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## In Beauty, Quality and Price,

IS OUR HANDSOME STOCK OF

### STYLISH SHOES..

For All Ages and Sexes.

We have them in all Widths and Sizes, in Fine Calf, Vici-Kid, and Rasnet Leather for Spring and Summer Wear, with Bull-Dog, Rugby and French Plain Toes. We can suit an one and everyone from our Fine Stock.

NO BETTER QUALITY. NO LOWER PRICE.

Last week we called your attention to our line of "Stevens' Checks" which have been moving rapidly. We are now getting in a most complete Stock of

## SILKS, In Checks, Plaids, Polka Dots, &c.

The very thing for dainty Easter Waists. Then too, our Figured Organdies in Imported Goods, were selected with an eye to please the Most Fastidious Tastes, and at the Same Time Conform to the Requirements of the Most Economical Purse.

### OUR GROCERY DEPARTMENT

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Every Luxury and Necessity has a Place on Our Shelves and They Are Put There at the Right Price, and You Can Get Them at Figures Which Will Never Cause a Regret.

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## JUST RECEIVED.

A Fresh Lot of N. C. Hams, only 10c lb.  
Shaffer's Breakfast Strips, 10c.  
Shaffer's Sugar Cured Pig Hams, 12c lb.  
Lemon Oat Flakes and Oat Meal, 3c lb.  
Large and Small Hominy, 2 1/2c lb.  
Fox River Print Butter, 25c lb. Good Cooking Butter, 20c lb.

In fact our stock of FANCY FAMILY GROCERIES are always up-to-date. Give us a Trial and be Convinced that we Save You Money by Dealing With Us.

Very Respectfully,

**J. R. PARKER, JR.,** Wholesale and Retail Grocer.

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**North State Detective Agency,**  
Branch Office, 45 Craven St  
Wm. Ellis in Charge.

This agency has over 20 years experience. All legitimate work done anywhere in the civilized world. Will shadow employees, and obtain testimony on either side in civil and criminal actions also furnished. Guards as watchmen.  
A few good men wanted, to aid this branch office.

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**OPERA HOUSE!**  
NEW BERNE, N. C.,  
March 28, 1898,

**Old Farmer Hopkins,**

—INTRODUCING—  
**Frank S. Davidson,**  
And his Famous Company of Actors, Singers and Dancers.  
1,000 Square Yards of Magnificent Property.

**Dobbin & Ferrall**  
123 & 125 Fayetteville Street,  
"TUCKER'S STORE,"  
**RALEIGH, - N. C.**

**Our Tailor Made Gowns.**  
Man Made Garments, made from the Newest Imported Materials, Perfect Fitting, Highest Class Man Tailor Work, Excellent Finish and Moderate Prices.

These Characteristics Distinguish Our Tailor Made Gowns.  
We Start Man Made Suits at \$10.00, Fly Front Coat and Skirt—Block or Navy Chevron Serge, Covert Cloths, Meltons, &c., in all the Newest Mixtures.  
Send us your order for Tailor Made Suits, we can give you the best in the world.  
**Dobbin & Ferrall.**

## THE COMING STRUGGLE.

### Country Today Practically in a Condition of War.

## DAMAGING TESTIMONY

### Of the Court Brings the Gullt Close to Spain. Harbor Master's Statement. New Coal- ing Station. Movement of Warships.

Special to Journal.  
WASHINGTON, March 26.—Efforts of the Administration to maintain secrecy until Congress is communicated with have been frustrated.

Congressmen have shown remarkable loyalty to the President in restraining their desire for radical action until the President prepares his plans. The restraint cannot be continued longer than Tuesday or Wednesday.

The Administration policy must immediately be submitted to Congress or it will take the matter into its own hands. The President has been corresponding with the Sagasta government regarding some plan for self government in Cuba. Little is known of the plan, but it provides for the independence of Cuba. The President personally still hopes for peace.

