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NINETEENTH YEAR

## Yes, They Have Just Arrived!

The very newest things in Silver  
and Enamel Girdles.

Sterling Silver Belts and Collar  
Clasps, Shirt Waist Sets and Pulley  
Rings. The Chic Fob is a beauty, also  
the gun metal and oxydized silver Fobs,  
then a pretty black Lorgnette Chain.

Only a few dainty Brooches.  
Come and see them for yourselves.

**E. B. HACKBURN**  
47 & 49 Pollock Street.

## NOW IS THE TIME!

Special inducements to buyers to reduce  
our present stock. You will find the work  
of a dollar at our store something wonderful for  
we have dropped the prices DOWN, DOWN!  
DOWN!!

Our Stock of Spring and Summer Clothing  
must be sold. Big Reduction Sale from now  
until the 1st of August:

**\$10.00 SUITS REDUCED TO \$7.00**  
8.00 " " " 5.00  
5.00 " " " 3.00

Also a big lot of Youth's and Children's  
Suits, must be sold at reduced prices.

A nice line of Men's and Ladies Low Quar-  
ter Shoes just received.

We offer you a rare opportunity to save  
money.

**AMERICAN STOCK COMPANY,**

53 & 51 Middle St. HOWARD & MORT, Proprietors.

## After-Dinner - Delicacies!

Give the meal a fine finish. There  
is nothing daintier for dessert  
than Farina, Rice Pudding, Jellies,  
and Fancy Crackers. Everything  
in this line will be found in our  
stock, which presents an exhaust-  
ive definition of "groceries". The  
whole world is taxed in making  
up this superb assortment of food  
specialties. You must see to ap-  
preciate.

Have just received a big lot of  
Fresh Omelet Portmouth Mulletts.  
Also a fine lot of Nicely Cured  
Hams. Give us a call and we will  
do our best to please you.

Yours for Business,

**J. R. PARKER, JR., GROCER,**

Phone 89. 77 Broad Street.

## Prompt Delivery From Dunn's



You can always expect when  
you order your food supplies from  
this reliable store. We can supply  
every demand of a first class  
family trade with the choicest  
fruits and Fancy Groceries, Bal-  
lons, Pickles, Canned Goods, Fox  
River Point Hams, and Pea Hams  
right on Hutton Street.

We make a specialty of high  
grade Teas and Coffees.  
Our Perfumery line—  
**Coffee is Fine,  
Price Only 20c.**

If you want a good cup of delicious coffee buy a pound  
and you will get it.

This coffee is equal to any coffee in the market, regard-  
less of price.

**Jno. Dunn,  
Grocer.**

### RALEIGH.

Hospital At Soldiers Home. Fewer Mor-  
tgages and Crop Loans. Crop Report.  
Studying North Carolina Politics.

Raleigh, July 3.—Good progress is  
being made on the hospital building at  
the Soldiers Home here. The design of  
the building is very pleasing. The vet-  
erans fully realize the fact that in a few  
years the home will really be only a hos-  
pital, in fact is fast becoming one now.

The register of deeds of this county  
says there are much fewer mortgages  
and crop loans recorded during the past  
six months than for a number of years  
past. He is greatly pleased at this state  
of affairs, and at the fine showing made.  
As predicted, the government's weekly  
crop bulletin issued today for this  
State is extremely satisfactory for all  
that part of North Carolina east of the  
Blue Ridge; in fact the week was almost  
ideal in the middle and eastern sections,  
with temperatures above normal and  
showers at sufficient intervals to permit  
the proper working of crops. Marked  
improvement has occurred and all crops  
are growing rapidly. West of the Blue  
Ridge unfavorable weather steadily pre-  
vailed; many correspondents reporting  
rain every day from June 24 to 30. As a  
result fields there are very foul with  
weeds, and crops suffering for lack of  
proper cultivation. Lowlands in many  
cases have been so long under water that  
crops, chiefly corn, have been drowned  
out. The excessive moisture there con-  
tinues to damage wheat in shock. A  
good deal has sprouted. A week of fair  
weather in the western section would  
however, probably restore crops to their  
normal condition.

