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## MCDUFFIE'S



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### THIS IS STRICTLY A CASH SALE, BEGINNING MAY 1, 1896.

We are now occupying two stores and cannot afford the expense through a dull summer, so have decided to reduce stock until all can be gotten into one room. We do not guarantee this reduced sale to last 30 days, as all depends upon the much for Dardoine. The cale will close just as soon as we can consolidate; we receive the might to close it any day

the rush for Bargains. The sale	will close just	as soon as 1	we can consolidate;	we reserve the	right	to close	II any	day.
OAK SUITS WORTH \$18.00;	an else il.	COST \$14.40	House Chairs worth	\$3 50 per set	1		cos	t \$2.80
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OAK SUITS WORTH 25.00;		COST 20.00	Oak Center Tables	worth 1.50;			- COS	t 1.20 B
OAK SUITS WORTH 27.50;		COST 22 00	Oak Center Tables,	with Brass lect,	worth		- cos	
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OAK SUITS WORTH 30.00;		COST 24.00	Oak Center Tables, Bedsteads worth \$2.	with Brass leet		A CONTRACTOR OF THE PARTY OF TH		
OAK SUITS WORTH 35.00;		COST 28.00	Bedsteads worth 2				- cos	t 2.00 D
DINING CHAIRS WORTH \$8.00 PER	R SET.	COST 6.40	Bedsteads worth 3.	50,			- cos	t 2.80 B
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DINING CHAIRS WORTH 10.00 PER	R SET: -	COST 8.00	Bedsteads worth 5.	00,	1	196	COS	
LARGE ROLL CANE ROCKERS WO	RTH \$9.50 ·	COST 2.00	Bureaus worth \$5 00	50,			COS	B
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LARGE SCROLL ARM ROCKERS W	ORTH 2.00:	COST 1.60	Bureaus worth 7:50				COS	Charles And Control
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		0001 140	Bureaus worth 12.00		14		COS	st 9.60 B
LARGE PLUSH SEAT ROCKERS WO	ORTH 5.00:	COST 4.00	Kitchen Safes worth				cos	
LADIES PLUSH SEAT ROCKERS WO			Heavy Huck and Cot	tton Mattresses	worth !	3.50,	- cos	t 280
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The Work of Bees.

visit from 40 to 80 flowers in six or

which will fill about 3,000 cells.

family. On a fine day, 16,000 or

20,000 individuals will, in six or

several hundred thousand plants.

favorable condition, receive about

All the money required for running

the furnace has been raised and

ed, but will require six or eight

Better

Health

Than Ever

"An attack of La Grippe, three years ago, left me a physical wreck, and being naturally frail

and delicate, it seemed as if I never should rally again. Induced at last to try

Sarsaparilla

two weeks, to find I was gaining atrength, and now I am pleased to say I am enjoying better health than I ever had before in my life."—Eva Brano, Lincoln, Ill.

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World's Fair

two pounds of honey a day.

#### Now is Your Time to Buy Table Ware Low!

Beautifully Decorated Plates 40 cents per set. Beautifully Decorated Cups and Saucers 48 cents per set. Gold Band Plates, worth 75 cents, 60 cents set. Gold Band Cups and Saucers; worth 75 cents, cost 60 cents set.
Gold Band Covered Dishes, worth 75 cents, cost 60 cents each.
One Elegant French China Dinner Set, worth \$2000, cost \$17.25 Decorated to piece China Chamber Sets, worth \$5.00, cost \$4.00.
Beautifully Decorated Parlor Lamps, worth \$2.50, cost \$2.00.
Bright Glass Globe Hall Lamps, worth \$1.25, cost \$1.00. Eight-day Alarm Clocks, worth \$3.50, - - cost 2.80
One day Nickel Alarm Clocks, worth \$1.00, - cost 80
Best Bed Spring, worth \$3.00, - cost 2.40

Just Received, a Large Line of Baby Carriages, Window Shades,

Curtain Poles and Plush Couches.

Baby Carriages, Baby High Chairs, Baby Rockers, Baby Cribs, Baby Beds and Baby Lap Robes!

Pictures, Picture Frames,

Sideboards, Wardrobes, Desks, Kitchen Tables,

Cots, Bed Springs, Hat Racks,

Feather and Wool Dusters, etc.

### Sale will begin Friday, May 1st, and continue until all my Goods can be gotten into one store! Moduffie's furniture store, mount airy, N. C.



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SIMMONS LIVER REGULATOR. Don't Is SIMMONS LIVER REGULATOR. Don't forget to take it. Now is the time you need it must to wake up your Liver. A sluggish Liver brings on Malaria, Fever and Ague, Rheamatism, and many other lifs which shafter the constitution and wreck health. Don't forget the word REGULATOR, It is SIMMONS LIVER REGULATOR distinguishes it from all other remedies. And besides this, SIMMONS. remedies. And, resides this, SIMMONS LIVER REGULATOR is a Regulator of the Liver, keeps t properly at work, that your system may be been in good condition.

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LIVER REGULATOR. It is the best blood
purifier and carteclest. Try it and note
the difference. Look for the RED Z

on every package. You want find it on any other mediane, and there is no other Liver remedy like SARAGES LIVER REGULATOR—the King of Liver Remedies.

