

## May Day!

It is at hand and we wish to celebrate it with our friends by inviting them to see our new arrivals of...

Figured Papers in white and colors, also the Diamond Paper in Madras Cloths.

Then the Lace and Nainsook Puffing is needed for their gauzy Persian Lawns and Organzies.

Another line of very handsome Piccola Cloths for Skirts and in a very few days we shall have the most exquisite Novelties in Silks for Waists.

The White Silk "Parisian Hair Cord" for yokes and garnitures is very new.

And we are having such Nobby Things in Pelt and Collar Buckles, also Shirt Button Sets.

Parasols too, and if last, not least we call attention to our complete stock of

**Ties, Sandals and Slippers.**

Call and see for yourselves.

## Hackburns

### A WORD IN REFERENCE

TO OUR

### BLACK GOODS STOCK

It is complete in every particular. We will not weary you with talk.

### OUR PRICES DO THE TALKING!

- A very fine 36 inch Brilliantine, makes a beautiful skirt or dress at 25c
- 38 inch all wool Brilliantine. This cannot be matched elsewhere at less than 50c. At 38c
- 38 inch all wool Brilliantine. A splendid value. At 50c
- 12 or 15 pieces figured Brilliantine. These goods we sold at 40c and 50c. They go while they last at 25c
- Fine all wool 36 inch Serge, 35c
- Very fine all wool Black Serge. This goods would be cheap at 75c, at 60c
- Our line of Black Henriettas are exceptional values, at 40c, 60c, 75c and \$1
- Very heavy Mohair, 44, 46 and 48 inch at 90c 95c \$1 10 and \$1 35

All woolen goods are advancing but our prices remain the same.

### SILKS.

We think we have what you want in this particular line.

- Plain Taffetas, 50c
- Plain Taffetas, 75c
- Fancy Taffetas, 75c
- Beautiful Plaid Wash Silk at 50c
- Heavy Cord Bengaline, 85c

These are only a few that we mention. Silks for Waists. Silks for Trimmings. Your silk dressers are satisfied here.

## H. B. Duffy's

April 30, 1899

### "CLOVER HILL" BUTTER!

FAMOUS THROUGHOUT THE WORLD.

ONE LB. PRINTS ONLY 25 CENTS.

## JNO. DUNN'S

Perfect Butter in a Perfect Package. It—



"Makes Friends Everywhere."

### President's Report Honorable Colony Memorial Association.

The stockholders of the Honorable Colony Memorial Association.

It was required by the 7th of your By-Laws, adopted at your meeting held in Raleigh October 23, 1894, that an annual meeting of the Association should be held, when not otherwise ordered, on the 15th of August on Roanoke Island, that date, however, being the anniversary of the birth of Virginia here, born there in 1587. For many reasons it was found impossible to get a quorum of the shareholders to attend on the island on that date, and at a meeting held in Raleigh on October 24, 1896, the date of the annual meeting was changed to the 27th of April, and the place of meeting fixed at Edenton. The significance of the latter date is that on that day in 1585, Captains Amadas and Barlow, under the patronage of Sir Walter Raleigh, sailed from the west of England in the bark "Fyer and Admiral" upon the voyage which resulted in the discovery and occupation of Roanoke Island in July following. It will be borne in mind that the date last mentioned is in what is known as the Julian or old style. The Gregorian or new style, now in use, would cause the date to fall twelve days later, or on the 8th of May.

It may be asked therefore, why this meeting is held in New Bern. By reference to the By-Laws it will be found that your president is allowed much discretion as to the time and place of meetings, and this year there being an epidemic of small pox at Edenton, it was thought best to hold the meeting in New Bern.

From your treasurer's report you have learned that we have in hand \$30.50 at the credit of the Association, and that we are free from debt of any kind. In addition your President has in his possession \$17.00 belonging to the Association, retained to meet such necessary petty expenses as must accrue from time to time. These sums are not sufficient to make any improvements in your property but enable us to keep in fairly good order what has been already done.

