—Convention days are coming on and candidates are beginning to stir.

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For Infants and Children.

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Serious Stomach Trouble Cured.

I was troubled with a distress in my stomach, sour stomach and vomiting spells, and can truthfully say that Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets cured me.—Mrs. T. V. Williams, Laingsburg, Mich. For sale by all druggists.

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1. That our styles are right and distinctive.
2. That our store maintains a higher standard of quality (for the price) than any store in Oxford.
3. That every piece of goods is as represented.
4. That this is Oxford and Granville County's ideal store.
5. That our prices are lowest now and always.
6. That we cheerfully take back any goods that are not satisfactory and do not ask you to take something else but give back your money.

WASH GOODS.

As early as last fall we have been buying for this department and in doing so have shown our good judgment, for many of the fabrics shown cannot be duplicated at near the price. We are selling them according to the price bought at then.

For early spring wear we are showing an extensive assortment of fashion's latest creations in Voiles, Etamines, Eolinnes, Danish Cloths, Mohairs in all shades and prices, and for a pretty, stylish suit nothing is better or more up-to-date.

COTTON WASH FABRICS.

Exact reproductions of the finer wool grades are our Grecian Voiles, Danish Cloths, Reps and Suitings in a wide range of colors and patterns. Ginghams are again very popular and we were fortunate in early buying to secure the latest patterns and styles.

EMBROIDERIES and LACES.

While our buyers were in New York they picked up a special lot of Hamburg Edgings that we are going to make quick sellers of and will offer while they last at 10, 12½ and 15—goods that are worth more money. Another special assortment is a line of imitation torchon laces, beautiful in design and finish, all to be sold at quick moving figures.

HOUSE FURNISHINGS.

Specially interesting to housekeepers are some of the prices we are making in Table Damasks, Towels, Napkins, White Quilts, Drapery, Silkolines. Lace Curtains ranging in price from 75 cents per pair to Irish Point at $5.00 per pair. Special in price and quality is a full and complete assortment of lace stripe and dotted swiss curtain muslins, ranging in price from 8 to 25 cents per yard. Worth more money but bought cheap.

MILLINERY DEPARTMENT.

In this department we put forth our very best efforts and promise to show you the most complete and varied assortment of the latest creations in all the newest and most popular shapes, and artistically trimmed. Miss Willis, a trimmer of long experience in New York, Baltimore and other places, has charge and a look at her hats will convince you that she is thoroughly up-to-date and knows how to make a hat that is becoming and stylish.

SHOES.

It is conceded by nearly every one that we carry the best line of shoes, and this season we are putting forth extra efforts and are prepared to show something new in footwear, in the latest styles and cuts. Shoes for the young and old and all at lowest prices to insure a good wearing shoe.

CLOTHING.

Every man and boy wants a nice spring suit of clothes that fits well, looks well, wears well and can be sold at a reasonable price. We have them. The ordinary clothing has nothing in its favor except its price and when the usual poor fit and wearing qualities are taken into consideration, it really isn't worth what it costs, either to the dealer or to the wearer. This is so because it loses its shape and fit after a short time, becomes shabby and makes the wearer dissatisfied with his purchase. Business isn't built through making dissatisfied customers. It is built through making satisfied ones. That is just what our brands of clothing does. Every garment is brimming over with "vim" and "go." The fabric, fit and finish are unsurpassed. "Don't fail to give us a look before buying."

"Kuhn-Made" Clothes

Ayer's

When the nerves are weak everything goes wrong. You are tired all the time, easily discouraged, nervous, and irritable. Your cheeks are

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pale and your blood is thin. Your doctor says you are threatened with a nervous breakdown. He orders this grand old family medicine.

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Keep the bowels regular with Ayer's Pills, just one pill each night.

Best Cough Medicine for Children.

When you buy a cough medicine for small children you want one in which you can place implicit confidence. You want one that not only relieves but cures. You want one that is unquestionably harmless. You want one that is pleasant to take. Chamberlains Cough Remedy meets all these conditions. There is nothing so good for the coughs and colds incident to childhood. For sale by all druggists.

—Now that the bees have commenced to hum, you may know that spring has come.

A Cure For Headache.

Any man woman or child suffering from headache, billiousness or a dull drowsy feeling should take one or two of DeWitt's Little Early Risers night and morning. These famous little pills are famous because they are a tonic as well as a pill. While they clense the system they strengthen and rebuild it by their tonic effect upon the liver and bowels. Sold by J. G. Hall.

—The State charters the Bank of Roxboro, with $25,000 capital stock, to do a commercial and savings business, J. S. Merritt and others being the stockholders.

A Singular Word.