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Prompt attention given to all busiess entrusted to their care. NORTH CAROLINA NEWS.

A writer in the Revue des Sciences Naturelles makes the fol- STATE ITEMS OF IMPORTANCE GATH-ERED FROM OUR MANY WIDElowing calculation in regard to the AWAKE EXCHANGES. work done by the honey bee: When the weather is fine, a worker can

The estate of the late Gov. Holt ten trips and collect a grain of nec. is said to be worth \$750,000.

tar. If it visits 200 or 400 flowers, The stables of A. B. Shaw, of it will gather 5 grains. Under favor- Laurinburg, with one horse and fortnight to obtain 12 grains. It nesday night. Origin of fire unwould, therefore, take it several years | known.

to manufacture a pound of honey, Most of the Libacco factories are making preparations to begin work 50,000 bees, half of which prepare coming in quite freely.-Winston the honey, the other half attending | Sentinel. to the wants of the hive and the

a few days ago.

Again, the locality must be favor-The Wilmington Star learns that is not expected to live." able for the preparation of the strawberries, which are now being honey, and the plants that produce shipped from Burgaw, Pender counthe hive. A hive inhabited by 30, netting \$16 per crate or 50 cents get rid of it. It's a wonderfully 000 bees may, therefore, under per quart.

nace will, if reasonable treight rates cotton mills,

can be secured, start up at once. It is reported that Mrs. Kimmons, the widow of Sam Kimmons, the man from China Grove, who nothing is in the way except freight was burned in the town prison at rates, which are now being arrang-Salisbury last fall, will bring suit weeks to complete. The Steel and

Iron Works were some months Salisbury is to have a new and ago purchased by J. M. Worth and handsome city hall to be ready for 77 feet deep, the rear to be one

> entered the house of Mr. A. C. for Allison. Shields, of Mecklenburg county, one night some months ago and burglarized the house and attacked Mr. Shields and his daughter, was convicted in Mecklenburg Criminal Court last week and sentenced to be hung May 23. The case was ap-

As a result of the great work and efforts of Rev. Wm. Black, the system.

Synodical Evaporelist of the North

The "Prescription" Synodical Evangelist of the North Carolina Presbyterian Synod, who has just closed a series of meetings Leucorrhes and Uterat the First Presbyterian church twenty-three members were added to the church roll at Wednesday's meeting. Twenty one were admitted upon profession of faith in Christ and two by letter. Other at the First Presbyterian church Christ and two by letter. Other thurches may receive a number of

Burned to Death at Davidson.

Mr. Walter Goodman, writing from Davidson College to the Salis- ORDERED TO LEAVE CUBA IN SIX DAYS. bury World, tells of a young lady being burned to death there, last Saturday night. He says: "At the Stough & Cornelius factory Saturday night, a Miss Mantz about 21 years old was carrying a lamp to her able circumstances, it will take a nine mules, were burned last Wed- oil saturated her clothing which ents have been arrested in Matanzas immediately took fire. She ran. but her father caught her in the yard and tried to extinguish the flames. She brake away from him A hive contains from 20,000 to on full time, and they report orders and ran around the factory before Rollery Roth and Philadelphia she could be caught. By this time her clothing had burned entirely The Scotland Neck Democrat blister. She suffered untold agony says Capt. W. H. Kitchin's nose until Sunday afternoon, when she as American citizen and O'Leary a The trouble with many professing who exercises his legal right to keep ten trips, be able to explore from was broken and his shoulder bruised was released by death. Her father's 300,000 to 1,000,000 flowers, say in a runaway accident at his home clothing caught from hers and he is burned from the waist down, and

If you've got bad blood in you good medicine for Malaria and Eighteen bales of cotton were Chills. "I have taken Simmons burned at King's Mountain one Liver Regulator especially in the night recently. Canglit from sparks Spring and Fall, and found it the The Record is assured that the from an engine. The cotton be- best remedy. I know of no way to Greensboro Iron and Steel fur- longs to the Enterprise and Dilling benefit people more than by putting Simmons Liver Regulator into their hands."-N. N. Shepard, Cochran-

> A special dispatch to the Star, from Maxton, N, C., says that the against the town for her husband's Republican convention of the sixth congressional district was a howling mob. The Russell and Dockery factions divided; the Russellites occapancy by August. It will be a son, for Congress, and the Dockery two-story building, 30 feet front and faction J. M. Smith, of Riemmond. nominated R. M. Norment, of Robe-Both factions elected two delegates story, the front will be of cut stone to the national Republican convention - the Russellites for McKinley Monroe Johnston, colored, who and the Dockery faction delegates

> > PIERCE GRAPH CURE The woman who is tired, and has heavy

The woman who is tired, and has heavy, dragging down sensations, pain in the back, and headache, should take warning in time. Dr. Fierce's Favorite Prescription is the best tonic and nervice at this time. It's a positive remedy for all irregularities, weaknesses and derangements of the femals

these meetings.—Concord Standard.

REV. MR. DIAZ RELEASED.

