THE Prohibition campaign is now ended in this State. And with very nearly as full a vote as is usually polled, the State has declared itself in favor of a sober citizenship. This is well, for only can we have progressive and prosperous business enterprise, and peaceful, happy homes when the citizenship is sober; to say nothing of the more free religious and social liberty this brings with it, for no one would dare mock God by even a pretention of being religious who would fail to stab the whiskey or any other flagrantly immoral question at every opportunity. But it is not our object to comment upon the matter further. Last week we were Prohibitionists and Anti-Prohibitionists—to-day we are all North Carolinians.

Let the Dove of Peace abide with us; let us forget any bitterness or misunderstanding of the past few months. Do not nurse prejudice against the neighbor who disagreed with you, for he had the same right to his opinion that you had to yours. Don't crow over the victory, or cheerish hard feelings, bnt let's all go to work to make imdrovements in all directions, remembering that we are living and preparing the country for those who must soon take our places, and the better we do this the happier we will all be in the end.

Valued Samo as Gold.

B. G. Stewart, a merchant of Cedar View, Miss., says: "I tell my customers when they buy a box of Dr. King's New Life Pills they get the worth of that much gold in weight, if afflicted with constipation, malaria or biliousness." Sold under guarantee at Spruill & Bro's. 25c.

A NEW DAY FOR NORTH CAROLINA.

We have had important elections in North Carolina to settle vital questions, but the most important in the life of this generation settled the matter of suffrage and made North Carolina a prohibition State. When the future historian comes to write the history of North Carolina he will show that the passage of the suffrage amendment opened the way for the educational revival and the spread of temperance which did more for the progress and uplift of the people than anything in the entire history of the State. If the suffrage amendment had been defeated the mighty impetus to education that has distinguished this decade would have been wanting, and the driving out of the saloons and stills would have been left for the next generation. As it is, the door was opened to putting North Carolina on a higher plane and the people of this generation have been given the high privilege of bequeathing to their children a State free from the curse of the manufacture and sale of intoxicating liquors.

The sweeping victory yesterday is all that could have been desired. Of course every temperance man would have been glad to have seen his county give a majority for State Prohibition but that was too much to have expected, and so every temperance man has the right to feel that the victory is full, complete, ample. The majority is so large as to make the victory decisive.

The experience of those counties in North Carolina that for a long term of years has given prohibition [illegible] that under East and Yancey in the West, were so large as to show the entire satisfaction of the people with the working of prohibition. What these counties have found in their experience the whole State will find as its larger experience after a fair trial of the new law that goes into effect on the first day of January.

The campaign has been educational and will have lasting results for good in the lives of the people. It has been waged on a high plane, with no appeal except to the conscience and the reason of the people, with no reference to politics and parties, and time will show all the good men who yesterday voted against State Prohibition that it will prove a lasting blessing to North Carolina. The men who have led the fight, from Chairman John A. Gats and his associates down to the smallest child who has marched in a procession, deserve the lasting thanks of all who are working for the progress and welfare of this good commonwealth.—N & O. May 27.

A great many people imagine they have heart trouble when the fact is that the whole trouble lies in the stomach. The pains in the side around the region of the heart are not necessarily heart trouble. We suggest that you start with the stomach and whenever you feel a depression after eating or whenever your food seems to nauseate take Kodol. It will not be very long until all these "heart pains" will disappear. Take Kodol now and until you know you are right again. There isn't any doubt about what it will do and you will find the truth of this statement verified after you have used Kodol for a few weeks It is sold here by P. E. Davenport.

1881. THEN and NOW 1908.

In summing up the vote in this old State on the liquor question we find quite a comparison, we compare the vote of 1881 with that of 1908, just twenty-seven years. How the people have changed in that period.

In 1881 North Carolina registered the following vote:

Against Prohibition	164,133.
For Prohibition	48,061.
Majority against	116,072.

