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Advertising is to business what steam is to machinery—the grand motive power.
—MACAULEY.
There is but one way of obtaining business—activity; but one way of obtaining publicity—advertising.
—BLACKWOOD.

LOCAL NEWS.

Cotton is dull at 7½ this morning.
Weather Indications—Threatening and settled to night. Thursday warmer.
Geo. Scurlock was in Washington last week. He says fusion is all the talk there.
The little child of Gracie Grigans, color was severely burned this morning, while at play on the hearth.
Mr. E. G. Davis, of Greenville, S. C., accepted a position as stenographer and type writer in the law of office Mr. H. Cook.
Cards are out for the celebration of the 25th anniversary of the marriage of Rev. Thomas Dixon, Jr., and wife, at their country home at Hambricht Hall, Cape Charles, Va., Tuesday, March 3rd.
Mr. Cameron F. McRae, of Fayetteville, accepted the position of secretary to W. R. Tucker, of Raleigh. "Mr. McRae" says the Raleigh News and Observer, is a son of Judge James C. McRae, and is very popular in Raleigh. He arrived yesterday.
The Daily Fayetteville Observer grows more interesting daily. We wish we could get the day of publication.
The above is from our neighbor, the Hambricht News. As soon as additional type, already ordered, is received, certain alterations and enlargement of the "Observer" office, now under way, are completed, the Daily edition will be dispatched on all the South bound trains out of Fayetteville, with regularity.
Transfer not Legal.
A case against Andrew Jackson for the signing of Mr. Black which was to have been before Squire Gaster Monday evening was transferred by him to Squire McLean, came up for hearing at the latter's office. Lawyers for the defence contended that Gaster had no right to transfer the case upon an affidavit in open court, and that before the prisoner should be discharged. McLean decided not to try the case, but to discharge the prisoner and re-commit him to jail.

To Our Weekly Exchanges.

We send this paper to all of our weekly exchanges, the far-off as well as the near-by, with the request that they will be good enough to signify if they prefer to have it continued in place of the weekly edition.

Prize Fighters in Town.

Laffin and Daly, the celebrated boxers and ex-prize fighters, are in the city. They applied to the Mayor for permission to give an exhibition here to-night, but were informed by His Honor that it was against the law, and if they attempted it they would be fined \$500 and imprisoned. They leave this evening for the Newbern Fair.

Daly is an old time celebrity who travelled with Sullivan on many sparring tours.

A Remarkable Instrument.

There is a negro man who lives near Mr. Hector Smith's place in Little River Township who makes horns out of lightwood knots. We saw this morning one of the unique instruments. It is made of a short-leaf pine knot, hollowed out in the shape of a cow's horn, and is thirteen inches long and five inches in diameter. A remarkably fine tone can be gotten out of it. The darkey can play all sorts of pieces upon it, from Yankee Doodle to Home Sweet Home, and he plays them well, too. It beats the old fox horn all to hollow, and can be heard several miles.

Live Stock ?

Township Constable Maultsby went out in the country yesterday to serve claim and delivery papers on Rob't Kelly to satisfy a judgment of ten dollars. He seized upon a sewing machine, a horse, several pigs and some chickens, one after another. The sewing machine he found belonged to some else; the horse was not in a condition to be made to walk to town; the pigs—well it would not require the cathode rays to see through them—so the chickens were the only live things left. Fortunately, just as he was having the horse, pigs and chickens placed in a wagon to be carted to town, a neighbor came forward and satisfied the judgment.

Fire on Haymount.

The fire alarm was sounded from the Market House at 12:45 this afternoon but before the location of the fire was known, word reached the city that the residence of Mr. Weldon Huske, on Haymount, was in ashes. As soon as the fire started, a boy ran all the way, a distance of a mile and a half, to give the alarm. A large number of people in buggies and on horse back, hurried to the scene of the conflagration, but were too late to render any assistance. The fire originated on the roof and was discovered by a man who was discharging a load of wood in the yard. He discovered the flames on the roof near one of the chimneys and alarmed the family who were at dinner. Mr. Huske hurriedly placed a ladder against the house and calling for water, climbed to the top. Before the first bucket reached him, however, the roof commenced to fall in, and he had to give up the fight. Meantime the servants with the help of several neighbors had removed all the furniture.

Although the house was fully covered by the insurance, \$2,500, yet its many pleasant memories make it a sad loss not only to its owner and family, but to their many friends who have enjoyed its hospitality.

Hotel Arrivals.

The following were registered at the LaFayette last evening and this morning: H. B. Downing, Cobar Creek; E. McNish, Charlotte; A. W. Smith, Baltimore; R. D. Johnson, A. C. L.; J. F. Brakpeed, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Hessberg, Albany, N. Y.; C. J. Campbell, Virginia; S. R. Ferguson, L. H. Johnson, Indianapolis; W. H. Gilbert, Wilmington; N. K. Wilson, Richmond; E. R. Hicks, N. C.; L. M. Mechem, N. C.; C. B. Edwards, N. Y.; H. G. Smith, Virginia; J. D. Carhart, N. J.; Chas. C. Reid, Richmond; H. A. Ansell, Baltimore; C. H. H. Turnor, Richmond; D. McEachern, Wilmington; L. C. Menick, T. W. Andrews, Charlotte.

