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SPENCER, N. C.

Special Sale on Coat Suits and Cloaks.

WE have received about 50 Coat Suits for this Special Sale, all of the latest styles, best linings and trimmings, and in order to let everybody have a new Coat Suit and money left over to buy their other Christmas presents, there are about 25 of these Suits worth \$25.00 that we will sell quick at at \$18.75. About 15 worth \$20.00 at \$14.98. And 10 worth \$16.50 and \$18.00 at \$12.98.

Now these are values in Coat Suits that you can't afford to miss.

We have about 15 Coat Suits at \$7.50.

Owing to the warm weather we are overstocked in Children's and Misses' Coats; about 100 children's coats will be sacrificed. We have about 15 coats worth \$1.00, special price for this sale 75c. 10 coat at \$2.50, special for this sale \$1.25. 12 coats at \$3.00, special 2.98. 9 coats 5.00, special at 3.25. 8 coats at 6.50, special at 3.98. Several worth 8.00 to 10.00 will be sold in same rate of price as above.

All of our Ladies' Tans, Browns and Light Colored, loose-fitting coats at half price.

100 fine Lawn Shirtwaists, trimmed in embroidery and lace, worth from 2.00 to 4.00, at 98c.

Good assortment of sizes all will go in this sale at the same price.

Those who get here early on days of sale will get some choice bargains.

Sale to begin Thursday Morning the 2nd and run for 10 days.

BRITAIN & CAMPBELL

120 South Main street, Salisbury, N. C.

How busy a store's employees are is always governed and gauged by how busy the advertising managers are.

What will you take for that Cough you have Bill? I don't want it, but if I had it I would take Bloodine COUGH CHECKER, a 25c bottle will cure you.

THE KING'S ORDER.

It Was Obeyed, and Yet the Monarch Was Not Happy.

When King Gustavus III. of Sweden was in Paris he was visited by a deputation of the Sorbonne. That learned body congratulated the king on his happy fortune which had given him so great a man as Scheele, the discoverer of magnestum, as his subject and fellow countryman.

The king, who took small interest in the progress of science, felt somewhat ashamed that he should be so ignorant as never even to have heard of the renowned chemist. He dispatched a courier at once to Sweden with the laconic order: "Scheele is to be immediately raised to the dignity and title of a count."

"His majesty must be obeyed," said the prime minister as he read the order, "but who in the world is Scheele?" A secretary was told to make inquiries. He came back to the premier with very full information. "Scheele is a good sort of fellow," said he, "a lieutenant in the artillery, a capital shot and a first rate hand at billiards." The next day the lieutenant became a count, and the illustrious scholar and scientist remained a simple burgher.

The error was not discovered until the king returned home. His majesty was indignant: "You must all be fools," he exclaimed, "not to know who Scheele is!"—Argonaut.

Knew It Was a Canal.

Some of these youngsters who are studying physiology have as hard a time as their parents figuring out the terms used in that profoundly interesting subject. One little girl, according to her mentor, was asked the other day to name the three openings into the throat. For the benefit of the gentle reader who may not have studied his physiology recently it may be stated that the openings are the epiglottis, the esophagus and the alimentary canal.

The little girl had tried awfully hard to remember those names because she had a hunch that the teacher would ask her to give them. She started bravely.

"The epiglottis," she began and hesitated.

"Right you are," encouraged the teacher. "What then?"

"The—um—ah—sarcophagus?" she inquired a little dubiously.

"You mean esophagus, my dear," suggested the teacher. "And the third?"

"The Erie canal!" announced the little girl confidently and triumphantly.—Louisville Courier-Journal.

The Bucket Shop.

"Bucket shops"—a name now used to denote small "outside" stockbrokers or financiers not in membership with the Stock Exchange—were so called because when they first started in Chicago the only commodity dealt in by small speculators to any extent was wheat. The legitimate dealers would not handle an order for less than 5,000 bushels, and then a lot of places sprung up where men of limited capital could speculate with very small sums, and these men were spoken of contemptuously as buying and selling wheat by the bucketful; hence shops where a small business was conducted in grain on a margin came to be known as bucket shops. The term was finally extended to cover all brokerage offices where small lots of either grain or stock were bought and sold, and it was applied particularly to those places where both seller and buyer did not more than "gamble" on the rise and fall of stocks.

Bows on Men's Hats.

Why is it that a man's hat has a band, and why is it this band has a bow invariably on the left side?

The answer is that there was a time when a piece of cloth adjusted to the head and tied with a band of other material served for a headpiece. The reason the bow was always placed on the left side had its origin in the fact that in welding a sword—an accomplishment possessed by nearly every one of consequence at one period of the world's history—the bow or rosette if placed on the right side would have been in the way. Its present day utility is that it keeps most men from wearing their hats hind side before, and, although with most hats that would not matter, with most heads it does.—Chicago Record-Herald.



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Solid Gold Brooches,	1.00 "
Solid Gold Bar Pins,	1.00 "
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The Dean's Retort.

One Sunday morning at Cauntou church Dean Hole noticed a thug man in the congregation. He bore his presence until it was no longer possible, and then came to a halt with the question, "Are you fit to remain in God's house?"

The man got up unsteadily and was helped to the door.

"James," said Hole after the service was over, "what did you do with him?"

The useful parishioner replied, "I put him on a tombstone, sir."

The indignant vicar's retort was, "Couldn't you have put him under it?"—London Mail.

Names in Politics.

"I want to make a name for myself in politics," said the ambitious youth.

"Well," answered Senator Sorghum, "it's liable to be a long and difficult enterprise. You'll probably have to put in a considerable share of your time allowing your enemies to call you any names they happen to think of."—Washington Star.

His Claim to Fame.

"Who was this fellow Pepys, and what is his claim to fame?"

"His claim to fame is well founded, my friend. He's the man who kept a diary for more than a year."—Kansas City Journal.

The Quick Witted Sharp.

Mrs. Sharp—So you told Mr. Jones you wished you was single once more, did you? Sharp (with quick wit)—Only that I might have the happiness of marrying you over again, darling.—Boston Transcript.

Domestic Bliss.

Madame—I don't know where our son gets all his faults from. I'm sure he doesn't get them from me. Monsieur—No, you're right there; you haven't lost any of yours.

Trust men and they will be true to you. Treat them gently, and they will show themselves great.—Emerson.

Cause For Surprise.

Belle—Mr. Higgins started to kiss me, last night.

Denah—And weren't you surprised? "I should say I was. He didn't do it."—Yonkers Statesman.

His Preparation.

"Listen to this charming bit of obituary sentiment," said a cynical bachelor: "He had been married forty years and was prepared to die."—Ladies' Home Journal.

We accomplish more by prudence than by force.—Tacitus.

No advertisement in The Crescent is lost or thrown away. If results do not come directly to you, they come anyhow in some way—for your good.

Good work and good material tell. Poor work and poor material kill. If you advertise your business on your stationery, do it artistically, attractively, and without making a shabby or cheap show.

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