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Notice of Dissolution of Copartnership.

To whom it may concern:—Take notice that the copartnership heretofore existing between the undersigned at Maysville, N. C., under the firm name and style of J. H. & A. O. Pearce has been dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due the old firm should be paid to A. O. Pearce and all debts due by the old firm will be paid by him as they mature.

The general merchandise business will be continued by A. O. Pearce, and we space for him your favorable consideration. The Entry business will be continued by J. H. Pearce and we spend for him your favorable consideration.

J. H. PEARCE,
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Maysville, N. C., Jan. 1, 1904.

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Foot Balls, Air Rifles, Ingersoll Watches, &c for the boys.

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We want your attention, Ladies a Specialty. We are keeping the very finest Sirloin Steak, Corned Hams and Pork.

Very respectfully,

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DRY STOVE WOOD and Hard down Wood. Delivered to Place Name. Respectfully,

See BIG HILL. The Strongin Man.

FAVORS TOBACCO

Colonel John S. Cunningham Says Plant Good Acreage.

Investigated Cattle Disease Identified the Negro. Railroads Say Schedule too Fast. Oxford Orphanage Gets Bequest. Masonic Communication.

RALEIGH, Jan 12.—Dr Tait Butler, state veterinarian has returned from Swannanoa, near Asheville, where he investigated disease among the herd of 22 cattle at the Farm School. Out of the 22, 14 died, some in 30 hours after being attacked. The deaths were due to ptomaine poison of some kind. An experiment is now being conducted by placing other cattle among those sick. The disease is not infectious.

Colonel John S. Cunningham, president of the North Carolina Tobacco Growers Association is here and when asked his views as to the reduction of the acreage in tobacco said:—"My advice is to raise food crops and then all the tobacco that can conveniently be planted. This task of organizing to reduce crop acreage amounts to nothing When the statement gets out that there will be a general reduction some farmers are sure to plant more, thinking prices will be higher. Such attempts at organized reduction will always be a failure. There will however, be a reduction in the east of perhaps 30 per cent and in the older tobacco growing section of some 20 per cent I believe. Tobacco is now selling at better prices than it brought in the autumn."

Treasurer Joseph G Brown of the Methodist Orphanage here says funds are coming in very well for it. A gentleman died in Alabama recently and left by his will a considerable quantity of land to the orphanage.

The Oxford Orphan Asylum is also understood to be in luck. The late Miss Betsy Bryan of Saratoga, Wilson county a sister of Mrs Robert W. Best, having left by her will money to this asylum.

This morning Mrs Paschall Long of Edgecombe county came here with her husband and Sheriff Bullock of that county to see Joe Battle, the 23 year old negro in jail here, who is charged with having feloniously assaulted her on the first day of last August. Mrs Long said "He is the man, only he is lighter, a good deal lighter, because he has been in prison." Sheriff Bullock said "Battle is a good deal lighter than when I brought him from Manchester, Va. to Raleigh to save him from lynching. Being in jail has bleached his color. He was born near Rocky Mount and until he was 15 years old lived on the farm of General W R Cox. When we got into jail three prisoners were brought out, Battle among them, and he would not turn his face. He showed all the signs of guilt. When I was bringing him from Manchester he admitted that he had worked in a brick yard within a quarter of a mile of Mrs Long's home, although he had before denied that he had been in that section. He is a native of Edgecombe county. Mrs Long is 24 years old and her home is about three miles from Rocky Mount. Battle will be kept in jail here until the first week in March We are afraid to carry him to Edgecombe until the trial time, as he would certainly be lynched. If he is not found guilty he will be lynched anyway. I am certain of that. Of course I will do my duty to prevent any such thing." Mrs Long is a small woman, quite pale and his. Her husband said the identification was such that he was certain Battle was the man who had been described to him by his wife. It is said that Mrs Long was more certain later of the identity of Battle than she was when she first saw him, as he was not as black as she expected him to be, having brightened under confinement. Her last words were "He must be the right negro."

State Auditor Dixon was much amused today by the receipt of a letter addressed to Mr Aycock Dixon. It was about pension matters, these gentlemen being among the most prominent members of the State pension board.

The corporation commission devoted today to hearing arguments in the matter of the connection at Salem between the Atlantic Coast Line and the Southern railway, the commission having ordered the Atlantic Coast Line to quicken its time about half an hour in order to make the connection and the Coast line having excepted and replied that it could not quicken the time, while the Southern railway said its schedule was already so fast as to be dangerous.

The Grand Lodge of Masons met here tonight in its 116th annual communication, with a very large attendance. The orator at this communication was Col. John S Cunningham, who made an excellent address, in which he showed the great work done by masonry, and told of the fact that the most distinguished men in American history were members of this great order, headed by Washington, the most eminent of the sons of men. In this State the order was established before the Revolution and the residence of William Hooper, a signer of the Declaration of Independence, was at Masonboro, so named because the lodge had opened there. Many years earlier a lodge had been established at Wilmington, but of its history there appears to be no information. Grand-Master William R Davis devoted himself to securing university at Chapel Hill of which he laid the corner stone, and its establishment was due more to him than any one else. The chief actors in State affairs in those early days were all masons, and they had a powerful influence. The noble order has taken a deep hold among Anglo Saxons. The splendid results and triumph of the grand principles of masonry are witnessed everywhere.

