

Dobbin & Ferrall,

North Carolina's Leading Dry Goods Store,

At Tucker's Store, 123-125 Fayetteville St.

October Sale of high quality Dress Goods, Velvets, Silks, Dress Trimmings, Laces, Neckwear, White Waistings, Linens, Lace and Spangled Robes, Tailor-made Suits, Rain Coats, Dress Coats, Evening Coats, Tourist Coats, Walking Coats, Automobile Coats, Separate Skirts, Silk Waists, Lace Waists, Lingerie Waists . . .

October Silk Sale

CHIFFON TAFFETA, Pride of the Dressmaker
Favored and worn by the best dressed women all over the world.

- 36-in. Blacks.....\$1.00 yard
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- 40-in. Blacks.....2.25 yard
- 36-in. Satin Band.....1.50 yard
- 27-in. Blacks and Colors.. 1.00 yard
- 36-in. White.....1.25 yard
- 27-in. White.....1.00 yard

Colored Chiffon Taffeta, 36 in. Wide, \$1.25
Of high lustre and perfect 4n weave, very lightly dyed, which means good wear. Made for costumes—in White, Cream, Pink, Light Blue, Grey, Alice, Lilac, Bronze, Red, Reseda, Myrtle, Sand Brown, Navy, etc.

Messalines,
The ideal silk for waists, costumes and dancing frocks, endorsed by the leading fashion papers on account of its great beauty and lustre and adaptability to the present style of dress. Made in White, Pink, Light Blue, Lilac, Reseda, Navy and Black. 27-in., \$1.00 yard.

Chiffon Bond Faille
Made by the Chiffon Mills and every yard protected by a bond—a soft chiffon finished, all pure silk fabric—22 in. wide, \$1.50 yard. Black, White, Plum, Olive, Royal, Alice, Myrtle, Smoke, etc.

Chiffon Bond Silk Suiting
A soft cloth, finished silk, some heavier than Taffeta, with a perfect cloth effect, but with the light weight of a silk—a grand fabric for Tailor-made Silk Suits, Directors Gowns, etc.—all new shades and black—22 in. wide, \$1.25 yard.

Chiffon Bond Taffeta
A splendid Chiffon finished Taffeta in every color. The best of all the warranted or guaranteed Silks—as every purchase is protected by a bond given by the makers and countersigned by ourselves. 20 in. \$1.00 yard.

Printed Warp Crepe de Chines
In superb collection of exquisite printings—a real rose garden—a most lovely fabric for dinner and reception gowns, matinee jackets, waists, etc. 24 in. wide, \$1.25 yard.

Chiffon Crepe de Chines
A new soft, yet firm Crepe de Chine—lending itself readily to the full skirts—and the draped waists of the present season. All the new pastel shades—White and Black. 24 in. wide, \$1.00.

Chiffon Moire Silk
The new Chiffon finished Moire Silks—for full dress—making splendid Empire and Directors' costumes—a full range of Empire shades—White and Black. 22 in. wide, \$1.25 yard.

October Sale of Dress Goods

SMART MATERIALS, attractively priced—fabrics that will play a most important part in the designing of the reigning styles for the new fall and winter season.

French, Austrian, German and American Broad Cloths
Best American Chiffon Broadcloths—50 in. wide, \$1.00 yard.

French Chiffon
High Lustre Broadcloths—50 in. wide, \$1.25 yard. The most perfect cloth ever produced. Full line of colors and blacks.

Austrian-Zephyr Weight Broad Cloths
Spot-proof and Water-proof, 50 in. wide, \$2.50 yard. A full line of very stylish shades.

High Grade French and German Broad Cloths
Very High finished. Equal to silk—in the newest shades of Sand Brown, Raspberry, Mahogany, Lizard, etc. 54 in. wide, \$4.00 yard.

Beautiful High Grade French Henriettas
45 in. wide, \$1.25 a yard—in the newest shades of Plum, Wine, Garnet, Alice Blue, French Grey, Olive Green, Hunter Green, Royal Blue, etc.

French German Henriettas
45 in., \$1.00 yard—in a complete range of the most stylish shades—Plum, Wine, Garnet, French Grey, Molekin, Reseda, Hunter Green, Olive Green, Royal Blue, Alice Blue, etc.

October Sale of Ladies' Ready-to-wear Garments

Tailor-made Suits
Exclusive Models in Broadcloths, Unfinished Worsteds, Mannish Mixtures, etc. Splendid values.

Misses' and Children's Junior Suits
In the new Bernard Eton styles.

Ladies' Separate Skirts
By far the greatest values we have ever shown, in the most correct styles. Special offering of French Grey Mixtures in very up-to-date models.

