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The Advance expected to issue today a business edition setting forth the activities and accomplishments of the Elizabeth City Merchants' Association, and had reserved reports of most of the speeches made at the banquet Wednesday night for this edition. But there was a hitch and our plans went awry. With only a four page paper today there is still no room for these reports; but we are holding them in type until such time as there is available space in the paper for them. The booster for the Merchants' Association will appear later, if present plans materialize.

We haven't seen very much of that new preacher around at the First Methodist church but from what we have seen we believe we are going to like him mighty well. And speaking of preachers, did you ever see a congregation more delighted at having their preacher with them for another year than the City Road Methodists or more pleased with a new preacher than the folks at

LOCAL MARKET
EGGS AND CORN
(Reported by N. G. Grandy & Co.)
Buying
Eggs 28c
Soy Beans \$1.50
Corn 50-55c
Selling
Flour \$7.25

Timely Topics

Big Book Bargains are now being featured at Melick's. \$1.00 books have just been reduced to 75c and you'll do well to make your selections right away, for we've a splendid lot of new books going at these very low prices. Also reductions on juvenile books.

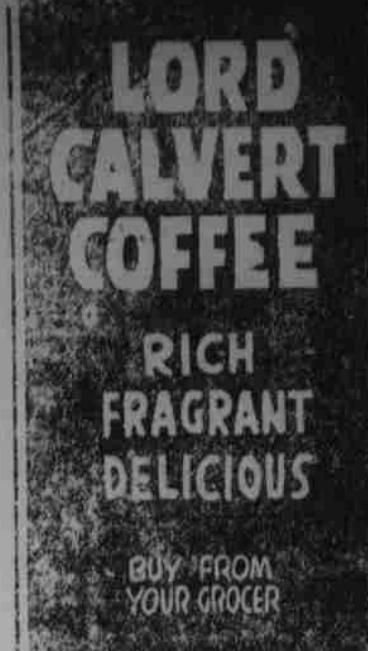
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JOSEPH M. SCHENCK PRESENTS

NORMA TALMADGE

"**THE MOTH**"
Alkrama Theatre
TODAY



KNOCK 'EM OUT!

Seven years ago when I opened up the Men's and Boys' Clothing and Furnishing business in Elizabeth City, I stated in public print that I could not, nor I would not, be undersold by anybody East, West, North or South.

Along about this time of the year, lots of Merchants who have held their merchandise for considerable higher prices and bigger profits than we have ever thought of doing, finds themselves short of money and overloaded with Clothing.

In order to relieve themselves, they put on sweeping reduction Sales, which makes the difference between the original price and the reduction price appear very large, by reason of the former high prices charged. And, too, in many instances in order to relieve a grave situation quickly, many of them actually sell Clothing for less than they could buy them at wholesale prices from the Manufacturers.

Notwithstanding these facts, we have never forgotten nor deviated from our determination, as expressed seven years ago, that we "could not, nor we would not, be undersold."

In evidence of our sincerity and good faith, I herewith quote you prices on a few Suits and Overcoats, for both Men and Boys, for your consideration and comparison.

Men's Suits, from \$17.50 up to \$25.00, now for \$13.98.
Men's Suits, from \$25.00 up to \$35.00, now for \$19.98.
Men's Overcoats, from \$12.50 up to \$15.00, now for \$9.98.
Boys' Suits, from \$6.00 up to \$8.00, now for \$4.98.
Boys' Suits, from \$8.00 up to \$12.50, now for \$6.98.
Boys' Suits, from \$12.50 up to \$15.00, now for \$9.98.
Boys' Suits, from \$15.00 up to \$20.00, now for \$12.98.
Boys' Overcoats and Mackinaws, up to \$10.00, now for \$6.00.

Big reductions in Regal and Endicott-Johnson Shoes. Come at once and get your choice, as these wonderful bargains cannot remain very long.

**C. A. COOKE,
ELIZABETH CITY, N. C.**

NORFOLK MARKET

Reported especially for The Advance by the Spence-Hollowell Company
January 13
+ Chickens

Live	30c
Undrawn	30-35c
Drawn	40c
Ducks	
Live	25-28c
Undrawn	30c
Drawn	35c
Geese	
Live	25c
Undrawn	25-30c
Drawn	35c
Turkeys	
Live	45-48c
Undrawn	50c
Drawn	55-60c
Hogs	12c
Eggs	34c
Sweet Potatoes (good stock)	\$2.50

Sweet potatoes must be shipped in tight barrels.

MAY FIGHT DEMPSEY

London, Jan. 13 (By The Associated Press)—George Carpenter may ask for another fight with Jack Dempsey after meeting Ted Lewis, the Evening Standard was informed by Francois Descamps, Carpenter's manager, today.

Costs You Nothing

To have this wonderful new Aladdin coal oil lamp is to save half the cost in your own home. You don't need to pay us a cent unless you are perfectly satisfied and agree that it is the best oil lamp you ever saw.

