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CUSTOM HOUSE, New Bern, N. C., Collector's Office, May 4, 1903.—SUPPLIES FOR REVENUE VESSELS.—SEALED PROPOSALS for supplying ship chandlery, rations and coal to vessels of the United States Revenue Cutter Service, regularly stationed, or temporarily, at New Bern, N. C., and delivered on board said vessels at that place during the fiscal year ending June 30, 1904, will be received at this Office until 2 o'clock p. m. of Thursday, May 21, 1903, at which time and place they will be publicly opened. The coal furnished to be anthracite or bituminous of best quality, uniform in character, to weigh 2,240 pounds to the ton, to be delivered on board the vessels at such times and in such quantities as may be required, at localities readily accessible to said vessels, and to be subject to inspection as to quality and weight. Bidders will name the prices both for steaming and stove coal, and also their facilities for furnishing the vessels with fresh water, and their charges therefor. Blank forms of proposals, with schedules showing articles of ship chandlery and component parts of rations, may be had upon application to this Office. PROPOSALS MUST BE SUBSCRIBED ON THEIR FORMS. Separate bids will also be received, at the same time and place for lubricating and illuminating oils. The right is reserved to reject any or all bids.

DANIEL W. PATRICK, Collector.

REPORT OF CEMETERIES.

Their Splendid Condition as Reported by Chairman Thos. F. McCarthy.

Chairman of Cemetery Committee, T. F. McCarthy read to the Board report of the condition of the city cemeteries, financial and otherwise.

Upon motion the report was received and ordered spread upon the city record book and published in the New Bern Journal.

Upon motion the following resolution of thanks and praise of the Board by a unanimous vote for his able and noble management of the cemeteries of our city as appears in report. Like of such has never been known in the history of the cemeteries. J. J. TOLSON, Clerk.

To the Hon. the Mayor and Board of Aldermen:

Gentlemen:—On behalf of the Committee on Cemeteries, I beg leave to submit the following report for the period for which we have had charge of these properties.

CEDAR GROVE CEMETERY.

When we took charge we received from Capt. K. R. Jones, trustee		$ 134 46
Received from E A Wood-ruff, trustee of Gooding estate		250 00
From sale of lots graves and rent of vault	3,350 50	
Less commission	335 05	
		3,015 45
		3,399 91
To enclose limits we purchased house and lot from G F Banks for		435 00
By 200 tons of marl for avenues and walks		230 00
By building tool house		95 00
By extra labor in vault, trees, etc as per vouchers		465 00
		1,225 00
Balance in treasury		$ 2,174 91

The purchase of the house and lot added to the cemetery limits about ½ of an acre as well as removing an unsightly object, giving the city the entire block or square bounded by Queen, George, Braggs alley and Stanly streets.

The construction of a suitable building for the care of the tools and also for an office was imperatively demanded and is in our opinion a good investment The cemetery now has for the first time in its history a receiving vault owned by the city, this being secured without any cash outlay, a cemetery lot being exchanged for it.

We have just completed the placing of one hundred tons of live marl upon the avenues and walks, this being in addition to the one hundred tons placed two years ago and the result is a splendid condition of the avenues and walks. We have under your instructions made a contract with Mr. H A. Brown, Jr. for an extension of the rock wall, that is so striking a feature of the cemetery, the wall is to be one foot thick and four feet high clear of foundation and is to cost $.57½ per lineal foot and to be completed in six months. We are gratified to be able to say that the funds for this extension and important improvement are in the city treasury, as is shown by the financial part of this report.

With those already made and the improvements contracted for, it is not too much to say, that Cedar Grove Cemetery is now in better physical and financial condition than at any time perhaps in its history.

GREENWOOD CEMETERY.

To cash from Capt. K. R. Jones, trustee. To sale of lot and graves	$478.50	$27.00
Less commission	47.65	432.85
		465.85
By cash for lumber, posts, nails, extra labor, paints, etc		156.33
Balance in treasury		309.52

We beg to report that this to our knowledge is the first time in its history that Greenwood Cemetery has had a substantial balance to its credit, this to, when it is remembered that the property has been kept in good condition, and is now in very good shape.

We beg to submit that in our stewardship we have taken a strong personal interest in these "God's acres" and striven in every way to supplement the efforts of individual owners in making them beautiful and attractive.

Very Respectfully,

for the committee.

THOS F. MCCARTHY, Chairman.

Peace Institute Commencement.

The Editor of the Journal acknowledges with thanks the invitation of Miss Annie Dudley Green, of the class of 1903, to attend the Commencement Exercises of Peace Institute, May 17th to 20th.

Don't buy anything in the following lines till you have seen our stock Ladies fine shoes, dress goods, in all grades, laces, silks, sateens, hosiery, table linen, towels, white goods a specialty, ribbons, etc. Will save you money, see us and be convinced.

Respectfully,

J. J. BAXTER.

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Absolutely Pure

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RALIGH.

Corporation Commission Makes Classification

On Paper Boxes. New Incorporations. Damages For Killing Fireman. Baptists Make Fine Missionary Report. Carnival Affairs.

RALEIGH, May 6.—The Corporation Commission today issued an order for changes in the commissioners classification which provides that from and after May 10, 1903, the classification on paper boxes will be as follows: Paper boxes, not nested, packed L C L, double first class rate, which means a reduction of about ½ in the freight rate. The term "nested," as used in the Commissioners' classification, covers a series of two or more like articles fitting closely one within another. Heretofore the term "nested" has meant 3 or more articles so packed. Plow single-trees are placed in the 5th class which means a rate about ½ of the rate now in force.

The Wade Hardware Co., of Dunn is incorporated with $50,000 capital.