Before Congress meets Monday there is sure to be more knowledge of the contents of the naval court of inquiry. When it is published in Spain upon its receipt by Minister Woodford and delivery to the Sagasta Ministry, it will be cabled back to the United States.

It was learned today that the real significance of the report of the naval board of inquiry has not yet been indicated. The widely published statement to the effect that the board finds the explosion to have been from the outside and that it was caused by the setting off of some kind of sub marine mine is no doubt correct, but this statement only hints at the serious nature of the finding of the court.

The harbor master of Havana testified that the Maine was moved from the place where it was anchored to a buoy over the spot where the explosion occurred. Whether the mine was there before the removal of the Maine over the place is not stated in the report.

This information concerning the testi-

### A POPULAR MISTAKE

Regarding Remedies for Dyspepsia and Indigestion.

The national disease of Americans is indigestion or in its chronic form, dyspepsia, and for the very reason that it is so common many people neglect taking proper treatment for what they consider trifling stomach trouble, when as a matter of fact, indigestion lays the foundation for many incurable diseases. No person with a vigorous, healthy stomach will fall a victim to consumption. Many kidney diseases and heart troubles date their beginning from poor digestion; thin, nervous people are really so because their stomachs are out of gear, weary, languid, faded out women owe their condition to imperfect digestion.

When nearly every person you see is afflicted with weak digestion it is not surprising that nearly every secret patent medicine on the market claims to be a cure for dyspepsia, as well as a score of other troubles, when in fact, as Dr. Werther says, there is but one genuine dyspepsia cure which is perfectly safe and reliable, and moreover, this remedy is not a patent medicine, but it is a scientific combination of pure pepsin (free from animal matter), vegetable essences fruit salts and bismuth. It is sold by druggists under name of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets. No extravagant claims are made for them, but for indigestion or any stomach trouble, Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets are far ahead of any remedy yet discovered. They act on the food eaten, no dieting is necessary, simply eat all the wholesome food you want and these tablets will digest it. A cure results, because all the stomach needs is rest, which Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets give by doing the work of digestion.

Druggists sell these tablets at 50c per package. Little book on stomach diseases and testimonials sent free by addressing Stuart Co., chemists, Marshall, Mich.

Work at Fort Caswell.  
WASHINGTON, March 26.—Fifty workmen are at work on the emplacement for an additional ten inch gun to be added to the three already at Fort Caswell. The government is doing the work under its own officer instead of by contract to save time.  
The Monitor Nantuxet has been ordered placed in fighting shape and is to be supplied with new guns.  
Don't forget that Violin, Banjo, Mandolin and Guitar Strings of all sizes at Baxter, the Jeweler.

### THE ACCUMULATION POLICY OF The N. Y. Life Insurance Company, IS A POLICY

With the single condition that the premiums be paid as agreed.  
With no restrictions whatever respecting occupation, living or manner of death.  
Insurable after it has been in force one year.  
That cannot be forfeited after it shall have been in force three years.  
With one month grace in payment of all premiums.  
With the privilege of Reinstatement during 5 months following the month of grace.  
With guaranteed cash loans at 5 per cent. at stated times after 3 yrs.  
WRITE FOR COST OF A POLICY AT YOUR AGE.  
**E. L. HOLLOWELL, Agent.**

mony of the harbor master comes from a man who knows every word of the report.

There is every reason to believe that when Congress learns the facts it will be impossible to restrain both houses for quick and decisive action.

Judge Advocate Marix, the bearer of the report to Washington, arrived at the White House early this morning and has been engaged in going over certain parts of the testimony of the court of inquiry to explain the effects described therein to President McKinley and members of the Cabinet.

Rumors are afloat that Spain has been notified that her fleet of seven torpedo destroyers and six torpedo boats must stop.

Commodore Schey is ordered to have the fleet at Hampton Roads ready to halt the Spanish flotilla of torpeda boats before it reaches its destination at Porto Rico.

Minister Woodford cables from Madrid to the State Department at Washington that no despatches relating to the movements of Spanish warships are permitted to leave Spain.