To carry out in full the designs of our Association would require still a very considerable sum, and how this is to be obtained is a problem yet to be solved. Occasionally a share of our Capital Stock is sold at its par value \$10. A share was sold quite recently to the Association for the Preservation of Virginia Antiquities of Richmond, an Association of kindred purposes to our own with which your officers have had agreeable correspondence. Some small contributions come in now and then, as examination of your President's and Treasurer's reports will show. But these hardly more than suffice for ordinary expenses and our main dependence to obtain funds would seem to be upon a sale of a portion of our land on Roanoke Island, as was authorized at our meeting last year. To explain: In order to get possession of the site of Fort Raleigh, it was necessary to purchase two tracts of land, the owners, who were the same in both cases, positively refusing to sell one without the other. These tracts consist of the Fort site of about 16 acres, and another, near by, of about 250 acres. These have been carefully surveyed, their titles quieted, and their meters and bounds marked by permanent material. The smaller tract upon which the fort was built is quite sufficient for our purposes. Upon it is erected the Memorial Stone; the angles of the fort are marked with granite blocks, and the whole is enclosed with a rough but substantial fence. The 16 acres are not cleared but a roadway has been opened connecting the fort with the county road.

The premises are under the care of Capt. Walter T. Dough, a good friend of ours, whose land adjoins the fort, who gives such attention as is necessary to keep the property in order and protect the monument from forest fires. As yet we have been unable to make a sale of the larger tract of land on the north end of the island.

Ten acres of the tract were sold last Fall for \$50, and the purchase money has been paid. This sale was made as much to rectify our boundaries, which it simplifies, as for the money made by the sale. There are about 240 acres in the tract, about 70 of which are cleared and under cultivation, the remainder is in woodland fairly well timbered. The land is beautifully situated, surrounded on three sides by navigable water, and is well adapted to farming or trucking. A man is allowed to live on the land to care for it and to keep off trespassers. It is a Paradise for hunters or fishers. Its sale is very desirable. It would enable us to make many improvements on the Fort tract, which lies about three miles north of Manteo, the county town of Dare county. Any efforts or suggestions of the stockholders made with a view to promoting this sale will be gratefully received; and suggestions are also respectfully requested, recommending other methods of raising funds to carry out the purposes of the Association.

The Memorial Stone at Fort Raleigh is in a good condition and is neatly kept. A photograph of the stone is exhibited herewith as are also maps of the two tracts of land showing their situation, size, shape, and relative location one to the other.

The additional inscription carved on the back of the Memorial Stone, as directed at the meeting held in Edenton last year, is as follows:

"In Memory of our founder and first President,  
EDWARD GRAHAM DAVIS,  
Erected by the Honorable Colony Memorial Association, 24th November, 1896.  
GRAHAM DAVIS,  
President.  
JOHN S. BARNETT,  
Secretary and Treasurer.  
Respectfully submitted,  
GRAHAM DAVIS,  
President R. C. M. A.  
New Bern, N. C., April 27, 1899.

TRUE AND HONORABLE ADVICE.  
To the Colored and Negro Races of the United States.

Ed. JOURNAL—Right at this time, if you will allow me a little space in your paper I can give the only true advice and admonition, which will serve, for the good of this country, and also for the good of the races named.

It is now admitted after thirty four years of civil and political equal rights to all races, that lynching and crimes other than lynching are on the increase. Lately, I have read the views of the Register of the Treasury of the United States, several colored bishops, The Washington Post and many others and I cannot advise as they do.

Here is my advice to stop lynching, and it will never stop until my advice is adhered to and obeyed:

Stop breathing and you will die.  
Stop the sun from shining and all vegetation will die.  
Stop praying and you are lost.  
Stop lying and then all you say will be true.  
Stop committing the crime or crimes that call for the lynching, and then lynching will stop and cease to be.  
Lynching will continue until all the races encourage the right wherever it may be found and condemn the wrong wherever it may be found; by the power of that greatest law, public sentiment.

All should know minimum crimes lead up to maximum crimes and then comes the maximum punishment—lynching.

I have in substance understood the word of God to be: "Woe unto him from whom cometh the offence."

Now if you will carefully notice, and read between the lines, there is very little said against the fellow from whom the offence cometh. Gentlemen you are wrong in your advice. If it be that crimes among my people are on the increase, is this not proof we are gradually deteriorating? Then public sentiment should censure our ministry, our public school teachers, our press, our fire-side teachers and our society; these only are responsible for the condition of my people.

