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Ladies

We want you to become better acquainted with Thompson's Glove-Fitting Corsets, and as an inducement to accomplish this end we will sell any style of the \$1.00 quality (until we have sold one hundred) at the low price of 75c.

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Yours to serve,

Holton's Drug Store,
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ATHENS IS PROGRESSIVE.

An Answer to One P. A. Carter, a Drummer.

The following appeared in the Record of this city in a recent issue: Editors of The Record:—I know from personal experience, as I go there regularly, that the city of Athens is the least progressive and the deadiest city in Georgia. Very truly, P. A. Carter.

It was enclosed to the mayor of Athens, Ga., and the mayor turned it over to the Athens Banner, which replies to it in its issue of the 19th in a manner which speaks for itself. It contains some facts which Greensboro might do well to make a note of. Read it as follows:

Mr. Carter is a drummer and travels for the Cone Export & Commission Co., of Greensboro, N. C. It would be well for our merchants to paste this fact in their hats and remember this trader of our city when he comes here again seeking business from them, if, indeed, he ever has the presumption to come here any more.

So far as the dispensary is concerned as a solution of the liquor problem, we leave the people of Greensboro to determine for themselves. We think it is a good solution, but we shall address ourselves to the remark of Mr. Carter that "Athens is the least progressive and the deadiest city in Georgia."

Mr. Carter is, like every other man, entitled to his opinion, but whenever the facts concerning Athens are shown, Mr. Carter will inevitably be set down as a man who shoots off his mouth without knowing what he is talking about.

Athens is a city of 12,000 inhabitants. Her tax returns are nearly six million dollars. Her tax rate is only one per cent. Her total indebtedness is \$185,000. Against this she has assets \$62,000 in excess of that amount. Her credit is on a par with that of any city in Georgia. She has never repudiated a debt.

Athens has a waterworks system that cost her \$130,000 and is equalled by that of no city of her size or wealth in Georgia. She has a sewerage system that cost over \$40,000, and no city in Georgia is better sewered. She owns her own electric light system and gets her lights for \$43.50 per lamp per annum. Even Atlanta has not been so progressive in this line, and pays now more than double that sum per lamp for her arc lights.

Athens has a splendid fire alarm system, and the best paid fire department of any city of its size in Georgia. The insurance companies carrying risks in this city can tell whether or not this statement is the truth. She has a fine police department and the peace and good order of the city is maintained with ease.

In educational matters she is the centre of the educational facilities of Georgia. Her system of city schools is the admiration of the state and her various schools are leaders in every department of education.

Her business interests are far from being dead. Her annual business amounts to more than twelve million dollars and is scattered through many interests. Her cotton receipts annually are from \$5,000 to 100,000 bales. She is below Savannah, Augusta and Atlanta only in cotton receipts. Her wholesale grocery trade is enormous. Her merchants sell goods in large lots within thirty miles of Augusta and under the very shadow of Atlanta. In manufacturing she is not behind the times and in the city and immediate vicinity there are five large and prosperous cotton mills. A glance at the mortgage books at the court house will show an exceedingly small amount of incumbrances upon property in comparison with other cities in Georgia.

Athens has six miles of electric street railway. She has an electric power plant that moves this railway, furnishes incandescent lights, and rents power to small manufacturers. Only one or two other cities in Georgia have this advantage.

She has commenced the paving of her streets, and will inside the next eight days issue one hundred thousand dollars of bonds for street pavement purposes. To meet the principal and interest of these bonds the city will not have to levy one dollar of extra taxation. The profits received from the dispensary will in themselves retire the bonds.

Athens is not a boom town, but Mr. Carter may rest assured that she is hustling and doing her share of the business.

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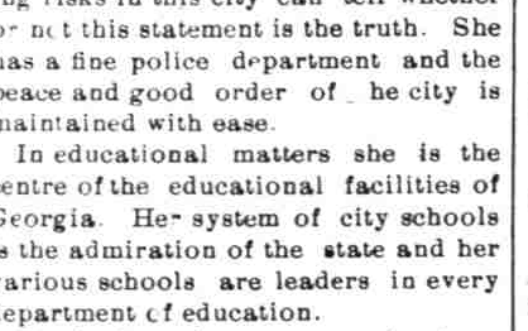
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DISPENSARY FIGHT OVER.

The Bill Was Passed Both Legislative Bodies.

THE HOUSE ALMOST UNANIMOUS

Trip of the Dispensary Delegation to Raleigh Yesterday—Fight Over the Charlotte Bill.

The delegation of citizens who went down to Raleigh yesterday in the interest of the Greensboro dispensary returned this morning well satisfied, and feeling amply repaid for their trip. Notwithstanding the fact that they had been notified there was no necessity of going they knew the fighting qualities of the opposition, and were not surprised when, on going before the house committee at 3 p. m., a great bundle of petitions were offered purporting to be signed by a large number of men from all over Guilford county and Mr. R. R. King and Mr. M. H. Cone both made speeches opposing the bill.

He it said to the credit of Mr. Cone, however, who has fought the bill very hard, that in his speech he adopted a conciliatory course, practically admitting defeat and stating that if it became law he would submit gracefully and continue to do all he could for Greensboro.

