

## SUMMER

Seems to have nearly reached its height. And we are just rattling that elegant 36 inch India Linon at 15c. It makes such elegant dresses. The dotted and plain Footing are quite in demand for it.

Then for a mountain or yachting suit the 26c. Linon, trimmed with the pretty Cotton Braid. Please the most stylish.

Our line of 10c Lawns and 13c Edin Dignities are going well.

What about a dainty White Dewey Tie to wear with your coat suit?

We are daily looking for a choice startling line of Belt and Collar Clasp, also Violet Beauty Pins and Pearl Waist Sets too.

How About Hosiery? Whether it is Children or Misses Socks and Hose or Ladies Plain Cotton, Richelieu Rib or a Lisle Hose that you desire, we can fill your order.

"How lovely" is the general remark when ladies see that Frenchy Goodie for Waist Fronts \$2.50 per yard. Yes but we are selling it fast. Call and see us.

## Hackburn

## Look Over This List

And see what you need among them. The Prices at which we shall offer them during the balance of this month are unheard of in the Furniture business.

Fancy Rockers in all the new styles and finishes, all reduced 25 per cent.

Ladies Desks, some beauties that we have put at a price that will not leave them here long.

China Closets, new lot just received and it will pay you to see them before you buy.

Sideboards, some exceptional values among them.

Chiffoniers in Oak and Im. Mahogany, from the cheapest to the best.

The above is only a small part of our stock which is full of the best values, in fact so good that you will feel this to be the store that best serves you.

**FRANC. H. JONES & CO.,**  
87 MIDDLE STREET.

## SOMETHING SUBSTANTIAL FOR YOUR TABLE.



As well as the most toothsome morsels in delicacies, you will always find at this store, pure nutritious and high grade in every particular. Only healthful and superior Cereals, Canned Goods and Food Products of all kinds are handled by us.

Just Received a fine lot of N. C. Hams and Fox River Butter.

Our service is prompt and courteous is always extended to our patrons.

**J. R. PARKER, JR., GROCER,**  
Phone 69. 77 Broad Street.

## Imagination

Plays the leading part when it come to buying clothes of a tailor. You imagine they are better because you are paying more.

Now, we make to order, and we make to fit; and if you buy here, we make you judge and jury, besides if the clothes wear, if they do not give satisfaction in every way, we give your money back. The most important point in a suit of clothes after the quality of the cloth is considered is the care and skill displayed in making it. On that point alone is based the charges of the highest-price tailors.

In our stock you will find skill, care and taste displayed to an extent far beyond the previous standards. My pricing it at the proper profits we have our prices right.

\$4.50 For a Suit of Excellent Serviceable Quality.  
\$6.50 For a Better One.  
\$9.00 and \$10.00 for Excellent Suits of Quality Selection excellent.

**J. G. DUNN & CO.,**  
87 POLLOCK STREET, NEW BERN, N. C.

## A PLEASING CEREMONY.

Swearing in Democratic Officials at Agricultural Department

Work of the Executive Committee. Question of Public Printers Paying Penalty. Held Home. State Convicts.

RALEIGH, June 16.—The Democrats who took charge of the Agricultural Department were sworn in by W. H. Russ, clerk of Wake Superior Court. It was a very simple ceremony, but a very pleasing one to the Democrats. First, Commissioner S. L. Patterson, then Assistant Commissioner John W. Thompson, then Secretary Bruner and last Clerk W. A. Graham, Jr., took the oaths. The ceremony was witnessed by Chairman Cunningham, W. A. Graham, A. T. McCallum and other members of the executive committee.

The executive committee will use the attorneys of the board in making the fight for the order of the corporation commission, which makes 10 tons the minimum car load of fertilizers. The corporation commission has no counsel and hence cannot make the fight. The case comes up before Judge Simonton at Asheville. Chairman Cunningham says that in South Carolina and Virginia, the car load is ten tons, and further that the freight rate in this State is 30 to 40 cent, greater than it is in those States.

The committee will consider another important agricultural matter, the establishment of an experimental farm in each congressional district. There are now 140 such farms, one here and one in Macon county. The farmers in the various sections need exactly such an object lesson as this.

Yet another thing to be done is in connection with fertilizer analyses. These analyses will be made at all times during the season; at its close as well as at its beginning, in order to see whether the grade is maintained. That is important. The law imposes upon the board the drainage of Roanoke river. This, too, will be carefully looked into. Members of the board say they will strive to carry out every section of the law.

The assistant clerk to the Secretary of State reports that he has shipped to the various counties half the laws, journals and public documents.

It is learned that the Labor Commissioner is to take up the matter of suing for the \$50 a day penalty the public printers for not having made full delivery by June 6. The public printers are therefore getting the facts and figures as to past years' deliveries, etc. They have good ground for complaint, it seems, as this year, the matter of awarding the public printing was not settled until the very last moment.

