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BLEACHING—1 case 36 inches wide Bleached Domestic, fine 10c quality, this sale 7c yd; only 10 yds to a customer

SKIRTING—Ten pieces Ladies Cloth, 58 inches wide; blue, black, grey, green and brown; very good for skirts; requires only 2 1-2 yds for a skirt; this week 49c yd

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CLOTHING—Daily arrivals of Fall and Winter clothing in the most neat and attractive patterns we have ever shown

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Agent for the Farmer Girl and Boy Cook Stoves.

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NEW BERN, N. C.



A GENTLEMAN AND LADY

are well satisfied in a WATERS BUGGY on a long journey, as if they were in their parlor, knowing that when they are offered one of our vehicles that they have one that is easy riding, easy to pull and plenty of room, the most popular BUGGY today, with all the latest ideas in any order made to your wants.

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Fall Term begins Sept. 19, '04.

IN MEMORIAM.

A Tribute to the Memory of the Late George Slover.

Dr. George Slover was an offspring of the old Slover family, which has, for generations, found a part of the life of New Bern, taking a prominent hand in all movements looking to the advancement of the city's interest—moral, civil and religious.

His childhood was shaped by those influences of home and church, which were divinely instituted for the fostering and propagation of that which is best and noblest in human life. Endowed with a high and cultured appreciation of their importance and value, he, from early manhood, lent his energies to the maintenance and dissemination of those influences and forces which had entered so largely into the formation of his own character.

Dr. Slover was educated at the University of North Carolina, where all of his noble impulses of his nature were quickened. After this, he took the prescribed course of study in medicine, and devoted some years to the practice, until, by reason of undue tax of his life on his nervous system, he changed his vocation and undertook the work of teaching. In this capacity he labored industriously and well. Incubating his noble ideals he stamped the very life of the community with his own high character; therefore, it may truly be said, "The dead, yet he speaketh" in the lives and labors of those whom he taught. Thus he took a strong hand in advancing the interest of the town, giving direction to its moral and civic excellence.

Dr. Slover's latest employment was in the sphere of business. Here we find, also, the operation of those characteristics which had marked his career all along. He conducted himself according to rectitude, and commercial accuracy and fairness, and many are they, who recall with gratitude the favors and sympathies that characterized all his business relations.

He was furnished with a large measure of those excellencies of character which contribute to the making of a gentleman of the old type—always courteously dignified and honorable. Probably the most abiding and best work of Dr. Slover's life, was what he so well did to advance the educational interests of the people of New Bern.

Rising against discouragement and difficulty, he lost no opportunity, nor let his interest flag, nor his energies tire, until New Bern now has its high degree of educational facility and advantage.

At the time of his death he was chairman of the School Board, and never failed to take prominent part in its counsels, and did no little in directing its plans.

He was likewise, interested in the spiritual condition and prosperity of the community, while because of natural retirement, he took little public part in the work, nevertheless he was ever ready to lend a word of encouragement and give his means to the propagation of the Kingdom.

He was a member of the Presbyterian church, he ever showed a zeal for its progress and edifying.

He was an ardent believer in its tenets, and so remained till death, and died in the faith.

He was a tender and devoted husband and affectionate father, a fond brother, and a never failing friend.

For his death there is widespread mourning, and many friends and benefactors mingle tears with those of loved ones for their dead.

He rests from his labors, and his works do follow him, and may the kind Heavenly Father deal very tenderly with those who mourn his loss.

Carnival Notes.

"That no lewd or indecent shows shall be allowed on grounds of Carnival district." The above is one of the sentences in the contract existing between the Carnival Co. and K of P Band.

The Atlantic Coast Line has ordered that reduced rate of fare and one third for round trip be in effect during the week from Jacksonville and intermediate stations to New Bern. The A & N C R will give one fare for round trip with special train leaving here Thursday night at 11:30 so as to accommodate all those who do not desire to remain overnight.

There has been more money spent in the rural districts advertising the coming Carnival than all other Carnivals have spent for advertising purposes. So the merchants will be benefited as well as the showmen, for after the people get here they will certainly do their fair trading, while otherwise they might go elsewhere.

There will be three open air attractions that will be free to the public. Among these is a daily balloon ascension with trapeze performance attached. A prize will be dropped from the balloon after it is inflated.

The Crystal Maze will be an attraction that will take well with the ladies. This is the first time this has been exhibited in New Bern and to say it is "catchy" is a very mild expression.

