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We are strongly recommended everywhere we roam. We invite one and all to examine our stock before buying. Very respectfully,

## 75 Middle St. next to Gaskill Hdw. Co., New Bern, N. C.

### Cotton Bagging MURPHY & CO., and Ties.

We have in stock and to arrive Cotton, Stocks, Grain & Provisions 3,500 Rolls Cotton Bagging, 3,500 bundles Cotton Ties.

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Bural Graded School Progress Football, State Institutions Por Blind. Bigamy Case at Soldiers Home.

State Fair. RALEIGH, Oct. 18 .- The State Super tendent of public instruction we reatly pleased today at the receipt of

It is said by the officers of the State han ever before.

The assertion is made by some persons who have traveled considerably in the State lately, that Lee S. Overman is well n the lead for the Senatorship with Cyrus B. Watson, second.

The football team of the Agricultural and Mechanical College today played platform with hammers in their hands the Virginia Polytechnic Institute. It next plays St. Alban's, and it may play Columbia, at Washington. The average weight of the team's members is 160 lbs. It is quite a heavy one.

The Republican State committee me today at Greensboro, Senator Pritchard

The State board of examiners of pub lic institutions devoted today to the State school for the blind here. There are 39 State institutions, maintained wholly by the State or receiving aid from it, not counting the agricultural department. By the 15th of Novembe the board is required to make its report It will be ready in time. This board will take a great deal of work off the of it, but in these days of ship speeding have visited the various institutions in a perfunctory way.

One of the inmates of the Soldiers Home here was dismissed today, for big-agreeable incident. The society is gen my. His name is John Cotton, and he erally pleasant, there are interesting is from Wayne. He had a wife in that sights on the deep, the fare is as good ounty and one in Wake. He denied the Wayne wife yesterday, but today ad- ness has become unfashionable, there mitted her existence. She is Nancy Cot is plenty of reading matter and no disn and she wrote here and asked about her husband. Cotton says he married a in range of the wireless telegraph and 'hey have a child. He said he did not ter.—Brooklyn Eagle. mow what the Wayne people would do to him when he went back there. He also ruined the wife of a man who lives near the home. He left the home this ticed in a German town the other day

The oldest inmate of the Soldiers Home is George W. Beeman of this through a plate glass store window oounty. He was in the 47th regiment. The proprietor of the store demanded to His age is 94. He had also four sons in

large attendance at the State convention to his employer. The storekeeper of county superintendents of education however, deducted 100 marks for the of county superintendents of education

ere November 12-14. Overcoats for the cadets of the Agriultural and Mechanical College are ordered. A special request for 160 mor rifles for the cadet batallion was med today. It has now only 200 rifles. The orps will all be uniformed by next neek, so as to parade at the fair, and for this purpose the additional arms are de

The Raleigh & Western R. R. whi ie being quite rapidly constructed from Oumnock to Greensboro, will give the umnock to Greensboro, will give the saboard Air Line a long desired entrance into Greensboro. The road is now in operation from Colon on the S. A. L. to Cumnock, 5 miles, and 15 miles more are already graded. The total length of the road is 100 miles. It will traverse a county containing valuable timber, and there are 18 cotton mills along the line The grades will be easy; not over 15

Services Teday.

Services today at Centenary M. hurch, at 11 a. m. and 7:80 p. m. by th r, Rev. R. F. Bumpas. Sunday

The regular church services will be sid at the First Sapilet Church, today, sorning at 11 o'clock, at night at 7.50 clock Rev. Hight O. Moore, peator.

Market Letter on Cotton.

NEW YORK, Oct. 18.—The question uring the coming week will be one of Houston estimate for Monday was made. This started a few nervous shorts to cover in short order. This is the first time this season that receipts have swayed the market, for that reason we are inclined to think they will cut more figure than the weather reports etter from Franklin county, saying that had the large figures of something like cural graded schools were being estabget 500,000 bales this year. We don't and that in several cases the people had see where the big receipts are coming raised money for school houses the from-without a big port movement we chool board giving a like amount. He can't have a big total in sight. We is delighted at the awakened interest and this and next week and as long as figures fall from 100,000 to 200,000 bales be hind last year's figures each day as they Fair that if the weather is good the atand every break for a steady market.