Our language contains a word ending with "S" that denotes anxiety, worry, etc., add to this word another "S" and it will denote affection, joy, etc. Find this word in the paragraph below. "Cares" bring anxiety and worry, these bring derangement of the digestive organs, usually resulting in indigestion. Rydale's Stomach Tablets cure indigestion. Rydale's Stomach Tablets cure indigestion. It matters not whether your stomach trouble is caused by worry over work, neglect, malaria or any other cause. Rydale's Stomach Tablets will cure you. They insure perfect digestion and assimilation. They tone and strengthen the digestive organs, restoring them to health. Use them and good health will bless you and fortune "Caress" you. J. G. Hall.

More than twenty five U. S. warships are assembled at Pensacola, Fla., for target practice.

"I have been subject to sciatic rheumatism for years," says E. H. Waldron, of Wilton Junction, Iowa. "My joints were stiff and gave me much pain and discomfort. My joints would crack when I straightened up. I used Chamberlains Pain Balm and have been thoroughly cured. Have not had a pain or ache from the old trouble for many months. It is certainly a most wonderful liniment." For sale by all druggists.

A Japanese coasting steamer was fired upon and sunk by Russian warships on the 27th of March, passengers and crew was taken as prisoners.

SECRETS

At the Price of Suffering.

Woman on her way to semi-invalidism caused by pregnancy suffers much pain.

Ignorance prompts her to suffer alone in silence and remain in the dark as to the true cause—motherhood.

Mother's Friend takes the doctor's place and she has no cause for an interview. She is her own doctor, and her modesty is protected. Daily application to the breast and abdomen throughout pregnancy will enable her to undergo the period of gestation in a cheerful mood and rest undisturbed.

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Sparks of Public Opinion.

Senator Joe Burton, of Kansas, has been found guilty on "nine counts." He thinks they are "no accounts" and has appealed to the Supreme Court to settle them.

The story of the beautiful woman who is suing her husband for a divorce because he bites her every time he kisses her, touches us very deeply. Poor fellow! He no doubt thought she was sweet enough to be eaten, but she objected to being munched at as if she were a Bologna sausage.—Wilmington Star.

This from the Washington Post indicates plainly that our contemporary is thoroughly acquainted with the situation down here: "When you read an account of a split in the Republican party in a Southern State it is a safe wager that the negroes and the postmasters have failed to agree on a question of party policy."

"Goldsboro has two female baseball teams, and it is said they put up a pretty game."—Wilson Times. We have no doubt that those Goldsboro girls make pretty plays, and we know enough about them to aver that they all make beautiful catches. However, who ever heard of girls playing "doubles" without a man on one side.—Wilmington Star.

You talk about the trust magnates and monopoly manipulators buying up the government officials, but who ever heard before Mr. Hearst came into the race for the presidency of a man openly offering to buy his way into the highest office in the land? Were Mr. Hearst a fit man for the office his conduct since the beginning of his campaign has been enough to damn him in the estimation of all honest and decent people.—Wilmington Messenger.

The New York World makes the point that if President Roosevelt had such a Congress to confront as President Johnson had, the usurpation of law-making power involved in the recent pension order would cause the Executive to be impeached and convicted by a large majority. Not only is that true, in our opinion, but if Johnson had done what Mr. Roosevelt did in disregarding the Spooner law concerning the Isthmian canal proposition, impeachment and conviction would have been an immediate result. This Congress seems disposed to swallow any indignity the the President chooses to put upon it.

Any township which has good roads, good schools, rural mail delivery, school libraries, the rural telephone, farmers' clubs, and a good newspaper in every farmer's home—well, in such a neighborhood a man can live twice as long in five years as he could in a slow, unprogressive community without these advantages. In a neighborhood making these improvements, land will increase in price; neighbors will be more neighborly; there will be more contentment—fuller lives; the neighborhood will win a reputation for intelligence and enterprise that will make its residents proud of their citizenship; and a new and stateller type of man will be developed—men broadened by a closer touch with the world of men and business and letters, but without the bustle and grind that keep the city man a slave to business, living a superficial life.—Progressive Farmer.

If ever there was a time in the history of the Democratic party when united action was necessary, it is now. Matters that may be demonstrated as personal must, in the interests of party success, be relegated to the background. The little disagreements between men who have been party leaders should not be considered seriously by the delegates who will be sent to participate in the St. Louis convention. This is the time when all past differences should be forgiven and forgotten. The rank and file of the party have the right to demand this, to the end that a great Democratic victory in November be assured. The country today needs the Democratic party, and needs it badly. All the patriotic and conservative forces which co-operate with it are needed, too. In view of this necessity it is incumbent that insignificant strife and petty quarrels be entirely obliterated. No matter how strong the issues which the Democratic party will embody in its platform may be, if there exist a lack of unity the chances of final success are small. If we present a solid and unbroken front the cause of Jefferson, and the cause of the people are bound to triumph.—Asheville Citizen.

