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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—publicity; but one way of obtaining publicity—advertising.  
—BLACKWOOD.

## LOCAL NEWS.

Cotton is selling in this market to-day a 67 to 68 cents.

All papers sold on the streets by news boys should bear the stamp "For Transit Sale," in red ink.

Weather Predictions—Chief Moore, Washington, D. C., 10:30 o'clock.—Partly cloudy weather to night and Wednesday, warmer to night.

### A Brilliant Entertainment.

The residence of Col. A. B. Williams on Gillespie street was the scene last night of a brilliant entertainment given by charming Miss Elza Williams to her young friends. Nothing could surpass the delightful hospitality of the young hostess, and when at one o'clock the guests reluctantly departed, it was voted that Miss Williams was the princess of entertainers.

### Water at Last.

The artesian well which Messrs. Novitzky and Wright have been boring on Mr. Elijah Shepherd's place on Rowan street was completed last week. Running crystal water was struck in the bowels of an apparently limitless rock. 227 feet is the depth at which the water was reached, 27½ feet of which was bored into the rock. The water is within six feet of the surface, and it is said will yield an unlimited supply.

### A Wonderful Dog.

Messrs. John L. Kennedy and John D. Williams went up to Goldston this morning to spend several days in hunting. They are both good shots and will no doubt astonish the "bob-whites" of Chatham.

Among the dogs they carried is a seven-months old red Irish setter raised by Mr. Kennedy which is a marvel. This puppy is apparently flawless, hunting in beautiful style, pointing like a veteran and retrieving in a manner that would win the admiration of the most experienced hunter.

### A Thief Captured.

Mr. Vanstoy received a telegram from a friend in Asheboro yesterday stating that a negro named Clifton Cole had stolen an overcoat containing valuable papers from him and that he thought the thief would turn up in Fayetteville, and if so, requested that he be arrested. Mr. Vanstoy turned the matter over to chief of police Flowers and a short while afterwards the man was in custody. An officer is on his way from Asheboro to take the prisoner back.

### Died.

Miss Fannie Calais died this morning at 10 o'clock at the residence of her sister Mrs. R. T. Scanlin on Cool Spring street. The deceased lady who was a devout member of the Baptist church, was greatly loved by her relatives and friends.

The funeral will take place from the residence at 3:30 to-morrow evening.

### Saloons Must Close at 10.

The Board of Aldermen met yesterday for the purpose of granting liquor licenses. The twelve bar rooms which have heretofore been running were again granted license. There were no additional applications.

The most important step that the Aldermen have yet taken in regard to the liquor traffic was taken yesterday. The Board unanimously passed an ordinance requiring all saloons to close at 10 o'clock at night except on Saturday, when they are allowed to keep open until 11 o'clock. A violation of this ordinance will work a forfeiture of license.

Every citizen will heartily commend this action.

### Crumpler Coming.

The famous Crumpler has publicly announced his intention to come and pitch his tent in Fayetteville on the 28th of January. Although he was located by the recent Methodist Conference he claims that he is not violating the rules when he goes into another parish without invitation, because he carries his own house of worship along with him—his big tent.

This chief of the sanctificationists has just concluded a great meeting at Parkersburg, which is said to have shaken Sampson county to its very centre. People flocked there from Cumberland, Moore, Harnett, Chatham, Brunswick, Bladen and even more distant counties.

On Christmas night some miscreants destroyed the splendid tent by cutting the canvas in shreds. The next night the meeting was held in the open air, and collection amounting to nearly one hundred dollars was taken up to replace it.

### Six Dropped off.

Fayetteville had her first real experience of a sanctification meeting last night. The tent was packed with people and numbers were unable to gain admission. At the opening of the service a little panic was created by seven of the long benches giving way and precipitating men and women on the ground in a heap. However, amid the exciting scenes which followed this little incident was soon forgotten. The forty or fifty sanctified persons on the platform presented a spectacle the like of which was never beheld in this city before. Men and women laughed, yelled, beat themselves, fanned the air with their arms and legs, all the time in a mad transport of delight. Six persons dropped off into trances. The going off of each one was the signal for a fresh outburst of joy and as they recovered they were surrounded, hugged, patted and made much of generally. Each one declared that he or she had seen strange things, etc. There are a number of pretty girls who brighten up things by singing good old fashioned songs.

### Death of Gen. Brady's Brother.

Gen. A. G. Brady received a telegram yesterday announcing the death that morning of his brother Col. J. W. Brady in Washington City. Gen. Brady left last night to attend the funeral which will take place in Catonsville, Maryland.

Col. Brady was in his 66th year, and has been an official in the postoffice department at Washington for thirty years. He leaves a wife (who is wealthy) and three children.

This death leaves Gen. Brady the last son of a large family of boys.

### The Sewerage Question.

The joint meeting of the Board of Aldermen and the County Commissioners was held yesterday and an agreement was reached on the much discussed and important Court House and jail sewerage question. All the County Commissioners and all but two of the city aldermen were present. The Board of Health was represented by Dr. J. W. McNeill.

After a number of propositions had been lengthily discussed the members of the two boards unanimously decided, with Dr. McNeill concurring, that the county at its own expense should be allowed to construct a sewer from the Court House and jail to run through Gillespie and Green streets, emptying into Cross Creek near Eccles bridge.

## Plum Pudding.

Receipt—Take equal parts of Shaxmaxan, Pizids, checks and fancy sutting mix with Royal styles and prices, and liberal quantity of good linings—and season to suit either Spring, Summer, Fall or Winter. In other words

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