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G. W. FORLAW, CITY EDITOR.
 THURSDAY EVENING, Oct. 22, 1903

There is quite a decided movement in tobacco from this city now. Fifteen car loads were shipped over the A. & N. C. Railroad today in one train.

Mr. Jim Whitfield, who lives on north Queen street, has developed a bona fide case of diphtheria and the residence has been disinfected and quarantined.

Elder Cunningham will preach at Old Woodington church on the 4th Sunday in October at 11 o'clock, a. m., and at four o'clock p. m. the same day at Smith's New Home.

Today is the last day of registration and if this should meet the eye of one who has not registered, they can do so until sun down today, at T. W. Mewborn & Co's. store.

Reduced rates will be given by the railroads to the North Carolina Christian Missionary Convention at Greenville. Tickets will be sold October 26th, good to return October 31st.

Kinston is pretty well helped up with pool tables now, there being three public pool rooms, besides the Elks' club tables. The colored "sports" have them a table on lower Queen St. for which license was issued yesterday.

The services at the Methodist church by the ladies, in the interest of the dispensary continue, and will until election day when a continuous service will be held from sunrise to sunset and the church bell rung every hour. The daily service is at 3 p. m.

Probably one of the longest freight trains that ever passed this station was the east bound local freight this morning. There were 42 cars attached to engine No. 19 and the throbbing efforts of the big steam horse attested the strain under which it labored. The train was about a third of a mile in length.

An oyster supper is to be given at Rhodes' school by the Caswell Literary Society on Friday evening of the 23rd, beginning at 7:30. Proceeds to be used for furnishing society hall. Every effort will be made to make the evening enjoyable. A prize will be awarded the most popular young lady. A cordial invitation is extended to the public.

Mr. John Rouse, who lives on the Dick Sutton place in Falling Creek township, lost his dwelling, most of the furniture and contents and some out houses yesterday morning by fire. The origin of the fire is unknown, but happening when it did, at 3 a. m., makes it appear as if it were incendiary. The loss is over \$1,000, with no insurance.

The Chrysanthemum Show.
 The annual flower show soon to be held in this city under the auspices of the United Daughters of the Confederacy, it is said, will be of surpassing beauty and the list of prizes will be greater than ever offered before in connection with the show.

The chrysanthemums this year are undoubtedly larger and more beautiful than ever produced in this city heretofore and the degree of perfection reached in the cultivation of the "winter rose" here would compare favorably with the flowers grown by the best florists of the country.

The date has not been arranged yet, but will probably be during the first days of November.

An Exciting Runaway.

An exciting runaway occurred yesterday afternoon late which began at the Central warehouse. The team belonging to Needham Grant, of Greene county, was being hitched up when the horse became frightened at something and ran around the warehouse. At the southwest corner in turning, the wheels were torn from the car and the horse took down the sidewalk dragging the shafts and body.

The upper sidewalk of North street is lined with small stores and in front of the stores were goods on display, but the horse did not touch any of these except a peanut parcher belonging to Mr. Walter Fields. The damage done to the parcher was said to be about \$50.

Continuing up North street to Bond's market the runaway crossed over and went into the alley back of Dixon & Hooker's and into the back door of Mr. S. H. Bright's feed store, where he was caught. He broke the cart body loose in entering the door.

The wild dash down the sidewalk caused a small panic among the people on the street and some climbed trees and others jumped over counters in their haste to get out of the way.

THE COTTON MARKET.

October, 9.80; November, 9.90; December, 9.85; January, 9.81.
 Receipts on the local market 50 bales sold at 9.80 to 10 cents.

PERSONAL MENTION.

(Before leaving town or if you have friends visiting please notify this office for the benefit of your friends.)

Col. W. D. Pollock went to Raleigh this morning.

Miss Scotia Hobgood went to Rocky Mount last night to visit.

Mr. F. R. Hodges, of LaGrange, was in the city this morning.

Mr. A. J. Loftin went to LaGrange this morning on professional business.

