prehistoric times. The duty of Betsy and its people is to follow suit to Norfolk and be vaccinated and protected. It is said to be a life protection, but in the German armies vaccination is repeated every seven years.

On Monday we had one of the nicest presents that has lately met our eyes—a nice, big basket of fully ripe, luscious, brown figs, that primeval fruit that antedates all others that sacred history makes mention of, save the apple,—that fruit that is associated with ideas of food and raiment. The basket of figs was kindly sent to us by one of our oldest and most valued friends—Joseph Wilson. May he live long and prosper and may his shadow never grow less.

Mr. A. B. L. Tillett, surfman, No. 1 of Kill Devil Hills Life Saving Station, made us a call on Saturday, which we greatly appreciated and which added much to our Life Saving fundum of learning. He is a fine specimen of stalwart manhood, and if we were drowning in the surf and he had us in his grip we would feel confidence of prolonged life. He has been 17 years in the service and has missed only 15 days from sickness in all that time, and the sickness then was not serious. He is of the highest type of Currituck manhood and intelligence.

We have just finished reading the Fourth of July Oration delivered by Cadet S. A. Ansell at West Point on July 4th, 1898. It is a thoughtful and scholarly production, not overloaded with effulgence of diction or fervor of patriotism. He who delivers a fourth of July Oration, has no easy task. He brings old straw, oft threshed, to his winnowing threshing floor, and he is fortunate indeed if he can find a grain of sound wheat in a wagon load of chaff and straw. Our young friend has discharged his difficult task with accustomed credit.

It is announced that I. M. Meekins, Esq., was expected to be taken down by the executive Committee of the Fusion parties from the place of Republican candidate and W. J. Leary, Esq., taken down from the place of Judge in the First District and substituted for Meekins and A. M. Moore, Esq., retained. It is the opinion of many of the servers that it will be easier to beat Leary than Meekins. We will see what we will see. It is not our fight but it is our opinion that Meekins has been treated badly, and murdered in the house of his friends.

We ask a thousand pardons of Mr. John A. Burgess, late of Washington, N. C., for having, innocently, in an episode in the Economist of last week subjected him to the suspicion of being John H. Burgess, by leaving out the letter H. in John H. Burgess name. They are separate and distinct, quite contrariwise. John H. is a Republican, and an aspirant to the place of pie sucker, while J. A. is a Democrat and a gentleman, A. is our valued friend. H. we decline the honor. H. wants to be chief Post Office clerk under Jack. A. is not a seeker for pie neither at the National, State or corporation pie counters.

**Children**  
are a source of comfort. They are a source of care, also. If you care for your child's health, send for illustrated book on the disorders to which children are subject, and which Fry's Vermifuge has cured for 50 years.  
One bottle will cost 25 cents.  
E. & S. FRY,  
Baltimore, Md.

## The Grand Rally

On Monday night, Oct. 17th our Campaign Club will have a grand rally in Lowry's Academy in this town, at which the ladies will be present and will assist in the entertainment. There will be speeches, vocal and instrumental music and other entertainments suitable to the occasion. A committee of arrangements and invitation, composed of Roscoe Turner, A. S. Neal and Howard Mitchell, are doing their whole duty to make the occasion memorable in the annals of this campaign in which Anglo-Saxon supremacy is put to the test against low whites who are seeking their own selfish ends and negro hordes who are obeying the infamous orders of these shameless and dangerous white leaders. The co-operation in this campaign demonstration, is desired of all white men in all parts of the district who believe in good government of white men, and who are determined to stamp out this foul combination of low whites and negroes in the dust of Carolina, at the polls on the 8th of November. We hope all white men who are true to Carolina will join us in this demonstration, and renew in their hearts the fires of patriotism, of State pride, of white manhood and Anglo-Saxon supremacy. The accommodations for the entertainment are ample and all true white men will be welcomed with open-handed hospitality. If the weather is favorable it will be a memorable and long remembered occasion.

