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NEVER IMITATED QUALITY

An Excellent Combination.
The pleasant method and beneficial effects of the well known remedy, Syrup of Figs, manufactured by the CALIFORNIA FIG SYRUP CO., illustrate the value of obtaining the liquid laxative principles of plants known to be medicinal laxatives and presenting them in the form most refreshing to the taste and acceptable to the system. It is the one perfect strengthening laxative, cleansing the system effectually, dispelling colds, headaches and fevers gently and promptly and enabling one to overcome habitual constipation permanently. Its perfect freedom from every objectionable quality and substance, and its getting on the kidneys, liver and bowels, without weakening or irritating them, make it the ideal laxative.

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Parsippany, N. J. Price 50c per bottle

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Umbrella picked up.
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Simmons and Hollowell Co.—Lawns.

Business Locals.

APPLES, Oranges, Bananas and Pine Apples, today at Broad Street Fruit Store. Phone 33.
PICKED UP—Umbrella in Post office last night. Owner can get it by proving property and paying costs.
ORANGES and Bananas today at James B. Dawson's, 103 Middle street. Also Ice Cream.
PARIS GREEN and Sprays: For killing Potato Bugs and Tobacco Worms. For sale at J. C. Whitty & Co's.
A FRESH lot of Cream Chocolates just received at McSorley's.
JACOBS' Raleigh Rye Whiskey is the Best. Middle street.

Good Soda

Comes from good material combined with knowledge and skill. We use the very best of everything. It is possible to improve anything we do. The cost doesn't worry us so long as the quality. Definiteness in mixing and serving is an art in itself. It may seem useless, perhaps foolish, to you, as you watch the little quips and funny business done through with by our attendant in drawing the various drinks, but they all add to the flavor. It is just those little "kinks" that make Lindham's Soda "Chic."

A child's eyes are subject to defects more so than adults, especially school children, because of their tendency to yield and become improperly shaped, statistics show that in large cities the per cent of defects are greatly in excess of those of smaller towns, on account of the limited field of vision, the same trouble exist in school children, they become accustomed to studying at a short distance and grow up with this eye gradually becoming (near sighted) or myopic, or resulting in some disposed defect which should be corrected by suitable glasses.

It is well known fact among opticians that many a hopeless blind man's eyes could have been in good condition had the disease of defect been recognized and corrected by glasses at the onset of the trouble.

A Good Tonic.
If you need a tonic, try our Red, Iron and Wine. It is a combination particularly valuable in the treatment of debility attended with impoverishment of the blood. It promotes digestion, improves the appetite and gives energy to the entire system. Darts Pharmacy

CURE YOUR HEADACHE and LaGRIPPE With CAPUDINE
No bad after effects whatever.
J. J. Tolson, 25, South Walling Street, New Bern, N. C. For Sale by J. A. Henry and Davis Pharmacy.

OFFICERS ELECTED.

The City Officials Elected For Next Two Years Some Changes.
The Board of Aldermen met last night at the City Hall and canvassed the vote of the election held last Tuesday. The following were declared elected Aldermen of the city of New Bern: W. D. Harrington, Ferrel Gaskill, John B. Ives, John C. Seales, C. T. Watson, S. H. Lane, W. S. Phillips, B. B. Davenport, T. F. McCarthy, Nathan Cobb, W. H. Johnson and J. T. York.

The new Board of Aldermen then organized and elected for Mayor for two years Frank T. Patterson, the choice for the position at the late Democratic primary.

Owen H. Gulon was elected City Attorney.
Thos Daniels was elected City Treasurer.
Dr. Chas Duffy was elected City Physician.

J. R. B. Carraway, H. M. Groves and Ralph Davenport were elected Auditing Committee.

J. M. Hargett was elected Chief of Police, J. J. Tolson, City Clerk; H. H. Tooker, Pump Inspector; R. P. Williams, Superintendent of Fire alarm system. These each received the full 12 votes. Superintendent Gaskins of Cedar Grove Cemetery, and Brooks of Greenwood Cemetery were re-elected.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

Mrs. L. M. Hendren and Mrs. D. M. Jones went to Wilson yesterday, to attend the annual meeting of the Womens Foreign Missionary Society of the M. E. Church, South.

Mr. W. M. Webb, Chief Shell Fish Commissioner, was in New Bern yesterday.