> A New Sport For Women. "Hammering" is an unpleasant proc ess on the Stock Exchange, but in Aus tralia the word has recently acquired a new and more agreeable significance At antipodean bazaars "hammering" is now an established institution. Ladies who enter for the competition go on a Each is supplied with a piece of the hard Australian timber largely used for the paving of London streets. Each lady is also presented with three nails, and at a given signal they start to work. The lady who is the first to drive her three nails home to the head wins the prize. Says one descriptive reporter: "Steel sparks and splinters flew around. The nails would go anywhere but through the wood. The hammers would go anywhere but on the nail heads."-London Chronicle.

The Ocean Trip. Half an hour or so appears to be an important saving in time in the ocean voyage. Columbus and Cabot and Drake would not have thought much legislature, the committees of which every captain of a liner is ambitious to maintain his record and to beat it if possible. Again, there are people ever in this age of hurry and bustle, to whom the ocean trip is in itself an as that of a first class hotel, seasickposition to look at it, and the trip is in short a restful loaf till the ship is withan named Shore, near Raleigh. the meddling world resumes its chat-

An Ingenious Swindle. A man struggling along under a heavy burden suddenly stumbled and crashed through a plate glass store window money. Passersby advised that he be searched. A thousand mark note wa It is now certain that there will be a found on him, which, he said, belonge value of his window and handed 900 marks change to the porter, who wen away swearing and protesting. A littie later the storekeeper discovered the thousand mark note was spurious.

Ostriches

At the ostrich farm at Coronado i takes a bale of alfalfa hay cut up and a sack of barley to feed fifty-three birds. The chicks are as inquisitive as monkey and will snap as button for your cost if an opportunity offers, The old males are fighters and can split fence boards with a kick. But when they get real mad they lie down and twist their necks and flap their wings like a skirt dancer. Young chicks a

READY, START! An Athletic Event.

You want, everybody wants brain and auscle, wind and stamins, and can get them if fed properly. This is an athletic age. The man or woman who is weak or slokly, is not in the race; success socially or in business goes only to the strong or in business goes only to the strong and healthy. It is largely a matter of choice with anyone for proper living, and proper food will bring the prize,

An Athlete in Chloago tells of the good results he obtained from proper food; he says:—"Last Spring I began to train hard to become an athlete in track events and is great that the contract of the says is a says that the says is a say that the says is a says that the says is a say that the say and to grow stronger; I now know that what strength and victories I have se oured is due to the use of Grape-Ruts When in training for an athletic most, I would just five on Grade-Nuts alone for hree days before the event was to come off. During this time I have won six thumplouship races out of two athletic meets. In a 800 yard run my time was 15 seconds and in the 75 yard dash the time was 2 seconds, both being a good record.

Republicans of Pamlico.

The Republicans of Pamilco met last Thursday at Bayboro and formally en-lorsed the action and nominations made by the Independents on Wednesday at the same place.

A convention was called for last Sat-Envelopes. receipts and not of weather. This a. m. urday but Dr. Abbott, who is the leader market opened weak and though the of the Republican party in that county Playing Cards, around 8.88 without much trade till the when it was decided to support the Independent ticket which is as follows: Representative, Chas. Swan.

County Clerk, G. R. Rice. Sheriff, H. A. Reel. Treasurer, C. S. Weskitt. Register of Deeds, Wiley Whorten. County Commissioners, C. H. Fowler, Ben Pickles and H. S. Walton.

Coroner, Jas. Riggs. Surveyor, J. W. Brinson.

A supreme court Justice, a diplomatist and a writer were talking of the extent of the influence wielded by each, and the New York Times justly credits the last laugh to the writer. "I can govern by injunctions, as th Populists put it," said the judge. "I can involve nations in war,"

"And I could, if I would, make the world laugh at both of you," said the

Chicken or Chickens? What is the plural of chicken? Why hickens, of course, you say. A recent book says, however, that there is no nch word as chickens. Chicken is itself plural. Chick, chicken; hose hosen such is the form. A farmer's wife, at least in the most rural districts, says correctly that she is going to feed her chicken, meaning not one, but many .-London Answers.