Lynching will for ever continue until the colored and negro races unite to the accomplishment of one end, to encourage pure, simple and consistent honesty among themselves.

This is settled also by the word of God. He only who has no bean in his own eye, has a right to talk about a mote in the eyes of others. To illustrate: King Solomon Lodge No. 1, New Bern, N. C., on February 21, 1899, for no cause other than his skin was dark like it should have been, lynched one of its members in his absence, without his knowledge, without any notice to him of any dissatisfaction, or charge against him, without furnishing him with a copy of the charge or without allowing him an opportunity to be heard by counsel or otherwise in any shape or form.

He was notified, March 10th, that he had been expelled for ninety-nine years.

In the Sam Hose case, the mob as it is called gave him time to pray, confess or deny, before he was finally lynched, he confessed to the murder of the farmer, Register of the Treasurer Lyon of Georgia and several colored bishops and other leading men seem to think because Sam Hose was hanged to a tree instead of being hanged from a scaffold that his act affects the civilization of the white people of our Southland. The act of King Solomon Lodge to a brother mason without cause, was far more disgraceful, than an act of lynching for cause.

I desire to hear the same writers who seem to know just how and what the white race should do and say when a member of their race is slain by a member of another race, tell whether or not the act of King Solomon Lodge, New Bern, N. C. ruled, named and controlled by negroes toward a brother is not a far more disgraceful, unchristian act than any ten cases of lynching known to history.

Conclusion: An enviable success will come to our people, when they learn to think and reason logically with discretion. At the bottom of it all live a consistent, Christian, virtuous, honorable life, doing at all times, to be done unto, paying their debts, keeping their word, believing as they should

## ROYAL BAKING POWDER

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Makes the food more delicious and wholesome

Accede to the white people without dispute, without murmuring things, whether in the nature of a corporal or an incorporeal rightfully and in honor belonging to them and then court the slave friendship of that class of the white people in a position to do us the most substantial and material good.

I write this for your good.

Signed: ISAAC H. SMITH,  
New Bern, N. C.

It makes no difference how bad the wound if you use DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve; it will quickly heal and leave no scar. F. S. Duff.

### THE SPECULATIVE MARKETS.

Today's quotations furnished by W. L. Galbraith, New York, Represented by A. O. Newberry.

New York, May 1.

#### STOCKS.

|            |         |         |         |
|------------|---------|---------|---------|
| Open       | High    | Low     | Close   |
| Sugar      | 108     | 104     | 102 1/2 |
| C. R. & Q. | 143 1/2 | 143 1/2 | 141 1/2 |
| B. R. T.   | 130     | 131 1/2 | 125 1/2 |
| Manhattan  | 118     | 119 1/2 | 113 1/2 |

#### COTTON.

|        |      |      |       |
|--------|------|------|-------|
| Open   | High | Low  | Close |
| August | 5.93 | 5.99 | 5.89  |

#### CHICAGO MARKETS.

|       |        |      |        |        |
|-------|--------|------|--------|--------|
| Wheat | Open   | High | Low    | Close  |
| July  | 73 1/2 | 74   | 72 1/2 | 73 1/2 |

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The Kind You Have Always Bought

Signature of *Chas. H. Fletcher*

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A Fresh Line of CRASH AND STRAW HATS JUST IN.

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Will replace with a new one free if the bristles pull out. They are made right—bristles soft, medium and hard, bleached or unbleached, ladies' goods and misses' sizes. The prices are right too.

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We have the largest line of Men's Shoes in the City and we guarantee our shoes for Quality, Style and Price. We can sell you Shoes which are up-to-date in style and low down in Price.

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Also a Nice Table Peach for 15c 3 lb can.

And a fresh lot of those nice little PIG HAMS.

Evaporated Apples, Dried Peaches and California Prunes.

Very Finest Elgin Butter, only 25 Cents.

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A Beautiful line of Golden Oak, swell front Cheffoniers, the regular price was \$16.00, \$18.00 and \$20.00. They are now

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