Twice the Light On Half the Oil

Recent tests by the Government and universities at 35 leading Universities prove the Aladdin gives more than twice the light and burns less than half as much oil as the best round wick open flame lamps on the market. Thus the Aladdin will pay for itself many times over in saving to say nothing of the increased quantity and quality of pure white light it produces. A style for every need.

\$1000.00 Will Be Given

by the Mantle Lamp Company—the largest Coal Oil (kerosene) mantle lamp house in the world—to any person who shows them an oil lamp equal to the Aladdin. Would they dare invite such competition with other lights? Is there any doubt about the superiority of the Aladdin?

Let Us Call and Show You This Greatest of All Lights

G. C. McINTYRE
428 CHERRY ST.



THE WOMAN'S WEAR STORE

Our January Clearance Sale

brings to you Wanted Winter Merchandise at Decided Savings From Former Costs

Better Supply Your Needs Now

SALE LASTS ONLY A FEW MORE DAYS

And We Are Offering Genuine Bonafide Reductions on All Winter Merchandise

Suits

\$15.00 to \$39.50

This includes all Fur Trimmed and Plain Tailored Suits. See them.



Coats

\$5.00 to \$39.50

Ladies' and Misses' Coats—Richly fur trimmed and plain tailored.



Dresses

\$7.50 to \$39.50

Tailored Tricotine, Poiret Twill, Velour, beautiful Canton Crepe, Crepe de Chine, and other Silk Dresses are included.

One-Third Off Price of All Furs

Sweaters—

Reduced — Just When You Need Them

SWEATERS—right when you need them—in a splendid collection of colors and weaves—at prices that mean quick selling—

COAT SWEATERS AT \$1.08—This lot is made up of Ladies' and Misses' Coat Sweaters—most all colors. Priced to close out only \$1.08

TUXEDO SWEATERS AT \$4.48—All good colors are included—your choice of several weaves at only \$4.48

the regular price of all other Sweaters—including the popular heavy College Sweaters—most all colors.

ONE-FOURTH OFF

And we have priced it accordingly.—

LADIES' UNION SUIT,

\$1.00

—We will offer a good Union Suit. Fleece-lined, at above price—an excellent value.

ONE-FOURTH OFF

Winter Underwear of the celebrated "Munsingwear" make—including Union Suits of all styles—Pants, Vests, Corset Covers, etc. Ladies and Children's Garments—all reduced.

Miscellaneous Reductions—



OUTING GOWNS—Warm fleecy garments for these cold nights—Specially priced at \$1.00 to \$1.98



HIGH NECK MUSLIN GOWN—made of good muslin, full cut; Special value at \$1.50

KID GLOVES—Genuine Kid Gloves; regular \$2.50 values; all colors—Special at \$1.85

CORSETS REDUCED—Special reduced Corsets

Warner's Rustproof make at 95c, \$1.95, \$2.95

One-Third Off Price of All Umbrellas

M. LEIGH SHEEP COMPANY

WOMAN'S WEAR

RELEASE PRISONERS IN LONDON JAILS

London, Jan. 13 (By The Associated Press)—Irish political prisoners in London jails were released today under King George's amnesty proclamation. Instructions were sent to provincial jails for similar releases.

HODGES-LAMB

Harry Hodges of South Mills and Miss Laura Virginia Lamb, of Belcross were married Thursday by Rev. H. E. Myers at the City Road parsonage.

GRAY FOX IS DEAD

The little gray fox at the fire house died Thursday, possibly of grief at his long separation from his fellows, or maybe because he could not get used to the food offered him in his confinement. He was buried with appropriate ceremonies Friday by members of the fire department, after his valuable hide had been removed.

ATTENTION, MOTHERS

Children's black Beaver Hats—Clean Up price, special \$1.88. T. T. Turner & Co.

BARBER SHOP SOUTHERN HOTEL

SHAVING 15c
Hark, hark, you make a mark
When you get your barbershop up town.
When the business got tight
you were in no plight
Because we kept the prices down.

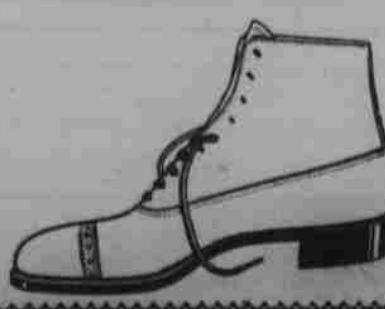
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TONSORAGICAL PROF.

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ALWAYS GOOD
• Our Prices Are
ALWAYS LOW
• G. W. TWIDDY, Grocer
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Quickly relieves Constipation,
Biliousness, Loss of Appetite
and Headaches due to torpid Liver.

Shoes At Less Than Half Price



We have completed our inventory and marked down prices throughout our stock. These reductions in some cases amount to

50 to 66 2-3 % OFF

Galloping Toxey Shoe Co.