te. Charles T. Conk Has Recently Established As Up-to-Date Wash House,

e need of a good first class laundry in New Bern is mot in the new con-cern just established by Mr. Charles T. Cook, in one of the buildings on the old fair grounds on the macadamized rond. The place is a singularly good one for that kind of business, and nothng is left undone to make it the best ndry in the State.

uch as is found in the best laundries in the United States. It is all made by the Wilson Laundry Machinery Co., at Columbia. Pa. There are nineteen pices for the perfecting of the work, ashing machines, starchers, bosom ironers, collar and cuff ironers and inpers, hydraulic presses, steam drying cabinets and everything requisite for rapid and satisfactory work will be found there. Fastidious people will be ased with the work for it will be one as well as it is possible to do. The work by hand has been reduced to the minimum but Mr. Cook has enough large audi nce gathered for the first employes to turn the work off quickly

when requested to do so. Mr. J. E. Scott has been engaged as solicitor and he will call for work in 400 people in the audience. The galany part of the city, and will also deliver it, thus relieving house holders of a deal of the trouble and anxiety. Any who desire it may see the machinery in Kinston, New Bern and many other operation any day. They will undoubt-edly be interested in the plant.

Mr. Bruner is Here.

Mr. T. K. Bruner of the State Agricultural Department, is in the city, looking for such objects, mostly views that he can take of fish, oysters or truck, which will go into an eshibit for North Carolina which is proposed by Governor Glenn to be sent in a special car, which will visit the New England Fairs next fall, so that the people in that section may know of North Carolina resources, and be attracted to invest or move to this State.

No one knows better than Mr. Brune what to secure for this exhibit, and his greatly appreciated. visit to this section is one which is go ing to be of great value in showing what Eastern Carolina can produce in those three great resources, truck, oysters and fish

Letter to New Bern octors

Dear Sirs: You understand chemi try; how'd you like to earn \$1000? Devoe lead-and-zinc-that's the name

of our paint that takes fewer gallons than mixed paint and wears twice as long as lead-and-oil-is made of whitelead, white-zinc, its color, turpentine dryer, and linseed oil.

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We want it known that . ne word describes the best paint in the world; and that word is Devoe.

Yours truly, F. W. DEVOE & Co.

Loco.

February 21.

Several of our people attended the burial of Mr. Lewis Henderson, Monfelt sympathy to the bereaved family. fun but did not get the fox. Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Higgins and son Master Leland visited relatives nea Pollocksville Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Furney Collins and little daughters Gladys and Dunnie Lee spent Sunday with the family of Mr. Rollie tollins.

Miss Ola Humphrey spent a few days with her sister, Mrs. Barbee this

week. Since we are having a few days of pretty weather now the farmers are tling with their work, trying to make up for lost time.

New York Cotton Market.

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nge, Feby 21. Open High 10.42 10 42 10.64 10 64 10 47 10 80 10 80 sipta -25,375 Last year, 19,332.

ST. STEPHENS CHURCH.

Fine Building Dedicated at Morshead City

Few have been the incidents in color ed church affairs that have created such Zion church at Morehead City, the dedication of which took place last Sunday. It was an event that will be cherished for a time in the minds and hearts of those who were spectators as well as those who had an active interest in the

We desire to acknowledge with grati tude the assistance of the white people of Morehead and the untiring efforts of the pastor Rev. J. S. Bell. Perhaps if we should speak of the latter as "Railroad Jake" for he has driven railroad spikes from one end of the county to the other. He is widely acquainted in that section and highly respected by all who know him.

At half past two o'clock Sunday very solemn and impressive sight was that presented in the church in the time. There were many white people present for they have taken a lively interest in the church. There were lery was reserved for the white people and the members and officials occupied the body pews. Representatives from places were there.

The services were opened with singing by the choir which was composed of young men led by Prof. Starkey, leader of the choir at Clinton A. M. E. Zion Chapel at New Bern. The music was grand and reflected great credit on the conductor and the choir. Prof. Starkey also presided at the organ which was greatly enjoyed.

Rev. J. S. Bell introduced the speak er R. Sawyer, a representative of St. Peters church at New Bern. He spoke

on the text found in I Kings 5; 7: "Blessed be the Lord God this day who has given unto David a wise son to reign over this great people." The dis course was attentively listened to and

The congregation at night was large Rev. Moses Taylor, of the Clinton Chapel at New Bern spoke interestingly and impressively. The collection taken up amounted to \$115,46, †

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Durham's Creek

February 22nd.