Pictures of Truck Scenes.

Secretary T. K. Bruner of the State Agricultural Department who has been taking "living pictures" of the truck farms in this vicinity, left yesterday.

Mr. Wm Dunn took Mr. Bruner about, visiting the different farms, Dunn's, Hackburn & Willette, Youman, Bray's and Crookett's. Some forty views were taken by Secretary Bruner.

Atlantic Hotel to Open.

The Atlantic Hotel at Morehead City, is again to be under the management of Scoville Bros. of Atlanta, Ga., who will open this well known seaside hotel, June 15th.

A Closing Hours for Store.

The local retail stores should unite and have a fixed hour for closing each night, 7.30 p. m. would be a reasonable time. Of course this need not apply to Saturday.

J. J. Tolson J., the Broad street grocer has determined to close at the above hour, beginning the next Monday night. Are others to do likewise.

Trinity College Commencement.

The JOURNAL acknowledges the courtesy of the Senior Class of Trinity College, in the invitation to attend the exercises of Commencement Week at Durham, June 2nd to 6th.

New Fair Association Meeting.

A meeting of the subscribers to the stock of the proposed New Fair Association will be held at City Hall on Wednesday, May 15th, at 8:30 o'clock p. m. for the purpose of hearing the reports of committees appointed at last meeting and the consideration of other matters looking to an organization of the said Association.

It is earnestly desired that every subscriber be present. By order of the Chairman, Geo. Gesser, Secretary.

CASTORIA.
The Kid in the Hat
Cures Croup, Whooping Cough, Sore Throat, Hoarseness, Bronchitis, Asthma, Hay Fever, Eczema, Scald Head, Ringworm, Itch, and all Skin Diseases.

Truck Movement Increases.

The movement of truck from here yesterday was somewhat interfered with by the rain, but the shipment by steamer was large, the House not being able to carry all that was offered.

Thunder Storm With Rain.

Beginning shortly after 12 m. yesterday, rain began falling here, and continued with few intermissions well into the night. The rainfall was quite heavy and sharp thunder and lightning prevailed at intervals.

Reports from along the A. U. Line, said rain and hail fell in Onslow county.

Don't forget to see our stock of E. F. Head's Oatmeal, for babies to eat, baby food, and you will buy them. J. A. Henry.

We've Tally at Mother's today

Hello, Old Pumpkin!

Don't you remember? Why don't you go to J. A. Henry's and get a box of his Anti-Olden Liver Pills and take them according to directions and get well? They will improve your appetite, give you good health and keep all your organs as well as cleaned and not generally known as necessary or anything to eat. Take them and you will get well. You need them, and you get them from J. A. Henry.

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MEMORIAL DAY.

Program Carried out as Fully as Weather Permitted.
The heavy rains that prevailed yesterday afternoon interfered seriously with the arrangements for Memorial Day. It has been a good many years since there has been such bad weather on this Anniversary, and it was in marked contrast with last year, when the day was perfect and the crowd immense.

As the hour for meeting at the Academy Grounds approached it was seen that the program would have to be changed. This was done by having the address delivered in the Opera House which was made by Hon. B. F. Grady. Capt. Matt Manly introduced the speaker and the Daughters of the Confederacy were seated on the stage and sang, "Nearer My God to Thee," and "We are gathering Homeward from every Land." In the latter the solo part was taken by Mr. Arthur Benton. The Veterans sat in the front rows of seats and came forward during the presentation of the Crosses of Honor which were placed upon their coats by Miss Mary Jones on behalf of the Daughters of the Confederacy.

While the exercises were going on in doors the Naval Reserves and others were assembling without and upon the conclusion the line of march was taken up for Cedar Grove Cemetery while the rain commenced to come down fast.

In spite of the dampness there was singing at the Confederate Monument. Here there was a beautiful Confederate flag in flowers. The graves were strewn with flowers by the children and wreaths and floral emblems were placed above the dead. A special mark of respect was paid by the Daughters of the Confederacy at the graves of Mrs. John Hughes and Miss Harriet Lane who have passed away during the past year.

The customary salute was fired by the Naval Reserves above the graves of their dead comrades. Considering the weather the program was carried out very faithfully and many memories were evoked of days that are gone.

Have you seen the latest in collars for ladies and men, they are beauties, get one "and you will be in it." For sale by J. J. Baxter.

