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NINETEENTH YEAR

SHOES

For Correct Dressers.

People who count proper shoes necessary to correct dress will be delighted with this season's line of Ladies, Misses and Children's Footwear

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Where we will be glad to welcome all our old and new patrons. Our strict attention to business in the past is sufficient guarantee to the trade that we are always looking out for the Best Interest our Customers.

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for your inspection and whatever your wants may be we can meet them with

Beautiful and Appropriate Selections.

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HEARING ENDED.

On Part of the Railroads in the Tax Assessment Case.

Talk of Congressional Contest. Largest Tobacco Raiser. Opinions of Attorney General. Baptist Convention. Fertilizer Sales.

Special to Journal.

RALEIGH, N. C., December 5.—John S. Cunningham of Person county is here presiding at the meeting of the board of agriculture. He is the largest tobacco planter in the State. His crop this year was 4,000,000 hills. He says that while the yield was not so large as last year's, yet prices are so very much better that the difference is more than made up.

Today the hearing of the railroads' side of the evidence and testimony in the great railway tax assessment case ended. The hearing of the State's side begins here on the 18th, and will continue here and at other points until the 27th. Then there may be an intermission until after the adjournment of the legislature in March as several of the attorneys are members of the legislature.

The session of the North Carolina electoral college today was brief and in a sense informal. It took a recess until the 2nd Monday in January, when it will cast the vote as required by the statutes.

Chairman Simmons left today for Seven Springs to rest and recuperate.

John E. Fowler, Populist-Republican candidate for Congress in the 8d district, is arranging to contest the seat of Charles R. Thomas. J. R. Joyce, the Republican nominee for Congress in the 5th district, has evidently not yet abandoned the idea of contesting the seat of W. W. Kitchin. He was in Granville county last Saturday, looking into that matter, and one of the leading Populists in that county tells me he advised Joyce to contest.

Attorney general Douglas today gave the State treasurer his opinion that the latter could not collect State tax on telephone business save on that which is wholly within this State; that the State law is unconstitutional and cannot be enforced as to inter-State business.

The Attorney General gives the Treasurer an opinion as to the case of the National Bank of Gastonia, which refuses to pay State tax for 1900. He tells the Treasurer to ask for a list of the stockholders and the net value of their holdings after deducting the amount of real estate on which the bank pays tax and after deducting from the value of real holdings of stock the rebate upon the value to which the holder may be entitled to under the privilege which the law gives him of offsetting his debts against his solvent credits. He also tells the Treasurer to request payment of tax upon the net value of the holdings of stock and if this is not paid to bring suit. The legislature evidently intended to make shares of bank stock solvent credits for purposes of taxation.

Editor J. W. Baily of the Biblical Recorder presided at the convention of the Baptist Young People's Union which met here last evening. It was stated that in the United States the Union now has 700,000 members.

The Baptist State Convention which began its session here to-day will make a special effort to pay the debts on the Baptist Female University in this city, which is \$42,000. The University has been open but little over a year, yet it has 224 students.

The sales of commercial fertilizers in this State are this season 30,000 tons greater than they were last season. This statement was made to the Board of Agriculture at its session to-day.

The directors of the Insane Asylum were in session here to-day. A very fine showing is made by the asylum. There are over 450 patients. The percentage of cures is large. There is now treatment for the liquor and drug habit, and this has likewise proved very successful.

Help is needed at once when a person's life is in danger. A neglected cough or cold may soon become serious and should be stopped at once. One Minute Cough Cure quickly cures coughs and colds and the worst cases of croup, bronchitis, grippe and other throat and lung troubles. F. S. Duffy & Co.

When you need a soothing and healing antiseptic application for any purpose, use the original DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve, a well known cure for piles and skin diseases. It heals sores without leaving a scar. Beware of counterfeits. F. S. Duffy & Co.

Kruger to Leave Germany.

COLOGNE, Dec. 4.—President Kruger will cut short his sojourn in Germany, as the Kaiser will not receive him, and will leave for The Hague on Wednesday. Thence he will probably go to St. Petersburg, Vienna and Rome.

Kruger denies emphatically that he wants armed intervention by the Powers. He says that if the great Powers leave him in the lurch a small one (meaning Holland) can do nothing for his people.

DeWitt's Little Early Risers are dainty little pills, but they never fail to cleanse the liver, remove obstructions and invigorate the system. F. S. Duffy & Co.

A Dukedom for Roberts.

LONDON, Dec. 4.—The Manchester Guardian yesterday said it understood that Queen Victoria had decided to confer a Dukedom on Lord Roberts, and that Parliament would be asked to vote £100,000 for him.

Emperor Won't Return.

ST. PETERSBURG, Dec. 4.—Kwan Chang, an attaché of the Chinese Legation here, in a formal interview to-day said: "The Emperor will not return to Peking as long as foreign troops, beyond the Legation guards are there. Should it be necessary the Emperor will fly further than Sianfu."

Don't use any of the counterfeits of DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. Most of them are worthless or liable to cause injury. The original DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve is a certain cure for piles, eczema, cuts, scalds, burns, sores and skin diseases. F. S. Duffy & Co.