The reason why the fusionists in the State chemist's department hold over until June 20th, is that the fusion agricultural board made a contest with the Agricultural and Mechanical College to make the analysis of fertilizers, etc., and paid \$15,000 a year for it. The salaries of the chemists up to June 30th are therefore paid by the college, out of the Hatch fund.

The State charter the "Solo Home of Selem." It is to be a home for the aged and infirm for persons of good repute, left entirely without means; for destitute orphans and for neglected children, and is under the control of the kindly Moravian folk, whose very name speaks of loving kindness and thrift.

The claims for commanders of companies of the First Regiment of Volunteers, for expenses incurred in the mobilization last April are coming in to the Adjutant General's office, and Miss Powell, the clerk, will put them in shape and forward to the War Department. The claims of the Second and Third Regiments have been adjusted.

Revenue officers made a raid in Johnston county last week and got three illicit distilleries and Tuesday night made another in this county and bagged two.

All the physicians at the penitentiary are now placed by Superintendent Day under the direction of Dr. James McKee.

There is quite a good deal of dissatisfaction at an act of the Legislature when special permission was given for the sale of liquor at the Atlantic Hotel at Morehead. Both Beaufort and Morehead City had voted a no liquor law at both places. This legislative bill, of course, does away with the vote of the people in a great measure.

Mr. J. C. L. Harris has returned from Washington city where he got a claim for \$3,750—allowed for the quartermaster stores taken from the State arsenal a year ago, and used by the volunteers. This money will be placed to the credit of the State Guard in the State treasurer's office.

It is learned from a penitentiary official that the debts foot up \$119,000, so there is enough to pay them and leave a little margin.

There are now 1,100 State convicts. Of these 900 are in the central prison here, and about 200 are sent for

**ROYAL BAKING POWDER**  
ABSOLUTELY PURE  
Makes the food more delicious and wholesome

hard work, as countless dump their useless men here and keep their sound ones for road work. There are 75, mostly all Federal prisoners, in the brickyard. A white convict Farmer Reavis, from Transylvania, serving a five years' sentence, who escaped one year ago, was caught at Spartanburg.

T. H. Holmes is commissioned captain of Company H, Second Regiment, State Guard, at Clinton.

**SAW MILL BURNED.**  
Destruction of Beaufort Lumber Company's Plant in Carteret County.

BEAUFORT, N. C., June 16.—The large steam saw mill plant of the Beaufort Lumber Company located at Lenoxville three miles from here caught on fire from a defective fuse and was totally destroyed, together with dry kiln and lumber on yard.

The plant was owned and operated by Messrs Linnas Bros., of Philadelphia, Pa.

Its destruction will leave many laborers out of employment and he quite a loss to the owners.

**KNIGHTS TEMPLAR ELECTION.**  
Grand Commandery of North Carolina Officers Elected.

CHARLOTTE, N. C., June 15.—The Grand Commandery, Knights Templar, today elected the following officers.

Walter E. Storm, of Wilmington, grand commander.

William F. Randolph, of Asheville, deputy grand commander.

James D. Bullock, of Wilson, grand generalissimo.

D. E. Allen, of Charlotte, grand captain general.

Alfred H. Stubbs, of Asheville, grand prelate.

William Simpson, of Raleigh, grand treasurer.

Horace H. Manson, of Wilmington, grand recorder.

Ferdinand Ulrich, of New Bern, grand standard bearer.

U. M. Robinson, of Wilmington, grand sword bearer.

Lawrence A. Dodsworth, of Charlotte, grand warden.

Robert H. Bradley, of Raleigh, grand sentinel.

John C. Drewry, of Raleigh, grand senior warden.

James K. Norfleet, of Winston, grand junior warden.

The Templar parade occurred this afternoon, led by the First Regiment Band.

The next meeting of the grand bodies will be held in Charlotte.

DeWitt's Little Early Risers act as a faultless pill should, cleansing and reviving the system instead of weakening it. They are mild and sure, small and pleasant to take, and entirely free from objectionable drugs. They assist rather than compel. F. S. Duffy & Co.

**THE SPECULATIVE MARKETS.**  
Today's quotations furnished by Lewis A. May & Co., New York, Represented by A. O. Newberry.

New York, June 16.

