

Welcome the Coming, Speed the Parting Guest.

This is our motto in regard to Goods, so in order to effectually speed the parting ones we have MARKED DOWN our entire line of SUMMER DRESS GOODS.

White Piques have all taken a fall. Those Stylish Polka Dot, and Stripe Ducks were 12½c, now 10c; Two pieces of Marine Blue Polka Dot Pique now 12½c; several pieces of 15c Lawns and Baltees for 5c; Zephyr Gingham for 7c former price 10c; and a nobby line of Madras cloths in stylish Fall Plaids for 12½c. A few Swivel Silks for 25c. Then a few silk and Lisle ladies Vests former price 50c, now only 10c; or a Lisle one for 5c. These will not tarry long so hasten and share the spoils. Still some of those \$1.00 Featherbone Corsets in black and white only 50c.

A Ladies Pat. Leather Sandal for 75c. A few pairs of Ladies Tan Pat. Tip Oxfords were \$2.00, now \$1.50, and many Bargains in black ties.

Our stock must go to make room for Fall Goods, and why should YOU not be one of the happy recipients—Yours to depend upon.

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Just Received PORTSMOUTH MULLET

Finest of the season, Fresh Corred and as you like them.

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All our Groceries are Fresh and First Quality. Our Prices as Low as the Lowest.

Best Flour, 2½ lb. And by the Barrel, we can save you money. Large Pickles 10¢ dozen. Oats 10¢ package.

Pancy Butter, 25c. Just in.

Smokers of Good Cigars will find ours one of them. Try it.

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The Finest of all Mineral Waters. A Positive Cure for Indigestion, Dyspepsia, Insomnia, Nervous Prostration and all Kidney and Liver Troubles. Its general restorative properties are wonderful. Each Spring has its peculiarities. All seven are invaluable.

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Gent's Furnishing Goods, &c.

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99 MIDDLE STREET,

NEW BERN, N. C.

RAILROAD BUILDING.

Raleigh Capitalists Making the
Extensions.

The Cotton Condition, Agricultural Specimens, Frat. Holmes Good Road Work, Fight on Water Works, Incorporations.

News Items.

RALEIGH, August 15.—Raleigh capitalists will build a railway, about thirty miles long, from this city to Springhops, in Nash county. To the latter place in 1889 the Wilmington and Weldon Railway built a branch, expecting to push it on to Raleigh. This was a pet project of the late Col. R. R. Bridges, then president of the Wilmington and Weldon. He died and the road got no farther than Springhops. But when the Union Depot here was bought enough land was secured to allow the Wilmington and Weldon to come in. Col. Julius S. Carr, of Durham, is a stockholder. The falling off of fifteen points in the condition of cotton in this State since the end of June is quite a surprise. It shows that the rains did more damage than was generally known.

Nearly 8,000 specimens, now stored in boxes, are ready to be placed in the large annex to the Agricultural Department now under way.

Confederate Veterans' reunions are being numerously held this summer. The attendance is unusually large.

A rich lumber firm of Georgians has bought the Haywood White Sulphur Springs at Waynesville.

Raleigh's aldermen ordered all signs suspended above the sidewalks to be removed. A firm has secured an injunction and the matter is in the courts.

Mr. Jarvis Buxton, son of Rev. Dr. Jarvis Buxton, a widely known Episcopal clergyman of Lenoir, is dead.

At Mount Pleasant, Cabarrus county, another cotton mill company has been organized, with J. W. Cannon as president.

State Geologist Holmes' earnest work for good roads is bearing good fruit in many parts of the State. Rowan county will do extensive work. Anson county will sell bonds to raise money for road improvements in Wadesboro township. Great satisfaction is felt in this State at the admirable manner in which the United States handled and subdued the yellow fever at Hampton and Phoenix. It is a powerful argument in favor of a national quarantine.

The Secretary of State has incorporated the Raleigh and Eastern Railroad Company. The company will construct a road from Raleigh to or near Wake field, or at or near Earsboro, in Johnston county. The length of the road will be twenty miles. The capital stock is fixed at \$100,000.

In the fight here between the city and the water-works company, over a bill for water which was alleged to be totally unfit for use, there seems to be no end in sight. The city has now decided to list the water-works company property for taxation at a valuation of \$100,000. It will still hold up on the company's claim for \$3,440, and enter suit against the bond of the company for breach of contract, and forfeiture of franchise. It was not known until this fight was on that the company was not listed for taxation. Some think the valuation should be put higher. Its bonded indebtedness is \$250,000. The company has floated \$281,000 in bonds at 6 per cent. It costs to operate the plant annually \$35,000. It pays \$14,000 interest on the bonded indebtedness. The cost of coal is \$4,000 and incidental expenses are \$5,000.

President Winston, of the Agricultural and Mechanical College, wishing to become well acquainted with the farmers and their sons, will as soon as the school is well under way, attend the teachers' institutes held in different parts of the State.