Don't forget by all means to make some contribution to the County Store. The committee will call on you and will gladly receive anything you might contribute.

N. O. Peterson, Hampton—Wife was sickly and unable to eat, sleep or work. Hollett's Rocky Mountain Tea made her strong, healthy and rosy cheeked, 25 cents. Tea or Tablets. F. S. Duff

IMPROVEMENTS ON A & N C.

Heavy Cross Tie Work Going on. Lease of Road Filed For Registration in Craven.

Though the Howland Improvement Company has now had charge of the Atlantic and North Carolina Railroad less than a week, much has been done in that short time looking to the permanent improvement of the road and the development of the country through which it runs. The advertisements printed in this section for 100,000 cross ties have resulted in contracts for nearly half of that number, and already the work of replacing the decayed ties with new ones has been commenced. But the most pressing work, and that demanding immediate attention, is the building of new bridges. Some of the trestles are in very bad condition, and must be rebuilt at once.

The Chief Engineer of the road has been making a careful inspection of every "opening" in the track this week and bridge building forces will be sent out at once. The trestles that are in worst condition will be repaired for present use and entirely rebuilt later. As soon as iron can be secured the old 50 lb rails now in use, will be taken up and new 70 lb ones will be put down. This will make the road bed of the A & N C, when properly ballasted, as it will be, one of the best and fastest tracks in the south.

The work of relaying the track with new iron will begin this winter or early next spring and will require about six months for completion. The Morehead end of the road will probably be the first to be relaid since that is in the worst condition.

Mr Howland's plans contemplate the purchase of sufficient rolling stock for the business of the road as soon as it has been put in first class condition.

The improvements will give Eastern North Carolina such railroad facilities as it has never before enjoyed.

In this work of improving its tracks, the new management of the road has received most cordial assurances of co-operation and sympathy from the people living along the line. They are not only anxious to do everything in their power to facilitate the work of improving the road now under way, but to have an active share in any scheme that may be adopted for the development and up-building of the country.

The lease of the Atlantic and North Carolina Railroad to the Howland Improvement Company was yesterday filed for registration in Craven county. It will have to be registered in all the five counties through which the road runs. Register Arrington of Carteret county was the first to get it and Register Waters of Craven is the second. It will go next to Lenoir, then Wayne and finally Jones.

A Summer Cold.

A summer cold is not only annoying but if not relieved Pneumonia will be the probable result by Fall. One Minute Cough Cure clears the phlegm, draws out the inflammation, heals, soothes and strengthens the lungs and bronchial tubes. One Minute Cough Cure is an ideal remedy for the children. It is pleasant to the taste and perfectly harmless. A certain cure for Croup, Cough and Cold. Sold by F. S. Duff, druggist.

A Noble Order.

The Journal office is in receipt of a document explaining some of the purposes of the Coming Men of America. A secret order for boys and young men which though having been organized but a few years has grown rapidly and has the sanction of some of the ablest men of the country.

The object of the order is the promotion of patriotism, brotherly love, ambition, oratory, parliamentary law and good government. Its high ideals and lofty purposes have stimulated a great many young men all over the country to join the order and the results are being appreciated already in a higher regard for good citizenship among the young men.

It does not interfere with one's religious or political beliefs but seeks to encourage and develop these elements in a young man's character. It will help the boy who is bashful or shy to be self possessed. It will inculcate business principles which in later life may mean much to him. In short it will give to the youth a training for social and business affairs of life that will be found to be of great advantage.

It will succeed where other means fail because there is a charm and attraction in secret work which can not be enjoyed in other affairs. There is also much pleasure and sport in the order.

Any young men who may be interested in an organization of this order and desiring to know more about it can procure further particulars of Albert W. Parker, 53 E Front St.

Letter to D. I. Roberts.

New Bern, N. C.
Dear Sir: The handsome residence of Oliver Gilderleeve on Main street, Portland, Conn., was painted in 1888 with Devco and again in 1901.

There's 13 years; there are hundreds of such; the difficulty is to bear of 'em.

Reminds of another. The Farrington residence, Rockland, Maine, was painted Dovee 21 years ago; the paint was in fair condition 8 years ago, when we saw it; don't know any more. Our agents there, Messrs Farrand, Spear & Co, know. Enclose a stamp, if you write 'em.