**STOCKS.**

	Open	High	Low	Close
Sugar	153 1/2	155 1/4	152 1/2	153 1/2
Reading	61	63	61	61 1/2
C. R. & Q.	131 1/2	131 1/2	130 1/2	130 1/2
R. L.	112	112	111 1/2	111 1/2
C. T.	83	83	81 1/2	81 1/2
E. R. T.	117 1/2	118 1/2	117 1/2	117 1/2
M. O. P.	41	41 1/2	41	41 1/2
Manhattan	112 1/2	113 1/2	112 1/2	112 1/2

**COTTON.**

	Open	High	Low	Close
August	5.91	5.91	5.90	5.91
January	5.90	5.90	5.87	5.87

**CHICAGO MARKETS.**

	Open	High	Low	Close
Wheat	76 1/2	76 1/2	76 1/2	76 1/2
July	76 1/2	76 1/2	76 1/2	76 1/2
September	78	78 1/2	77 1/2	77 1/2

Thomas Thurman, deputy sheriff of Troy, Mo., says if everyone in the United States should discover the victims of DeWitt's Witch Head Salve for piles, venereal troubles and skin diseases, the demand could not be supplied. F. S. Duffy & Co.

**SENSATION IN ASHEVILLE.**  
State Senator Cooke Arrested for Embezzlement. Occurred Three Years Ago.

ASHEVILLE, N. C., June 16.—A sensation was sprung here this morning when William J. Cooke, State senator, was arrested by United States Marshal M. Likens charged with embezzling and misappropriating funds of the National Bank of Asheville three years ago.

Cooke was not suspected until the government officials examined the bank books several days ago, to secure evidence against Lawrence Pulliam, who absconded several years ago with seven thousand dollars.

Mr. Cooke was at one time cashier of the bank, and assigned to occupy the office of Mayor, to which he had been elected, and had since been one of the

## SUGAR CURED HAMS

A nice lot of Sugar-Cured Hams, Breakfast Slices, California Hams and English Cured Shoulders.

Cooked Corn Beef, Culp Beef, Rotted Ham and Tongue.

Salmon, Salsolers and Sardines.

Nice Syrup in cans and big measure.

Heinz Baked Beans with Tomato Sauce.

Hesperian Brand California Peaches at 20c 3 lb can.

Try them! They are extra fine.

Fulton Market Corn Beef.

Fancy Fresh Eggs and Fox River Butter.

Heinz's Pickles, both sour and sweet.

Fresh Roasted Coffee and Finest Tea.

The best of everything in Groceries you can find at

**J. L. McDANIEL,** Wholesale & Retail Grocer,  
Phone 91. 71 Broad St.

## Shoe Specials!

Another Big Shipment Fine Shoes and Oxfords Just Received. A Few Mentioned Below for Busy Selling This Week.

Infants Kid Button, patent tip, our regular 75c shoe, sizes from 1 to 5, very special at 50c

Ladies Vici Kidkin, button or lace, new shape toes, this week only, all sizes at \$1.38

Ladies Fine Kid, button or lace, opera or common sense toes, an extra good quality and very serviceable at 2.00

144 pairs Men's Dress Calf Shoes, cong or lace, the shoe we bought to retail at \$2.00, special bargain this week at 1.50

**G. A. Barfoot,**  
THE NEW STORE.

## June Sale!

The past month, having been too cool to sell, our thin Summer Clothing, we will offer the public another grand opportunity.

We will continue a Special Sale in this June, month. In order to close out our immense stock of

## Crash, Alpaca, Mohair and Other Summer Clothing.

Also Ladies and Gents Oxford Ties, And all Summer Goods which must be sold at the Very Lowest Prices.

**AMERICAN STOCK COMPANY,**  
59 & 61 Middle St., New Bern, N. C.

## THE CORRECT HAT FOR SPRING STRAW HAT!

We have them at prices to suit buyers and in latest styles FROM 25 CENTS TO \$1.75.

## Children and Misses SLIPPERS

White and Neglige Shirts, for Men, large sizes, 16, 16 1/2, 17. If you want one, it will be sold very cheap.

Also have a full line of SHOES, which are selling at Reduced Prices.

**A. J. SMITH**  
87 MIDDLE STREET, NEW BERN, N. C.

**HOSE & PHETON FOR SALE!**  
As my family will be away for several months, I offer for sale my nice family horse, phaeton and harness.  
J. E. LATHAM.

**J. L. Hartsfield,**  
REAL ESTATE AGENT,  
I have some BARGAINS IN CITY REAL ESTATE. Office over R. H. Baxter's store, with J. J. Wolfenden.

**REMOVAL NOTICE**  
DR. N. H. STREET has moved into his new office on Middle Street, next to Planters' Warehouse, where he may be found at the usual hours.

**WILL JOIN 100 MEN!**  
In giving \$100.00 EACH TO START A COTTON FACTORY IN OR NEAR NEW BERN.  
Also don't forget I have the

**BEST BEER ON EARTH,**  
BOTTLED AND ON DRAUGHT.  
**J. F. TAYLOR**  
Palace Saloon.

**Paddle Your Own Canoe.**  
Over the summer seas of life and clear of care, business, worry and tender feet by wearing our handsome, easy and comfortable Oxford Hat. Our new styles in these comfortable summer glasses are a revelation in beauty and new with, healthy and perfect fitting. We are selling them at low out prices like the above. Respectfully,  
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