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NOTICE TO READERS

The Southerner is alway anxious to improve its reading value and make its columns more valuable, both to its readers and advertisers, and, in view of a rapidly increasing circulation, it desires to extend its local news.

All subscribers, or readers, who have any personal items that would be of general interest are asked to send them in daily, especially from the adjoining towns of Pinetops, Mac clesfield, Farmville, Hookerton, Leggetts, Speeds and Whitakers.

It must be remembered The Southerner is the county organ, the only means of disseminating the news of the surrounding territory which adds greatly in drawing the people together and in making the social life more attractive. None can live unto himself alone.

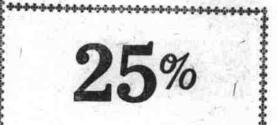
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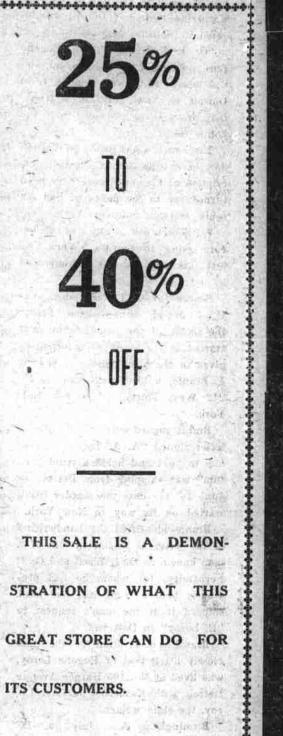
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all forms of government be made more efficient. .. The systems of administration now used were created many years ago and follow obsolete models. In those old days towns and cities were 'isolated units. Now they are closely joined together, and need a more compact administra tion.

County government has usually been better than state or city gov ernment, but it has had its own faults and needs a general overhauling. Students of civics are interested in the scheme of government for Nassau County, New York recommended to the present session of the New York Legislature, by 7 leading residents of that county. This is worth considering as a possible model for a general reorganiza tion of county government in North Carolina.

The following principles were worked out in this proposed scheme of county administration :---

1 .-- Consolidation of offices for greater efficiency.

2.-Removal of county roads from politics.

3 .- Provision for award of con tracts to competitive bidding. 4 .--- A single chief executive with control over finances and offices, el ected by the whole county with a

comparatively long term of office and an adequate salary, this official PUBLIC ASSETS AND LIABILIto have veto power over the board of supervisors, and budget making

power. 5 .- Short ballot, many officers to modations and the disposition on the

be appointed by the Supervisor at part of the public to rebel against large instead of elected by the vo- continuing advances in prices of ters, commodities, represents the "move-

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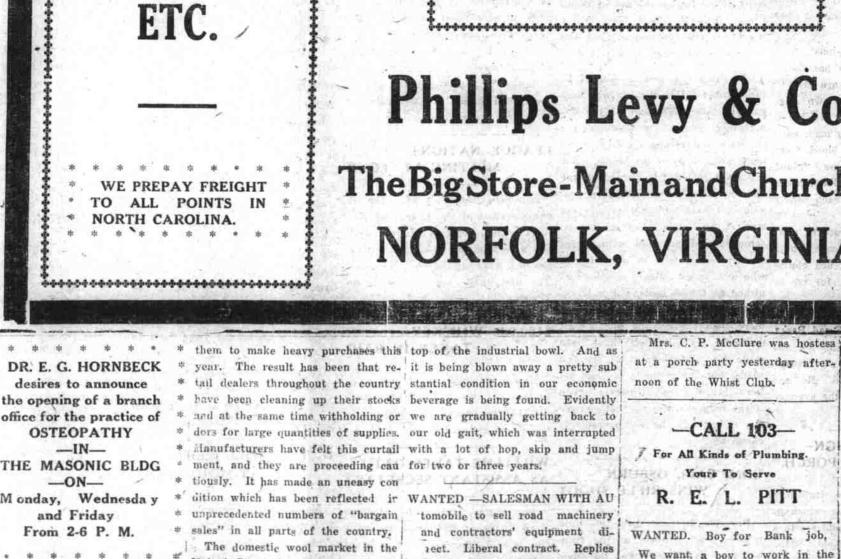
ductions of 50 cents to \$2 a pair in

6 .- Consolidation of public health ment at the top" to decrease the and charity work for the county in- cost of living. Prices and wages to central departments. that were created by extraordinary

7 .- Simpler township government conditions can hardly be expected with short ballot and concentration by sensible people to continue forinto fewer hands.

The key note of these changes is evidence that the business interests concentration of responsibility. That of the country have been looking follows the business model, and it for shelter from the threatening is the basis on which a business con storm. Leading shoe manufacturcern achieves success. ers of St. Louis have announced re-

> The jewels in the possession of wholesale prices. Following the dethe Greek Church are said to be mebilization last year a large part worth more than the collections of of the country stocked up on cloth-



The domestic wool market in the United States is off 20 to 30 per cent from their high levels and car pet wools 60 to 75 per cent. Hides and leather have had a heavy decline within the past three months. These are items that come close to the American public.

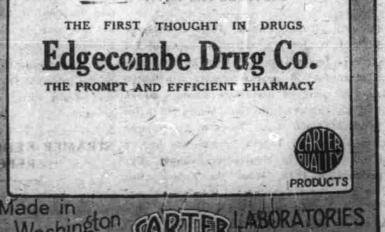
In the broad field of industry it may be said that the best advices received at Washington indicate that the majority of products needin the country are still far beeđ hind in the sense of manufacturing Agricultural production is from 15 to 20 per cent below last year, but there will be plenty to eat.

On the whole public assets and liabilities show a healthy and improv ed normal condition, but the readjustment and redistribution of individual effort and marijets, incident to peace times are still going or. The country shows a disposiall the crowned heads of Europe ing, so that it is not necessary for tion to get rid of the froth on the

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