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WILL ARRIVE MONDAY.

Remember we have received the following New Spring Lines:

Silks, Ribbons, Laces, Hamburg, Hosiery, White Goods, Neckwear, Hats and Samples for Suits to order.

Our CLOTHING and DRESS GOODS will arrive Monday. A bargain in these goods awaits you.

F. V. ROWE,
Leading Clothier.

For Rent:—The Store House on Main St., now occupied by Dawson and Co. Apply to Gazette-Messenger office. m1

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JUST OPENED
And Ready
For Business.

A New Boarding House on Respass St., where I will be glad to welcome the former patrons and friends of Pamlico Inn.

Terms, \$1. per day.
J. H. ORMOND, Prop.

This Space For Sale.

TAXES SO FAR FIXED.

Sections of the Revenue Act Adopted by the House.

Twenty-six sections of the Revenue Act adopted fix the following taxes:

On theatres and opera houses in towns of more than 10,000 inhabitants, \$200; less than 10,000 and over 5,000, \$100; under 5,000 and not over 2,500, \$50; less than 2,500 and over 1,000, \$25; less than 1,000 \$15.

On travelling theatrical companies, \$10 for each performance.

On each concert or lecture for profit, not charitable, and given in an unlicensed hall, \$3.

On circuses, \$200 a day and \$50 on each side show—county to levy the same amount.

All other exhibitions, \$5 for each performance.

On all gift enterprises, \$20; on lotteries, \$1,000; on itinerant photographers, \$100 in each county; slot machines, \$100 each.

On billiard and pool tables in connection with a place where liquor is sold, \$50, whether under the same roof or not; elsewhere, \$20.

On horses for hire, 50 cents on each horse for each six months and all regular buyers and sellers of horses, \$25 annually, only to State.

On every commission merchant, dealer or broker, 1 per cent of his commissions; on dealers in cigars, 5 cents per thousand; smoking or chewing tobacco, one half cent per pound; cigarettes, 15 cents per thousand; cigarette paper, 15 cents per thousand sheets. This section does not apply to manufacturers, and no county or town is allowed to levy a tax.

On mercantile agencies, \$5 for every State or territory embraced in their reports.

On all dealers in spirituous liquor, one per cent on the total amount of purchases. Druggists' license tax to deal in liquor, \$50; except in towns of less than 500 inhabitants and in towns where sale of liquor is prohibited, the license shall be \$25.

On peddlers a license tax for each county as follows: On foot \$5; with one horse, \$15; with two or more horses, \$20; every itinerant salesman, \$50. This section does not apply to drummers.

On sewing machine dealers, \$350—no county or town tax can be levied. A separate tax must be paid on every class or style of machine sold, but no tax on sub-agents.

On piano or organ dealers, \$10 on each style of instrument.

On insurance agents: Life

companies, \$250; fire, accident and marine, \$200; surety, \$100; plate glass, \$100; boiler, \$100; all other licenses to insurance companies, \$100. A tax of 2 per cent on gross receipts in this State is to be paid, unless 1 of assets are invested in this State, in which case the license shall be 1-2 of the above and the tax 1 per cent.

Banks are taxed ad valorem on capital invested and a tax on capital employed of \$25 for \$10,000 or less, and \$2 for each \$1,000 of capital stock in excess of \$25,000, also \$25 for each county in which they have an agency; penalty for failure to comply with law, \$2,000.

The Merchants' Purchase Tax is repealed and in its place a license tax, based on the capital employed, is imposed.

General News.

The following bills have passed their third reading in the House:

Act to regulate the sale of liquor in Beaufort county.

Act to establish Graded schools in the town of Washington.

Act to incorporate the town of Leachville, in Beaufort county.

Act to amend the charter of the town of Washington.

Act to allow the Commissioners of Beaufort county to levy a special tax.

Act to authorize the county of Beaufort to issue bonds and levy a special tax.

Act to allow Hyde county to levy a special tax.

Act to provide for a stock law fence in certain parts of Beaufort county.

Armstrong's Croup Ointment, a positive remedy for the cure of croup. For sale by McKeel Drug Co.

An Honest Medicine for La Grippe.

George W. Waitt of South Gardner, Me., says: "I have had the worst cough, cold, chills and grip and have taken lots of trash of no account but profit to the vendor. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is the only thing that has done any good whatever. I have used one 50-cent bottle and the chills, cold and grip have all left me. I congratulate the manufacturers of an honest medicine." For sale at Tayloe's Pharmacy.

Lost, between my stables and Chocowinity cross roads, one purse containing one five dollar bill, one ten and some small change, also some notes. For returning to me at my stables, the finder will be rewarded.

GEO. H. HILL
Washington N. C.

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J. K. HOYT,
Perfect Fitting Clothier.

"POMPADOUR COMBS"

Came to-day—only 10 cents. Come to this store whenever you want anything in SMALL WARE, and you'll save money every time.

Bargains all the time

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In store formerly occupied by Drs. Nicholson's.

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