In 1908 the State cast a very large vote, but at this writing it is impossible to give the correct vote, but it is safe to say that the Prohibition majority is fully 40,000.

In 1881 Washington county cast her part of the above vote as follows:

Against Prohibition	1,467.
For Prohibition	134.
Majority against	1,333.

In 1908 Washington county registered the following vote:

For Prohibition	445.
Against Prohibition	387.
Majority for prohibition	58.

It Reached the Spot.

Mr. E. Humphrey, who owns a large general store at Omega, O., and is president of the Adams County Telephone Co., of Pike County, O., says of Dr. King's New Discovery; "It saved my life once. At least I think it did. It seemed to reach the spot—the very seat of my cough,—when everything else failed." Dr. King's New Discovery not only reaches the cough spot; it heals the sore spots and the weak spots in throat, lungs and chest. Sold under guarantee at Spruill & Bros. 50c. and $1.00 Trial bottle free.

TO THE PUBLIC!

I take this method of returning my grateful thanks to the citizens of this county for the confidence and support placed in and given me during the past, and as another year has arrived when some one will be chosen for the position I have been holding for the past few years, I respectfully offer my name for your consideration. I have tried conscientiously to discharge the duties of the office acceptably to the law-abiding people of the county, and only promise, if re-elected, to discharge those duties in the future as I have in the past.

Yours very truly,
W. J. JACKSON.

FOR SHERIFF.

I take this method of informing the people of Washington county that I will be a candidate for the office of Sheriff, subject to the action of the Democratic county convention.

It will be remembered that eight years ago I asked for this nomination and was defeated. I met defeat and worked, then and since for the Democratic candidates.

If the choice of the people in the coming contest, I promise to discharge the duties of the office to the best of my [illegible] the choice of the people.

WHERE LIGHTNING STRIKES.

At Junction and on Sharp Curves of Trolley Lines.

H. H. Adams, a Baltimore street railway man, has a clever method of finding out where linghtning is likely to strike one of his cars.

According to the Street Railway Journal he keeps in his office a large scale map of the system, and whenever a car crew reports that a car has been damaged by lightning, he sticks a pin in the map at the point where the car was at the time.

It is astonishing how quickly a record of this kind will show up the locations that seem to be especially susceptible to lightning discharges. In the course of the season a few points will have a miniature forest of pins grouped around them, while long stretches of track will show no pins at all.

When a particular location begins to accumulate a collection of these telltale pins, a lightning arrester can be installed at this point and the trouble at once eliminated or at least materially reduced. From graphic records kept in this way over a period of years it has been determined that the most vulnerable points are at junctions of lines and at sharp bends and curves.

Economy in British Army.

A certain regiment, quartered at a considerable distance from the point from which its stores are sent to it, is obliged, according to its equipment list, to have forty-eight fusees, presumably for the ignition of fuses connected with explosives. It was found upon an occasion not long ago that the regiment was short of these fusees and this was duly reported to the proper authority. Accordingly two boxes of fusees were despatched, and as they are looked upon as explosives they had, according to regulation, to be packed in a large copper receptacle of considerable weight and forwarded specially to the headquarters of the regiment, where they were duly unpacked, taken in charge, entered on the list as having been received, and the empty canister or box returned to the stores headquarters. The size and weight of the canister are such that it is estimated the cost of its journey to and fro may be anywhere between five and ten shillings; the two boxes of fusees, on the other hand, might have been purchased locally at a penny each.—Saturday Review.

Foaming in Aerated Waters.

One of the substances employed to give a foam to aerated waters, and we have little doubt to beer as well, is saponin, very small quantities of which, when added to water, impart to it a frothy character. Now saponin is a glucoside, and glocisides are in the main, poisonous substances.—The Lancet.

DON'T MAKE THIS GREAT MISTAKE.