Veterans' Meeting.

The Camp New Bern, Confederate Veterans, met at the Court House yesterday afternoon. The usual business of the Camp was transacted.

Miss Nannie Street was elected Sponsor. The resolution of delegates to the Memphis Reunion was left to the commander, K. R. Jones.

Fell From Scaffold.

John C. Hill, while at work at the mill of the Blades Lumber Co. at Clubfoot Creek, yesterday morning, fell from a scaffold and broke his leg between the ankle and knee.

The injured man was brought to his home here on Hancock street, last evening, and was attended by Dr. N. H. Street.

Bad Drinking Water.—Every one suffers greatly from the different kinds of water he is compelled to drink, and nothing is so likely to bring on an attack of diarrhoea. "PERRY'S PAIN KILLER" is the only safe, quick and sure cure for it, cramps and cholera morbus. Avoid antacids, there is but one Pain Killer, Perry Davis'. Price 25c. and 50c.

J. J. Baxter has just received a fine line of the Household Roller Tray trunks from 3 to 15 dollars.

BAYBORO.

Tame Town Election. Big Potato Crop. No Election Contest. Instruction in Singing.

Bayboro, May 10.—The rains of the past few days were highly appreciated by the truck and potato farmers. They have done much good.

Our little town has been full of commercial tourist, insurance men and sport ing gentlemen during the week.

Visitors here this summer will be able to keep cool from the number of ice cream and lemonade stands that are going up. There are already three and others in contemplation.

The elec in our town last Tuesday was the most tame and quiet of any that we have heard of, we had none. The Register left town and went to your city, and so far as we have heard no one offered to vote. The counting out this time was not needed, and all are satisfied.

The steamer Golds goes on the North Carolina Railway in your city tomorrow, to be over hauled and put in readiness to handle the large Irish potato crop, which at present has a fair to be a large and early one. The cotton acreage will be large also.

Near here are more, everybody is busy attending to their own business.

The patients in the election cases have about decided not to bring the suits for the election, but pick it up later and try again. "Let us have Peace"

The Rev. Mr. Taylor, The Missionary Baptist Minister, had a regular service for every Sunday night at 7 o'clock in the Baptist church, for both instruction and practice, a good time it was much needed.

One spring line of "Lips Brand" high-top shoes are now for sale, they are handsome, clean, strong, durable, cheap, etc. J. J. Baxter.

WHEN up at West End stop in at Hargett's Pharmacy and try a glass of Hires' Delicious Root Beer, 5c

Late Kinston News.

Free Press, 10th.
About 40 bales of cotton were sold in Kinston today at \$2 to 7.10.

Mr. Harry Wooten has accepted a position at the A. & N. C. depot, to work during the truck season.

The brick work has been commenced on three stores and an office for Mr. W. A. LaRoque on North street, back of his store fronting Queen street.

The Christian Sunday school will run an excursion to Morehead City next Friday, May 17th. The train leaves Kinston at 7 a. m., and returning, leaves Morehead at 5:30 p. m.

Mr. O. H. Jones, of the firm of Yerer & Jones, State agents for the Fidelity Mutual Life Insurance Co., paid today in full to the estate of the late Sheriff J. C. Wooten, a \$5,000 policy held by him in that company.

The 4:30 A. & N. C. passenger train was delayed 30 minutes in Kinston yesterday afternoon, on account of a brake on the rear car having dropped down. A bolt from the brake had been lost, which caused the trouble.

Mr. E. B. Lewis left this morning for Columbus, O., to attend a meeting of the grand lodge of the Woodmen of the World. Mr. Lewis represents five States: Delaware, Maryland, West Virginia, Virginia and North Carolina. He will be gone about ten days.

Work will probably soon be commenced extending the water pipes on Queen street about four blocks in northern direction. These pipes can be used when water works are installed and it is a good thing thing to protect all the property possible until a complete system of water works can be installed.

The very best wishes of The Free Press, from the editor to the "devil," follow the retiring foreman, Mr. L. J. Mawborne, was elected city clerk last night and entered upon his duties this morning. Mr. Mawborne had been with The Free Press about 16 years, and made a capital foreman. He is a bright and painstaking man, no better selection as city clerk could have been made.

