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" Strips, 10 "  
California Hams, 8c "  
Chase and Sanborns Kosada Coffee, finest, 30c "  
Mocha and Java Coffee, 25c "  
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Meal, 12c pk.  
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And all others goods as low in proportion.  
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For Sale!

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### DEATH-DEALING BLAST.

An Oklahoma Town Utterly Ruined.

All the Houses in the Town Except Two Were Wrecked. After the Tornado had Passed Fire Broke out in the Ruins.

OTTERIE, Okla.—Chandler, an interior boom town fifty miles from Guthrie, is a mass of ruins. At 6 o'clock last evening a cyclone, dealing death and destruction to everything in its path, swept down upon the town and almost completely wiped it off the face of the earth. Of her 1,500 inhabitants, twenty-six were killed outright or burned to death, and fully 170 were injured. Of the latter it is thought fourteen will die, and twenty-four others are in a dangerous condition. The remainder of the population is homeless.

The cyclone struck Chandler without warning about 6 p. m. Its work of carnage began before the inhabitants realized what was upon them and hardly any means of escape was left open. Tearing through the business district, stores were lifted high into the air and tossed in every direction.

The courthouse, in which Chief Justice Oule was holding court, was taken off its foundation. Passing on into the residence district, the wind continued its havoc, and rushing into the open country finally spent itself. The trail left was one of ruin. Houses rested on their tops and streets were piled high with debris. Soon fire followed the cyclone's work and here and there flames glared against the dark sky. In a short time a heavy rain storm came up. As night wore on it developed into a deluge, and while it succeeded in completing the dismal scene the rain probably proved the salvation of the town.

Daylight brought hundreds of people from surrounding towns, and men, women and children assisted in caring for the injured. Little progress was made, however, and it was not until noon that an organized effort for alleviating the suffering of the injured was made. The four remaining buildings were turned into hospitals, and the work proceeded as swiftly as possible.

### LOST IN THE FLOOD.

At least 68 Lives Destroyed and 4,000 Square Miles Covered by the Water.

MEMPHIS, TENN.—A heavy rainfall, accompanied by a strong gale from the west, is adding to the gravity of the flood situation in the Mississippi Delta. All the forces of nature are against the people. The rainfall and wind intensify the danger. If the wind were from the east it would mean little, but the gale is blowing from the west.

It is difficult to estimate the total property loss. A thickly settled country containing an area of about 4,000 square miles, dotted with farm houses and small villages will be flooded. The loss of human life so far has amounted to 68 persons. Six have been drowned in the Delta flood and a dozen on the Arkansas side south of Helena have lost their lives. The upper flood which has prevailed in the St. Francis basin for two weeks claimed fifty victims all colored.

Labor will become demoralized and colored hands cannot be secured in sufficient numbers to cultivate the crops when the water subsides. The Yazoo and Mississippi Valley railroad will have 150 miles of track under water before the flood is over.  
Gunnison, Rosedale and a dozen other small towns are under water. The flood is spreading over the territory from Perthshire, Miss. to a place ten miles north of Vicksburg and back from thence thirty or forty miles.

### Telegraphic Items.

It is semi-officially announced that the scheme for Cuban reforms will be introduced in April.

A fatal accident occurred at Finn's Point, where a government battery is in course of erection. Four men were struck by a falling derrick and one of them was killed.

Winston shipped 1,322,769 pounds of manufactured tobacco last month. The revenue collections were \$79,960.11. This is a large increase over the same month of last year.

Messrs. Joseph and Lewis Kronk, two industrial farmers of Fredericksburg Va., have been notified that they, among the two hundred heirs to the estate of a great uncle, who died in Holland, more than a hundred years ago.

The King Mill, of Augusta, Ga., which has a capacity of 40,000 spindles and 1,212 looms, commenced work on its new mill, which will be 77 by 800 feet and contain 20,000 spindles. The Sibley Mill has also begun work on a building which will give an addition of 300 looms.

The State Department declares that Consul-General Lee has not been granted a leave of absence to take effect April 15th as published, or at any other date. General Lee has not asked for leave and no action looking to his relief at Havana or to the acceptance of his resignation has been taken.

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### The Clerks Elected.

Raleigh, N. C., April 1.—The Railroad Commissioner today re-elected H. C. Brown for clerk of the commission and elected Representative Pagan one of the voters, as clerk to the Equalization Board. The Republican and Democratic members voted together for Brown. Otho Wilson did not vote.

### Water Page to Lecture.

Raleigh, N. C., April 1.—Mr. Walter Page, of the Atlantic Monthly, will deliver an address at the State Normal school on May 17th. Mr. Page once did newspaper work here and is originally from Aberdeen.

### THE STATE CAPITAL.

City Politics Lively. Copies of Machinery Act Next Week. Opening at Morehead.

JOURNAL BUREAU, Raleigh, N. C., April 1, '97.

The thirty newspaper men from New Jersey, pass through here early yesterday morning. Tomorrow they will return and spend the night here, where they will be entertained by the Chamber of Commerce.

City politics are all the rage here. There are many candidates for every office. The Republicans it is said will vote for the independent candidates.

This morning the chairman of the R. R. Commissioners was sworn in by Chief Justice. It is more than possible that the present efficient clerk Mr. H. C. Brown will be retained.

The session of the Superior Court here last week cost the county \$600.

The Secretary of State yesterday received one printed copy of the Machinery Act to be indexed. This will take several days and by the middle of next week he will have a supply ready for distribution.

The Episcopalians of North Carolina are looking to the purchasing of the property known as St. Mary's from its present owners and own and control the school outright.

The family of Superintendent Smith of the penitentiary have moved to the city and have taken the rooms in the penitentiary provided for the officers.

The Daughters of the Confederacy will soon after Easter have "An Evening With Burns and Moore" to raise funds for the Jefferson Davis monument.

President Alderman of the State University, has gone to Charleston, S. C., where he is to deliver an address.

The season at Morehead will open much earlier this year under the management of Dr. Blaknell. It will open May 15th. It is now owned by northern capitalists.

J. J. Perkins of Pitt, resigns as penitentiary director and Wheeler Martin succeeds him.

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