Infants' White Coats and Long Cloaks
Very stylish and pretty.

Smart Evening Wraps
Decidedly the best showing we have ever made in stylish Evening Wraps, offering a variety hardly equaled by the big northern stores, and at prices so much lower.

Stylish Dressy Wraps
We have given this line our particular attention this season and have succeeded beyond our best expectations.

RAIN COATS, MISSES' RAIN COATS, TOURIST AND WALKING COATS, PADDOCK COATS, ETC

DOBBIN & FERRALL

TENDER TWILIGHT THOUGHTS
By HENRY BLOUNT
Woman's love is as blind and as deaf as it is precious and beautiful. There is no ill, no grief, no bereavement so great but what God prepares a balm and a solace. Twilight is the soft and pensive link in the hallowed chain which binds the years of closing day with the peace of opening night. Prayer is the sacred avenue to God and confession is the key that opens the temple of mercy, and faith is the lens through which we see the glories of celestial splendors. Let not the poisonous snake of hatred and malice coil itself up in your heart, and fling its vile and destructive and death dealing venom of slander and malediction from your tongue. The man who wrongs a poor fellow being, and does him a great injustice, suffers more than the man who receives the hurt and sting, unless his own conscience is so sacred with the fires of depravity that the heart is insensible to feeling and cannot nurse a noble emotion. Out of trials and troubles and tortures have emerged the strongest and purest and loveliest and sweetest souls, and the most massive and Christlike characters are seamed with scars received

In the raging storms of fiercest conflict. Martyrs have put on their robes of glory glittering with the fires of torture, and through glittering tears the sorrow crowned and grief robbed have first seen the pearly gates of paradise and caught ecstatic visions of its glories and its beauties. Charity is the sweetest virtue. It is like a star on a dark night, or a gleam of sunshine on a cloudy day. It is like a luxuriant flower, for its exquisite odor is refreshing and invigorating, and is as sweet and as cheering as the fragrance that is born in celestial bowers, when angel hands doth nurse and tend the purest, sweetest flowers. And when that rare and precious flower is worn on the lapel of our deportment there is always a sweet perfume of good cheer lingering around our presence, and our ministry becomes a blessing, and pronounces its own benediction. When a man and a woman are united in holy wedlock with the right motive for each other, then it is marriage becomes to them the grand and glorious and magnificent God-planned temple of the purest bliss and the sweetest comfort and supremest joy and the richest rapture that this earth holds for mortals. Reciprocal love is that sweet, God-strung, divinely tuned and Heavenly toned organ from which float out in thrilling waves of delicious

ecstasies. And then it is earth becomes a paradise of enchantment, for every scene is a picture of beauty, every object a rhythmic poem of loveliness, every bush a flower and every sound a song. Reader, is your life radiant and beautiful and soulful, or is it dark and gloomy and throbbing with the dirge of dreams and sorrow and despair. If ed dreams and sorrow and despair. Of the latter, cheer up and remember that the trials and the troubles and the sorrows and the heart-aches of this life are but the dust and the cinders flung into our eyes as time's rushing cars go rattling along the short route to the river of death, and then the heat and worry of the trip will be over, for when we change cars there will be no more dust, no more cinders, no more stifling smoke, for "the run" then will be upon the verdant ballasted road of the flower laden banks of the river of life that flows in musical and sparkling ripples by the great White Throne of God, where the fogs and the vapors and the gloom that beset us here will be changed into the shining spray and glistening mist of the God-fed mountains of blissful immortality.

What They Say About Us
London, Oct. 7.—European comment upon the expose of the American insurance companies has been remarka-

bly restrained. The subject attracted widespread attention. But there has been no wholesale denunciation and no attempt to run the situation to the advantage of the home companies. The most important utterance yet made on this point by a leading journal in today's Morning Post. After first conceding the complete solvency of the implicated companies the Post says: "Englishmen have been profoundly shocked by the discovery that these international incorporations have been used in the interest of Wall street, and that some of the most distinguished representatives of American commerce, finance and public life have allowed themselves and have been allowed to treat the premiums of millions of policy-holders as a means of private gain. Americans can scarcely be surprised to learn that the confidence of Europe in their business integrity has been staggered by the multiplying proofs of so much laxity and wrong-doing."

Stockholder's Meeting
The regular annual meeting of the stockholders of Caraleigh Mills Company will be held at the mayor's office in the city of Raleigh on Monday, October 16, at 12 o'clock.