Hon. A. M. Scales spoke for the bill and made many telling points. He was cheered again and again and at the conclusion of his speech one member moved that the bill be reported favorably. Mr. Bunch, who is a member of the committee, said he didn't like to be left out entirely as it was his county. He moved a favorable report on the bill, which was made by a unanimous vote.

At last night's session of the house Representative Bunch asked a suspension of the rules and that the bill be put upon its immediate passage, which was done. It was then put upon second and third readings and passed almost unanimously.

Thus ends the fight. The signatures of the president of the senate and the speaker of the house will make the bill law. The fight over the Charlotte bill comes before the Senate committee this afternoon.

NOTES FROM HIGH POINT.

The Local News From Our Neighbor Briefly Told.

TELEGRAM BUREAU
HIGH POINT, N. C., Feb. 23

S. L. Davis, of the Southern Chair Factory, went south this morning to buy lumber for the company.

J. Elwood Cox went south this morning.

Misses Annie and Kate Ragan, of Archdale, were in the city this morning.

Glad to see Frank Armfield out again after a few days illness.

"Bud" Wrenn went to Salisbury last night.

T. W. Gibson has accepted the night operator's position here, as Jack Bostick has gone to Greensboro.

M. J. Freeman, of Concord, was in the city last night on business.

Misses Fannie and Ann Burwell, of Charlotte, passed through yesterday enroute to Asheville to attend C. C. McAllister's reception.

Joe Jackson had a dog on the street this morning to sell that was five months old and weighed only 1 pound and three ounces. It takes the cake.

Mr. Carson N. English, one time a resident of Trinity, but now of Cohutta, Ga., and Miss Bertha Robbins, of Trinity, were married yesterday afternoon at the home of the bride, Rev. R. S. Webb officiating. Mr. and Mrs. English passed through last night enroute to Cohutta, Ga., where he holds a position with the Southern railroad company.

The young people are looking forward with much pleasure to tomorrow night, when they will indulge in a party at Mrs. L. J. Ingram's.

J. R. Parker went to Pine Woods this morning to assist Miss Annie Armington in the meeting which she is conducting.

F. L. Huggins, the general agent for the well known Remington bicycle was in the city this morning in the interest of the wheel which he represents.

Murderer Hanged.

By Wire to THE TELEGRAM.

New York, N. Y., February 23—Drs. Janeway and Dunham report this morning that Kipling rested comfortable during the night and that his symptoms are better.

No Cure—No Pay.

This is the way all druggists sell Grove's Tasteless Chill Tonic for Chills and Malaria. It is simply iron and quinine in a tasteless form. Children love it. Adults prefer it to bitter nauseating tonics. Price, 50c.

Cure a Cold in One Day.

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund money if it fails to cure. 25c. The genuine has L. B. Q. on each tablet.

Young men in Sacramento, Cal., are organizing a colony to settle on the island of Guam and raise crops.

TRUST STOCK TO BE TAXED.

Bill Under Which College Funds Are No Longer to Be Exempted.

The following bill was Tuesday introduced in the house by Mr. Thompson, of Onslow, and referred to the finance committee:

It is a bill to be entitled "an act withdrawing exemption from taxation where funds are invested in trust stock or securities."

"The General Assembly of North Carolina do enact:

"Whereas exemption from taxation wherever granted to an educational institution or religious or benevolent association is in effect a grant out of the public funds annually of the amount of taxation which would otherwise be collected upon the property of such institution, body or association, and such exemptions are entirely optional with the legislature and may be modified or withdrawn at will, and whereas the ownership of stock in a trust or combination forbidden by the laws of this state is felony and punishable as such now, therefore, any exemption from taxation now in force as to the property of any educational institution, religious body, or benevolent association is hereby withdrawn as to any such institution, body or association any part of whose property or endowment shall comprise any stocks, bonds, or securities of any trust or combination which is illegal under the laws of this state or of the United States."

"Section 1. It shall be the duty of the tax listers in each township where there is any educational institution, religious body or benevolent association which claims exemption from taxation to summon the president or other chief officer thereof and examine him on oath as to such investment when any reputable taxpayer shall lay information that he believes the endowment or other property of such institution, body or association comprises in whole or in part stock, bonds or other securities of any trust or other illegal organization and if the charge is found to be true shall list the entire property of such offending institution, body or association for double taxation as in case of all other unlisted property."

"Section 2. Whenever any educational institution, religious body or benevolent association shall own any stocks, bonds or other securities of any trust or other organization which is illegal under the laws of this state, such institution, body or association shall list its entire property for taxation, and on failure to do so it shall be liable for double taxation like the owners of other unlisted property and the president or other chief officer of such institution, body or association failing to list its entire property for taxation when it is the owner, in law or in equity, of any stocks, bonds or securities of any trust or other illegal organization as aforesaid shall, in addition, be individually guilty of a misdemeanor and be fined not less than five hundred dollars or imprisoned not less than four months for each offense."

"Section 5. This act shall be in force from and after its ratification."