In the centre and east corn, cotton,  
tobacco and peanuts as well as field peas  
made fine progress. Much corn is laid-  
by in splendid condition. Cotton is  
growing rapidly and has a good color,  
and blooms are reported in many coun-  
ties. It is yet grassy in a few south-  
western counties and in these lies are  
on the plants. Tobacco is thrifty in the  
east and has made a good start in the  
central northwest section. Pruning has  
begun on the southern border. Wheat  
threshing is in active progress with re-  
sults not less favorable than anticipated,  
and the yield will be exceptionally  
heavy. Oats are turning out somewhat  
better than expected. Rice is doing  
very well. Peanuts are growing rapidly  
and coming into bloom. Melons are com-  
ing into market. Some peaches are rot-  
ting. The grape prospect is fine.

Congressman Kelly of South Dakota  
is here and is studying at Populist head-  
quarters. He will tour the State with  
Senator Butler. Of course he knows  
nothing about North Carolina politics,  
as he admits.

The baseball championship in this  
State is believed to lie between the Dur-  
ham and Statesville teams.

There was a sharp electric storm yes-  
terday afternoon. Lightning struck and  
splintered the porch at the home of  
chief clerk W. H. Martin of the State  
treasury. He and his family had been in  
the porch a few minutes before. No  
rain was falling and two of his sons  
who were in the yard were affected by  
the lightning.

### The Oregon Floats.

Special to Journal.  
Washington, July 3.—A cablegram  
from Cheju to the Navy department  
from Admiral Kompi says that the bat-  
tleship Oregon has been floated.

### IN PHILIPPINES.

An Insurgent General Surrenders Uncon-  
ditionally.

Washington, July 3.—The following  
cablegram, dated at Manila, was received  
at the War Department this morning:  
"General Aquino, a prominent leader of  
insurgent forces, surrendered uncondi-  
tionally to First Lieutenant John J. Mc  
Connell with Macabee scouts on June  
29th, with sixty-four rifles and ammuni-  
tion."  
(Signed) "McARTHUR."  
General McArthur also cables that  
General Riosarte, leader of threatened up-  
rising in Manila during this year, and  
recently very active, was captured by  
native police between Paco and Stana.  
He says capture is important in relation  
to conditions in Manila.

### THE MARKETS.

The following quotations were re-  
ceived by J. E. Latham, New Bern, N. C.,  
New York, July 3.

Cotton—	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
July	9.64	9.75	9.54	9.59
Aug.	9.58	9.69	9.34	9.45
Sept.	9.53	9.60	9.09	9.38
Oct.	9.49	9.55	8.99	9.35
Nov.	9.18	9.29	8.10	8.34
Dec.	8.13	8.24	7.15	7.39

WHEAT—	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
July	79	79	79	79
Aug.	79	79	79	79
Sept.	79	79	79	79
Oct.	79	79	79	79
Nov.	79	79	79	79
Dec.	79	79	79	79

### IMPOSSIBLE TO START.

Fifty Thousand Soldiers Needed in  
China.

Germany Will Avenge Ketteler's  
Murder. Reports of Legations  
Destroyed. Question as to  
Situation Warranting  
Actual War De-  
claration.

Special to Journal.

London, July 3.—A Chefs dispatch  
says it is impossible at present for the  
allied armies to start for the relief of  
Pekin.

It is estimated that 50,000 soldiers will  
be required for the rescue of the mis-  
sionaries.

Berlin, July 3.—Special.—The Em-  
peror notifies the world of Germany's  
intention to avenge the murder of Baron  
von Ketteler and the missionaries and  
will dictate terms to the Chinese at the  
palace in Peking.

Tien Tsin telegrams say a courier by  
schooner from Robert Hart, Inspector of  
Customs at Peking, had just arrived. He  
left Peking on Monday, and reports the  
situation as desperate.

Baron von Ketteler was shot four  
times and died in the office of Tsung Li  
Yawan. All foreign legations save the  
British, German and Italian were de-  
stroyed. The diplomats and missionaries  
are in the legation under a rifle fire. The  
legations have a cannon.

London, July 3.—Special.—A dispatch  
here says that the Emperor of China has  
issued an edict for the purpose of raising  
troops at Canton for service.

A Peking dispatch to Paris says it is  
rumored that the English and French  
ministers at Peking have been murdered.

Washington, July 3.—State Depart-  
ment officials here are loath even now to  
accept the situation as disclosed in the  
meager advices from China as establish-  
ing the state of war between China and  
the other powers. They say that even  
the death of the German diplomat at  
Peking does not justify the assumption of  
actual warfare. There is nothing to  
show that the Imperial Government is  
responsible for the situation or for the  
uprising resulting in the death of the  
German minister, the burning of the  
Legation, or any other murder perpetrated  
at Peking. It may be that the officials  
of the Government are themselves victims  
of the rebels. In such an event the Chi-  
nese Government, as we have recognized  
its constitution, cannot be held respon-  
sible for the pillage and crime committed  
beyond, of course, the exaction of in-  
demnities covering the acts of insolence,  
pillage and massacre, which have marked  
the revolt.