The present fair warm weather causes the farmers faces to beam with miles

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Tuten went Zorah Sunday.

Misses Bettie and Melissa Walker. were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. P.

spent Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Lane.

Mr. C. H. Tuten has purchased nice piano.

The young people were given a party last evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Tunstall. Music and other games caused the evening to pass off quite pleasantly.

Mesars, J. W. and G. R. Lane spent the greater part of last week in Washington, attending court.

Messrs. Barney Cayton, Charlie Cayton and others engaged in a fox hunt day afternoon. We extend our heart last Saturday morning; they had the

The people of our community are enjoying good health; there is less sickness so far than for many winters. Mr. T. R. Tunstall went to Washing

ton Sunday to attend court. Mr. Barfilla Holton of Olympia, spent at short time in our midst last week

The Great Southwest

Southwestward the course of empire is taking its way. The region's expansion is greater since 1900 than it was prior thereto. Not only are Texas and its two territorial neighbors on the north keeping np their old gait, but Arkansas, Arizona and New Mexico are showing an increase not previously

From the Chicago, St. Louis, Kansas City and New Orleans gateways, by way of the Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe, the Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific, 10.26 the St Louis and San Francisco, the Missouri, Kansas and Texas, the Iron Mour tain, the St Louis Southwestern (Cotton Belt), the Missouri Pacific, the Kansas City Southern, the Southern Pacific (Sunset Route), the Houston and Texas Central and the Texas and Pa-Texas Central and the Texas and Pacific, all of which roads are extending their operations either by lengthening their mainlines or by annexing branches running in all directions, there is a vast inrush of people these days into the section between Missouri's and Kansas's southerly border and the Gulf of Mexico, sind between the Mississippi and the Rocky Mountains and the Rio Grande. Many of lowa's lost 21,000 population sice 1900, and a large proportion of the missing persons in many of Minnesota's counties, which the census of 1905 in both these States reveal, have sold their high-price farms in those States and have bought chesper and and equally fartile lands in the Southwest - The March Metropolitan Magnitins.

Another Old Veteran Gone

On the 31st of January at half pas o'clock James O. Baxter Sr, of S wall passed on the other shore and rest neath the shade of the trees. Mr Baxter was in his 76 year of age, one of the oldest citizens in the county He came to this, then to Craven cou from Currituck county priorito the Civi War, and when the war came on he was one of the first respond to his coun trys call and enlisted in Col. H. T. Guion's, company, afterwadrs company P. in the 10th Regiment N. U. Troops Heavy Artillery and was staioned at Fort Macon, and was in the fort during the seige until the garrison was forced to surrender. He enlisted a private and by merit alone won a lieutenancy in his company after Johnson surrendered at at Stantonsburg, Wilson county, from there he came home and engaged in farm ing and a few years afterward became a clerk and book-keeper for Fowler & Bro., merchants in Stonewall where he remained with this firm until a few ears ago over a quarter of a century. He was the first Democratic candidate for Sheriff of Pamlico county and was defeated by the small plurality of 16 votes, there being an independent democrat in the field who received 81 demcratic votes. He made a vigorous campaign and though defeated he was always loyal to the party and the principles of Jefferson and Jackson in deed an adherent to those principles. He filled

join with the multitude, Peace be to him, and may God comfort the sorrow-

We are having fine weather again

Swansboro

his country and his fellow mar. He

leaves behind a widow, his second wife.

four sons and three daughters and a

host of friends to mourn after him, ve

Farmers can go to work now. Rev C D Geddei filled his regular apcointment at Queens Creek Sunday and preached a fine sermon to a large con gregation. Text Hebrews 4:15.

J H Bell of Pollocksville, was in town yesterday.

Ex-Sheriff D G Sanders was in town Saturday.

Misses Pearl Ward, Mattie Moore, Jessie Blount, Sue Mattocks, Ida Dennis and your uncle Phillattended church at Queens Creek Sunday.

Capt. M E Bloodgood left yesterday bound for New Bern, to take charge of a schooner to run from New Bern to Baltimore.

yesterday to spend a few days with friends and relatives.

Our little town is full of schools now. We have day schools, night schools and Sunday schools, no excuse for a person giving up in ignorance for they are all ties can get them by writing to the U. free except one. We have another new S. Engineer Office, New Bern, N. C. teacher from Boston, but we will have have to go to school a few days so we can remember her name.