F. O. MORING,
Secretary and Treasurer.

JUST NINE DAYS UNTIL THE FAIR

Secretary Pogue Tells Why all Records Will be Broken

SURPRISES IN STORE

President Roosevelt the Crowning Attraction, But the Exhibits, the "Trail" and the Trials of Speed Will Be Far and Away Ahead of any Brought Here Before

While the general public are perhaps more fully alive to the value and importance of the approaching state fair than ever before, said Secretary Joseph E. Pogue last night, it can be said nevertheless that a great surprise is in store when the curtain rises for the forty-fourth annual fair which will be formally opened in this city just nine days hence.

There are many reasons why this fair will really excel all others, why it should be made the most notable event in the history of this state. First and foremost, the president of the United States, Theodore Roosevelt, is coming to meet with the good people of the "Old North State" at the fair grounds and talk to them about live issues affecting their fortunes and the future of this country in his characteristic, strenuous way. It seems that all of North Carolina and thousands without the state will be here to greet our president, especially on "President's Day," October 19th. The speech will be delivered at about 11:30 o'clock from a handsomely decorated stand directly at the front of the grand from which point everybody will have an opportunity to see and hear him speak.

Again it is certain that the exhibits in field crops, cattle, sheep and swine, improved agriculture of the machinery, poultry, products of the mine mills and factories, fine arts, paintings and artistic work, handicraft, artistic skill and ladies' fancy work, etc., will measure up to the highest plane of excellence.

The trials of speed on the race track will present the most interesting spectacle in this line ever seen in the state. A superior class of fast racers are coming to the state fair this year and the display of fine horse flesh, from the best bred American racers to the finest imported draft percheron will be in "full dress" parade before the eyes of President Roosevelt, who is himself a great lover of horse flesh.

There will be attractions and amusements to an extent and variety never before approached in the south. It is now the "trail" at the "Midway Plaisance" at Chicago, the "Pike" at St. Louis, the "Trail" at the Lewis and Clark Exposition. Hence it is the "Trail" at Raleigh, as the time has been insufficient to coin a new phrase; but one may be coned by the time the curtain rises in Raleigh nine days hence. It will be a popular trail, too, for all sorts and conditions of man, woman and children-kind. Because along its highway will be found an unbroken line of floating bunting spreading over every available foot of space, beneath which will be featured a new and novel variety of shows and attractions representing the latest and best to be found upon the modern midway. Obsolete shows have been tabooed and only such as offer new and startling features have been booked. It is not worth while for the management to be contented with giving the people what they have in the past seen, or what might be considered such things as would be entirely satisfactory to the public, but they must go further in keeping with the spirit of southern progress and give the people something in the nature of a genuine surprise by reason of superior merit. The great state fair is no lagard. It aspires to the honor of setting the pace for progressive North Carolina to follow. By progressive is meant the "new North Carolina" of today on whose industrial development the eyes of the world are turning.

No such proposition as this would be practicable, involving the thousands of dollars that it would cost the agricultural society were it not based upon the pledges of the railroads to meet the demands of the occasion and move the multitudes from all over the state to and from the fair. The city of Raleigh and the chamber of commerce are actively co-operating with the fair authorities to the end that sufficient accommodations may be provided to take care of all who come.

these who expect to make exhibits, to send or bring their entries to the office of the secretary in the Carolina Trust building, Raleigh, N. C., before October 4th, if possible, so as to get them properly entered on the books and avoid the rush at the fair grounds. Those who wish space on the midway had better apply early, as it is being rapidly taken up. The prospects are that this will be the grandest fair in all departments ever held.

The Hall of History

Col. F. A. Olds is making splendid progress with his work of arranging the Hall of History in the state museum. Recently he has arranged practically all the exhibits and has had typewritten in fast black ink over 1,600 labels and concise descriptions of the articles shown. The place has become one of the most attractive and interesting features of the museum. One of the most recent additions to the hall is a fine painting in water colors of Major General H. H. Hoke. There is also a large picture presented by Senator Overman showing the Confederate prison and pen at Salisbury in 1864.

Bar Meeting Tuesday

There will be a meeting of the Wake County Bar at the clerk's office on Tuesday afternoon next, October 10th, at 3:30 o'clock, for the purpose of arranging a calendar of civil cases for trial at the October term, 1905, which commences October 23, 1905, and continues for three weeks, the Hon. M. H. Justice, judge presiding.

Organ Factory for High Point

High Point, N. C., Oct. 7.—Special. The latest acquisition to High Point's diversity of manufacturing interests is a factory to manufacture organs. The gentleman promoting the enterprise met with some of the business men and the required capital stock was raised in a few minutes.