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Yours truly. R. SAWYER,

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Property for Sale

of Trustees of the New Bern Academy. the undersigned will offer at public sale for cash at the Court House in New Bern, on Saturday November the 8th, 1902 at 12 o'clock m. that valuable City lot situated at the corner of Middle and Broad streets fronting on Middle street 214 feet 6 inches, and on Broad street 107 feet 8 inches.

This sale offers a rare opportunity for ing some of the most valuable property in the City.

At the same time and place, bids will the detection and conviction of the also be received for the lot adjoining the party or parties who blew up and Court House lot and occupied by J. W. rifled the contents of my safe on

W. M. WATSON, Sec'y, and Treas.

A LARGE LOT OF

BOX PAPER. Visiting Cards,

tone was weak, considerable resistance was unable to attend; consequently the was noticeable. May and March ruled meeting was adjourned until Friday Fancy and Mourning

Paper in boxes. No. 505 Tablet. Ledgers, Journals, etc Just Received.

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Queen Quality Shoes for Women offer 100 Cash Prizes: First prize \$1000, 2nd prize \$500, 3rd prize \$400, etc., lowest prize being \$5, making

To be awarded about January 1st, 1908 to the 100 women who give the best rea-

ons why "Queen Quality" is superior to all other shoes for women. In order to compete for the prizes you article must be written upon blanks fur nished by us with each pair of Queen

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## Monday, Oct. 20. THE DEVIL

IN A NEW PLAY MARIE CORELLI'S

Absinthe Drinkers of Paris.

Stage version by Chas W Chase. last of well-known Actors! Wonderful Electric Effects!

Beautiful Special Scenery! Startling Illusi Management of Aiden Benedict.

PRICES-General admission 50c. served s ats 75c. Gallery 25c.

I will pay the above reward for the night of October 8th, 1902, W. A. WILSON.

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Why sell your cotton at these extreme low prices with everything depressing the market when you can store rt nominal cost, and take ad ntage of higher prices later in the season.

eral advances made if desired.

All cotton covered by insurance, and lib-

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## H. J. HEINZ'S Best Prepared Mustard

Only 20e Per Quart.

Fresh lot Ontario Prepared Buckwheat,

Cream of Wheat, Pettyjohn's Breakfast food, Fancy Elgin and Fox River Print Butter fresh from dairy, Maple Syrup, Fancy Cane Syrup and Portorico Molasses,

Pickled Tripe 5c lb, Nice Dried Apples and Apricots 10c lb,

Maccaroni and Cream Cheese, The best of everything in the Grocery line and a big stock to select from. Prices as low as possible. Respectfully,

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71 Broad St.

# A Short Shirt Story.

Do you know the Best Shirt to wear and the one that wears the longest? It's:

The Fall Patterns in this Celebrated Shirt have arrived and we are showing an endless variety of patterns. These goods can be had with either attached or detached cuffs.

## Store Dep't, Elm City Lumber Co.

Phone 46. Cor. S. Front & Eden Sts.

# Royal Blue Coffee!

How essential it is that the coffee is good. No article of the table is more important and exerts a greater influence over the day's results than the morning cup of coffee.

R. B, Coffee stands at the head for superior strength and wholesomeness. It is a regular 30c Coffee, but we are now offering it to you for 25c per pound, or one pound Free with every four ponnus. Give it a trial and you will never try any Yours truly,

## McGehee & Willis,

Broad St. Grocers.

Phone 137 

# FLOUR

Car load Flour Ground from new wheat just received. you want a barrel of Good Flour give me a trial.

We are receiving fresh goods by every train and boat, and can give you entire satisfaction both in quaity and prices, we mention a few articles as follows: Pettyjohn's Breakfast Food, Quaker Oats, Fresh Rice and Grits, Potato Chips, Schredded Wheat Buscuit, Full Cream Cheese, Imported and Domesti Maccaroni, Canned brook Trout, Canned Mackerel, Imported and Domestic Sardines, Deviled Crabs with shells, and a full line of everything to be found in a first class grocery store.

Yours to please, PARKER JI

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