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SEE

Hackburn's

Display of China and Glassware at prices to suit everyone, from 10c to $5 00 each.

A store full of Holiday Goods. A look through each department will remind you of many things that you can buy for a Christmas Gift at a very small cost.

In addition to the above our Dress Goods and Trimmings are complete and up-to-date. A look through this department will be worth your while.

— Broad Cloth in all shades;

52 inch Broad Cloth at $1 00.
52 " Granite " " 90
52 " Ladies " " 65.

Taffeta Silk in all shades at 40c, 50c, 65c, 75c, 85c.
36 inch Black Taffeta, guaranteed the best, at $1 25.
35 " Peau de Soie, $1 35.
20—22 inch Black Peau de Soie, at 75c, $1 00, $1 25, extra heavy.

A Peau de Soie Silk will make a nice Xmas present for your wife, daughter, mother or some loved one.

JUST IN.

A nice lot of Jamaca Oranges, Fine Baldwin Apples, Extra Fancy Large Lemons, Raisins—layer and seedless, Cleaned Currants, Crystal Citron, Cranberries.

Also a fresh lot of National Biscuit Co's Cakes—The Magnolia Pound Cake in 1 lb packages are extra fine; Graham Crackers; Social Teas, 5 o'clock Teas, Banquet Wafers, Uneeda Ginger Wafers, Oatmeal Crackers, &c.

Let your orders come this way, they will be filled promptly and carefully. Yours truly,

McGehee & Willis,

Broad St. Grocers. *Phone 137*

Huyler's

CANDY.

"BEST BY TEST."
"AS CHEAP AS THE OTHER."
Fresh Weekly.
Agency, BRADHAM'S PHARMACY.

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.

I. W. HARPER
KENTUCKY
WHISKEY
for gentlemen who cherish quality
MAX L. JACOBS.

A Christmas Drive

in one of our new buggies will be a real pleasure. There's no Christmas gift for your family like one of our stylish vehicles. They are well made of the best materials, with pneumatic tires and the latest improvements in finish. We sell the latest style now at low prices. Call and examine before buying elsewhere.

Wanted at once—a good wood worker and trimmer, quick and sober, who will work steady. A good place for the right man, for the coming year.

G. H. Waters & Son,
Phone 135
Broad St., New Bern, N. C.

SAVE MONEY!

Compare these prices with those you have been paying:

Pic-nic Hams, sliced, ...12c lb.
Best Lard, ...12c "
Compound Lard, ...10c "
Pigs Feet in vinegar, ...5c "
Tripe in vinegar, ...5c "
Good Flour, ...2c "
Better Flour, ...2¼ "
Best Pie Peaches, ...10c can, 3 for 25c.
Table Peaches, ...15c " 2 " 25c.
Canned Corn, ...10c " 3 " 25c.
" Tomatoes, ...10c can.
Granulated Sugar 6c per pound.
A Good Table Butter, 30c per lb. print.
—Also have a supply of Oranges, Apples Bananas, Pears, etc. Try a peck of my 35c apples. Give me a trial.

Yours for business,
N. F. VINCENT,
Cor. South Front & Metcalf Streets

BRANCH OFFICE
MURPHY & CO.,
Commission Brokers.
Stocks, Cotton, Grain & Provisions
17 Craven Street,
Phone 288 NEW BERN, N. C.
Main Office, 61 Broadway, New York.
Moderate margins. Excellent service.
Private wires to New York.
Highest banking and mercantile references.

Coal! Coal!

We desire to inform our patrons and the public generally that we have succeeded in securing a supply of the justly celebrated Splint Coal, which is undoubtedly the most satisfactory substitute for Anthracite, being all lump and free from dust or dirt, a trial will convince you.

We also have a full stock of the best quality steam coal.

Orders given prompt and personal attention.

Hollister & Cox
Phone 34.

Disinfectants and Germacides.
20 Cases CHLORIDE OF LIME Just Received.
10c and 15c the can
AT
BRADHAM'S PHARMACY.

YESTERDAY'S MARKETS.

Cotton, Grain, Provisions and Stocks. Range in Prices. Receipts and Shipments.

The following are the market quotations, received by private wire to J. E. Latham & Co. New Bern, N. C.

New York, Dec. 24.