Mr. Hunter Fleming came from Raleigh last evening and will spend some time here.

Mrs. Julia McDaniel and two children, of Trenton, spent today at Mrs. Kate Harvey's.

Mrs. B. W. Spillman spent a few hours in Dover last evening, returning here last night.

Miss E. A. Draughan, of Asheville, came yesterday, to visit the family of Dr. R. H. Lewis for a few days.

Miss Clyde Harrison, of Raleigh, who is teaching music at Winterville, was in the city last evening on her way to her mother, at Raleigh, who is quite ill.

Mrs. Sophronia Harper and daughters, Misses Myrtle, Stella, Cora and Ella, of Florida, who have been spending some time in this section, returned home this morning.

Messrs. J. T. Skinner and H. T. Oglesby went to the home of Mr. D. E. White, near Dover, yesterday afternoon, to attend a reception and supper last night given in honor of the marriage of Mr. White and Miss Jenkins, which was solemnized here yesterday.

THE LIGHT FINGERED GENTRY

"Touch" Some of Kinston's Citizens at the State Fair Yesterday.

Those returning from the State fair last night report a number of robberies by pickpockets there yesterday, among the number "touched" being Mr. Clem Bailey, of this city, and Messrs. Joe Darden and F. R. Hodges, of this county.

Mr. Bailey lost \$7, taken from his hip pocket on the fair grounds, and Mr. Darden was also relieved on the fair grounds of his pocket book, which had his ticket in it but very little money.

While in the act of putting his sister on the train Mr. Hodges noticed two men crowding him closely, who he told to stand back. He thinks then was when his pants pocket was relieved of his purse containing \$25 in bills.

The light fingered gentry are in evidence in larger numbers this year than ever before, at the fairs in the State, and they were exceedingly bold and aggressive yesterday in Raleigh. One tried his hand on Mr. N. B. Broughton, but was discovered and a lively time occurred for awhile in which it is said a female accomplice was in the melee and fought like a tigress. The police landed one of them and he was put in jail in default of \$1,000 bond.

A Beautiful Window.

Strangers frequently remark that the artistic display in the show window of our up-to-date merchants would do credit to a large city. This, of course, is pleasant to a patriotic Kinstonian, as indeed any merited compliment of our city, by an outsider, should be.

But what the writer started out to say is this: that the meritorious arrangement of "Dorothy Dodd" shoes in the show window of Einstein Bros.' store form a striking display that suggests genius.

From a background of red cloth curtain of fine texture, and bordered tastily in white, the nickle and plate mirrored glass device on which this beautiful shoe is shown a pretty effect is drawn that is worth a second look by the passerby. It is indeed a credit to the city.

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CURES ALL HEADACHES. Also sea sickness and Travelers' Nauses, dizziness, nervous headache, neuralgia. Has no effect on brain or bowels. 10c, 25c and 50c a bottle. (Liquor.)

SPECIAL NOTICES.

Visit Lenoir Cafe tonight.

Norfolk Oysters at Lenoir Cafe.

Roomers wanted, H. C. V. Peebles.

Fine Steaks at Lenoir Cafe tonight.

New Mince Meat at W. D. LaRoque, Jr.'s.

I will do your surveying at moderate cost. J. M. HOSFERTER.

A few Boarders wanted at 211 south McLewean St. MRS. IDA COX.

Seeded Raisins, Cleaned Currants and Citron at W. D. LaRoque, Jr.'s.

Hecker's Fresh Buck Wheat Oat Meal and Pan Cake Flour at W. D. LaRoque, Jr.'s.

To Let.—Furnished or unfurnished rooms. Suitable for offices or lodgings for men. A. R. MILLER.

Lost—Gold Masonic Button with blue ground around the emblem. Finder return to this office and get reward.

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BELL'S SHOPS.