Senator Brown, of the Investigating committee for the penitentiary, is here, but is only on private business, it having been decided that the meeting be postponed until the 29th.

The Central Manufacturing Company, of Lexington, is incorporated, with a capital stock of \$10,000. It handles now for manufacturing all sorts of articles. G. W. Montcastle and others are the incorporators.

Out in the country, a young white man named S. Londrak, left church and went to a stream to bathe. He was drowned and came near drowning two others who attempted to rescue him.

Immigration Commissioner Thompson has a letter from a Michigan man saying he raised apples in Michigan and shipped them to this State, so he thought he would move to the western part of North Carolina so as to save freight.

BE SURE that your blood is rich in pure, red blood corpuscles, and that you are getting the best of health. Be sure to GET HOOD'S.

That Violet, Hellebore, Lily of the Valley, 50¢ each for 25 cents, are exceedingly popular and good sellers. Every one is true to name, equaling the best imported goods in appearance. Send and get a box, if you are not pleased, return it and get your money back without a cent.

ROYAL BAKING POWDER

ABSOLUTELY PURE
Makes the food more delicious and wholesome

NEGROES WANT TO KNOW

Their Political Status in North Carolina. Railroads Not Over Taxed. Special to Journal.

RALEIGH, August 15.—Prominent negroes call a State convention to meet here September 27th-28th. The meeting will be political in its character.

The negroes wish to find out what their industrial, educational and political status is.

It is rumored that the convention will decide to send only negroes as delegates to the next National Republican Convention. Much interest in this convention is felt in some quarters.

The State's counsel in the Railroad Injunction case was in session today.

It will be shown, says J. C. L. Harris, one of the counsel, that railroads have not been overtaxed.

THE SPECULATIVE MARKET.

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

NEW YORK, August 15.

STOCKS.

| Open. High. Low. Close | | | | |
|------------------------|------|------|------|------|
| Sugar..... | 103½ | 103½ | 101½ | 101½ |
| Am. Tobacco... 118 | 123½ | 118 | 123½ | |
| Reading..... | 60½ | 61 | 60½ | 60½ |
| C. T. C..... | 47½ | 49½ | 47½ | 48½ |
| C. B. & Q..... | 130½ | 137 | 130½ | 130½ |
| R. I..... | 118½ | 118½ | 118 | 118 |
| St. P..... | 131½ | 131½ | 131½ | 131½ |
| Leather..... | 9 | 9 | 9 | 9 |
| G. T. P..... | 90½ | 90½ | 97 | 97 |
| B. R. T..... | 113½ | 113½ | 109½ | 109½ |
| A. S. & W..... | 61½ | 61½ | 58½ | 58½ |
| T. C. I..... | 89½ | 91½ | 89½ | 89½ |
| M. O. P..... | 48½ | 48½ | 48½ | 48½ |
| Manhattan..... | 117½ | 117½ | 116 | 116 |

COTTON.

| Open. High. Low. Close | | | | |
|------------------------|------|------|------|------|
| September..... | 5.09 | 5.75 | 5.63 | 5.66 |
| January..... | 6.07 | 6.10 | 5.98 | 5.98 |
| Oct. Cotton..... | 5.90 | 5.96 | 5.84 | 5.85 |

CHICAGO MARKETS.

| WHEAT—Open. High. Low. Close | | | | |
|------------------------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| September..... | 71½ | 71½ | 70½ | 70½ |
| December..... | 73½ | 73½ | 72½ | 72½ |

CORN—

| September..... | | | | |
|----------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| September..... | 30½ | 30½ | 30½ | 30½ |
| December..... | 28½ | 28½ | 28½ | 28½ |

Jordan's Liver Pills are highly spoken of by those who use them, and their sale constantly increases. They are made and sold New Bern only by Davis' Prescription Pharmacy.

Have your prescriptions filled at Davis' Prescription Pharmacy.

"Our baby was sick for a month with severe cough and catarrhal fever. Although we tried many remedies she kept getting worse until we used One Minute Cough Cure, it relieved at once and cured her in a few days."—B. L. Nance, Prin. High School, Bluffdale, Texas. F. S. Duffy.

Lemons 15 cents dozen at McSorley's.

Hamilton Clark, of Chaucery, Ga., says he suffered with itching piles twenty years before trying DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve, two boxes of which completely cured him. Beware of worthless and dangerous counterfeits. F. S. Duffy.

J. J. Baxter is closing out his summer clothing, shoes, dress goods, &c., very low.

The Best Prescription for Chills and Fever is a bottle of Grove's Tasteless Chill Tonic. It is simply iron and quinine in a tasteless form. No cure—no pay. Price 50¢.

One Minute Cough Cure quickly cures obstinate summer coughs and colds. "I consider it a most wonderful medicine,—quick and safe."—W. W. Merton, Maybew, Wis. F. S. Duffy.

