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When you see a banana peel resting on the sidewalk and a fat man unconsciously approaching it. The indications are for an early fall.

The announcement that Commander Peary will leave the Navy will cause no regrets. What surprises us is, how such a faker ever got in.

Perhaps the disturbance of the telegraph wires last Saturday was caused by the prediction of those religious fanatics in New England, who predicted the end of the world to occur last Friday.

The report comes from Winston-Salem that the Democrats of that city want to nominate Judge E. B. Jones for Congress in this, the 5th, District. Judge Jones will be as good material as they could put up for Mr. Morehead to defeat.

An advertisement is to a merchant very much what sowing seed is to a farmer. It may take a little time for the results to become apparent, but they are sure to come. The wise farmer is not niggardly with his seed, nor the wise merchant with his advertisement.

Another Democratic candidate for Congress looms up in the Fifth district, this time from an unexpected quarter, Roxboro, in the person of Hon. J. A. Long. There will be a warm time in the ranks of the Democracy in this district by the time the convention meets.

When you want an article of merchandise, buy it from a reputable home dealer. That whatever profit there is in the deal may remain at home to enrich the community. Home talent, home labor, home industries, home capital and home pleasures are the things to be fostered, encouraged and patronized.

Some of the Democratic papers in the State think that they see success for the party in sight by the nomination of Judge Parker, of New York, for the Presidency in 1912. Well, they could not nominate a better man, but the "rainbow chasing" element of the party will not support him. That was proven once.

We have been requested by Governor Kitchin to publish the anti-trust law passed by the last legislature. We would be glad to accede to the Governors wishes, and would do so if we thought the law was worth the paper it is printed upon. If the law has any "trust busting" features about it, let the Governor and his lieutenants get busy. We had rather see a little more action and less bluster.

Our Industrial Edition.

Our Industrial Edition has the unqualified endorsement of every public spirited citizen in Burlington. Because it spells progress. Because it will present concrete evidence of the splendid advantages and possibilities we offer to the home-seeker, capitalist and manufacturer.

With a progressive citizenship, led by enterprising men, Burlington is destined to become one of the most important cities in the Piedmont belt during the next decade.

Virginia Politics.

Never before in the history of the party in the "Old Dominion," has the Republicans made such a determined fight to wrest the State from Democratic rule as it is now making. The party inaugurated its battle for supremacy in the State by nominating an exceptionally strong ticket for state officers, and enunciating a strong platform of principles for its candidates to stand upon.

The ticket of the party is composed of the names of men in whose veins flow some of the best blue blood of that grand and proud old commonwealth. Capt. W. P. Kent, whose name heads the ticket is a recent convert from Democracy and has a strong following in that party which will support him in the approaching election. Republican speakers of note and ability are discussing the issues involved in the campaign from every "court green" in the state. Barbecue, and other public meetings are being held throughout the state.

The State Executive Committee has leased the Buena Vista Times, and placed that veteran newspaper man, Col. W. Boone, late of this State in charge, who has surrounded himself with an able corps of editorial writers, who are conducting a campaign of education by sending copies of the publication into every nook and corner of the State. From this distance from the scene of action the chances of the Republicans look very tinted.

If you are a kicker and see the shadow of failure in everything that is proposed to help the town. For heavens sake go into some secluded canyon and kick your own shadow on the clay bank, and give the men who are working to build up the town a chance. One long faced, holloweyed, whinin carping chronic kicker can do more to drive away business and capital from a town than all the drouths, short crops, chintz-bugs, cyclones and blizzards combined. This is especially applicable as regards the many floating rumors concerning the building of our street railway system just now.

We are in receipt of the first issue of the Mount Airy Leader, or the first issue of the revision of the Leader, under the management of Mr. J. E. Albright, who will wield the pen for its editorial columns. Mr. Albright is a writer of much force and we look forward to bright career for the Leader in the future. The Leader, up to a little more than a year ago, was issued by Mr. Albright, who sold it, as he says, for business reasons and who now buys it back for the same reason. We extend the right hand of fellowship to Mr. Albright upon his return to the newspaper work for which he is so well fitted. It is hardly necessary to state that the Leader will espouse the cause of the Republican party, both State and National and influence felt throughout North Carolina.

It sure does sound funny to hear the Democrats talk of local self-government in North Carolina, after what has taken place in this state in the past few years. But we suppose it has been a hobby so long, that it has become second almost second nature to them, kinder like they are by the Republican party. A Democrat can't speak three words about the Republican party, but he has to cry "nigger! nigger!" One is just about as consistent as the other.

Owing to friction between the board of county commissioners and the board of road supervisors in Forsyth county, Winston-Salem is liable to lose her position on the permanent route of the National automobile highway from New York to Atlanta. This reminds us of the old, but true saying. "Too many cooks spoil the broth."

The life of an editor was saved the other day by a silver dollar in his pocket. A crank shot at him and the ball struck the dollar. Now should we happen to get shot before you pay up your subscription and there is no dollar in our pocket to stop the ball, we shall always presume that you might have saved our life.

The idea of the Democrats nominating a business man for Congress in this Congressional district is a great joke. There are too many lawyers that are hungry for office for a business man to stand any show. In fact, take the lawyers out of the Democratic party in the State and there will be no party left to speak of.

The way the yard sticks rattled, Hardware jingled and our clerks and merchants moved around Saturday indicated a lively day for our business men.