It is not known whether this embargo relates to telegrams from Minister Woodford himself to this country, because last Thursday Minister Woodford and Dyer, United States attaché at Madrid, sent despatches to Washington. The censorship probably applies particularly to the sailing of the torpedo boat flotilla from the Canary Islands.

The Mayor of Boston is in the Capital today for the purpose of consulting with the officials of the government regarding the effective defense of that port. He was given assurance that the army and navy will be fully able to prevent any sudden raid upon any part of the New England coast.

The Navy Department today awarded contracts for the construction of the necessary buildings at Dry Tortugas for the purpose of establishing coaling stations there. The expense is considered very great but a coaling station there is considered an absolute necessity in the event of war following intervention for Cuban relief.

Myer of Louisiana introduced a bill in the House today to increase the Navy by six light draft coast and harbor defense vessels.

General Grosvenor, the President's closest friend and adviser in Congress says that he thinks the United States will be compelled in obedience to national and inter-national duty to settle at once forever the question that has convulsed this country and destroyed the lives of a great army of men, women and children in Cuba.

Key West, March 26.—(Special.)—It is reported that the battleship Iowa and the cruiser New York will sail for New York tomorrow. The Montgomery will be sent to Brooklyn.

Captain Folger has been directed to assume command of the new cruiser New Orleans, which was the Amazonas of the Brazilian government.

Portsmouth, Va., March 27.—(Special.)—The double turret monitor Terror came into the harbor here this morning. The monitor has been ordered to Key West to join the squadron at that point.

### Embroidery Special.

We purchased from a large importer a lot of the above goods which they had on display in this window. We bought them as damaged, but they are all perfect. Put on sale this week at half price. **BARFOOT'S.**

### A Torpedo Boat Hunt.

LONDON, March 25.—Lieutenant-Commander Colwell, the United States naval attaché here, has bought for the United States government, through an American firm, a first-class torpedo boat, built at Schichan for Germany. She is ready to sail.

Rev. E. Edwards, pastor of the English Baptist Church at Minersville, Pa., when suffering with rheumatism, was advised to try Chamberlain's Pain Balm. He says: "A few applications of this liniment proved of great service to me. It subdued the inflammation and relieved the pain. Should any sufferer profit by giving Pain Balm a trial it will please me." For sale by F. S. Duffy.

## MAY BE SIMMONS.

### Mentioned as the New Chairman Democratic State Committee.

Raleigh being transformed. Morning Elders Leaving. Health Department in Working Order. Fire Insurance Reduction Wanted.

JOURNAL BUREAU, RALEIGH, N. C., March 26. The Health Department for Raleigh is splendidly equipped. When the present Health officer took charge three years ago there was only about \$600 worth of equipment, now there is nearly \$3,000 worth, and of this \$2,000 is new.

Raleigh is still asking why there is no deduction in the fire insurance rates made here. Wilmington has just had a 15 per cent reduction.

The board of directors of the Blind Asylum have come to an agreement with Elliott Bros. of Winston to put up the building here for \$32,500. This is just \$5,000 more than their bid contracted for.

The Southern Railroad has filed its exceptions to the fire wood rates now. It shows the rates here to be lower than in other States were before the commission reduced them.

Rev. Dr. Putterger of the Church of the Good Shepherd, has succeeded in erecting a chapel for regular services at Cary, a station about nine miles out from Raleigh. Tomorrow this chapel will be regularly dedicated.

Everywhere one goes here, there is to be seen street hands grading, digging and beautifying generally. Never before has there been so many people employed by the city, at any one time. In a year the city will have streets and sidewalks to be compared with any place.

Tuesday the 29th is the date that Chairman Caldwell sets for hearing the exceptions against the fire wood rate. It is generally believed that at the same time some action will be taken as regards the passenger rate question.

Commissioner Abbott says that Chairman Caldwell's idea of making the Council of State a railroad commission, was favored by Robert M. Douglas as far back as 1890. This takes the glory out of Caldwell's sails.