A Good Citizen Who Stays at Home.

Mr. Daniel Sink, a well known and prosperous farmer living just across Forsyth and Davidson county line, tells us a remarkable record concerning himself. Mr. Sink is 60 years old, has never seen the Yadkin river, living only 12 miles from it; has never been over 28 miles from home and has never rode on the train. He has reared a family of eight children, has always raised plenty and to spare; is a member of the Reformed church and is an industrious and highly respected citizen, serving his day and generation honestly and conscientiously, with good will toward all men.—Winston Republican.

This Story Told by a Preacher.

Rev. C. L. Hoffman, formerly rector of St. Peter's Episcopal church here, and now living in Lincolnton tells of a strange tribute that is paid to "Big" John Heavner, a farmer who was killed a short time ago on his farm near Lincolnton, by the falling of a tree. It is declared that for 13 years he never saw the face of his oldest daughter. She was born in the night, and for 13 years after her birth Mr. Heavner pursued, each day his habit of arising before day light and not returning until after dark. One night his daughter dressed carefully, sat up late and was introduced to her father. All persons who have doubts about this matter are respectfully referred to Mr. Hoffman.

He Gave Up.

A darkey in Alabama was once brought into court on account of a comparatively pretty offense.

When the clerk of the court began the reading of the charge, which began with the usual form, "The State of Alabama against Ezekiel Jenkins," the culprit evinced signs of amazement and terror.

When the query was put to him, "Have you anything to say, etc., and do you plead guilty or not guilty?" the unfortunate negro stammered: "It ain't no use, Yo' Honah! I ain't guilty; but ef de whole State ob Alabamah am ag'in one po' niggah, Ise gwine gibe up right now!"

The Best Salve.

DeWitts Witch Hazel gives instant relief from burns, cures cuts, bruises, sores eczema, tetter and all abrasions of the skin In buying Witch Hazel Salve it is only necessary to see that you get the genuine DeWitts and a cure is certain. There are many cheap conterfeits on the market all of which are worthless and quite a few are dangerous, while DeWitts Witch Hazel is perfectly harmless and cures. Sold by J. G. Hall.

A national convention for the nomination of a negro candidate for president is to be held in St. Louis.

Nothing Equal to Chamberlains Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy.

We have used Chamberlains Colic Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy in our family for years," says Mr. J. B. Cooke, of Nederlands Texas. "We have given it to all of our children We have used other medicines for the same purpose, but have never found anything to equal Chamberlain's. If you will use it as directed it will always cure." For sale by all druggists.

Augustus Heinz, Montana copper mine magnate, was fined $20,000 for contempt in the U. S. Court at Butte, Montana.

Are You a Dyspeptic?

If you are a dyspeptic you owe it to yourself and your friends to get well. Dyspepsia annoys the dyspeptic's friends because his disease sours his disposition as well as his stomach. Kodol Dyspepsia Cure will not only cure dyspepsia, indigestion and sour stomach, but this palatable, reconstructive tonic digestant strengthens the whole digestive apparatus and sweetens the life as well as the stomach. When you take Kodol Dyspepsia Cure the food you eat is enjoyed. It is digested, assimilated and its nutrient properties appropriated by the blood and tissues. Health is the result. Sold by J. G. Hall.

—State Senator Jos. A. Brown, of Columbus county, is a candidate for the Democratic nomination for Lieutenant Governor.

Young Plants

Every farmer knows that some plants grow better than others. Soil may be the same and seed may seem the same but some plants are weak and others strong.

And that's the way with children. They are like young plants. Same food, same home, same care but some grow big and strong while others stay small and weak.

Scott's Emulsion offers an easy way out of the difficulty. Child weakness often means starvation, not because of lack of food, but because the food does not feed.

Scott's Emulsion really feeds and gives the child growing strength.

Whatever the cause of weakness and failure to grow—Scott's Emulsion seems to find it and set the matter right.

Send for free sample.

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50c. and $1.00; all druggists.

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IT COSTS YOU NOTHING TO INVESTIGATE.

There is no one who does not need a Liver Medicine occasionally.

The symptoms of Liver Complaint are well known to every one, such as constipation, dyspepsia, loss of appetite, sleeplessness, headache, a tired feeling and many others of a similar nature.

Thousands die annually by not heeding the warnings of nature.

Many acquire some chronic disease from which they never recover.

Many of these could be spared for years of usefulness, by keeping in the home some reliable remedy.