The soothing and healing properties of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, its pleasant taste and prompt and permanent cures, have made it a great favorite with the people everywhere. For sale by F. S. Duffy & Co.

The typewritten label on all the prescriptions sent out of our pharmacy is a revolution in business and ingenuity—once appreciated by physician and patient. We strive at all times to give the best service, best goods and best prices to be had. New Bern may not be as large as some cities, but the old town is up to date in Fire Engines, Drug Stores and some other things. We keep abreast of the times, keep the best of everything and keep it going. Your prescriptions will be filled with skill, reliability and promptness, and delivered at your residence, if left at Bradham's Pharmacy.

CHASE FOR ASSASSIN

Man Who Shot M. Labori Being Hunted All Over France. Victim In A Critical State.

RENNES, Aug. 15.—French gendarmes and detectives are scouring the country for the mysterious assailant who a few minutes after 6 o'clock yesterday morning, shot and severely wounded M. Fernand Labori, junior counsel for Captain Dreyfus.

Up to an early hour this morning the assailant had not been captured, though a number of clues to his whereabouts have been found. After the shooting, which occurred near Rennes, he disappeared in a tract of woodland and has not been seen since.

M. Gallon, a marine engineer, was arrested at Le Mans, 130 miles southwest of Paris on suspicion of being the fugitive, but he proved an alibi and was released.

The following is the official description of the assailant: "Twenty-five to 30 years old; wore a flat hat; dressed like a workman, in a blue blouse."

According to the latest reports, M. Labori continues in a critical condition. The bullet entered his back and penetrated the stomach, but full details as to the nature of the wound have not yet been learned by the physicians in attendance.

The French press indulges in gloomy predictions. A number of journals predict civil war as a probable outcome of the Dreyfus case in its acutest stages.

There is talk of M. Albert Clemenceau being substituted as junior counsel for Dreyfus. This question will probably be decided today. M. Clemenceau was one of Zola's counsel at the latter's trial and has followed the Dreyfus case closely. While he is said to lack the magnetic influence of Labori in pleading, he is extremely skillful in cross-examination.

The trial before the court-martial proceeded. A number of star witnesses, including generals who opposed Dreyfus, testifying. The court adjourned until Wednesday.

Petroline Pomade, a perfumed pomade especially prepared for the hair from purest alcohols. Keeps the hair smooth and glossy and prevents it from falling out. Price 15 cents at Bradham's Pharmacy.

J. J. Baxter is showing in his window this week the cheapest line of neck ties ever offered in the city, your choice of 25-cent goods at 15 cents.

Kodol Dyspepsia Cure thoroughly digests food without aid from the stomach and at the same time heals and restores the diseased digestive organs. It is the only remedy that does both of these things and can be relied upon to permanently cure dyspepsia. F. S. Duffy.

Always Group Syrup is the only remedy manufactured exclusively for children's coughs and colds. While used almost by every family in Craven county for croup, it is a remedy of equal virtue in ordinary coughs and colds. Price 25 cents. Bradham's Pharmacy.

Violet Soap, 25 cents a box of three cakes is a bargain. The same soap, Hellebore or Lily of the Valley, same price. At Bradham's.

Irritating stings, bites, scratches, wounds and cuts soothing and healed by DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve,—a sure and safe application for tortured flesh. Beware of counterfeits. F. S. Duffy.

Many golden opportunities have been lost by those who suffer from rheumatism. By taking Rheumacide now they will be permanently and positively cured.

BLOOD TELLS.

Yes, it is the index to health. If you have had blood you are likely to learn that you have Rheumatism, one of the most horrible diseases to which mankind is heir. If this disease has just begun its work, or if you have been afflicted for years, you should at once take the wonderful new cure.

RHEUMACIDE.

Thousands have been cured. The summer season is the best time to take a rheumatic remedy. Nature will then aid the medicine in effecting a permanent, constitutional cure. People with bad blood are subject to catarrh, indigestion and many other diseases. To be healthy the blood must be pure. RHEUMACIDE is the Prince of Blood Purifiers. Sold in New Bern by C. O. Bradham, by Davis' Pharmacy, and by drug stores generally. Price 41¢ per bottle.

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THE PRETTIEST LOT THAT HAVE COME TO MARKET THIS SEASON JUST RECEIVED, AT

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Also a nice lot Sugar Cured Hams and Breakfast Strips. Fresh Grits—medium and coarse; Carolina Rice and Fresh Oats. The Very Best Butter received Fresh from the Dairy every week. Fresh Canned Goods of all kinds. The Very Best Flour (Snow Drift) only 2½c lb.

Everything Guaranteed as Represented.

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Have Been Reduced!

Genuine \$5.00 Hats will be sold during the NEXT TEN DAYS for

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Call early and get your choice of shapes and sizes. We have a beautiful shape for large men, and the small hat is just the thing for young persons.

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MOSQUITO CANOPIES.

We have them, and can furnish with bedstead or wall attachment.

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| 100 x 10 Size, | 1 50. |

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