If your blood is thin, appetite poor, troubled with night sweat, a bad cold or LaGrippe take Robert's chill tonic. All druggists.

Watches of good value and the best styles and most popular prices, at Hathaway Bros.

A Venerable Relic.

Mr. Henry A. Bond, of Edenton, has kindly sent us a well preserved copy of the "Hornet's Nest," published in Murfreesboro, N. C. March 17th, 1814. It was edited by one M. Huntington, and is a five column quarto. In this issue it announces a change of name and base. It is to be removed to Newbern and its name is to be changed from "Hornet's Nest" to "Carolinian." This number of the Hornet's Nest is rather scant of local, domestic occurrences, devoting most of its attention to foreign affairs, chiefly referring to our military contention with Great Britain. But the paper reveals to us something of the times when we were in the first stage of Aron's seven ages. The most conspicuous thing in the paper is an advertisement of a "Main of Cocks," between Virginia and North Carolina. So Murfreesboro must have then been a chicken fighting town, for the fight was advertised to come off at Mr. Ramsy's, a citizen. A prominent publication is by one James Figures who went over into Gates county to be married, but he didn't, and he ventilates his wrath, thus:

To all whom it may concern: Be it known, that I, James Figures, on Monday morning last, went to Gates county, in the full expectation of bringing home a wife; but was greatly disappointed by the unjustifiable, abominable, notorious, rumbunctious and scampacious conduct of one Wm. Wiggins, who went there just before I was to be married, purposely to break up the match, I have understood, and I believe it to be true, that he is to give Willis Wiggins, his brother-in-law, fifty dollars for breaking up the match, which extraordinary business he has but too fatally accomplished. It is my opinion, that he had better kept that fifty dollars, in particular to pay some of his debts. He and his sister Rebecca told as many lies on me as they could well make out to be true, all which I am able to prove false by as good men or better than are in the county. The reason of his telling these lies on me was because he could not get the girl himself. I at first, to be sure, was somewhat irritated with wrath, but on reflection recomposed myself and returned home in as high spirits as ever I was in all my life. The disappointment with respect to the wedding, although monstrously great, did not destroy my appetite for as good a dinner as ever was prepared on such an occasion; and which I partook of on my return. Such rumbunctious conduct, however, as these folks have been guilty of ought seriously to be protested, and I take this opportunity of opposing them to the world, and exhorting my own conduct in the affair which has been uniformly honorable and upright as becomes a gentleman and man of honor.

JAMES FIGURES.  
Feb. 5, 1814.

Selig has just received a new and handsome line of Diamond rings.

Robert's is the chill tonic you want because it cures. 25c per bottle. No cure no pay. Pleasant as a Florida orange. For sale at Grigg & Son, City Drug Store and Wood's Drug Store.

**A CARD.**  
To the Voters of Pasquotank County:  
I hereby announce myself for Sheriff of Pasquotank county, subject to the Democratic Convention.  
WILLIAM A. FOSTER.

Notice the grand display of Silverware in Selig's window this week.

**OUR**

# New Goods Are Now Arriving

**AND**

## WE ARE VERY BUSY PLACING THEM

**IN POSITION.**

Watch this space for further announcement.

# MOSES WEISEL.

## Registration Information.

White voters, make a note of this and act accordingly. You have now only three Saturdays in which to register—October 8th, 15th and 22d. You can register and procure certificates from 9 a. m., to 4 p. m. October 29th you can register and secure certificates from 9 a. m. to 12 m. except in incorporated towns and cities when they shall be kept open from 9 a. m., to 9 p. m.

If you have been a resident of the State 12 months and 90 days in the county, you can register and vote. If you have moved from one township to another, or precinct, you will have to obtain a certificate from the registrar at the precinct from whence you moved. If you have removed from one ward to another, it will be necessary to obtain a certificate. Let every white man see that he is properly registered—and his neighbor. You owe it to yourself, your family. The Anglo-Saxon race and good government demands of you to exercise your right of suffrage as freemen and restore the old North State to her former glory. Remember, that if you never voted in any general election at your precinct or ward, it is necessary that you register.