Rufus B. Merchant Dead

Washington, Oct. 7.—Rufus B. Merchant, disbursing officer of the post-office department and a veteran of the civil war, died at his home in Washington Friday night, aged 65 years. He was born in Dumfries, Va., learned the printing trade and was employed in Philadelphia when the civil war broke out. He returned to the south, enlisted in Cobb's Legion of Georgia cavalry, in which he served with distinction, and later was chief scout of the Army of Northern Virginia under General Lee. In 1869 he established the Fredericksburg (Va.) Star, which he owned and edited until 1895, when he was appointed disbursing officer of the postoffice department.

GLENN AT WARRENTON

A Zeb. Vance Reception By Warrenton Farmers

Biggest Meeting Ever Held There
Accordeu Governor—Military Mounted Marshals and Eloquent Speeches—Particulars

Warrenton, N. C., Oct. 7.—Special. This has been a great day for Warrenton county people. Gov. Robert B. Glenn and Secretary T. B. Parker of the Cotton Growers' Association addressed eighteen hundred of Warrenton county's representative farmers and citizens. The two speakers were handsomely introduced by J. H. Kerr and Tasker Polk and for two hours and fifty minutes they held the close attention of the large audience.

Mr. Parker made a strong speech, urging and showing the farmers what is to be gained by organization and standing together. There has not been since the days of Vance a more enthusiastic welcome accorded any man than that given Governor Glenn during his speech. He was at his very best and his speech was acknowledged by all to be the best ever delivered in this old town. He enthused our farmers and impressed them with the necessity of organizing in order to secure the best prices for their produce.

Governor Glenn pledged them his support for all measures which tended to promote temperance, good will and prosperity. Before the speaking a procession was formed and paraded the principal streets led by the Durham brass band. There were twenty-five mounted marshals with H. T. Mason as chief. The Warren Guards acted as an escort to the speakers. This was the most successful meeting the farmers here have ever held.

PRESIDENT INDICTED

Thereupon the Bank Decides to Discontinue Business
Peoria, Ill., Oct. 7.—As a direct result of the indictment of N. C. Dougherty for forgery yesterday, the directors of the Peoria National Bank, of which he was president, announced early this morning that they had decided to suspend business and would call in the comptroller of the currency to wind up the affairs of the institution.

The Weather

Washington, Oct. 7.—For North Carolina: For Sunday, warmer except in extreme eastern portion; brisk north-easterly winds; Monday, fair, warmer.

THE TURN OF LIFE

A Time When Women Are Susceptible to Many Dread Diseases—Intelligent Women Prepare for It. Two Relate their Experience.

"The 'change of life' is the most critical period of a woman's existence, and the anxiety felt by women as it draws near is not without reason. Every woman who neglects the care of her health at this time invites disease and pain. When her system is in a deranged condition, or she is predisposed to apoplexy, or congestion of any organ, the tendency is at this period likely to become active—and with a host of nervous irritations, make life a burden. At this time, also, cancers and tumors are more liable to form and begin their destructive work. Such warning symptoms as sense of suffocation, hot flashes, headaches, backaches, dizziness, impeding evil, timidity, sounds in the ears, palpitation of the heart, sparks before the eyes, irregularities, constipation, variable appetite, weakness and inquietude, and lizziness, are promptly heeded by intelligent women who are approaching the period in life when woman's great change may be expected. These symptoms are all just so many calls from nature for help. The nerves are crying out for assistance and the cry should be heeded in time. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound was prepared to meet the needs of woman's system at this trying period of her life. It invigorates and strengthens the female organism and builds up the weakened nervous system. It has carried thousands of women safely through this crisis. For special advice regarding this important period women are invited to write to Mrs. Pinkham at Lynn, Mass., and it will be furnished absolutely free of charge. Read what Lydia E. Pinkham's Compound did for Mrs. Hyland and Mrs. Hinkle. Dear Mrs. Pinkham—



"I wrote you for advice and commenced treatment with Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound as you directed, and I am happy to say that all those distressing symptoms left me and I have passed safely through the change of life, a well woman. I am recommending your medicine to all my friends."—Mrs. Annie E. G. Hyland, Chester town, Md.

Another Woman's Case.
"During change of life words cannot express what I suffered. My physician said I had a cancerous condition of the womb. One day I read some of the testimonials of women who had been cured by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and I decided to try it and to write you for advice. Your medicine made me a well woman, and all my bad symptoms soon disappeared. 'I advise every woman at this period of life to take your medicine and write you for advice.'"—Mrs. Lizzie Hinkle, Salem, Ind.

What Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound did for Mrs. Hyland and Mrs. Hinkle it will do for any woman at this time of life. It has conquered pain, restored health, and prolonged life in cases that utterly baffled physicians. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Succeeds Where Others Fail

Make Entries at Once
The force at the office of the secretary of the state fair is very busy making entries, and prospects for large exhibits are very flattering. But the management again calls attention of