We believe that we can convince any fair-minded person that there is no better remedy for the Liver known, than Dr. Thacher's Liver and Blood Syrup.

The formula is known, consisting of: Buchu, Hydrangea, Mandrake, Yellow Dock, Dandelion, Sarsaparilla, Gentian, Senna and Iodide of Potassium. You know just what you are taking. How many other formulas of a liver medicine are published? Ask your druggist about this. It is already prepared and can be taken immediately.

The strength is extracted in the most skillful manner, certainly superior to any powdered preparation known. (We also manufacture a Liver Medicine in powdered form, with which any druggist can supply you, but this, like all other dry Liver Medicines requires preparation.)

Dr. Thacher's Liver and Blood Syrup is pleasant to take, does not lose its strength, as Liver Medicine in dry form, and will keep in any climate.

Your doctor, however skillful, could prescribe nothing better.

There is no opportunity for a doctor to make a mistake in writing a prescription, or a drug clerk to make a mistake in compounding the same, (besides a doctor's bill and the cost of the medicine.) You can be absolutely sure of the proper proportion being in every dose.

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If you do not understand your case, write today for a Free sample bottle and "Dr. Thacher's Health Book." Give symptoms for advice. We simply ask that you try it at our expense. We know what it will do.

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Execution Sale.

Under and by virtue of an execution to me directed by J. T. Britt, C. S. C. Granville county, on the 19th day of March, 1904, in the case of A. W. Graham plaintiff, vs. William (Roe) Carter, defendant, which execution was issued upon a judgment obtained at the February Term of Granville Superior Court and duly docketed in the Superior Court, I will sell at public auction for cash to the highest bidder, on

MONDAY, APRIL, 25, 1904,

at 12 m., at the court house door in order to satisfy said execution, the right, title and interest in a house and lot in the town of Oxford, N. C., to-wit: Bounded on the North-east by the land of Dr. L. C. Taylor, on the South-east by Penn avenue, on the South-west by A. E Taylor, on the North-west by G. C. Shaw, containing about one half acre, being the land bought by William (Roe) Carter from Dr. L. C. Taylor.

This March 22, 1904. E. K. HOWARD,

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We are most abundantly ready with a collection of goods surpassing all former showings at springtime. As many real charming lines have never been seen here at any season. The efforts of our buyer have been crowned with glory—victory after victory has been won in our persistent battles to secure for our stores merchandise of the highest class, bought so as to be offered at figures in keeping with the times. The new goods show there has been much forethought in their choosing—there is every evidence that care has been taken in selecting, for there are so many more charming lines and the varieties are so much larger and finer. Our far-reaching patronage, coming to us as it does from all sections of this and adjoining counties, demands of us that we must show the biggest and best stocks. It demands of us to display finer grades in an unstinted way. Certainly if an establishment was ever liberal in its displays Long Bros. have been in their huge and wonderfully attractive mobilization of a new season's products for the service of men, women and children,

All hands are on the alert arranging the new arrivals. However, if you wish to buy now it's not necessary to wait—the new goods embracing all the foremost styles may be had now just as well as later.

Newest, Richest and Rarest Silks and Dress Fabrics.

Fair Lady May Wear Exclusive Hats.

The reputation made by our designers last season will be fully sustained in the master Spring display of Women's Headwear. Our exhibition will far eclipse that of any former occasion. If we should promise you that it will, rest assured there'll be no disappointment. The many weeks spent in New York by our milliner was not for naught. She acquired a complete knowledge of the latest and most stylish; and this coupled with her talents and her ability to produce exclusive patterns, will give Long Bros'. lady patrons the swellest hats shown South in many years. Our Millinery Department presents a glad, glittering spectacle of the beauty and charms of a new season in ladies' head adornment.

SHOES! SHOES!

We have every reason to be proud of our assortment of new Spring Footwear for men, women and children. Proud of it because we believe it to be the smartest and best in the history of our business.

Now would be an excellent time to get acquainted with the new styles—come and look, buy now or later, as you please. We will be more than pleased to show you—all that is new and good in footwear awaits you.

An Opening Special for Men.

A grand display of SCHLOSS BROS. CLOTHING. Good clothes, the kind Schloss Bros. make, gain prestige everywhere. You'll take into consideration "your spring looks" at once if you've that enviable characteristic, "up-to-date ness." We have the kind that fills a man with self-satisfaction as to his appearance. Every garment a recent style, a stylish fit and a fit possession.

Spring Blossoms in Furnishings

The brightest and best in Men's Furnishings is ready for the season. There's hardly a day but what you'll see something new here. We're always awake and on the look-out for all the smart things. The best dressers look to this store for the new ideas in Men's Furnishings. We always have them first, whatever they may be.

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