COTTON;—	Open.	High.	Low.	Close
Jan	8.53	8.54	8.50	8.53
Feb	8.38	8.39	8.36	8.39
Mch	8.33	8.33	8.30	8.32
Apr				8.32
May	8.32	8.35	8.31	8.34
June		8.33	8.32	8.33
July	8.33	8.34	8.30	8.34
Aug		8.19	8.19	8.17
Sept				7.91
Oct				
Nov				
Dec	8.51	8.51	8.49	8.49

New York, Dec. 24.

STOCKS;—	Open.	Close
Amr.Sugar	128¾	128¾
Union Pacific	98½	99
Mo. Pacific	105½	106¼
So. Pacific	162¾	163
Manhattan	145¼	147
Great Western	19¼	19½
Money	9¼%	10%
Amr. Copper	38	39¼
Texas Pacific	39¼	39½
Wabash pf	41⅞	42
Erie, 1st	65¼	65⅞
Colorado So.		
Southern Ry	31½	32¼
Southern Ry pf.	92	93
Louisville&Nash	123¼	124½
Brooklyn R. T.	65½	66¼
Penn. R R	151¼	154¼
Atchison	83¼	83¾
St. Paul	175	176¼
Erie	34⅛	34½
Atchison pf	98¼	99¼
U. S. Steel pf	83¾	84
U. S. Steel	34¼	34¾
Reading	63¾	64
People Gas	101½	101½
C. & O.	46¼	46¼
B. & O.	97½	97½
M. & W.	70¾	71
Tenn. Coal, Iron	56	57
N.Y Central	151¼	151½
Rock Island	48½	48¾
Western Union	87½	87¾
Ontario Western	32¾	33
Metropolitan	137	139
Coal, Fuel, Iron	80	79½
Va. C Chemical	60	60
Canadian Pacific		
Amr. Cotton Oil	44	44
Ill Central	144	144½
Republic Steel	19¼	19½
Am. Ice	10⅞	10¼
Del.& Hudson	163	163
A. L.		
U. S.Leather	11¼	11
Amr Car Found.		
U S.Leather pf.	89¼	89
Pac Mid.		

Estimated receipts for tomorrow.

Total ports estimated today 82,000 vs. 43,290 last year.

Galveston 11 to 13000 against 6,311 last year.

New Orleans 14 to 16000 against 6,811 last year.

Houston 9500 to 10500 against 7,680 last year.

Liverpool

Liverpool closing cotton;market closed
Mid. 4.50
Sales
Receipts
Dec 4.50
Dec Jan 4.49
Jan-Feb 4.49
Feb-Mar 4.49.
Mar-Apr 4.49.
Apr-May 4.50
May-June 4.51.
June-July 4.51

PORT RECEIPTS.

		Same week last year
Last week	260,830	293,433
This week.		
Sat.	38000	58000
Mon.	42000	64000
Tues.	62000	66000
Wed.	62000	42000
Thurs.		20000
Fri.		50000
		300000

Velvets, Velvets, Velvets.

We still have a nice line of Velvets and other millinery goods on hand, all to be sold for less than cost. Respectfully. J. J. BAXTER

Hello There! Say,

Stop a moment. Can you tell me the place I want to go to? Well, you're a fool. How do I know where you want to go? Well I'm not so much so as you take me for. But do show me 63 Middle St. or a place called

I'LL DO IT.

Well, my friend, you're all right. I'm going there myself, to buy an overcoat. Come right along with me.

Christmas Gifts at Davis Pharmacy.

You may get at Davis Pharmacy any of the following articles suitable for Christmas presents; Candy, Cigars, Pipes, Pocket Books, Card Cases, Fountain Pens, [illegible], Perfumery, Combs, [illegible] of all kinds, etc.

RALEIGH.

Report of State Board of Education Issued.

Clement Manly of Winston, an Aspirant For Senatorial Honors. State Board of Charities Make Report. Report of Corporation Commission.

RALEIGH, December 24.—A charter was granted by the State to the W W Mills Company, of Raleigh, paid-up capital $100,000, authorized $200,000; W W Mills, R D Goodwin and J A Woolett stockholders, Mills holding $90,000. The company will deal in lumber and operate saw mills and tramways in the counties of Wake, Harnett, Wilson, Johnson, Nash and Cumberland. Mills is a very successful lumber man and is a half owner of the Raleigh and Cape Fear railway.

Warrants were sent out by the State today for 7 free libraries for rural public schools, bringing the number up to 499.