Yours truly,
F. W. Davon & Co.
P. S.—E. W. Smallwood sells our paint.

THE JEWISH NEW YEAR.

What It Means to the Hebrew People and How They Observe It.

"May thou be inscribed for a happy year."

This is the greeting among Jews the world over on their New Year's Day, or the feast of Rosh Hashonah, which comes this year on next Saturday. It is equivalent to the English "Happy New Year."

Jews' feasts are regulated by the lunar calendar, and New Year's varies from early in September to occasionally the first week in October.

Speaking of the observance of the day Rev. Kaufmann Kohler, President of the Hebrew Union College, said: "In the Bible the day was known as the day of the Blowing of the Trumpet, and was celebrated on the first day of the seventh month, in accordance with the Mosaic reverence for the number 7. Then the ram's horns and trumpet were blown together in the temples.

Following the destruction of the temple, the blowing of the shofar, or ram's horn, became the main feature of the day.

After the return of the Jews from Babylon's, the seventh month, called Tishri, became the first month, the beginning of the year being transferred from spring to fall.

This first day of the year was also declared the first day of the world's year, or the anniversary of creation. It came to be considered as the day of judgment when God is believed to decide the destiny of men for the coming year, an idea borrowed from Babylonia. Consequently the day is observed as one of serious meditation and prayer.

"Three times 33" blasts of the shofar are prescribed in the Orthodox liturgy, while in Reformed churches are only 10 blasts, which are combined with the trumpet or other instrument to bleed harmoniously as a part of the sacred music. Observance of the day is begun at sundown of the preceding day by services in which prayers for life and forgiveness of sins are offered and a sermon delivered.

In the Orthodox circles New Year's Eve has special characteristic features at the table. Sweet things were eaten to express a wish for a sweet and delicious year. The new year greeting is common among all Jews.

"New Year's Day must be viewed in connection with the feast of Yom Kippur or the Day of Atonement, which is the general fast day and time of prayer for forgiveness of sins. This feast takes place 10 days later, and New Year's is regarded as a sort of preparation for it. The 10 intervening days are called the penitential days.

Orthodox Jews fast 24 hours on the Day of Atonement, and the synagogues are kept open constantly. There are recesses at noon and later in the day in the Reformed churches, which have also done away with the custom of the men wearing shrouds."

A Sweet Breath.

is a never failing sign of a healthy stomach. When the breath is bad the stomach is out of order. There is no remedy in the world equal to Kodol Dyspepsia Cure for curing indigestion, dyspepsia and all stomach disorders. Mrs. Mary S. Cook of White Plains, Ky., writes "I have been a dyspeptic for years; tried all kinds of remedies but continued to grow worse. By the use of Kodol I began to improve at once, and after taking a few bottles am fully restored in weight, health and strength and can eat what ever I like." Kodol digests what you eat and makes the stomach sweet. Sold by F. S. Duff, druggist.

SHORT PASSING EVENTS.

A few people
Carnival coming and claim that it will hurt business by taking money out of town which would be otherwise spent at the stores. To say that such an argument is "rot" only partially expresses it but does not convince the kickers. The Carnival will attract many people to visit the city, and while the show people will get some money other places of business will come in for their share too. The Carnival has been secured for the benefit of the K of P Band and is therefore a most worthy project that everyone in the city would do well to promote.

A large force of hands has been at work the past few days cutting the grass and weeds that have grown during the summer in the yards, and along the tracks leading to the shops and warehouses of the Howland Improvement Company. Judging from the great accumulation of grass and weeds that the growth must have been enormous.

A tasty sign, blue background with gold letters, bearing the following inscription, "Howland Improvement Company, Lessee, has been placed over the doors of the general offices of the Atlantic and North Carolina Railroad.

Road Master Carlisle of the Howland Improvement Company, has been instructed to increase the force under his charge, by the employment of additional section masters and section hands of experience in that branch of business. The sections are to be reduced in mileage so as to enable more attention to be given to the work of grading and lining up of the road beds so as to get it in proper condition for the new 75 lb rails to be laid the entire length of the road.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.
Has world-wide fame for marvellous cures. It surpasses any other salve, lotion, ointment or balm for Cuts, Bruises, Burns, Boils, Sores, Felons, Ulcers, Corns, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Chapped Hands, Skin Eruptions; infallible for Piles. Cure guaranteed. Only 25c at D. O. Bradham, Druggist.

