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McDUFFIE'S

FURNITURE STOCK.



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 rush for Bargains. The sale will close just as soon as we can consolidate; we reserve the right to close it any day.

- OAK SUITS WORTH \$18.00; COST \$14.40
OAK SUITS WORTH 20.00; COST 16.00
OAK SUITS WORTH 25.00; COST 20.00
OAK SUITS WORTH 27.50; COST 22.00
OAK SUITS WORTH 30.00; COST 24.00
OAK SUITS WORTH 35.00; COST 28.00
DINING CHAIRS WORTH \$8.00 PER SET; COST 6.40
DINING CHAIRS WORTH 10.00 PER SET; COST 8.00
LARGE ROLL CANE ROCKERS WORTH \$2.50; COST 2.00
LARGE SCROLL ARM ROCKERS WORTH 2.00; COST 1.60
LADIES BRACE ARM ROCKERS WORTH 1.50; COST 1.20
LARGE PLUSH SEAT ROCKERS WORTH 5.00; COST 4.00
LADIES PLUSH SEAT ROCKERS WORTH 3.00; COST 2.40

- House Chairs worth \$3.50 per set; cost \$2.80
House Chairs worth 4.00 per set; cost 3.20
House Chairs worth 4.50 per set; cost 3.60
Oak Center Tables worth \$1.00; cost .80
Oak Center Tables worth 1.50; cost 1.20
Oak Center Tables, with Brass feet, worth \$2.00; cost 1.60
Oak Center Tables, with Brass feet, worth 3.00; cost 2.40
Oak Center Tables, with Brass feet, worth 3.50; cost 2.80
Bedsteads worth \$2.25; cost 1.80
Bedsteads worth 2.50; cost 2.00
Bedsteads worth 3.00; cost 2.40
Bedsteads worth 4.00; cost 3.20
Bedsteads worth 5.00; cost 4.00
Bedsteads worth 6.50; cost 5.20
Bureaus worth \$5.00; cost 4.00
Bureaus worth 6.00; cost 4.80
Bureaus worth 7.50; cost 6.00
Bureaus worth 8.50; cost 6.80
Bureaus worth 12.00; cost 9.60
Kitchen Safes worth \$3.00; cost 2.40
Heavy Huck and Cotton Mattresses worth \$3.50; cost 2.80
Heavy Damask Patterns in Matting, worth 30c.; cost 22

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.
One Elegant French China Dinner Set, worth \$20.00, 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!
Lounges, Easles, Mirrors,
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!
McDUFFIE'S FURNITURE STORE, MOUNT AIRY, N. C.

Advertisement for SIMMONS LIVER REGULATOR, THE BEST SPRING MEDICINE. Includes text about liver health and a small illustration of the product box.

Advertisement for W. B. BROWN, NOTARY PUBLIC, Mount Airy, N. C.

Advertisement for S. P. GRAVES, ATTORNEY AT LAW, Mount Airy, N. C.

Advertisement for R. L. HAYMORE, ATTORNEY AT LAW, Mount Airy, N. C.

Advertisement for GEO. W. SPARGER, Attorney at Law & Notary Public, Mount Airy, N. C.

Advertisement for CARTER & LEWELLYN, Attorneys at Law, Mount Airy, N. C.

The Work of Bees. A writer in the Revue des Sciences Naturelles makes the following calculation in regard to the work done by the honey bee...

The Record is assured that the Greensboro Iron and Steel furnace will, if reasonable freight rates can be secured, start up at once...

Advertisement for AYER'S Sarsaparilla, featuring a portrait of a woman and text about health benefits.

NORTH CAROLINA NEWS.

STATE ITEMS OF IMPORTANCE GATHERED FROM OUR MANY WIDE-AWAKE EXCHANGES. The estate of the late Gov. Holt is said to be worth \$750,000.

It is reported that Mrs. Kimmons, the widow of Sam Kimmons, the man from China Grove, who was burned in the town prison at Salisbury last fall...

As a result of the great work and efforts of Rev. Wm. Black, the Synodical Evangelist of the North Carolina Presbyterian Synod, who has just closed a series of meetings at the First Presbyterian church...

Burned to Death at Davidson.

Mr. Walter Goodman, writing from Davidson College to the Salisbury World, tells of a young lady being burned to death there, last Saturday night.

If you've got bad blood in you take Simmons Liver Regulator and get rid of it. It's a wonderfully good medicine for Malaria and Chills.

A special dispatch to the Star, from Maxton, N. C., says that the Republican convention of the sixth congressional district was a howling mob.

Advertisement for PIERCE'S CURE, featuring a portrait of a woman and text about a cure for various ailments.

REV. MR. DIAZ RELEASED.

ORDERED TO LEAVE CUBA IN SIX DAYS. AMERICAN CORRESPONDENTS ARRESTED AND BAILED—CUBANS BURNING VALUABLE PROPERTY. A special from Havana, Cuba, says: Two American correspondents have been arrested in Matanzas.

The rebels have burned the splendid Carmen estate, near Union, in the Matanzas province. The estate was owned by Marino Crespo.

Rev. Albert Diaz, the American Baptist missionary, and his brother Alfred, who were arrested last week, have been set at liberty, but have been ordered to leave the country before the expiration of six days from the time of their release.

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.

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.

Very few regard the offering as, equally with prayer or praise, an act of worship. Yet such it is. It is so represented throughout the Scriptures.

The last of the appropriation bills, the general deficiency, has been passed by the House, and an early adjournment will follow.

Advertisement for Liver Ills and Hood's Pills, featuring a portrait of a woman and text about liver health.

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

Advertisement for Royal Baking Powder, ABSOLUTELY PURE.

Referring to the practice of the Tobacco Trust of not permitting dealers to handle trust goods unless they agree not to sell those of any other manufacturer, the New York Journal of Commerce says:

Among the unique and very striking illustrations used by Sam Jones, is the following: In the East, among the shepherds, large posts are placed in different parts of the pastures. These are called "rubbing posts."

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

The arrest of a Mrs. Dyer, in London, is causing a sensation. Since Christmas 20 children have been entrusted to her care and all but 4 have disappeared.

A course of Hood's Sarsaparilla this spring may be the means of keeping you well and hearty all summer.

Advertisement for TIRED WOMEN, Tired and broken down women will find that DR. KING'S ROYAL GERMETTER is a priceless boon.

Advertisement for FEMALE TROUBLES, including all menstrual and womb difficulties, it has no superior—used both locally and internally.