Mess. Clay Andrews and Fred Sutton killed a loon down the river yesterday. This was probably the mate to the one recently killed at the bridge, as they are the only ones ever seen here. They are great divers, and when frightened swim along distances under the water.

Grifton.

Grifton, May 7.—Mr. Jim Howard of your city passed through our town on his way to Greenville, N. C.

Mr. Felix Pittman and Heber Gaskins spent Sunday in Kinston, guess the boys had a nice time.

Mr. Harry Marks passed through town Monday on his way to Scotland Neck, N. C.

Mr. J. L. Keen, Sr., went to Kinston today to attend court.

We had quite a nice little rain today. A good rain is needed very badly just now.

The collections in the M. E. Church Sunday, for missions, was twelve dollars. It is very good for us, as we only have a very small town, but we have large Sunday Schools. We would like to see all the faces in our town at Sunday School, morning and evening.

Mrs. Besse Gavis of Littlefield is visiting Mrs. W. J. Kitter, her sister.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Keen, Jr., went to Kinston today.

Mr. James H. Brooks went to Greenville yesterday on business.

There is going to be a picnic on the 15th of this month at Gam Swamp. A big time is on docket. Everybody is invited to go.

C. H. Gaskins is getting in a lovely line of new wheels. If you are in need of a bike you will save dollars and cents to see him for wheels.

Looking Without Seeing.
Perhaps you are an exception to the rule, but if you are not you have probably on many occasions, just after looking at your watch, been forced to acknowledge to a friend who asked you the time that you did not know what it was. Yet you undoubtedly took your timepiece out of your pocket, looked at its face and carefully replaced it in your pocket, showing a logical sequence of thought and a well defined object, which did not, however, result in having a sufficiently distinct impression on your mind to satisfy your friend's curiosity as to the hour of the day. The notion was not an involuntary one, like that of the boy who cannot too often admit his first chronometer, nor yet habitual, for few persons are merely in the habit of taking out their watches. One does so only for a specific purpose.

Now, how may this seeming contradiction be accounted for? Perhaps the reason is that not once in ten times does a man look at his watch to see what the actual time is, but rather to learn whether he still has time to accomplish some purpose. He may want to keep an appointment at a certain time or to be sure not to miss a boat or train. When he takes out his watch, therefore, he instinctively looks for the hands in the position called for by that particular moment, and when he sees that they have not yet reached that point he returns the watch to its resting place, with his mind collected.

The actual position of the hands really shows the part of all in the operation, and as you see the time is called, he is unable to reply. In other words, he accomplishes the paradoxical feat of intently looking at a thing without actually seeing it.

We have a number of watches. Some are made by the famous Swiss makers, and some are made by the famous American makers. They are all of the best quality, and they are all of the latest style. They are all of the best quality, and they are all of the latest style.

So Got the Business.

"There are tricks even in our trade," said the old life insurance man. "About ten years ago a couple of respectable old parties, man and wife, came to town with \$100,000 of so that they wanted to put into an annuity. They had neither chick nor child, with not a kin, and they wanted to finish their lives in as much ease and luxury as could be bought. So they made the rounds of the life insurance companies, getting their annuity figures and had all the actuaries in town making calculations in the case."

"The head mathematician of the Blank Dash company was a little better than a mere figurer. He happened to hear what town the old parties came from, and he suddenly remembered that he had an old friend, a doctor, who lived there, whom he hadn't seen for years. He invited the medicine man down at his reel, took him out and showed him a real good, decent time. Then he edged around to the annuity hunters, and, lo and behold, the doctor was their family physician! Without appearing to pump him, the actuary learned enough about the old couple to enable him to make a most alluring inducement to the pair, and they bought their annuity of his concern. They were both dead inside of two years. I forgot just how much the company netted. I think it had paid out about one-tenth of what the old folks had paid in. The company was a goner, and there were no losers except the other companies as a result of the actuary's shrewd move."—New York Sun.

Special Notice!

Ordered by the County Sanitary Committee that it shall be unlawful for any person or persons on and after the 10th day of May 1901 to dump or deposit any of the refuse animal or vegetable matter of the City on any lot or in any of the docks around the City of New Bern. Any person or persons violating this act shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and fined not exceeding \$50 or imprisoned not exceeding 30 days.

Celery Headache Powders.

There is not any better remedy for headache than these powders. They never fail to relieve. Made and sold only at Davis' Prescription Pharmacy.