We have a great deal of sickness here now. Mr. Kiby Galston has two very sick boys, Burt and Carl.

Misses Gertrude Provost and Minni Wynn are quite sick.

Dr Burk, the oculist was in our tow

last week, think he carried off a right full purse from this place. George Pritchard has quit shooting

ducks and has gone to shooting spring frogs. Says he thinks he will be more successful as they can't fly.

Fish are as scarce as ever with us, though we had a few trout on the mar- John D. and Mary Daniel. She was ket Saturday and they soon changed hands at eight cents per pound.

Mr and Mrs Bryan Hatsell have rented a house and moved in last week and are now keeping house.

Miss Alice Blount spent a few days at Hubert last wee".

We had quite a lot of strangers in town last week. Among them were Mr Emerick of Oswego, N. Y., Mr Freeman of Washington, Mr Brooks of Connecticut, Mr Credle of Wilmington and Mr Percy Cox of New Bern.

Mr DG Ward Sr., killed sixteer lucks the other day at seven shots.

OCEAN VIEW. WHOLESALE PRICES CURRENT. Eggs, per dozen. Chickens, old per pair. young, per pair

CO-OPERATION NECESSARY

Others Handling Merchandise by Marina Service.

In the early part of each year circu lars are sent out from the U. S. Engineer Office at Wilmington, or from the sub-office at New Bern, requesting all parties who have handled any co erce on any of the navigable waters of the State to report the character and quantity of such commerce.

We are informed that a number of the parties to whom such circulars were ent this year have not yet replied and that the figures sent in by some other importance of these figures is not fully derstood. Some few parties even take the ground that the business handled by them is their own affair and that the government has no right to pry into their business.

If the importance of these statistics were fully understood, these views would quickly disappear and all parties interested in the improvement of the rivers and harbors of the State would do all in their power to assist by submitting a complete and accurate statement of their shipments.

These statistics are of vital importance, because when Congress is asked to appropriate money for the improvement of any stream or harbor, one of the first questions asked is "How much commerce would be benefited by such

the office of Justice of Peace for more than a quarter of a century with credit to himself and to his county. In all In fact the appropriation of money for the improvement of a waterway or things he was an upright honest Chrisharbor should depend on only three ian gentleman, whose life is worthly of things. First, the cost; second, the mitation. As a soldier and a citizen was cost of maintenance, and third, the always at his post of duty, and when mount of commerce to be benefited. the final summons came he was pre-And the amount of commerce is judged pared to answer and accept the call by the reports submitted every year by without a murmur, well assured that he the U. S. Engineer office. Of course, would receive his just reward of a life the imports and exports can be learned well spent, in the service of his Gol, from the Custom House reports, but the domestic commerce can be learned only from the Engineer reports.

> No one should conclude from this that the thing to do is to make a good showing regardless of accuracy. This tendency is often displayed and, aside from the fact that it is dishonest, or really does more harm than good. The only

safe course is for every man to see that makes a complete and accurate reort of the business he handles over the watercourse in question. Of course, absolute accuracy is often impracticable, for unfortunately many shippers do not keep any record of the materials shipped or received, and many vessel owners keep no record of the Imaterials transported. But, even in these cases, a moderately accurate estimate can be made if the matter is given enough thought and attention. A farmer often keeps no record of the number of pounds of cotton he raises, but he can generally estimate it with fair accuracy. And certainly it would be poor policy for him to report that he had produced five hundred or a thousand when everybody knews he produced

less than a hundred. Our readers are urged to take an ac-Mrs C S Pittman went to New Bern tive interest in this matter, so that th annual commercial statistics may be actual accurate and reliable statements. not merely rough guesses.

All parties who have not received blanks on which to report their statis

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Died

Morehead City Coaster.

Ather home at Roe, Mrs. Annie Goodwin passed away January 20th, 1906. She was born November 6th, 1830, making her stay on earth 76 years, 2 months and 24 days. She was the daughter of married to Wallace Goodwin May 17th, 1879, by Elder John R. Rowe. She was a consistent member of the Primitive Baptist church. She joined the church in May, 1891, and was baptized at Cedar Island by Elder E. E. Lundy. She was a kind and benevolent neighbor. She leaves a husband, six sons, three laughters, three grand-children, five prothers, one sister and a host of friends to mourn their loss.