Don't make the great mistake of thinking that because the STIEFF PIANO was chosen for the Jamestown Exposition, and because it stands so high in the estimation of people who know, that it is beyond your reach, or too expensive.

The fact that it is sold direct from the maker to the user, at one profit, brings the price within reach of all, and then too, the terms of payment are so easy.

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We are now ready with our Spring Millinery, and we wish to extend our usual invitation to our friends and patrons to come to see our Millinery, Dress Goods, Etc.

We can show you some values that will please those who want good goods, fine quality and correct styles and shapes.

Did you ever hear of Knowlting? He is one of the biggest hat manufacturers in the country, and makes exclusive styles that well dressed ladies like to wear. We have awaiting your order a fine lot of these hats, together with a large lot of flowers.

Our Headwear for Infants always ranks "High." Originality of designs and good quality at fair prices being the standard.

Come to see us. We will appreciate a visit.

Rhode Island Reds.

I have only a few Rhode Island Red Cockerels left. Those desiring to improve their flock will do well to get their order in as soon as possible.

To those who are not farmiliar with this breed of fowls I would say that they are rated as one of the best all-purpose fowls. They are of medium size, females weighing from 5 to 7 and males from 6 to 9 pounds each. They are good layers, especially in winter. The chicks are very hardy and quick growers.

I can also furnish eggs for hatching in season from select stock at fair prices.

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NOTICE.

By authority of a decree and judgment rendered on April 13th 1908 by the Clerk of Superior Court in the partition proceedings, entitled Henry Davenport, Wm. H. Rawls, et al. vs Amie Phelps, Tell Dozier et al. I shall sell for cash, at public auction, to the highest bidder on 15th day of May 1908, at 11 o'clock a. m., at the Court House door in Plymouth, N. C., the following tract of land lying in Washington County, Scuppernong township, State of North Carolina, bounded as follows. Beginning at an Elm at the main road near Boxen Bridge and from there running a line of marked trees in an eastwardly direction to an Elm in J. R. Dillon's line, thence South along said Dillon line and Idian Swamp to a pine corner tree in James Norman's line, thence west along Norman's line to the old Boxen Bdg ditch, thence along said ditch to the main road, thence along the main road to the first station. It being that tract conveyed by F Spruill to Simon Davenport. And containing 25 acres more or less

Plymouth, N. C. W M. Bond Jr.
April 13, '08. Commissioner.

NOTICE.

North Carolina, Washington County } Entry Taker's Office.

To F. R Johnston Entry Taker of Washington County, North Carolina.

The undersigned, Wheeler Martin, enters and lays claim to the following described land in Washington County, being vacant and unappropriated lands described as follows: Adjoining Welch's creek and the line of Beaufort and Martin counties, beginning at a pine on Welch's creek or gum swamp at Lake Leggett's corner; thence S. 21½ W. 42 5 chains; thence S. 30½ W. 18¼ chains along Lake Leggett's line to a gum; thence S. 10½ West 18½ chains; thence S 15 1-2 W 13½ chains; thence S 23 W. 6 1-2 chains; thence S 41 1-2 W 25 chains; thence S 13 W 11 3-4 chains; thence S 18 W 8 1-2 chains to a flat Swamp, Beaufort and Martin county line, thence up said Swamp S 58 W 34 2-5 chains to John G. Hearn's patent line; thence with his line as follows, N 12 W 38 1-2 chains; thence N 14 E 15 chains; thence N 72 E. 23 1-2 chains; hence N 50 E 4 3-4 chains; thence N 14 1-4 chains; thence N 17 E 38 3-4 chains; thence N 16 E 9 1-2 chains; thence N 10 chains; thence N 31 W 10 chains to the head of Welche's creek or Gum Swamp, down to Hearn's patent corner, thence N 30 E 22 3-5 chains along the line of land heretofore entered by H. W. Stubbs in Martin county; thence S 70 E 31 chains; thence N 43 1-2 W to the corner of Lake Leggett's patent 19 chains; thence S 40 E 20 chains to Lake Leggett's patent corner, the original, containing 568 acres more or less, excepting from the land above described such portions thereof as have heretofore been regularly and lawfully entered and granted. This 7th April 1908.

