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## Easter is the Day

In the beginning of each season there is usually some day mid season that is looked forward to as a time to have ready your glad togs, this time it is EASTER.

A new Dress, a new Suit, a new Hat means more on this one day than on any other one day in the season. Are you ready? If you are not it will not be our fault. We are receiving daily new and snappy things in Ready-To-Wear and we are ready for you at all times.

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You will always find here the most up-to-date goods and merchandise of quality.

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**Screen Doors, Screen Windows and screen wire**  
**If you don't want flies now is the time to wire.**  
**Hilling hoes, Garden Rakes, Cultivators and Rubber, Hose all at the old price.**

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Farmers' Hardware Company

## REVIVAL AT THE METHODIST CHURCH

**Rev. Mr. Davis Doing The Preaching—Large And Attentive Crowds Twice Daily.**

The revival services at the Methodist Church, which began last Wednesday evening, has been meeting with much success. There are services twice daily, at 3:30 and 7:30 p. m. At each service there are large crowds, in fact the building would not accommodate the people on Sunday night.

Rev. Mr. Davis is a profound thinker, an earnest worker and the town will be much the richer spiritually for his coming.

The interest is growing daily, and the meeting will continue for several days.

## Second Fire Within A Week

Yesterday evening at five o'clock the fire alarm was sounded and the stables of Mr. A. P. Clayton were found to be on fire. The blaze was rushing through the top and it looked as if it would be sure to burn. However the fire ladders were soon on the scene and with heroic efforts stopped the blaze before great damage was done to the building. Everything was removed from the stables, including horses, buggies and carriages.

Just as the bell was sounding the alarm for this fire another blaze was discovered in the Hyco Warehouse, which was extinguished without difficulty as it had made but little headway. In a short while another fire was discovered in the Pioneer Warehouse but was also soon put out. After the fire at the stables another little blaze was discovered at the Hyco Warehouse, in another place from the first one, but it also caused little trouble. These four fires coming so close together gave the citizens a very uneasy feeling, for it looked as if some one was trying to burn the town. However, nothing has been discovered to show that the fires were other than accidents of the usual kind—probably started from some one smoking, dropping a match or cigarette.

## Mayor's Residence Burned.

On last Friday evening the fire bell was sounded and it was learned that the residence of our Mayor, J. M. O'Briant, was on fire. The fire Company quickly responded and after heroic work managed to extinguish the blaze, not however, before considerable damage was done to the building and much of the furniture. His loss will probably reach \$1,500, with about \$1,000 of insurance.

At the time of the fire Mrs. O'Briant was ill, having just had an operation for her tonsils. Of course the fright from the fire was great, but we are glad to know that she suffered no serious relapse.

Morton & Satterfield will save you money on Dress Goods.

## COMMISSIONERS IN SESSION

**Held Busy Session Monday—Tax Assessors Appointed—Bond Election For High School for Flat River Township.**

The County Commissioners met in their regular monthly meeting Monday morning promptly at 10:30 o'clock with all members present.

The board was in session most of the day transacting business for the county.

The following tax assessors were appointed for the different townships:

Allensville John L. Gentry, Bushy Fork U. D. Harris, Cunningham L. B. Scott, Flat River C. A. Hamlin, Holloways J. B. Barnett, Mt. Tirzah J. W. Noell, Olive Hill E. D. Morton, Roxboro J. S. Walker, Woodsdale R. H. Bailey, High School, Abner Gentry.

Upon presentation of the required number of names, and upon the recommendation of the Board of Education the commissioners ordered an election called for Flat River Township for the purpose of voting upon the issuance of bonds for a High School for that township. The election was called for May 16th 1916.

## Mr. Spencer To Move In New Building.

Mr. R. A. Spencer's handsome new building is nearing completion, and Mr. Spencer intends to move his undertaking and other department in a few days.

The building is quite conveniently arranged, the first floor will be occupied by the repair department, and on the second will be the display of buggies, caskets, etc.

Mr. Spencer always carries a good line in his different departments and when he moves in his new building, he expects to have even a better stock to select from.

## Death of Mr. James A. Carver.

On yesterday morning at 11:30 Mr. James A. Carver died. He had had only been ill for a few days, dying from pneumonia.

Mr. Carver was probably one of the best known and most popular men in the County. He had been a citizen of Roxboro for many years and was much in public life. He was postmaster here for sixteen years without interruption. Then later was treasurer of the County, and then for a term or two years was sheriff. He was a faithful member of the Primitive Baptist Church. He leaves a widow and one son, Mr. F. O. Carver.

## A CARD OF THANKS

I wish to express my most sincere thanks to all my friends in Roxboro, who so cheerfully and willingly helped me win the Ford Car in the recent Durham Sun subscription contest, and again thank each and every one who helped me to be one of the winners.

Very sincerely,  
Mrs. E. Lloyd Tilley,  
Durham, N. C.

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**Buy Building Material of Quality and Bank the Cost of Repairs.**

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