NEW CLOTHING STORE

W. H. Matthews to Open in the N. P. Building.

Greensboro is to have a new clothing store—another large, live and progressive clothing store, second to none already here. W. H. Matthews, formerly of Matthews, Chisholm, Stroud & Rankin, has decided to establish a wholesale hat house, but to re-enter the clothing business, in which few men are more successful than he. He has secured the store now occupied by Workman Brothers, and will leave tonight for the northern cities to select his stock of goods. Mr. Matthews has been fortunate in securing a store so suitable and well adapted to his needs and will no doubt make it one of the most attractive in the city. He will carry a full line of clothing and men's furnishings and will get ready for business as soon as possible. He is one of the most capable and best known business men in the city and we wish for him unbounded success.

President Faure's Funeral.

By Cable to THE TELEGRAM.

Paris, Feb. 23—The funeral of President Faure today was without a single unseemly interruption. There was concealing the anxiety of the government, which, fearing a coup d'etat, last night summoned several fresh regiments to Paris. The concourse was immense and for four hours not a voice was heard except just before the procession moved there were a few cries of "vive le armee" to greet Gen. Zurlinden. President Loubet was greeted by the silent raising of hats. There were a hundred thousand troops in line.

H. & L.'s.

The regular monthly meeting of the Hook & Ladder Co. will be held at Wharton Bros' bookstore at 7:30 o'clock p. m., Thursday, February 23rd. It is important that every member be present. L. G. Wharton, Secretary.

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Welaach Mantles put in for 40 cents each.
Shades, Chimneys, etc., furnished at low prices.
Electric Burglar and Fire Alarms, Door Bells, Annunciators, Incandescent Lamps, etc.

First Class Printing at Reasonable Prices

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Over Grissom & Fordham's drugstore.
PHONE 89

THE MARKETS.

Closing Quotations by Paine, Murphy & Co.

By private wire to F. A. Burgin, Manager.

New York, Feb. 23, 1899

American tobacco.....	185
Atch., Top. & Santa Fe.....	
B. and O.....	
C. and O.....	294
Chic., Bur. and Quincy.....	144
Chic. Gas.....	114 1/2
Del., Lack. and Western.....	160 1/2
Delaware and Hudson.....	
Federal Steel.....	50 1/2
N. & W. Fr.....	66 1/2
General Electric.....	113 1/2
Jersey Central.....	109 1/2
Louisville and Nashville.....	66 1/2
Lake Shore.....	200 1/2
Manhattan Elevated.....	112 1/2
Missouri Pacific.....	47
Metropolitan and S. railway.....	
Northwestern.....	149 1/2
Northern Pacific Pr.....	79 1/2
National Lead.....	36 1/2
New York Central.....	137 1/2
Pacific Mail.....	51 1/2
Reading.....	22 1/2
Rock Island.....	120
Southern Railway.....	13
Southern Railway Pr.....	50 1/2
St. Paul.....	130 1/2
Sugar Trust.....	135 1/2
Tenn. Coal & Iron.....	44 1/2
Texas Pacific.....	
U. S. Leather Preferred.....	72
Western Union Tel.....	94 1/2
Wabash Preferred.....	23 1/2

CHICAGO, Feb. 23, 1899

Wheat, May.....	73 1/2
" Sep.....	71 1/2
" July.....	71 1/2
" Feb.....	71 1/2
Corn, Sep.....	37 1/2
" Feb.....	34 1/2
" July.....	36 1/2
" May.....	36
Oats, July.....	26 1/2
" Feb.....	26 1/2
" July.....	26 1/2
" May.....	27 1/2
Pork, Dec.....	
" July.....	108 1/2
" Feb.....	96 1/2
" May.....	106 1/2
Lard, Sept.....	
" July.....	57 1/2
" Feb.....	57 1/2
" May.....	53 1/2
Ribs, Nov.....	
" Mar.....	470
" Feb.....	
" July.....	482
" May.....	482
Cotton, Sept.....	612 @ 613
" Jan.....	615 @ 616
" Feb.....	621 @ 622
" March.....	620 @ 621
" April.....	622 @ 623
" May.....	620 @ 621
" June.....	621 @ 622
" July.....	623 @ 624
" Aug.....	612 @ 613
" Oct.....	611 @ 612
" Nov.....	613 @ 614
" Dec.....	613 @ 614
Spot cotton.....	8 9-16

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American tobacco.....	185
Atch., Top. & Santa Fe.....	
B. and O.....	
C. and O.....	294
Chic., Bur. and Quincy.....	144
Chic. Gas.....	114 1/2
Del., Lack. and Western.....	160 1/2
Delaware and Hudson.....	
Federal Steel.....	50 1/2
N. & W. Fr.....	66 1/2
General Electric.....	113 1/2
Jersey Central.....	109 1/2
Louisville and Nashville.....	66 1/2
Lake Shore.....	200 1/2
Manhattan Elevated.....	112 1/2
Missouri Pacific.....	47
Metropolitan and S. railway.....	
Northwestern.....	149 1/2
Northern Pacific Pr.....	79 1/2
National Lead.....	36 1/2
New York Central.....	137 1/2