AMERICAN CORRESPONDENTS AR-RESTED AND BAILED-CU-BANS BURNING VALU-ABLE PROPERTY.

A special from Havana, Cube, bed-room when it exploded and the says: Two American correspond--Thomas R. Dawley, who has represented Harper's Weekly in Cuba for the past two months, and Manrice McCarthy O'Leary, the Bulletin. Both men made their headquarters in this city and re- Not the prayers alone, but his other manufacturers, the New York her. Some people in high life are off and her body was one solid cently went to Matanzas province in search of war news. Dawley is British subject. They are charged with maintaining relations with Alfonzo Lopez, who was also arrested on suspicion of being a rebel

The rebels have burned the the most nectar most flourish near ty, to the Northern markets, are take Simmons Liver Regulator and in the Material Company of the Company o in the Matanzas province. The sugar. The rebels have also burned the estate of Santa Ana and Armo nia, near Bolondron. The troops encamped upon the last named chinery and repulsing the rebels. The insurgents, later, made an attack upon the estates of San Joaquin, owned by the Pedrosa heirs and

Rev. Albert Disz, the American Baptist missionary, and his brother Alfred, who were arrested last week, have been set at liberty but have with our words, and often a much before the expiration of six days from the thime of their release.

Mesers. O'Leary and Dawley, representative respectively of the Philadelphia Bulletin and Harper's bills, the general deficiency, has representative respectively of the Weckly of New York, who were been passed by the House, and an arrested at Matanzas on charges of early adjournment will follow. maintaining relations with Alonzo Lopez, who is suspected of being a The Sampson Democrat and Sanrebel spy, have been relessed on ford Express are for Dr. Chas. Meball which was furnished by the Iver for Governor. American vice consul.

The Time for Building Up the system is at this season,

The cold weather has made unusual drains upon the vital forces. The blood has become impoverished and impure, and all the functions of the body suffer in consequence. Hood's Sarsaparilla is the great milder, because it is the One True

Blood Purifier and nerve tonic. Hood's Pills become the favorite Best after dinner pills. cathartic with all who use them. Some All druggists All druggists. 25c.

Worshipful Giving.

Such giving is that in which God is worshipped. Is such giving a possibility? If so, it is a duty and privilege! Yes; it is as much a duty and privilege to worship God sincerely while giving to him of our means as it is to worship him in song or prayer. This is the plain teaching of the Scriptures. Our offerings on the Lord's Day should be made in the same spirit in which we praise him in song or bow before him at a throne of grace.

prayers and his alms, or gifts. The Journal of Commerce says: two acts of worship went together. "This is a boycott of every dealer

time for the collection comes. estate was owned by Marino Crespo. is so represented throughout the act of worship. Yet such it is. It the country ought to be done." ation yielded over 100,000 bags of scriptures. The high priest offered gifts as well as sacrifices to the Lord. Similar to this is the New Testaday of the week, let every one of posts are placed in different parts of ment injunction, "Upon the first estate succeeded in saving the ma-chinery and resplains the rabels hath prospered him." In the Church service the collec-

tion, or, as it may better be called, the offering, is as much a part of the means the shepherd can detect the tioned are situated in the Matanzas of his day and house as the reading of the Scriptures or the singing of province. worship of the Lord in the service hymns. "Honoring the Lord with preacher, the progressive uchre our substance and with the first table, the devil's rubbing posts. When much importance as honoring him ever you see members of the church fruits of all our increase" is of as surer test of our sincerity.—Religious Telescope.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.-Latest U.S. Gov't Report

Ought to be Stopped.

Christians of to-day is that, al. whatever goods his customers call though they can pray devoutly for. It is certainly in restraint of enough they seem to think that trade; it is certainly a gross injustice worship has taken a recess when the to the retail dealers and to the most noted pulpit orators of the manufacturers outside the trust, South. Very few regard the offering as, Whatever can be done to break up equally with prayer or praise, an this attempt to corner the trade of this spring may be the means of

> Among the unique and very striking illustrations used by Sam Jones, is the following: In the East, among the shepherds, large the pastures. These are called "rubbing posts." The sheep, when itching from the bites of insects, or irritated by disease, resort to these table, the dance and the theatre are rubbing against these things, you them." If this be the test, there are many sick ones in these parts. -Wesleyan Christian Advocate.

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Salvation Oil of course will effect a speedy cure. It is the best liniment on earth for pain.

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The arrest of a Mrs. Dyer, in Referring to the practice of the Since Christmas 20 children have The angel said to Cornelius: Tobacco Trust of not permitting been entrusted to her care and all "Thy prayers and thy alms are come dealers to handle trust goods unless but 4 have disappeared. Over 100 for a memorial before God." they agree not to sell those of any missing children are connected with

> Rev. J. B. Hawthorne, pastor of the First Baptist Church, at Atlanta, Ga., has accepted a call to Nashvitle, Tenn. He is one of the

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Tired and broken down women will find that DR, KING'S ROYAL GERMETUER is a priceless boon and blessing to them. It gives appetite, brings restful, refreshing sleep, aids digestion, tones the nerves, builds up the strength and puts disease and pain to flight. For

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