David's Pharmacy sells and recommends Ostry Headache Powder and Jordan's Cough Balsam.

Accident at Mayodan.

WINSTON-SALEM, N. C., Dec. 4.—A bad wreck occurred early this morning one mile north of Mayodan, on the Winston-Salem division of the Norfolk and Western road. The engine and six cars, loaded with coal of the through freight No. 88, southbound, were derailed, and the engine and four cars rolled down a thirty-foot embankment into the pond of the Mayodan Mills. The engine is half covered with water.

The accident occurred at a curve in the river, and was caused by a large rock rolling down to the foot of the hillside on the track. The engine struck this and the derailment followed.

The engineer, Mr. A. G. Spencer, stuck to his post, and, strange to say, was not injured. He remained on his engine until it "struck bottom," and walked out. His fireman, H. P. Seay, came out with a bruised knee.

Engineer Spencer says that he was only running at the rate of eight miles an hour when the accident occurred. He believes that he and his fireman would have been killed if the train had been running faster or if they had jumped from the engine.

The track was torn up for fifty feet. It will be required to raise the gauge to eight feet.

Trent River Bridge Again Struck.

Yesterday morning the Trent river crossing bridge was again struck by a passing barge.

Yesterday's tow was passing the bridge when the barge steered first towards the main bridge and then the stern of the barge swung around striking the draw, leading an iron frame on the draw and damaging the stern of the barge, to what extent is not known.

The singular thing of the accident is that the bridge was struck on the opposite side, from its previous collision with a barge, and was knocked into a straight position again.

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THE MARKETS.

The following quotations were received by J. E. Latham & Co., New Bern, N. C.

	New York, Dec. 5
COTTON:—	Open High Low Close
Jan.	0.75 0.78 0.70 0.76
Feb.	0.87 0.88 0.82 0.85
May.	0.87 0.88 0.84 0.88
Aug.	0.91 0.92 0.87 0.92
Sept.	0.80
WHEAT:—	Open High Low Close
May.	80 80 80 80
Con. Gas.	19 1/2
So. Ry. Pfd.	66 1/2
Fed. S.	49 1/2
Con. T.	9 1/2
Leather.	12 1/2
A. S. & W.	48

Cotton receipts were 53,000 bales at all ports.

Liverpool Market.

Spots 5.19-32 Sales 8,000 bales. Futures Dec.-Jan. 5.26. Jan.-Feb. 5.23.

New Bern Cotton Market.

Cotton in the local market sold at 8.75 to 9.50.

The following advices on cotton have been received by J. E. Latham & Co., New York, Dec. 5.

Bearish developments due to extremely small speculative demand. All efforts to stimulate market have failed.

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Reed Shoes.

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A full line of Sample Hair Brushes, Tooth Brushes, Fresh Brushes and Leather Brushes at cost prices.

Opaque decorated ware, Candle Sticks, Pin Trays, Puff Boxes, Vases, Rose Jars etc., from 10c to 25c. Silver Mounted Toilet Sets, Military Brushes, very handsome Cut Glass Bottles of Extracts, and Toilet Waters, Automobiles Soap Boxes, etc., at low prices. Pipes from 5c to \$1.50 each. Purse, Card Cases, etc.

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3-NIGHTS-3

COMMENCING MONDAY Dec. 10.

HARRY LINDLEY'S DRAMATIC C. M. A. B.

15-PEOPLE-15

Will Present the Four Act Society Play "THE DIAMOND QUEEN"

SPECIAL FEATURE—Little Mystic the Clever Child Actress, Dancer and Vocalist. Specially recommended by Gov. of New York.

Specialties between the acts. Popular prices 5c, 10c, 25c. Change of Program each night.

Diamond Queen Next Monday.

Those who attended the presentation of the "Diamond Queen" at the Opera House last evening by Harry Lindley and his strong company of artists, were charmed with the rendition.

Mr. Lindley is no stranger to our people, being among the first to appear in the Opera House, besides being an "old Confed." He is a comedian of the old school, and a master indeed of any caste. Miss Flint as the Diamond Queen, captivated the audience. She is superb, graceful and magnetic. Her appearance with this strong company gives assurance of its success. "Little Mystic," Mr. Suco and Mr. Lawrence in their specialties between acts, were catchy, up-to-date, and brought rounds of applause.—Washington, N. C. Gazette, Dec. 1st.

The Auction Sale.

The Southern Express Company had auction of unclaimed packages yesterday, S. R. Street, auctioneer. Quite a crowd attended the sale and there was a lively bidding for the packages, trusting to luck for a good return of money invested.

Most of the packages sold for ten cents and a few for several dollars. A bicycle went at \$10.50. Several hundred packages were sold and many curious objects were revealed upon delivery to the purchasers. Many were perfectly worthless, medicines and newspaper plate and stencils. A complete shaving outfit was found in one, another contained a gruesome skull and cross bones, the real article. To such a use are we come at last.

H. W. SIMPSON,

Architect & Superintendent

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Bow String Ties
Puffs Imperial Four-in-Hand 50c
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