The last copy of the University catalogue shows an enrollment of 605 students and a teaching force of 38. This includes the summer school.

It is said that the State Populist convention will be held May 30th, the same day the Democratic convention is held.

Congressman Linsay comes to the front as an aspirant for the U. S. Judgeship in case Ewart's appointment is not confirmed. Republican Chairman Holton is "looking" also longingly for the place.

Ex-Rent Collector Simmons of Raleigh is mentioned as the successor of Hon. Clement Manly of Winston for Chairman of the State Democratic Executive Committee.

Mrs. McLean of New York has sent a check for \$500 as a gift to the Barium Springs Orphanage. This makes \$1,900 she has given to this institution.

Three of the Mormon Elders who have been stationed in this county for several years, yesterday started on their return home. At the depot there were a good many of their converts to bid them good bye. The elders affectionately kissed their friends. It was rather a strange sight to see men kissing each other at the railway station. Cordial invitations were given to come to Utah.

### 8100.

Dr. E. DeChon's Anti Diarrhoea May be worth more to you than \$100 if you have a child who soils bedding from incontinence of water during sleep. Cures old and young alike. It arrests the trouble at once. \$1. Sold by C. D. Bradham, druggist, New Berne, N. C.

### LEON ON DUTY.

Today the Consul General will be alone at the Post of Danger.

Special to Journal.  
HAVANA, March 26.—Captain Sigbee and the other officers of the Maine will sail for Key West tomorrow.  
Consul General Lee will then be the only American official, except the attaches in Havana.

### THE MARKET.

Yesterday's market quotations furnished by W. A. Porterfield & Co. Commission Brokers.

New York, March 25.  
STOCKS.  
Open High Low Close  
Peoples Gas... 89 89 89 89  
C. R. & Q... 86 86 86 86  
COTTON.  
Open High Low Close  
May... 5.81 5.80 5.81 5.80

CHICAGO MARKETS.  
WHEAT—Open High Low Close  
July... 84 84 84 84  
Corn—  
May... 39 39 39 39  
Cotton Sales 97,350 bales.

## Dr. Bull's Pills

For Constipation, Biliousness, Headache, Indigestion, and all the ailments of the bowels. They are the best medicine for the cure of these troubles. Sold by all druggists.



### Revenue Cutters

Washington, March 25.—Captain Shoemaker, chief of the revenue cutter service, was busily engaged today in making assignments of officers to the revenue cutters detailed yesterday for defensive service along the Atlantic seaboard. Every vessel in the service available for action will be assigned to duty. Even the new cutter Graham, on the great lakes, and the little cutter Calumet, located at Chicago, have been called on, and in a day or two both the lake ships will be en route to the rendezvous at Hampton Roads. They will make the trip to the Atlantic seaboard through the St. Lawrence river.

### RELIEF IN SIX HOURS

Distressing Kidney and Bladder disease relieved in six hours by "New Great South American Kidney Cure." It is a great surprise on account of its exceeding promptness in relieving pain in bladder, kidneys and back, in male or female. Relieves retention of water almost immediately. If you want quick relief and cure this is the remedy. Sold by C. D. Bradham, Druggist, New Berne, N. C.

### The Louisiana Convention.

NEW ORLEANS, March 25.—The State constitutional convention today practically adopted the suffrage article which is to become a part of the constitution. The new constitution makes voters of citizens of the State and of the United States, native born or naturalized, who have lived two years in the State, one year in the parish and six months in the voting precinct in which they offer to vote. The voter must be able to read and write in his mother tongue or English and must hand his application to the registrar in his own handwriting; or, if he is unable to read and write, he must own property to the value of \$300.

Geo. S. Secord, the well known contractor of Towanda, N. Y., says: "I have used Chamberlain's Cough Remedy in my family for a long time and have found it superior to any other." For sale by F. S. Duffy.