Remember those famous Star Hats at J. J. Tolson's, Jr., 77 Broad street.

Sale For Partition.

By virtue of a Judgment and order in a certain special proceeding before Wm. M. Watson, Clerk in the Superior Court of Craven county made and rendered May 10th, 1901 in a certain matter where in W. F. Hill and H. V. Hill, his wife are plaintiffs, and Samuel Sutton, John Sutton and Emily, his wife, Charley Ann Sutton and others, and the heirs of Benj. Bentley and Jno A. Bentley are defendants I will expose for sale at public outcry at the Court house in New Bern at 12 o'clock m., for cash to the highest bidder, the following land, situated in the County of Craven and State of North Carolina on the north side of Neuse River and Taylor's creek about fifteen miles above New Bern in the fork of Neuse River and Taylor's creek, beginning at the mouth of said creek and runs up the creek to the line of the land of the heirs of Wm G. Bryan, then with the Bryan line to said river and then down the river to the beginning, containing 200 acres more or less. Also 50 acres on Chinquapin Ridge adjoining the land of Fenner Nelson, formerly the land of Benjamin Bentley, deceased.

H. G. WHITEHURST, Commissioner.

May 10th, 1901.

NEW CENTURY 5c and 10c STORE

is the busiest place in town. Competitors dislike us not only because our prices are from 15 to 25 per cent lower than theirs, but because the people are catching on to that most surprising fact.

We always carry a Full Assortment of LAMPS, AGATE, AND TINWARE, GLASSWARE, CROCKERY, and all kinds of Household Goods. Our 5 & 10 cent counters are a temptation to Bargain Seekers. Novelties and Specialties arriving daily. Our Penny Pencils and Penny Tablets are the best.

NEW CENTURY 5c & 10c STORE,

60 Broad Street, Next to Swert's Beef Stall, Opposite James' Stables.

LINEN COLORED LANNIS!

Special Attention

is called to the New Batiste in the Linen Effects with the colored dot. Something Very Stylish and at a price that is in reach of all.

Have the Green, Red, Purple and Heliotrope dot at

Price \$1.00

For Sale by J. C. Whitty & Co.

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Ladies White Aprons & Special lot Handkerchiefs

ON SALE THIS MORNING.

THE APRONS come in about fifteen different designs, beautifully trimmed with embroidery, lace, tucks, etc., and made of good quality lawns, some worth up to 40c each, but all go at one price, 25c each.

THE HANDKERCHIEFS are some of our 10c and 12c quality, consisting of White Hemstitched, Lace Edge, Embroidered and Colored Borders, which are very good for the children, 5c each.

G. A. BARFOOT,
43 Pollock Street.

BOYS WEEK.

We have taken Special Pains this season to buy such goods as could not fail to please the mother of the little ones. A full line of Suits, Extra Trousers, Shoes, Shirt Waists, and Wash Suits, in all ages from 3 to 16 years. Caps, Straw Hats, Neckwear and Collars.

THE ONLY PLACE IN TOWN where your boy can be fitted from head to foot. We will take pleasure in showing you our lines. WE HAVE SEVERAL BIG BARGAINS.

J. G. DUNN & CO.,
MEN'S WEAR,
57 Pollock Street.

Spring and Summer Goods.

JUST ARRIVED the Newest line of Spring and Summer Goods. We would be pleased to show you our goods, and we are sure you will find them of the best quality. We are in New Bern. All prices are reasonable. We are open every day.

LIPPMAN & YOFFIE,
Middle St., next to Lewis & Lewis, New Bern, N. C.

WE ARE STILL Slaughtering Prices

At the BIG AMERICAN STOCK CO.

The CHEAPEST PLACE in North Carolina to buy Clothing, Dry Goods, Shoes, Hats, Gents Furnishings, etc.

A full and complete line Spring Dress Goods, Children's Worsteds, Lawns, Percales and Calicoes at attractive prices.

Men's Shoes 98c and up, Ladies' Shoes 75c and up.

Bargains in Watches—a good Watch for 98c.

AMERICAN STOCK CO.,
59-61 Middle St., New Bern, N. C.

"Uwanta" Hammeck.

For Sale by J. C. Whitty & Co.

Price \$1.00

Soft Comfort for a little money. Try one and on joy life.