MUSIC HALL OPENS.

F. C. Toepelman Hurt in the Catawba Junction Horror

A Romantic Secret Marriage. Death of Julius S. Turner, at Soldiers Home. Omission on the U. S. Cigarette Co. vs H. W. Wright Issued by Judge Purnell.

Raleigh, Sept. 10.—The Raleigh Academy of Music opened tonight for the season, the opening bill being Al G. Fields' minstrel. The playhouse has been thoroughly remodeled and modernized and is now one of the most complete and roomy in this part of the country. S. A. Schlos is the lessee. He also has theatres in Charlotte, Greensboro and Winston-Salem.

Col. Fred A. Olds and family had many telegrams during yesterday from many people in all parts of the country expressing condolence in the death of Mrs. Olds. There also came telegrams from quite a number of the Chapters of Daughters of the Confederacy, Thos. Ruffin, Chapter Goldsboro; J. E. Stewart, Chapter Fayetteville; Rockingham chapter Reidsville; Bethel Heroes Chapter Rocky Mount; Jefferson Davis Chapter Whiteville; New Bern Chapter, New Bern. Mrs. Olds was president of the North Carolina Division Daughters of the Confederacy.

At the Soldiers Home, last night Julius S. Turner a veteran 73 years of age, died suddenly of heart disease. He was lieutenant in company K, 10th regiment and was commissioned in 1862. He was a brother of the late Josiah Turner, for many years a noted editor in this State.

F. C. Toepelman, reported as address unknown, in the list of injured in the bridge disaster near Cheraw, S. C., yesterday is well known in Raleigh and has many friends here. He is general manager of the Home Telephone and Telegraph Co. with headquarters in Henderson. He is also connected officially with the Southern Bell in this district.

A romantic secret marriage has just come to light here. The bride is Miss Beaulieu Gully and the groom Mr. H. M. Crowson.

The marriage took place at Littleton April 8th and has been kept a profound secret until now, the only person in Raleigh knowing of it being Mr. Val Perkins, who was a witness to the ceremony.

At the time Miss Gully was visiting in Littleton and Crowson, accompanied by Mr. Perkins, went there and had the ceremony performed quietly. Crowson and his friend returned here, and the bride continued her visit. Yesterday Crowson decided to move to Wadesboro and the secret bride was visiting in Lenoir, so he wired her to come to him and send a note to the girl's father, Joseph P. Gully, informing him of the marriage, and of his purpose to carry her with him to his new home. She arrived on the evening train, and the two continued their journey on the same train to their new home.

Judge Thos R. Purnell of the United States court here issues an opinion in the well known Bonasack case—United Cigarette Co. vs R. H. Wright in which objections to the answer are sustained and the plea of the statute of limitation is overruled and an order made that sundry interrogatories propounded be answered by the return day in October. The case involves the sale of large numbers of the noted Bonasack cigarette machines in Japan some years ago, when Wright was the special agent of the company.

There were heavy breaks at both the tobacco warehouses here, the past week and the farmers expressed satisfaction at the prices received, prices ranging as high as \$40 to \$50 per hundred.

Judge Purnell, in the Federal court makes a rule in which he refuses to allow light petitions for receivers certificates in the case involving the settlement of the affairs of the Carolina and Northern, the Southern Rail Mill Co. and the Atlantic Seaboard Company.

Mrs. M. R. Lawrence, superintendent of the Rex hospital in this city is critically ill in Lyden, Mass. She was very ill at Virginia Beach three weeks ago, but recovered sufficiently to go North for special treatment.

What is Life?

In the last analysis nobody knows, but we do know that it is under strict law. Abuse that law even slightly, pain results. Irregular living means derangement of the organs, resulting in Constipation, Headache or Liver trouble. Dr. King's New Life Pills quickly re-adjusts this. Its gentle, yet thorough. Only 25c at Bradham's drug store.

The activity in the building of the P. O. and W. Railway increases every day. Since Friday two large barges loaded with steel rails have been towed to the new railway trestle and the work of laying the track will commence next week.

Seed cotton sold in the local market yesterday at 23 cents.

De Witt is the Name.

When you go to buy Witch Hazel Salve look for the name De Witt on every box. The pure, unadulterated Witch Hazel used in making De Witt's Witch Hazel Salve, which is the best salve in the world for cuts, burns, bruises, boils, eczema and piles. The popularity of De Witt's Witch Hazel Salve, due to its many cures, has caused numerous worthless counterfeits to be placed on the market. The genuine bears the name E. C. De Witt & Co., Chicago. Sold by F. S. Duff, druggist.

