

## Hackburn

**OFFERS SPECIAL VALUES IN SILKS FOR 2 DAYS MONDAY AND TUESDAY.**

50 Pieces Fancy Taffeta at One-half their value.

See window display & prices

Plain Taffeta in all shades, worth 75c, Special at 39c.

This sale for 2 days only, REMEMBER IT!



## Fall Clothing.

Snappier, Larger, Better than ever

Our line of Griffon Brand Clothing—Men's Suits in Extra Fine Worsteds and all the real thing. Youths Suits in Elegant Cassimere, Childs 2 piece, 3 piece and Norfolk suits in fullest assortment and at prices that require no argument to sell them.

There may be some clothing as good as ours but not at the price. When you buy here you buy right!

**J. J. BAXTER,**  
89 Middle Street.

## THE RUSH CONTINUES

At S. COPLON'S. Why? Because we sell GOODS CHEAP FOR CASH.

Below we state a few of our Special Prices on Saturday's and Monday's. We give you a few prices on domestics:

MEN'S CLOTHING.	
\$5.00 Worsteds Suits	\$3.98
10.00 Cassimer Suits	7.98
5.00 Men's Pants	3.98
2.50 " "	1.98
BOY'S SUITS.	
\$3.00 Suits	\$4.27
2.50 Suits	1.98

For other prices see our large circular. We are strongly recommended everywhere we roam. We invite one and all to examine our stock before buying.

Very respectfully,  
**S. COPLON,**  
75 Middle St. next to Gaskill Hdw. Co., New Bern, N. C.

## Cotton Bagging and Ties.

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

Send us your orders. Prices are the lowest.

**J. E. Latham & Co.**



Bring I. here

If your carriage needs repairing. We will repair it so that it is as good as new. We guarantee our work. Our customers are always satisfied with our work and prices. You will be satisfied if you send your work here.

The only place in town to get any and everything to repair buggies. See us before buying and save money.

We put Rubber Tires on your old or new wheels. We stink your loose tires in a machine without cutting them. Everybody is invited to see the work of the machine putting new bolts in same old places.

**G. H. Waters & Son,**  
Phone 19,  
11 Broad St., New Bern, N. C.

## MURPHY & CO., Commission Brokers.

Cotton, Stocks, Grain & Provisions

Direct wire to New York and Chicago.

Instantaneous reports received of every move on exchange.

**E. F. PATE, Manager,**  
17 Craven Street



A Fair Critic

Nothing but the good of his Fall suit if it's made here. We don't know everything, but we do know how to make good, dressy, long-wearing clothes, as our patrons of years' standing will tell you. Cloth best, careful stitching, accurate cutting, skillful fitting, these are the things that make a suit tell for a Autumn suit.

**F. M. Chadwick,**

Kodak Hypocrite

See the Kodak Hypocrite

## SUCCESSFUL BAPTISTS

Revival Services, Interesting Personalities.

Yanoboro, Oct. 18.—Mr. J. L. Dixon spent Sunday in New Bern.

Mr. J. M. Lancaster, left this morning for Greenville looking after the tobacco interests of our section.

Dr. D. T. Taylor passed through our town today en route to New Bern.

Mr. L. M. Batts, mother of New Bern, was in our town today.

Mr. H. M. Lancaster returned from Greenville today.

The steamer Carolina left for New Bern this morning heavily loaded with lumber and cotton.

Quite a number of our young people, attended the Miss Carnival in your city, and report a good time.

Messrs. J. Bryan and Harold Butler, spent Sunday in Yanoboro.

Rev. Mr. Newton of Port Barnwell, assisted by Rev. W. F. Butler, of Beaufort, have been holding a series of meetings in our village, resulting in one conversion and several reconsecrations.

**COVE.**

Prewill baptist Convention. New Freight Depot.

Miss Sarah Rouse of Kinston is spending a few days here.

Mr. C. D. Lane and family of New Bern spent Wednesday here.

Mr. M. A. Hill our R. R. agent has moved his board to Mr. Taylor, he says to be nearer his post of duty. A poor excuse is better than none.

Mr. Gordon Avery of New Bern spent some time here recently the most of which was spent with Mr. Hill.

The Free Will Baptist Conference will begin here next Thursday continuing until Sunday following preparations are being made for a large crowd.

Miss Fannie Avery is in New Bern for a few days with friends.

Mr. A. D. Hawkins paid New Bern a business call Thursday.

Dr. Swindell of Goldsboro preached here Sunday night to a large and attentive congregation.

The new and much needed freight and passenger depot at this place is now being constructed under the careful and personal supervision of Captain A. W. Cook.

**HIXON.**

The Worst Form.

Multitudes are singing the praises of Kodol, the new discovery which is making so many sick people well and weak people strong by digesting what they eat, by cleansing and sweetening the stomach and by transforming their food into the kind of pure, rich blood that makes you feel good all over.

Mrs. Cranfill, of Troy, I. T., writes: "For a number of years I was troubled with indigestion and dyspepsia which grew into the worst form. Finally I was induced to use Kodol and after using four bottles I am entirely cured. I heartily recommend Kodol to all sufferers from indigestion and dyspepsia. Take a dose after meals. It digests what you eat."