A report completed today shows that the State board of education now holds $142,360 of the State's 4 per cent bonds, $2,000 of its 6 per cent bonds and $48,909 in cash; the proceeds of the sale of swamp lands.

It is said that Clement Manly of Winston is an aspirant for the United States Senatorship. It is also said that a number of people want Gov. Aycock to be Senator. He is no candidate.

January 5th there will be a hearing before judge Purnell in the matter of his intervening in the affairs of the Carolina Northern railway.

The State board of public charities met here last night and prepared its report to the Governor.

The annual report of the Corporation Commission was completed today. It says the railways have enjoyed a good business and a prosperous year. The most important work of the commission during the year was the reduction of the passenger fare rate over the Atlantic Coast Line, Seaboard Air Line and Southern Railway, whereby the standard rate of 2½ cents per mile for second class and 3¼ cents per mile first class fare is now applied to the main line, divisions and branch lines of these systems alike and in fact to nearly every road in the State. No less than 259 complaints were made, mainly of overcharges, discriminations, failure to provide cars, etc. The ruling of the commission that the assessment of railway property of 1900 held until 1903 was sustained by the Supreme court.

There are 3,691 miles of railway in the State, an increase of 30 miles over last year. There were built 65 miles, but 35 were abandoned. The Atlantic Coast Line, Southern, and Seaboard Air Line controll over ⅔ of the mileage in the State; the A. C. L. having 948 miles, the S. A. L. 611, the Southern 1269, total 2,849.

The assessed values are, A C L $13,978,440, Southern $15,825,677, S A L $8,712,738, miscellaneous roads $4,110,414, total $42,627,261; telephone companies $888,964, steamboats, canals and ferries $249,950, street railways $1,199,590, electric light and gas companies $266,850, sleeping car companies $180,205, express companies $235,779, grand total $46,905,936. The taxes paid are A C L $188,710, or $195 per mile; S A L $89,595, or $147 per mile; Southern $231,567 or $180 per mile, miscellaneous $40,370 or $48 per mile.

Wanted the Whole Outfit.

A friend once wrote to Mark Twain asking his opinion on a certain matter and received no reply. He waited a few days and then wrote again. His second letter was also ignored. Finally he sent a third note, inclosing a sheet of paper and a two cent stamp. By return post he received a postcard on which was the following: "Paper and stamp received. Please send envelope."

Language of Flowers.

Edith—Do you understand the language of flowers?

Ethel—I do.

Edith—Then what does this bunch of rare orchids that Albert sent me signify?

Ethel—That a fool and his money are soon parted.—Judge.

Unprejudiced.

"But, judge, you were asleep when the testimony was presented. How can you give a decision?"

"Easily, sir, easily, for no one can accuse me of having been prejudiced by the arguments of either side."—New York Times.

One Better.

Mrs. Witherby—We must give some sort of affair, dear, if only to maintain our position.

Witherby—I suppose you want it to cost as much as possible?

"Oh, more than that!"—Life.

Hit It.

"I hear you are going to marry old Broadacres."

"Yes."

"For land's sake!"

"Yes."—Baltimore American.

The Hard Sledding.

"Easy," said the cynical codger, "is the polite name for laziness. It means 'doing nothing and too tired to stop.'" —Baltimore Herald.

[illegible] Candy fresh today at [illegible].

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

Eight large dry kilns belonging to the John L. Roper Lumber Co., of Norfolk, were burned Tuesday involving a loss of 3,000,000 feet of lumber.

The Imperial troops of Morocco were badly beaten by rebels Monday.

The Elliott Opera hose at Hickory, N. C. was burned Tuesday involving a loss of $50,000.

President Roosevelt has been formally requested by the European powers to arbitrate in the Venezuelan imbroglio.

Attempts are being made before the Nebraska Supreme Court to keep the bible and all religious instruction from the public schools.

The tobacco trust has made its appearance in Mexico.

The Rt. Rev. Frederick Temple, Archbishop of Canterbury died in London of old age. He was primate of the Church of England.

The Cuban reciprocity measure will be considered by the House and will probably pass with a good majority.

Ex-Senator D. M. Sabin, of Minnesota died suddenly in a Chicago hotel Monday night.

Market Letter on Cotton.

By private wire, J. E. Latham & Co.