310 E. BOUNT ST., KINSTON, N. C.

WHEN Its All Going Out and Nothing Coming In

After you have an accident unless you are insured such is generally the case. An Accident Policy in the PACIFIC MUTUAL will indemnify you against loss of time from an accident or sickness. Don't put it off. **INSURE NOW.**

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We have always made a specialty of **Black Dress Materials**

and have made exceptional efforts this season to have only the most select styles of the season's offerings.

We feel sure that an inspection will convince you that we have been successful in this respect.

In addition to the newest things we have a well assorted stock of staple styles.

Our desire to do the bulk of the business in this line has caused us to mark the prices sufficiently low to induce the most conservative buyers.

See samples and prices on request.

Oettinger's RACKET STORE

Our line of Millinery is complete. The prettiest and most approved Hats trimmed in the most artistic style at the Lowest Prices we have ever sold hats. A complete stock to select from. A fine line of Millinery Trimmings and the Novelties of the season. ALL ORDERS FILLED PROMPTLY.

The Erskine Co.

TOWN TAXES DUE

The Tax List of the Town of Kinston has been placed in my hands for collection, and all are notified to come forward and pay their Town Taxes without delay.

Very respectfully,
 L. J. MEWBORNE, Clerk.



The OWL DRUG STORE

WE WILL BUY BACK
 at full prices anything purchased of us that does not turn out as represented. This is one way of doing business. It is a new way and a novel way, but it protects you. It keeps us from recommending anything to you that we are not sure of. It means to us your good will, your confidence, and with it a continually increasing trade. That is what we are after and what we expect to get from you by thus protecting you from any risk in buying. We will be glad to have your trade with the above understanding. Remember we are serving the latest in Hot Drinks.

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It Pays to Trade at the Big Store

"Arch Support" OF A "Dorothy Dodd"

With the "Arch support of a 'Dorothy Dodd'" Shoe you can walk twice as far without fatigue. It is curious how great a difference it makes if the arch of your foot under the instep is properly supported.

Exercise then becomes a pastime and often a woman who can't walk a mile without fatigue finds that with a supported arch to her shoe she can walk five miles and never know the difference.

My Shoe is the only real arch-supporting shoe. It is constructed with a special shank placed out of sight between the inner and outer sole. It is held in place and the whole shank formed exactly to the shape of the foot by sewing through and through—a special process heretofore confined exclusively to the highest-priced custom-made footwear. The shank of a "Dorothy Dodd" Shoe remains firm and unyielding and causes the shoe to bend at the ball, where it should, and never at the shank.

For this reason my shoes always retain their shape, while other shoes that bend in the shank at every step, rip or flatten out completely within a few days.

MESS. EINSTEIN BROS. are my sole agents for Kinston and will take great pleasure in showing you the shoes have designed. Sincerely yours,



REGISTRATION NOTICE!

Having been appointed Registrar for the Town of Kinston for the election to be held October 27th, 1903, notice is given that the books of registration will be open at the store of T. W. Mewborn & Co., corner Queen and Blount streets, on October 12th, 1903, and thereafter for ten days, for the purpose of registering the qualified voters of the Town of Kinston, N. C., who are not now registered. This October 2nd, 1903. O. T. BONEY, Registrar.

Election Notice

Pursuant to an ordinance and resolution passed by the Board of Aldermen of the town of Kinston, at their meeting held September 12, 1903, at which time a petition of more than one-third of the qualified voters of said town was presented, notice is hereby given that an election will be held in the town of Kinston, N. C., on

Tuesday, October 27th, 1903.

to determine whether a dispensary shall be established in said town of Kinston, N. C. At said election those favoring a Dispensary will vote a ticket on which shall be written or printed the words "For Dispensaries," and all opposed to a Dispensary will vote a ticket on which shall be written or printed the words "Against Dispensaries." Such tickets shall be of white paper and without device. The polls will be opened on election day at 7 o'clock a. m., and closed at sunset of the same day. This the 8th day of September, 1903. By order of the Board of Aldermen, N. J. ROUSE, Mayor. L. J. MEWBORNE, Clerk.

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