**Public Speaking, Hon. Locke Craig.**

Currituck, Oct. 28th.  
Roper, " 24th.  
Columbia, " 25th.  
Swan Quarter, " 27th.  
Washington, (night) " 28th.  
Warrenton, " 30th.

**Why He Didn't Vote.**

An Alabamian tells this story of his negro coachman, who invariably voted: On one particular election day he returned home in the afternoon with a countenance that looked as if it had been taking some familiarity with a buzzaw.

"What's the matter, Zack?" I asked, with some solicitude.

"It's this way, boss: I went up there to the voter's place, and there was the county undertaker, mah, a-dittin' with a big book open 'tween him, and he was to me right sharp-like, 'What's your name?' 'Zack Taylor,' I says, humble. 'Let's see,' says the undertaker, 'and he turned over the leaves of the book. All at a sudden he stopped turning and began to run his finger down the page, muttering to himself, 'Taylor, Taylor, Taylor, Taylor—Zack.' And pretty soon he hollered out: 'Heck it is. You black scoundrel, I dun buried you ten year ago! What you mean by tryin' to vote?' Just then a parcel of white men tix and threw me out, and den I dun come home 'tween dey could bury me again!"

**CASTORIA**

For Coughs and Croup.

The Kind You've Always Bought

## OPEN SWITCH

Causes Rear End Collision on Carolina Central.

Disastrous Fire at Hamlet. Weather Bulletin For September. The Bigamist Leaves. Walter Raleigh Fund. Political Estimates.

RALEIGH, Oct. 20.—It was stated today that Governor Aycock will tomorrow open the fair at Greensboro.

The agricultural department officials are making special preparations for the fruit show at the State Fair here next week. It will be mainly an apple show, but there will be peaches, apples and pears.

Sensior Pritchard says he does not think the Democrats will get nearly as large a majority this year as they expect. Democratic estimates of the majority range from 40,000 to 70,000.

The registration is very much slower and smaller than expected. It ends this week. The most strenuous efforts are being made to get the white voters out.

The Supreme court devotes this week to the hearing of appeals from the 9th district.

Today State warrants were sent out for \$500 each to the 7 negro State Normal School; Fayetteville, Goldsboro, Elizabeth City, Plymouth, Franklinton, Salisbury and Winston; also \$1000 to the normal department of the white normal school at Calhoun, Jackson county.

The fund for the statue to Sir Walter Raleigh, to be placed in a park here, increases very slowly. It was expected that by 1903 the necessary money would be in hand. It was then said that the tobacco dealers in the country were to be called on for contributions.

It is said by the clerk of the Federal Court here that there has not been a new bankruptcy case in six months.

The weather bulletin for this State for September was issued today. It says the mean temperature was 68.9 degrees, which is 1.6 degrees below normal. The highest temperature at any point one day was 98, at Selma; the lowest 37, at Linville. The average rainfall was 4.96 inches, which is a quarter of an inch below normal. The greatest rainfall at one point was 11.90 inches, at Horse Core.

The man John Cotten, who was dismissed from the Soldiers' Home here Saturday for bigamy, left here, saying he was going to his home in Wayne county, where his wife is. The woman he married in this county is named Lowe and not Shore. It is understood that Cotten will be indicted in Wayne or Wake county.

At Rockingham yesterday a freight train ran on a siding to let a fast mail pass. The freight train, named Holland, forgot to close the switch and went into the caboose in rear of the freight. The fast train came along and crashed into the rear of the freight, utterly destroying the caboose, killing Holland, and wrecking 9 other cars. The engineer and fireman jumped and were slightly hurt. The mail clerk and express messenger were slightly hurt.

At Hamlet there was a disastrous fire yesterday. Sparks set fire to cotton and 2,000 bales were burned, together with a warehouse, cotton compress and ice factory. It is said that the loss is \$200,000. One man lost his life. His name was Wilson and he was the secretary of the Compress Company. The compress and ice factory were owned by Charles E. Johnson of Raleigh.

**Forty Years Torture.**

To be relieved from a torturing disease after 40 years' torture might well cause the gratitude of anyone. That is what DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve did for C. Haney, Geneva, O. He says: "DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve cured me of piles after I had suffered 40 years." Cures cuts, burns, wounds, skin diseases. Beware of counterfeits. F. S. Duffy.

**IN HAND.**

I have now in hand the city tax book for 1902.

Call and settle your tax now, the act will be much appreciated,  
**J. J. Tolson,**  
City Tax Col.

**To Friends and Patrons.**

I have moved my place of business to the Smallwood Building, corner of South Front and Craven Streets, and will be pleased to serve you as in the past.

Thanking you for past favors I remain  
Yours truly,  
**R. SAWYER,**  
TAILOR.

**BISHOP'S FIREPROOF COTTON STORAGE WAREHOUSE**

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

All cotton covered by insurance, and liberal advances made if desired.

Terms of storage given on application.