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—It was a day of festivity, and not a day of business. From 12 to 1 p. m. the pit was crowded with members and various jokes played on members and gifts presented, practically no attention paid to news. We have never seen as much genuine fun as today. We can assure you there would have been many a hearty laugh could they be told. Every one seemed to forget their cares and enjoy Christmas. We desire to extend thanks as well as wishes for a merry Christmas whether interested in the market or not. We are anxious to furnish information if possible to obtain, no matter of what discreption furthering your interests. A year ago today we wished you all a merry Christmas. Today the same goes over the wires and we mean and only hope the new year may give you good cheer.

C. W. LEE & Co.

Ants' Magnetic Nests.

Port Darwin, in South Australia, boasts of some of the most remarkable ants' nests in the world. They are known as "magnetic" nests, for the simple reason that they are without exception built in a due north and south direction. Consequently a traveler journeying through the district in which they abound may readily direct his course by their aid. No living man knows why these tiny architects build them in this way. They are merely one out of the many marvels of the great land "down under." It seems, however, probable that instinct leads these tiny creatures to so construct their dwellings that the fierce noonday sun shall have the least possible effect upon their interiors.

Talking Through the Body.

To talk through a human body, or a row of human bodies, for the matter of that, is one of the weirdest of the electrician's feats. If a telephone wire be severed and the two ends be held by a person, one in each hand, but far apart, it is quite possible for two individuals to carry on a conversation through the body of the medium as readily and as distinctly as if the line had been properly connected.

A Woman's Heart.

Let men tremble to win the hand of woman unless they win with it the utmost passion of her heart. Else it may be their miserable fortune when some mightier touch than their own may have awakened all her sensibilities to be reproached even for the calm content, the marble image of happiness, which they will have imposed upon her as the warm reality.—Hawthorne.

For Two Reasons.

Neighbor—Did that artist who boarded with you paint your doors and windows?

Farmer—He did not. At first he refused to do such common work, and after I had seen one of his pictures I refused to let him do it.

Politics.

"You can never tell what will turn up in politics," observed the ward heeler.

"Yes, and that isn't the worst of it," rejoined the ex-candidate. "You can never tell who will be turned down."—Chicago News.

Unreasonable.

Customer—I want a shoe that is both comfortable and stylish.

Shopman—I'm very sorry, madam, but the age of miracles is past.

CASTORIA
For Infants and Children.
The Kind You Have Always Bought
Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher

Tenney's Candy at Davis'.

A fresh assortment of Tenney's Candy has just been received at Davis' Pharmacy.

Christmas Paper.

See My Window Display

of Christmas Paper. The window is full of bargains. Don't fail to SEE IT.

OWEN G. DUNN,
59 POLLOCK ST.

The Latest Thing in Perfume

English Violet, Madam Butterfly and Clover of India by Alfred Wright.

Also Doctalis, Aurora, Caprice, Queen of Lillies, Pearls of Hyacinth and La France Rose.

Handsome Boxes containing soap, Toilet, Tooth and Sachet Powders and Cold Cream.

A Splendid Assortment of Pipes, ranging from 10c to $2 00 each; also Amber, Briar and Meerschaum Cigar and Cigarette Holders.

Purses, Pocket Books, Bill Books and Card Cases, from 5c to $1 75.

Complete Assortment Waterman Fountain Pens $1 00 to $5 00 each.

Other Holiday and Staple Goods suitable for presents.

PRICES as LOW as is consistent with quality.

CALL AND EXAMINE.

F. S. Duffy's Pharmacy
Cor. Middle & S. Front Sts.

Stop and Think

Just how you can Save Money by Buying your Groceries from M. E. Land & Co.

All pork sausage, 12½ lb, 2 lbs for 25c. 3 lb Pa Rice 25c, Mixed Nuts 15c, 3 lb can Tomatoes 10c, Canned Peas from 15c to 3 for 25c, Cod Fish 10c lb or 3 for 25c, Minced Meat 10c lb 3 for 25c.

Try a pound of our 20c Coffee if not better than any you have ever purchased for the money we will refund the money smilingly.

Headquarters for Chickens, Eggs and sweet potatoes fresh from our farm.

M. E. Land & Co.
Phone 162. 69 Broad St.

J. W. WOOD.
(Successor to Foy & Wood)
Tinner and Plumber,

Will continue business at shop of the late firm.

All work Guaranteed First-class.

Stoves, Piping and everything usually found in a good tin shop.

Thanking the patrons of our firm for their business and work in the past, I trust they will continue their patronage.