Asleep in Jesus, far from thee Their kinds ed and their graves may be, But there is still a blessed sleep From which none ever wake to

HER FRIEND.

Wood's Seeds. Second Crop Seed Potatoes

IMPORTANT COMMUNICATION.

Each Case Should be Carefully Guarded From Further Infection.

It is an acute infecteous, contageous estemic disease as diptheria, m of the lungs. It is caused by a micro organism, the pneumonia which enters the system through the respiratory tract and blood current and produces a general disease with local manifestations. Pneumonia destroys more lives than any known disease. In the United States alone according to reliable statistics one person falls a victim to this malady every five (5) minutes and it is increasing in fatality and prevalence every year, during the last decade it has increased consump i n 5 per cent while tuberculose has decreased 40 per

Considering the ravages this malady is working among all classes and es pecially right now when the whole country is permeated with it, and in our own immediate section, we are having in certain localities, almost an epidemic, I have thought, it would be of interest as well as beneficial to the public, to know something of the nature of this disease in as concise and clear way as space will allow

The germ which is in the atmosphere is inhaled into the lungs, it enters the blood, current by the bronchial arteries which alone furnish nutriment to the lungs and it follows the current until it reaches the smaller vessels, the capillaries where it becomes lodged or clogs the capillary entirely, it then becomes an irritant and the congestion and general inflammation sets in caus ing the consolidation of the lung tir-

As the inflammation progresses in violence according to the pneumococi (germs) these germs eliminate or manufacture a toxin or poison that is absorbed by the general circulation producing speis denoted chills, fever and all symp toms of toxaemic poisoning.

There are several varieties of pneumonia and they require different modes of treatment. But the main point I wish to emphasize is prophylaps or prevention. A patient with this disease should, as soon as suspected, be insolated and the room well ventilated and kept at a uniform temperature or 68 or 72 degrees and a clean cloth should be used to expectorate in and burned as soon as used, or a cuspidor furnished prrtially filled with an antiseptic solution as carbolic acid, for maldehyde cr chloride of mercury. Everything of no special use-rugs, pictures, curtains, chairs should be removed from the room. The patient should be kept as comfortable as possible and not allowed to lie in one position too long, as that tends to increase the congestion of the lungs. The mouth should be frequently rinsed with an anti-septic solu-

There should be no visiting of the patient for this disease can be carried in the clothing, as I have recently had a few miles from this city a young man was taken suddenly ill with pneumonia, and, as is the custom especially in the county a good many of his friends came to sit up with him and from that case within a radius of one mile I had eight cases of preumonia that could be traced directly to the first case.

The treatment of pneumonia varies according to the variety or part of the lung affected and the amount of toxin absorbed in the system, but I will rot go into the details for want of space but will only mention the coal tar derivatives to condemn them. If the temperature does not go above 102 degrees, the patient can take care of her self but should it go above 102 or as high as 105 degrees the cold pack to the chest is decidedly the best remedy to decrease the temperature, as it also stimulates the patient and soothes the whole nervous system.

The object of the treatment is to counteract the toxine poisoning in the blood and the system should be well supported with nourishment and stim and I would say that I have found strychnine to be a very satisfactory

In the last year or two a pneumococ cus serum has been discovered which has not been thoroughly astlefactory. But I do not think far distant when as in diptheria and tetanus we will have a serum treatment that will yield the

Death from pneumonia is due to the direct cause of pneumococcus activity, and toxins are not to mechanical obstructions as it was thought to be under the old theory of phlogosis or inflamma-tion. This is an important fact as it contradicts a theory which has been

contradicts a theory which has been long held in regard to treatment which is deserous and fallacious.

I would advise all persons taken suddenly ill with pain inside, with chill and cough and fever, to consult their physician at the earliest moment and keep in mind all the time pneumonia is contagious and in many cases of the discount of the contagious and in many cases of the discount of the contagious and in many cases of the discount of the contagious and in many cases of the discount of the contagious and in many cases of the discount of the contagious and in many cases of the contagious and in many cases of the contagious and in many cases of the contagious and contagious and in many cases of the contagious and in many cases of the contagious and contagio ease it apparently seems cured, only a slight cough remaining. It is often the beginning of tuberculonis.

The object of this article is simply to in press upon the public generally the danger of this disease and the import-

nee of prophylaps, JOSEPH W. DUGUID, M. D.

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