## Public Speaking.

We agree upon the following joint appointments for Hon. Harry Skinner and John H. Small in this campaign and the following as the towns of the speaking. One speaker to open one day and the other on the day and the other on the day following. Each party to speak one hour, and to have a rejoinder of twenty minutes.

Bethel	Pitt	Sat.	8
Columbia	Tyrrill	Tues.	11
Creswell	Wash'tn.	Wed.	12
Roper	"	Thurs.	13
Pantego	Beaufort	Frid'y.	14
Swan Quarter	Hyde	Sat.	15
Edwards	Beaufort	Tues.	18
Bayboro	Pamlico	Wed.	19
Beaufort	Carteret	Mon.	24

The speaking to begin at 12 m. each day unless changed by consent.  
W. B. RODMAN,  
Ch'm. Dem. Ex. Com.

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That is the way all druggists sell GROVE'S TASTELESS CHILL TONIC for Malaria, Chills and Fever. It is simply Iron and Quinine in a tasteless form. Children love it. Adults prefer it to bitter, nauseating Tonics. Price, 50c.

Not how much we can get, but how little we can take is the principle on which we gain patronage everyday.—Racket Store.

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CUT GLASS,  
SUGAR SPOONS,  
TABLE SPOONS,  
TEA SPOONS,  
KNIVES and FORKS**

And the Largest Line of

## Silver Plated Ware

That was ever shown in the city. Your time would be well spent looking over my line of

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## NOTICE!

By virtue of a decree of the Superior Court of Pasquotank county, N. C., in the case of George O. Burgess vs. Penelope P. Burgess, I will on Monday the 14th day of November 1898, offer for sale at public auction before the Court House door of said county the following described lands and improvements to wit:

1st tract, bounded on the North by the Union church property and Big Flatty Creek, on the East by the said Creek, on the South by the lands of B. T. James and West by the Public Road leading from said creek to the mouth of Little River, same containing 40 acres more or less.

2nd Tract of Woodland, bounded on the North and East by the lands of Elisha Lister, on the South by the lands of the said Lister and Albemarle Sound, on the West by the Public Road leading from Four Forks to the mouth of the said Little River, same containing 20 acres more or less.

Terms of sale: One third cash, one third in one year and the balance in two years from day of sale, with interest on deferred payments, or all cash at the option of the purchaser.

J. HEYWOOD SAWYER,  
Com'r. of the Court.

This 1st day of October 1898.

**SUPERIOR COURT** Before the Clk. CROWAN COUNTY.  
Marshall R. Perkins, Eliza J. Perkins, Margaret L. Marks and George W. Perkins vs. Atlas Perkins, John T. Perkins, Charles H. Perkins and Caleb Perkins.

The Defendants Atlas Perkins, John T. Perkins, Charles H. Perkins and Caleb Perkins, will take notice, that an action as above entitled has begun in the Superior Court of North Carolina, the purpose of which is to sell for division, certain lands belonging to the estate of Grace Perkins deceased. You are therefore notified to appear before me at my office in Edenton, N. C., on Friday November 4th, 1898 and answer or demur to the complaint of the plaintiffs, a copy of which will be filed in my office, or judgment will be taken against you according to the prayer of the Complaint.

H. C. FRIVOTT,  
Clk. Sup. Court, Crowan Co.  
This 8th day of Oct., 1898.

**For Sale Cheap.**  
3 second-hand Oil Cans—capacity 90 gallons.  
1 Store Truck.  
1 Show Case.  
1 Coffee Mill.  
ALLEGOOD & CO.,  
40 Poindexter St.

**Wanted.**  
A small farm of 60 acres. Will rent with option to buy during the year.  
E. F. & S. S. LAMB,  
Real Estate Agents

**For Sale.**  
A Nagle Boiler, 15 horse power, been in use only a short while.  
Also a 60 saw Brown Cotton Gin in fair order.  
E. F. & S. S. LAMB,