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We appeal to every reader of THE ROANOKE BEACON to aid us in making it an acceptable and profitable medium of news to our citizens.

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 5, 1890.

Our bright exchange, the Orphans' Friend, has recently doused a new dress.

For large collections for the Orphans of this State taken up on Thanksgiving day.

The Convancing Board of the First Congressional District have given their official count which is as follows:

Table with columns: Counties, Dem., Rep. Lists counties like Beaufort, Camden, Carteret, etc.

The Wilmington Star says: "Abraham Lincoln may not have been a prophet but there was something of the prophetic order in the following written shortly before his death to a friend in Illinois:

"It has been a trying hour for the Republic, but I see in the future a crisis arising which unmeasures me and causes me to tremble for the safety of my country."

RED COTTON.

Manufacturers' Record. For two years or more considerable publicity has been given to and no little interest excited by the discovery of red cotton.

AN EDITOR'S LIFE.

Durban Sun. One of the beauties and charms of an editor's life is in his dead-heading it on all occasions.

NOTICE - We have dress goods from \$1.00 per yard, call and purchase before all are gone.



OUR CHICKEN IS ON THE FENCE AGAIN CROWING. HE IS NOT CROWING OVER A DEMOCRATIC VICTORY AT THE BALLOT.

On Monday last the Republican officers elect appeared before the County Commissioners and submitted their bonds.

The Register of Deeds elect placed his bond upon the table, which was, like the Sheriff's and Treasurer's weighed in the balances and found wanting.

The refusal of the bonds were honest and impartial. Each man was given justice, and each one had his bond made up, but on examination it was found that the parties who had signed them were not good for the amounts signed, and the bonds could not be taken.

In the beginning of the contest we said: Hilliard for Register, Marriner for Clerk and Freeman for Treasurer, and in the end we say it is so.

ROPER LETTER.

ROPER, N. C., Dec. 3, 1890. Editor ROANOKE BEACON: The street lamps, put up by our enterprising merchants at their stores, besides being a great convenience to the people at night, improves the appearance of the place very much.

Several of our people attended the marriage of Mr. T. J. Lewis and Miss Sallie Chesson on the 28th. Thanksgiving day will be remembered by Mr. and Mrs. Lewis as the happiest day of their life.

A SERMON IN RHYME.

If you have a friend worth loving, Love him. Yes, and let him know That you love him, ere life's evening brings his brow with sunset glow.

MONEY

can be earned at our NEW line of work rapidly and honorably, by those of either sex, young or old, and in their own localities wherever they live.

EDUCATIONAL. PLYMOUTH HIGH SCHOOL, FOR BOTH SEXES. STRICTLY NON-SECTARIAN, opens its Second annual Term SEPT. 8th, 1890.

PRACTICAL EDUCATION. Commercial College of N. Y. UNIVERSITY. CHEAPEST & BEST BUSINESS COLLEGE IN THE WORLD.

DR. W. H. WARD, PHYSICIAN & SURGEON. OFFICE AT BRYAN'S DRUG STORE, night calls at J. P. Hilliard's residence opposite Methodist Church.

SEE HERE! Why throw that old last seasons dress aside, or those spotted pants suit for nothing, when you may, at a small cost, have the same cleaned or dyed and made to look as good as new?

SAML. WIGGINS, the clothes cleaner and dyer is prepared to serve you in this line. He is also prepared to upholster furniture in the latest styles.

ATTENTION MILL MEN. I wish to inform the public that I am a millwright of 30 years experience, fully master of the business, any person wishing water mill work done will apply to the undersigned.

TAXES. The Tax List for the year 1890 has been placed in my hands for collection. All persons indebted to me for taxes for the year 1890, please come forward and settle at once.

FOR RENT OR LEASE. My Farm known as the Joe Davenport Farm one mile from Crewell, N. C., containing 125 acres of good farming land, adjoining the lands of A. W. Apprill, H. A. Jethfield and others.

FOR SALE. A valuable farm, known as the Henderson Lewis farm, situated in Tyrrell county. Terms \$1,500.00, \$1,000.00 cash, balance on time.

CASKETS THOS. J. MARRINER, Dealer in CASKETS, CASES, METALIC and WOOD CASES. Prices ranging from \$15 to \$100.

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Furniture repaired and all other work in our line done with neatness and dispatch. Contractors and builders of long experience. All work guaranteed.



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Call early. My stock of Christmas and all Holiday goods are displayed and he public are invited to call early while they have a complete stock to select from.

My stock consists of all kinds of perfumery, toilet soaps, &c., put up in fine style.

PLUSH GOODS. Such as Work boxes, Toilet cases, Infant cases, Handkerchief cases, Glove cases, Writing desks, &c.

A fine line of Photograph and Autograph Albums.

Come now and purchase your goods while you have the largest stock ever seen in this town to select from.

Any kind of present you want at prices ranging from

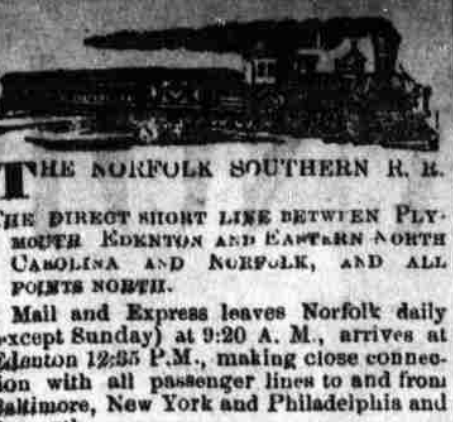
25cts. to \$12.

at 1 now our Mr. E. L. Tarkenton will take pleasure in showing the goods and giving you prices.

In connection with the Holiday goods a stock of fine candies have been purchased expressly for the holiday trade.

Respectfully,

J. W. Bryan, Plymouth, N. C.



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For further information apply to Levi Blount, Agent, Plymouth, or to the General Office of the Norfolk Southern Railroad Company Norfolk.

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Buggies, Phaetons, Road-carts, Farm-carts, wagons &c., at prices lower than ever. Men with the cash can get a bargain.

CLOTHING! CLOTHING!! CLOTHING!!! My stock of Clothing is immense, and as it is necessary for me to raise

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During the next thirty days, I have reduced my already low prices, and will sell you Clothing cheaper than you ever dreamed of before.

My stock of Ladies' and Gent's Furnishings, Dry Goods, Dress Goods, Notions, Boots and Shoes, Hats and Caps, Furniture and Groceries is complete, and will be sold cheaper than ever before during the next thirty days.

Give me a call and be convinced of what I say.

S. ADLER,

A CIRCUS!

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"KNOCK IT SILLY."

They are headquarters for Clothing, Dry Goods, Notions, Boots & Shoes, Hats, Caps, Groceries, &c., &c. In fact, a varied and well selected assortment of everything kept in a well equipped, first-class General Store.

Come and be convinced that we offer first-class goods at figures that defy competition. WATER STREET. PLYMOUTH, N. C.

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250 Pairs Men, Youth and Boys pants all quality from 35 cents to \$7.00.

50 Overcoats 50 from \$2.95 to \$15.00. Latest Styles.

1000 Pairs Shoes at prices that defy competition. Also my line of Dry Goods is complete and at prices within reach of all.

W. L. LEWKOWITZ, Opposite M. J. BUNCH & CO., nov 28th PLYMOUTH, N. C.

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