Beer given away at 5c and water sold at 10c a glass at the Palace Saloon, 18 Middle street.

### Special Sale.

We place on sale tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock, 1200 doz. buttons, small, medium and large size. Regular price 10c. special sale price 2c. to the doz. **BARFOOT'S.**

Beck Beer makes blood and brains, for sale at the Palace Saloon, 18 Middle Street.

### Buckley's Arnica Salve.

THE BEST SALVE in the world for cuts, bruises, sores, ulcers, salt rheum, fever sores, letter, chapped hands, chilblains, corns, and all skin eruptions, and positively cures piles or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by F. S. Duffy.

## CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.

THE ONLY PURELY VEGETABLE CASTOR OIL PREPARATION.

### PAAS PAPER DYES.

FOR EASTER EGGS.  
Free from poison.  
Pruit's Beautiful Shades of various colors.  
—SOLD AT—  
**BRADHAM'S PHARMACY.**

## FOR SALE.

I offer for sale the following property. It is the best opportunity for investment now offered.  
Store, on corner, opposite A. & N. C. Depot.  
Residence next to above named store. Two lots and ground on rear of place on Queen street.  
House and large plot corner Pollock and German streets, 9x300 feet.  
Apply to owner—  
**WILLIAM COLLIGAN.**

## Small Sugar Cured Pig Hams,

BREAKFAST STRIPS AND BIG HAMS TO CUT, all Fresh Quality Just Received.

Also a Fresh Lot of Nice Fruit Jelly by the pound, 5c. Also in 5 lb pails for 25 cents each.

Fresh Elgin Butter, right from the Dairy 25c lb.  
Fresh Canned Goods of all kinds.  
Baker's Chocolate, both sweet and plain.  
Cox's Gelatine.  
Plenty of Nice Fresh Eggs 10c dozen.  
The Finest Tea and Roasted Coffee in the City  
Codfish and Irish Potatoes.  
The Very Best Flour, Lard and Baking Powder can always be found at our Store.

**McDaniel & Gaskill, Wholesale & Retail Grocers,**  
71 Broad St., NEW BERNE, N. C.

## KILL-A-BUG!

Will save you a peck of trouble and knock the bugs out to stay. Put up in pint bottles, fitted with patent sprinkler for applying the liquid to beds and furniture.

25c at **Bradham's Reliable Drug Store.**

## GEORGE SLOVER, HARDWARE...

Masury's Paints  
Ariel Bicycles.

73 Middle Street, New Berne, N. C.

## At the Book Store

Ladies' Home Journal for April.  
Fine Tinted Stationery  
Latest Popular Music and Musical Instruments.  
**G. N. Ennett.**

## Real Estate Agency!

Houses For Rent.  
Farms For Sale.  
Collections of Rent.  
Any business in our line will be given prompt attention by leaving word at the store of N. Nunn & Co., opposite the Post Office.  
**E. E. HARPER.**

## Henry's Pharmacy,

127 Middle St., New Berne, N. C.  
Physicians Prescriptions A Specialty.  
A Fresh Supply of Landreth's Garden Seed.

## It's True, Too.

But very many people will not find it out until too late.  
Looks and low price will decide their choice.  
The wise man and wise woman will, however, deliberate and, having deliberated, will discriminate in making their bicycle purchases.  
They will realize that good looks are often but enamel-deep—that low price is often but bait for the unwary—that one has but one life to live, and it is short and sweet, while surgeons' bills are high and unwelcome. They will realize that first cost is not everything, and that it is "better to be sure than to be sorry."  
And there's where we come in with our  
**Columbia and Hartford Bicycles.**  
All the world knows them—knows that their makers are too firmly established and too jealous of their proud reputations to endanger them. They appeal to discriminating buyers. The wheels have good looks, of course. But they have intrinsic worth as well. We have the separate parts in the rough to show the skeptical or to help those who are hesitating.  
**W. T. HILL, Sg't.,**  
6100. Front St., New Berne, N. C.

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For Infants and Children.