People and their Movements.

Mr. W. J. McDiarmid, of Spout Springs, is in town.
Mr. W. K. Parker, of Cumberland, was in town this morning.
Messrs. A. B. Williams and A. Garrason were in Wilmington yesterday.
Messrs. R. L. and A. B. Williams leave this evening for the Newbern Fair.
Sheriff Gaddie, who has been sick for several days, was at his office this morning.
Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Carson and Mrs. Eliza Reed, of New York, are visiting Mrs. Reed's nephew, Mr. Cyrus Murphy. Mrs. Reed was born in this county 80 years ago, and has not been here in 60 years. The party are on their way north from their country home in Georgia.

JOTTINGS ABOUT TOWN.

BY A PERIPATETIC.

For my part I cannot conceive how any one can find it in his or her heart to inflict pain upon a dumb animal, and far less can I conceive how any one in Fayetteville can be so brutalized as to torture a poor cat in such a horrible manner as I am most credibly informed was done only a day or two since. Yet some miserable, brutal miscreants actually saturated a cat with kerosene oil and then set fire to it, with the result that the poor beast died in the most terrible agonies to the intense amusement of the perpetrators of the vile and inhuman act. The owner of the cat has offered a reward for the discovery of the offenders, and I hope to goodness that this incentive will lead to their detection and condign punishment. My readers, I am sure, will agree with me on this point.

Mr. Horne has received a new set of weather flags in place of the tattered ones the U. S. government has been signaling the weather indications through.

SEVENTY-FIRST, Feb. 26.

First of all this week, your correspondent desires to stand corrected by her own hand for two errors in last week's letter. One of them she was responsible for; the other is charged to the printer.

Rev. A. J. McKelway will lecture at Raeford Institute on the 27th of March instead of the 28th of this month.

The paper to be published at the aforesaid Institute will be called "The Tattler," not the "Father."

Mr. D. J. Blue went to Wilmington on business intent, last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Neill McNeill and Miss Mary Jennette McNeill, formerly of Spring Hill, lately of Parkton, are visiting Mrs. McNeill's sister, Mrs. J. A. Gillis this week.

The recent discovery of photography with cathode rays might be beneficial to the pedagogic profession if skulls were opaque substance.

SCOTCH LASSIE.

SHOULD YOU TRY McDONALD'S COUGH CURE and fail to be benefitted by it, return empty bottle and your money will be refunded.

THE MARKETS.

AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS THIS DAY.

(BY TELEGRAPH.)

New York Cotton Market.

	Opening.	Highest.	Lowest.	Closing.
March,	7.57	7.64	7.57	7.63
May,	7.68	7.73	7.68	7.72
August,	7.77	7.81	7.77	7.80
October,	---	7.45	7.41	7.43

Sales to-day, 185,900
Rec'd at all ports, 14,208
Market closed steady.

Chicago Grain.

May Wheat,	67½	67½	66½	66½
May Corn	30½	30½	30½	30½

Liverpool Cotton.

The demand for spots was fair, and prices were steadier. Futures opened steady at 4.21, closing at 4.20 S. Spots at the close were 4.15-32.

New York Stocks.

Am. Sugar Ref.,	117½	118½	117½	118½
Am. Tob. Co.,	79½	80	78½	78½
St. P. R. R.,	78½	78½	77½	77½
Louisville & Nash.,	55	55	54½	54½
So. R. R. Pfd.,	32½	32½	32½	32½
Chicago Gas,	69½	69½	69	69
Atehison,	32½	17½	17½	17½

Quotations furnished daily by John S. Chiles, Broker, Thornton Block, Fayetteville.

AN UNPRECEDENTED OFFER.

We have a few sizes of

ALL SILK VESTS,

from 28 to 36 inches,

Former Price, \$1.15 Each; Reduced to 50c.

New Goods received every day.

CAPE FEAR DRY GOODS CO.

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—OF—

SPRING : CLOTHING

RECEIVED AT

MIKE FOLB'S.

Only 90 steps from the Market House will carry you to the Cheap Clothing Store.

The following are some of our prices:—

Men's Full Suits from \$3.00 to \$5.00, for which others would ask \$8.00 to \$10.00.

A No. 1 All-Wool Black Suit, \$8.50, for which others would ask \$12.50 to \$15.00.

All other goods in proportion. They were bought CHEAP, and will be sold CHEAP.

Come at once and get our prices.

Respectfully,

MIKE FOLB.

BREAD! BREAD!!

For sale at W. G. Clark's Up-Town Store and at M. N. Raynor's, Market Square,

and will deliver it to you at your residences.

The patronage of the public solicited.

Good, Fresh Loaf Bread every day.

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MRS. W. W. COLE.

IRISH RELISH.

Fresh Banquet Wafers.

Lunch Milk.

Nice Pickles—Sweet and Sour.

Toilet Soaps and Canned Goods.

SEE OUR GOODS, GET OUR PRICES

AND TAKE QUALITY INTO CONSIDERA-

TION.

A. S. HUSKE.

GET A DUST PAN.