The people that thronged our thoroughfares were delighted with the bargains they had secured and the general verdict was that this is the place to trade.

In the death of Governor Johnson, of Minnesota, the Democratic party has lost a mighty leader, one who would have been a power in their ranks, had he lived, and the party gotten itself together again. Which under its present management appears to be a hopeless impossibility.

Those Democrats who think they see hopes of the Harmon star rising in the death of Governor Johnson, are evidently dreaming. They have overlooked the fact that William Jennings Bryan is still master of ceremonies and will have something to say about who is who in the party for some time yet.

Fred L. Merritt, who has for several years been Industrial Agent of the Norfolk & Southern Railway, will shortly resign that position to accept a more important position as General Agent of the New Orleans and Great Northern Road, with headquarters at Jackson Mississippi.

High Point and Thomasville want to "tap" the Winston-Salem Southbound and the proposition is to vote bonds and in conjunction with Capt. M. L. Jones' road make a connection with the Southbound 8 miles below Denton. The idea is a good one and clearly an attractive business proposition.

Well!
of all the good things. A cold drink or Ice Cream at
Burlington Drug Com'y
is the best.
P. S. Get Your Turnip See! Here.

See
OUR
Beautiful
RANGES

New
FURNITURE
Arriving
DAILY

STOKES
FURNITURE
COMPANY

BEST
PRICES
POSSIBLE

ALL
FURNITURE
UP-TO-DATE

The Old Made New

Everything in the line of Furniture, Parlor Suits, Lounges, Mattresses, Repaired and made good as new. Charges Reasonable. Work Guaranteed. Respectfully

D. W. PARKER

516 Webb Ave. Burlington, N. C.

To Refresh the Body on These Hot Spring and Summer Days, Make—
STROUD'S DRUG STORE
AND :: SODA :: FOUNTAIN :: HEADQUARTERS
Cold Drinks, Ice Cream, Delicious and Refreshing
Up-to-date line of Toilet Soaps, Cigars and Tobacco, etc. Prescriptions filled on short notice. . . .
T. H. STROUD, Burlington, N. C.

Great Offering in Ladies' COAT SUITS

We have a large and very attractive line of Ladies' Coat Suits in the newest colorings and smartest designs. Ladies' if you want a "Suit", you want the best and right here you will find it at a large saving.

Coat Suits.

See our line at 9.95 and 10.00. They are beauties and easily worth 12.50 to 15.00.

See our line at 12.50 and 15.00. We defy any one to show the equal for the money.

See our line at 20.00 and 25.00. They are beauties.

Wraps.

Great line of Children and Misses Fur Wraps at 2.00, 2.50, 3.00 and up to 7.50.

Underwear.

A large, well selected stock to fit and suit all.

Men's Suits.

They are here in the most desirable styles right up to time. From 5.00 to 20.00. Specials for a few weeks. Come and cloth yourself at less prices than elsewhere.

Boy's and Children Suits.

It will surely pay you to buy your children suits here. See our children department. We can fit and please you from 1.00 to 6.75.

Shoes.

Shoes to keep your feet dry, warm and comfortable. Let us shoe you for less price, but not less quality.

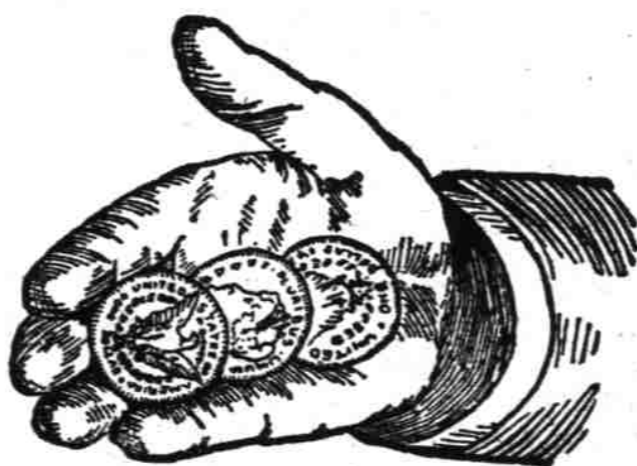
Millinery for all. Well its the talk that Isley's Millinery Department is showing the most desirable Headwear to be found here, and prices to please you. Come and see. Get your Hat for the fair. Make our store headquarters for the great Alamance Fair and see the greatest exposition of merchandise ever before assembled under one roof in the State.

JOS. A. ISLEY & BRO. CO.,
Department Store

Main and Worth St. Burlington, North Carolina

"Moving Sale"

Buggies, Wagons, Harness, Farm Machinery.



On November 1st, I wish to move in my new store. I wish to run down my big stock, save handling, and name prices that should run down stock quick.

Good Collar Pads 15 cents, others ask you 25 cents.
Good Wagon Bridles, long reins, swivels on \$1.00, ask the harness maker if he will make you one for \$1.00 and you furnish him the leather.

Good Top Buggy for \$28, others make you pay \$45 for.
Good Leather Trimmed Top Buggy for \$45, Side or End Springs, others ask you \$60 and don't give as good job.

Car Superior Disk Drills, Walter A. Wood Co., Mowers, Harrows, Rakes—Big Stock Feed Cutters, all sizes.

Come quick before stock is picked over.

Star, McGavock, and Roysters fertilizers. Seed Rye, Oats and Clover.

N. S. CARDWELL

The Always Busy Store. Burlington, N. C.