State Auditor Dixon returned today from Lemon Springs where he delivered the commencement address at Miss Caldwell's school. Tomorrow he speaks at Dry Wells, Nash county, then goes to Franklin, Macon county, where he is the orator at a Confederate reunion Monday.

The Benson Prize House Company at Benson in Johnson county was incorporated today with $500 paid capital and $10,000 authorized.

The Supreme Court is hearing argument today in Williams against the Commissioners of Henderson county which involves the validity of $100,000 in bonds issued for building the Asheville and Spartanburg railroad. The bonds were issued under an act of 1875 and refunded under an act of 1903. Ex-Judge H. G. Ewart is arguing for the commissioners. The Superior Court decided against the bond holders. In the Federal Court Judge Boyd decided for the bonds so the action is pending in both courts.

A jury here has awarded $2,000 damages against the Seaboard Air Line for killing the colored fireman Pat Norwood.

Secretary Livingston Johnson of the Baptist State Mission Board said before leaving for Savannah last night that North Carolina would make the best report it has ever made. Baptists in this State raised this year for Foreign Missions $15,541.26, a gain of $2,847.43 over last year. For Home Missions $5,906.24 an increase of $1,790 90 over last year. He adds "From now until the meeting of our State Convention, the work in our own State will be vigorously pressed There is undoubtedly a greater missionary spirit among our people than ever before."

Supt. J. Y. Joyner is much gratified at the results of special school tax elections Monday and Tuesday. The tax was carried in Williamston, Mebane, Fayetteville, Hawfield, Pelham, Haw River, Hamlet, Warlington and Hickory. In Plymouth the schools also won under the leadership of ex-Senator H. S. Ward.

The suit of William Rogers vs C. B. Ray is on trial here now. Ray's horses ran away and injured the plaintiff, who asks damages.

The registration for the city election here was only 1353 and 554 of these did not go to the polls.

The first special trains bringing crowds to the Street Carnival here came today and decidedly increased the attendance.

The voting for Queen of the Carnival closed at midnight and Miss Lillian Tucker was the winner receiving 1452 votes.

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The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher

All soda water bottles and beer bottles used by the Crown Bottling Works are thoroughly washed inside and out.

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Heroic Self Defense of a Popular Young New Bern Man.

Mr. Tom Roberts had an exciting experience a few days ago while a passenger on the A. & N. C. train bound for Morehead. He was talking with a couple of gentlemen seated with him and across the aisle were two men, brothers, who were evidently under the influence of liquor and were itching for trouble. The younger one of them singled out Mr. Roberts as one who had made a slighting remark about them and told the older one that the man in the gray suit, meaning Mr. Roberts, was talking about them.

The older man asked Mr. Roberts if he had been saying anything about them and he replied that he had not, which seemed to satisfy him. The younger one however seemed determined to get into a scrap and kept inciting his brother to a row.

At the first or second stop beyond Newport Mr. Roberts noticed that they had left the car but presently they returned one of them holding a brick. He was heard to say "I'll fix him, ——him." Mr. Roberts saw there was but one thing to do and that it was best to be done quickly. Without any preliminary talk Mr. Roberts pushed out his strong right arm and hit the man with the brick and knocked him flat. Then the brother jumped into our pugilistic friend and he was given the same kind of punishment only when he went down his head went through the car window. By this time the first man down had recovered himself and for fear that he might again attempt to make a scene Mr. Roberts pushed him back so that he stood on the car platform.

The men, though breathing threatenings against Mr. Roberts heeded the advice of their friends and ceased hostilities. They were put off the train.

Mr. Roberts suffered very little from the little encounter and received deserved praise for his plucky defense. They would probably have assaulted and injured him seriously had it not been for his quick and vigorous blows.

Letter to P H Pelletier.

New Bern, N C.

Dear Sir: You are a maker; so are we. You know what you make; you know all about it. We know our paint as you know your goods.

We know what it is, how it acts, what it does, how it lives, and how long—the conditions being favorable or unfavorable.

It is fair that we take the risk of it every way; but we ought not to risk any use or abuse of it.

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We want to be trusted by them. We trust them first; that's the way to get trusted. We trust them to paint with a fair degree of common paint-knowledge and care. We expect to be trusted to furnish paint as good as paint can be, and to last as long as paint can.

If you do your business that way, you are a fellow with us and one of a thousand.

A few mean men in the course of a year will abuse our trust and put us to loss; but 999 in 1,000 will tell their friends how true we are, and our paint is. That's what has made us the largest paint concern in the world. It is our best advertisement.

Yours truly,

F. W. DEVOE & CO., New York.

P. S. E. W. Smallwood sells our paint.

Mothers, Quakers, Heckers and Leggets Oat flakes 10c. package at J R Parker, Jr's.

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24 " " "	" 7 50,	"	4 79
45 " " "	" 5 50,	"	2 98
96 pr Mens Pants, light and dark,	worth $2 50,	our price	$1 98
125 pr " in stripe,	worth $1 25	our price	79c
150 pr " in all colors and stripes,	worth $1 00	our price	69c
125 Boys Suits in light colors, all wool,	worth $2 50	our price	$1 69
100 " all colors,	worth $1 50	our price	98c
75 " wash goods all styles,	worth $1 00	our price	69c
500 pr Boys Knee Pants, size from 3 to 18 years,	worth $1 00	our price	49c
150 " " " 8 to 17 "	"	40c our price	19c

LADIES AND GENTS SHOES.

300 pr Mens Shoes in latest styles,	worth $2 00	our price	$1 69
440 pr " " "	1 50	"	98c
75 pr Mens Slippers,	worth $1 00	our price	58c
300 pr Ladies Slippers	worth $2 00	our price	$1 39
350 pr " "	1 25	"	98c
250 pr " "	1 00	"	69c

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Full line of Drugs and Medicines.

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