Kodol Dyspepsia Cure
Digests what you eat.

Now that the fall of the year is upon us almost everything seems to suggest a fall from the fall of man to the fall of Fort Arthur. There is one notable exception, however, and that is the fall of prices on meat. There seems to be some mistake about the direction of the fall that commodity was to take.

Rev. W. J. Crowson and family have moved back to their old home in Wadesboro. Misses Estelle and Jessie Covington Crowson will follow today. Mr. William J. Crowson, Jr., will remain in New Bern, where he has a position in the First National Bank—News and Observer.

The McIntyre tract of land situated near the Water Works station was sold by the sheriff, yesterday to the Water and Light Commission for \$960. The tract comprised 2.1 acres of land.

A barge was towed into this port Friday afternoon which was loaded with steel rails for the P. O. & W. railway.

The O. Marks building formerly occupied by Simmons and Hollowell Co., has been cleared of the rubbish caused by the fire and preparations to rebuild will be made at once.

Mr. Charles B. Hill, chairman of the County Republican Executive Committee, is proud to have a letter from President Roosevelt, thanking him for his congratulatory telegram on the result of the Vermont election. He will preserve the letter as a souvenir.

James Dudley was in the police court for disorderly conduct yesterday for which he was taxed the costs. J. H. Bryan another disorderly who also failed to appear in court on Friday on a similar charge was required to pay fine and costs.

The big chimney at the W. B. Blades saw mill on Griffith street has been completed. The structure is 110 feet high and 15 feet in diameter at the base. It required 130,000 brick to make it. A chimney 80 feet high is being made at the water works.

Prince George, the negro prophet who got his race in Wilmington and James City has been heard from. He writes that he is bound for New Bern and that he will set another date for the destruction of those places which he thoroughly believes will stick.

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy Aids Nature.

Medicines that aid nature are always most effective. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy acts on this plan. It allays the cough, relieves the lungs, aids expectoration, opens the secretions, and aids nature in restoring the system to a healthy condition. Sold by F. S. Duff and Davis Pharmacy.

SHORT STORIES.

The negro model town of Buxton, Canada, founded during the days of the "underground railroad," is now almost abandoned.

Two million eggs, containing 100,000,000 horseshoes, are used annually in the United States and Canada, approximately speaking.

A Pennsylvania fisherman has discovered that bullfrogs act as sentries to fish and that it is useless to try to catch bass when a deep voiced bellowing frog is warning.

The old Irish potato's days are numbered, for a potato called the Uruguay Irish potato is rapidly supplanting it. This potato is said to be of enormous size and immune from disease. The French are beginning to cultivate it.

The French savant M. Benard is convinced that Naansen took the only route by which the north pole can possibly be reached. He favors an expedition with two ships connected by wireless telegraphy. The time is estimated at three years, and it is hoped that the Prince of Monaco, who is greatly interested, will contribute the necessary \$300,000.

ONE WORD IN TIME

Is Better Than Two Afterwards. A Chance to Profit by a New Bern Man's Experience.

It is a strange thing how people will put away an opportunity until too late; it's only little things that go to make up our every day existence; the trouble is we don't pay sufficient attention to them. Backache is a little thing. Sometimes it comes after a hard day's work or a slight cold. It will pass off you say it's only the result of overtaxing my back.

It isn't the fault of your back but your kidneys. The exertion or straining has interfered with their delicate mechanism. You call it backache but it really is kidney ache. If the kidneys are not relieved chronic disorders set in and this is where the "little thing" should not be passed over. A New Bern man has learned to appreciate what delay means.

S. B. Parker whose about metal business is at Craven and South Front street place of residence 41 Craven street, says:

"I believe Doan's Kidney Pills to be a good remedy in fact I know it. I have been quite a sufferer from backache. At times it was so bad I scarcely endured it, but since I have used Doan's Kidney Pills which I got at Bradham's Pharmacy my back has been relieved and I shall certainly resort to Doan's Kidney Pills and intend to keep them on hand to have in case of need."

For sale by all dealers. Price 25c per bottle. Foster-McLure Co., Buffalo, N. Y., sole agents for the United States. Remember the name—Doan's—on the wrapper.