**E. K. Bishop.**

## THE OLD RELIABLE



There is no substitute

Deadly and the Philosopher.

A certain philosopher was in the habit of saying whenever he heard that an old friend had passed away: "Ah, well, death comes to us all. It is no new thing. It is what we must expect. Pass me the butter, my dear. Yes, death comes to all, and my friend's time had come."

Now, Death overheard these philosophical remarks at different times, and one day he showed himself to the philosopher.

"I am Death," said he simply.

"Go away," said the man, in a panic.

"Yes, but it is one of your favorite truisms that Death comes to all, and I am but proving your words."

"Go away! You are dreadful!"

"No more dreadful than I always am. But why have you changed so? You have never feared the death that has come to your friends. I never heard you sigh when I carried off your old companions. You have always said, 'It is the way of all flesh.' Shall I make an exception in favor of your flesh?"

"Yes, for I am not ready."

"But I am. Your time has come. Do not repine. Your friends will go on buttering their toast. They will take it as philosophically as you have taken every other death."

And the philosopher and Death departed on a long journey together.—Charles Battell Loomis in Brandur Magazine.

**At Davis'.**

Fresh Diphtheria Antitoxin and Vaccine Virus at Davis' Prescription Pharmacy.

**MASONIC OPERA HOUSE**

ONE NIGHT ONLY!  
Monday, Oct. 27.

First time in New Bern of the Deliciously Funny Comedy  
BY WILFRED CLARKE.

**A Wise Woman,**

Introducing Petite and Winsome  
**Marie Lamour.**

AND A METROPOLITAN CAST.

PRICES—\$1.00, 75c, 50c, and 25c  
Seats on sale at Water's News Store.

**Valuable City Property for Sale!**

Pursuant to a resolution of the Board 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 purchasing some of the most valuable property in the City.

At the same time and place, bids will also be received for the lot adjoining the Court House lot and occupied by J. W. Turner.

Sale subject to the approval and confirmation of said Board of Trustees.  
**W. M. WATSON,**  
Sec'y. and Treas.

## A LARGE LOT OF

**BOX PAPER,**  
Visiting Cards,  
Envelopes,  
Playing Cards,  
Fancy and Mourning Paper in boxes.  
No. 505 Tablet,  
Ledgers, Journals, etc

Just Received.

**OWEN G. DUNN,**  
59 POLLOCK ST.

**Prize Competition!**

The makers of the Famous Queen Quality Shoes

For Women offer 100 Cash Prizes: First prize \$1000, 2nd prize \$500, 3rd prize \$400, etc., lowest prize being \$5, making a total of

**\$5000.00**

**PAYABLE IN GOLD.**

To be awarded about January 1st, 1903, to the 100 women who give the best reasons why "Queen Quality" is superior to all other shoes for women.

In order to compete for the prizes your article must be written upon blanks furnished by us with each pair of Queen Quality shoes.

**D. F. JARVIS,**  
63 Pollock St.

**For Home Enjoyment**

nothing can equal the Edison Phonograph. I have just received 200 Edison moulded records and the "Standard" Phonograph with Edison's latest reproducers together with the wonderful record produces every pleasure that sound can give, making every word distinct.

If you have not heard this machine call at once and let us show it up to you. It is simply wonderful!

**WM. T. HILL,**  
Phone 110,  
91-93 Middle Street,  
NEW BERN, N. C.

**At the Book Store**

**Ping Pong!**

**Pong Ping!**

**Ping Pong Ping!**

**G. N. EMMETT.**

**McGehee & Willis,**  
Broad St. Grocers. Phone 137

**FLOUR!**

Car load Flour Ground from new wheat just received. If 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 quality and price, we mention a few articles as follows: Pettyjohn's Breakfast Food, Quaker Oats, Fresh Rice and Grits, Potato Chips, Shredded Wheat Biscuits, Full Cream Cheese, Imported and Domestic Macaroni, 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,  
**J. R. PARKER, Jr.,**  
Wholesale and Retail Grocer,  
PHONE 69. Cor. Broad & Hancock Sts.

**Prescriptions at Davis'.**

**Celery Headache Powders.**

## H. J. HEINZ'S

**Best Prepared Mustard**

Only 20c 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, Macaroni and Cream Cheese, The best of everything in the Grocery line and a big stock to select from. Prices as low as possible.

Respectfully,  
**J. L. McDANIEL,** Wholesale & Retail Grocer,  
Phone 91. 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 RENSSELAER."

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.

## Mackerel!

Why not eat it? You will find them to be as cheap or cheaper than meat. We have just received a fresh barrel of No. 1 Shore and they are fine!

You can send in your orders for Sauer Kraut, a fresh lot just in.

A complete assortment of canned and bottled goods. Give us some of your business and we will appreciate it.

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There is no other better remedy for headache than these powders. They never fail to relieve, and sold only at Davis' Prescription Pharmacy.

**Davis' Prescription Pharmacy**

A specialty of prescriptions. Prompt and careful attention is given them. Only the best drugs are used. The prices are reasonable. Remedies that are to be filled.