The report that Prince Tuan has suc-  
ceeded to the Government would, of  
course, it is said, put a different con-  
struction upon the situation. Such an  
incident would have the effect of mak-  
ing the Chinese Government directly  
responsible for the occurrences in Pe-  
kin, and would have the effect of estab-  
lishing a state of war.

### Weekly Crop Bulletin.

The weather during the week ending  
Monday, July 3, 1900, was very favorable  
throughout that part of North Carolina  
east of the Blue Ridge mountains; in-  
fact the week was almost ideal, with  
temperatures above normal and showers  
at sufficient intervals to permit the  
proper working of crops, which in the  
east are generally clean and well culti-  
vated. All reports from the central and  
eastern portions of the State indicate  
that marked improvement has taken  
place in the condition of crops, which  
are growing rapidly. Grass and weeds  
are complained of in some counties  
along the southern border. West of the  
Blue Ridge, however, unfavorable  
weather prevailed the entire week. There  
was again an excess of precipitation;  
many correspondents reported rains  
every day from June 24th to June 30th.  
In consequence fields in the extreme  
west have become very foul, and crops  
are suffering for want of proper culti-  
vation. Lowlands in many instances  
have been under water so long that  
crops, chiefly corn, have been drowned  
out. The excessive moisture also con-  
tinued to damage wheat in shock.

The very favorable conditions of crops  
reported below applies, therefore, chief-  
ly to the middle and western portions of  
the State, although it is probable that a  
week of so of fair weather, permitting  
cultivation, would restore crops to nor-  
mal condition in the west. Corn, cotton,  
tobacco, peanuts, and field peas all made  
excellent growth during the week. Much  
corn has been laid by in splendid con-  
dition. Cotton is growing rapidly, has a  
good color, and blooms are reported in  
many counties. It is still heavy and  
grassy in a few southwestern counties.  
Tobacco is thrifty in the east and has  
made a good start in the central-north-  
west section, tobacco growers in the  
south commencing picking the leaf of  
June. Thinking when it progresses  
slowly, with results not less favorable  
than anticipated, in fact, several fields  
which were thought to be ruined, are now  
giving promise of a good crop. The  
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### AN AWFUL HARVEST.

Nearly Three Hundred Perished in Ho-  
boken Holocaust. Many Have  
Been Recovered.

New York, July 3.—Sixty-seven bod-  
ies of victims of the Hoboken fire have  
been recovered. Each hour that passes  
witnesses additional recoveries of bod-  
ies, seared, maimed and burned beyond  
all recognition or semblance of human-  
ity, and the half has not yet been  
told, as all the bodies brought to the  
surface today were caught on grappling  
hooks.

About the first of next week people  
will realize the appalling loss of life, as  
it will then be time for the bodies that  
are now lying at the bottom of the river  
to come to the surface of their own ac-  
cord. The list of missing is still placed  
at but few below the three hundred  
mark, and when the bodies begin float-  
ing to the surface the gruesomeness of  
the situation will be realized.

Thirty-seven have been either positive-  
ly or partly identified, most of them so  
far as has been discovered, being victims  
from the steamship Sable.

Those who will undoubtedly swell the  
list of the dead are the two hundred and  
forty odd men from the steamships, in-  
cluding officers, sub-officers, seamen,  
stokers, machinists, coal-passers, and  
trimmers, the greater loss, of course,  
being among the men who were below  
decks and who could not get to the open  
before the flames choked them back, and  
the heavy falling debris beat them down  
to their death. Of these, the greater  
part are foreigners, and the list of their  
names are being checked off by the  
steamship company officials as soon as  
identification can be made. Then, too,  
there are some 800 persons who were on  
canal boats, lighters, and about the docks  
in various capacities.

There are no better pills made than  
DeWitt's Little Early Risers. Always  
prompt and certain. F. S. Duffy.

### North Carolina League Ball.

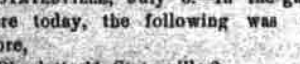
Special to Journal.

STATESVILLE, July 3.—In the game  
here today, the following was the  
score,  
Charlotte 11, Statesville 2.

TARBORO, July 3.—(Special)—The  
home club won its game here today.  
Score,  
Tarboro 7, Wilmington 3.

### CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.  
The Kind You Have Always Bought  
Bears the  
Signature of *Dr. J. C. Ayer*



**I am  
Surrounded**  
By all the greatest  
wheels, and at  
Wholesale Prices too.

My stock of wheels  
consists of  
COLUMBIAS, 28  
HARTFORDS, 28  
EASTONS, 28  
TODDERS, 28  
FRANKLINS, 28  
TRIALS, 28  
EAGLES, 28

Both children and  
adults.

**Easy Payments.**

**MY REPAIR SHOP**  
is complete and  
your work is col-  
lected.

**WM. T. HILL,**  
87 Middle St.

## Potted Chicken, 10 Cents Can.

Fresh Outflakes, both loose and in packages.  
Big Hams to Cut.  
Small Breakfast Strips.  
Fulton Market Corned Beef.  
Nice New Orleans and Porto Rice Molasses. Nice  
Syrup in cans.  
Fruit Jars, all sizes.  
Fresh lot Fox River Print Butter.  
Complete stock of Staple and Fancy Groceries.

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

## "Wherefore do the poor complain? The rich man asked of me."

If the question had been asked us instead of the poet, we would have  
informed him a serious cause of complaint was the prices charged by a  
great many dealers for their goods. How can you sell your goods so  
cheap? is frequently asked. The reason is obvious, we buy for cash and  
sell for cash, save at both ends you see, and give you the benefit.

Steamer on Friday brought in a lot of those 25c Crash Skirts, could  
not supply the demand last week, are prepared now.

Every day with us is Shirt Waist Day. You would think we were  
having Special Sales Day on these garments from the way they are mov-  
ing, prices range from 35c to \$1.50.

The French Garment Co.'s Satteen and Mercerized Silk Undershirts  
are on sale in our store, have all colors, fit unsurpassed, prices from 50c  
to \$3.50.

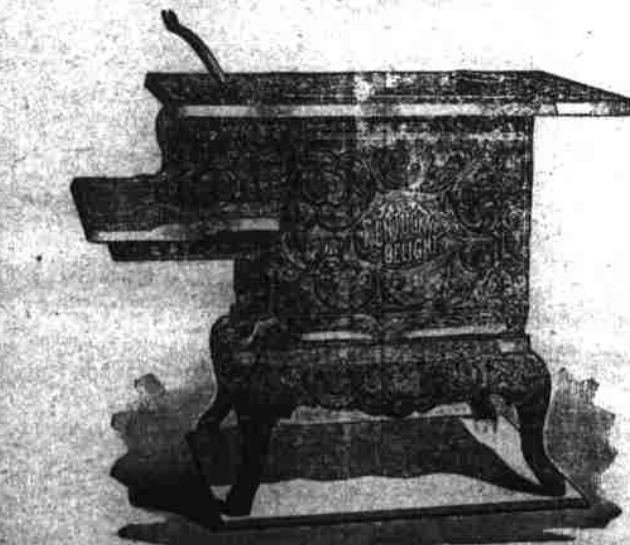
Our 5c Laces will bear reminding you of, such wonderful values, of  
course we carry higher grades.

Oxfords at 25c, Button Shoes at 50c and Warner Corsets at \$1.00.  
These lines we have been advertising to close out, sizes broken, but possi-  
bly fit you.

Thanks for your liberal trading in Millinery, had an immense season.  
If we have anything you want, you can buy it at your own price at

**SMITH'S STORES,**  
61 Pollock St., (Duffy's Stand) 99 Middle St.

## "KENTUCKY DELIGHT" STOVES AND RANGES!



We have just received a full line of them. Come and look over them.  
The Stove or Range you want is here. We handle the Dangler Blue Flame  
OIL STOVES. They are the Best.

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WANTS TO 142. **Gaskill Hardware Co.**  
73 MIDDLE STREET, NEW BERN, N. C.

## REAL ESTATE! BARGAIN!

City Real Estate bought and sold on  
commission.  
A fine piece of property can be bought  
at a bargain.  
Collection of Rents a Specialty.

**E. E. HARPER,**  
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New Mills  
Rolling Chest  
Elevators and  
Corn Cleaners

Of the Latest Improved and Up-  
to-Date Mill Machinery.

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write the top notch in the variety of ar-  
tistic patterns. What a soft, delicate  
and the way it is made up are the two  
important items. We have an  
extra in white, cream, and other  
colors. Come see.

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NEW BERN, N. C.