Witness WHEELER MARTIN.
F. R. JOHNSTON, Entry Taker. 4t

NOTICE.

North Carolina, Washington County } In the Superior Court, Fall Term, 1908

Maggie Robertson, Administratrix, vs The Norfolk & Southern Railway Company, a Corporation, and the MacLean Contracting Company, a Corporation. } NOTICE

TO THE MACLEAN CONTRACTING COMPANY:

Take notice that a Warrant of Attachment in the above entitled action has been issued to Chowan County against your property.

The plaintiff claims the sum of Two Thousand Dollars ($2,000.00) damages for the wrongful death of the plaintiff's intestate, Warren Robertson, caused by the carlessness and negligence of the defendants

Said Warrant of Attachment is returnable at the Superior Court of Washington County, in Plymouth, on the sixth Monday after the first Monday in September, 1908. C. V. W AUSBON.
Clerk of the Superior Court of Washington County.

EXECUTORS' NOTICE.

Having qualified as Executors under the will of W. M. Chesson, deceased, late of Washington County, North Carolina, and being now about to proceed upon the administration of his estate, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned at Mackey Ferry, N. C., on or before the 12th day of May 1909, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to the estate will please make immediate payment.

This May 12, 1908.

THOS. M. CHESSON,
W. J. CHESSON,
Executors.

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REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF

THE BANK OF PLYMOUTH,

at Plymouth, in the State of North Carolina, at the close of business May 14th, 1908.

RESOURCES	DOLLARS
Loans and discounts	50,061 60
Overdrafts; secured	185 02
N. C. State Bonds	6 500 00
All other Stocks, Bonds & Mtg's.	2,000 00
Premium on Bonds	150 00
Banking house, furniture & fixt.	3,600.00
Due from Banks and Bankers	4,472.28
Cash items	300 19
Gold coin	748.00
Silver coin, including all minor coin currency	724 69
Nat. bank notes & other U. S. notes	2,000.00
Total	70,741 78

LIABILITIES	DOLLARS
Capital stock	12,500 00
Surplus fund	3,000.00
Undivided profits, less current expenses and taxes paid	4,828 75
Deposits subject to check	50,413.03
Total	70,741 78

State of North Carolina, County of Washington, ss:

I, Clarence Latham, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief

CLARENCE LATHAM, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 26th day of May, 1908.

C. V. W. AUSBON, C. S. C.

Correct—Attest:

W. H. HAMPTON,

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF

THE BANK OF ROPER,

at Roper, in the State of North Carolina at the close of business Feb. 14th, 1908.

RESOURCES.	DOLLARS.
Loans and discounts	41,142 95
Overdrafts; unsecured	3.25
All other Stocks, Bonds and Mortgages.	2 000.00
Banking house, $2,194; Furniture & fixt $1040 73,	3,234.73
All other real estate owned,	3,275.00
Due from Banks and Bankers,	5,105.98
Gold coin,	
Silver coin, including all minor coin currency,	101.17
Nat'nl. bank notes and other U. S. notes,	516.85
TOTAL.	55,979 93

LIABILITIES.	DOLLARS.
Capital stock	20,000 00
Surplus Fund	1,300.71
Undivided profits, less current expenses and taxes paid,	237.45
Dividends unpaid	95.00
Time Certificates of Deposit,	12,754.55
Deposits subject to check,	21,193.15
Demand Certificates of Deposit,	
Cashier's Checks outstanding,	300.07
TOTAL.	55,979.93

State of North Carolina, County of Washington, ss:

I, W. S. Davenport, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief

W. S DAVENPORT, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 26th day of Feb, 1908

L. G. ROPER,
Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:

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