J. W. WOOD.

For Christmas Gifts

GET

A Beautiful Piece of China,
A Fine Lamp,
A Piece of Genuine Cut-Glass,
Vases and Ornaments
AT
Whitehurst's
45 Pollock St.
Phone 298.

Good Things to Eat For Christmas

In Abundance At J. L. McDaniel's.

Florida Oranges, Fancy Apples, Fresh Candy, New Crop Nuts of all kinds, Raisins, Currants, Citron, Prunes, Mince Meat, Evaporated Apples and Peaches, Fancy Malaga Grapes.

Canned Goods of all kinds.

Heinz's Pickles. I also have a big bargain in bottle Pickles, a nice large bottle of fine English Pickles, regular 25c size for 10c per bottle for Next 10 Days.

New Crop Fancy New Orleans Molasses just received.

Yours to please,

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

NEW BBL. CORNED BEEF,
JUST OPENED.

Sweet Pickled Peaches, 30c per quart.
Assorted Mangoes 30c per quart.
Standard 3 lb Tomatoes 10c per can.
Standard 2 lb Corn 10c, 3 for 25c.
Loose Olives 40c per quart.
Attmore's Pure Mince meat 10c per lb.
Nabob Pancake Flour, 10c per package.
Hecker's Old Homestead Pancake Flour 10c package.

We want your business and are selling you goods for less than any other house in the city. Thaning you for past favors and trusting to receive a share of your future business, I am

Yours to please,

J. R. PARKER, Jr.,
Wholesale and Retail Grocer,
PHONE 69. Cor. Broad & Hancock Sts.

LOOK! LOOK!

CHRISTMAS COMES But ONCE A YEAR

You know that everybody has got to have this Xmas Clothes and Shoes, also an Overcoat. So we are looking for you to come and examine our large stock before buying. Below we give you a few prices which no one can compete with.

MENS DEPARTMENT.

25	Mens Suits worth	$7 50, cut price	$4 73
25	" " "	5 75, " "	3 69
15	" " "	4 00, " "	2 98
50	Overcoats, "	10 00, " "	6 73
12	" "	7 50, " "	5 66
12	" "	5 00, " "	3 98
35	" a job, worth from 5 00 to $15, "		3 78
75	prs Creedmore Shroes, worth	$1 50 "	98
60	" Black Vici Kids, "	2 25 "	1 69
50	" Veal Calf, d. sole, "	1 50 "	98
39	" Vici Kid Patent, "	3 50 "	2 69

LADIES SHOES.

50	prs Ladies Vici Kids, worth	$2 50, at	$1 98
50	" " " "	2 00, "	1 48
75	" " " "	1 50, "	98
600	prs Childrens School Shoes	1 00, "	69

If you don't see what you want ask for it, we have it if anybody has.

Goods delivered to any part of the city.

Yours Respectfully,

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

Christmas comes but once a year,

but you can get Budweis beer, just about the best beer on earth, the year 'round. Spring, Summer, Autumn and Winter—it's always refreshing, palatable, appetite-bringing, nourishing, because it's made from the purest materials, by the cleanest methods, by skillful brewers. Make Santa Claus your servitor and bring good cheer in the shape of Prospect Brewing Co's beer in your home.

J. F. Taylor,
NEW BERN, N. C.

Watch Bargains.

For the next two weeks we are selling the following grades of Watches; strictly first class, my personal guarantee, as well as the factory guarantee on all of them, for cash only, as quoted.

A Gentlemens or Ladies, 20 year Gold Filled Case, Guaranteed movement, at
$7.50.

Open Face, Screw Back and Front, Nickel Case, Elgin or Waltham movement, for
$5.50.

Same watch as above only 20 year gold-filled case, for
$8.50.

Ladies small size, 14 karat, heavy case, Guaranteed movement, for
18.75.

One 16 size, 20 year, screw back and front 17 jewel adjusted movement, for
15.00.

Bring this list with you.

J. O. BAXTER.

PEPSI-COLA
DELICIOUS, HEALTHFUL, INVIGORATING.
Not Injurious.
Helps Digestion.
5c.
AT SODA FOUNTAINS.

The National Bank of New Berne Annual Meeting.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of this Bank, for the election of its Directors, and the transaction of such other business, as may come before them, will be held at their banking house on the 2nd Tuesday of January being the 13th day of January 1903.

The polls will be opened at 12 o'clock m. to be closed at 1 p. m.

New Bern, N. C., Dec. 12th, 1902.
G H ROBERTS,
Cashier.

Poor Print