Prohibition Jugs For Goldsboro.

Goldsboro Argus.

The afternoon train from the North is now known as the "jug train" and more tickets have been sold to and from Pikeville in the last ten days than for several months before. On Saturday afternoon there were about thirty jugs besides the large number of bottles, and again on the Norfolk shoofly Saturday night there was a quantity of whiskey brought here from Pikeville. The Mayor had one case of drunk and disorderly before his court this morning. The offender said he got his whiskey in Pikeville. "On to Pikeville" seems to be the slogan of the old as well as young topers.

Sympathy to Gen. Gordon's Family.

Mrs Fred A. Olds, president of the North Carolina division, United Daughters of the Confederacy has sent to the family of Gen John B Gordon, at Miami, Fla., the following telegram: "The North Carolina Daughters send tenderest sympathy in your great sorrow."

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The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher

Fabst Milwaukee Beer, per box of 2 doz. bottles, $1,25 at Crown Bottling Works.

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I also sell BRICK.

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20% REDUCTION!

In order to make room for Spring Goods we have decided to close out our entire stock of

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Also fresh Oatflakes, Cream of Wheat, Force,

I desire to call special attention to our Pure Leaf Lard, which is superior in quality to any sold elsewhere in the city.

Harvey's Small Sugar cured Hams, Breakfast Strips and English Cured Shoulders,

Nice Fresh Tripe 5c lb,

Complete stock Dried Fruits and Canned Goods,

I will thank you for a share of your trade,

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Don't buy apples until you see my stock and get prices. Will save you money.

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Chesapeake Bay Oysters to-day at

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Thanking our customers for their patronage in 1903 we shall endevor to make it more interesting for you during,

We now offer the remainder of our Winter Stock of Dress Goods, Clothing, Shoes Hats, Winter Under wear, Blankets, Comforts, Capes, Jackets, Skirts, Mens Top Shirts also a large lot Mens and Boys Overcoats.

All the above stock must be turned into cash at a Reduction of from 25c to 35c on the dollar,

Come on, the first come gets their pick.

S. COPLON,

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75 MIDDLE STREET, Next to Gaskill Hardware Co., New Bern.

Plumbing!

I have removed my tin shop and plumbing business from my old stand to a new building near corner Broad and Middle streets.

We are now prepared to do plumbing and will do it right at right prices. Give us your orders to-day.

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Our Entire Stock To Be Sacrificed For 10 days.

SALE BEGINS THURSDAY, AND CONTINUES 10 DAYS ONLY.

All Winter Goods Must Go Regardless of, Even, Cost.

THE GREATEST MONEY SAVING EVENT OF THIS CENTURY.

Anticipating heavy advance in prices we placed our spring orders some months ago—these goods will soon be coming in—we must have room for them, also.

WE SHALL ADD A BIG MILLINERY DEPARTMENT THIS SPRING.

This Department will require large space—we must make this space, by closing out our present stocks. REMEMBER, this is just mid-winter, and these are all the most wanted seasonable goods—every thing is Reduced. Dispense a saving of from a fourth to a half to you, on the very goods you most need, and must have.

Sale Begins Thursday Morning at 9 o'clock and Continues 10 Days Only.

Gallons, extra, 7c	6c	Oil window shade, 35c, 40c and 50c		300 Pairs Ladies Fine Dress shoes, worth from $2.50 to $3.00, all reduced to	75c
6c. Percale, reduced	4c	8c. Cotton Flannels, soft finish	6c	Men's unlaundried Fine Shirts reduced to	$1.00
10 lb. Percales, reduced	5c	100 doz. Men's Knit Underwear	15c	Wm. Taylor's shoes at $2.50 and $3.00, now	$1.95
10c. Percales, yd	8c	Heel Bonelacs, worth 10c., reduced to	5c	Boys Knee Pant Suits, in Tweed	95c
10,000 yds. Hamburgs	3c. up	Cable Flannel Lined Underwear, each	19c	Boys Overcoats	75c
5,000 yds. Lawn	7½c. up	Ladies Flannel Lined Kids,		Boys Overcoats, a bargain, at	$2.50
White waist goods, a splendid line, and every Number it worth you 10c-6 now	5c. to 10c	Turkey red Twill	10c	Men's Odd Pants, $4 pair, now	2.00
Ladies Rain Coats	75c	Ladies Kilt Sweaters, heavy, 75c. at	$1.00	Men's Kid Gloves, all sizes, reduced to	50c
G. H. T. Sugar Shells	4 for 5c	Ladies Fine Kid Gloves, all sizes, reduced to	50c	Men's Hats, from $3 Grade, now reduced to	50c
Boys' 6 & 7 Piece Suit shoes, worth $2.50 shoes reduced to	$1.50	Men's Knit Ties, 25c shoes, reduced to	10c	Ladies Gloves	$1.00
15c Bleaching, warth 12c, reduced to	10c			Ladies Cloaks	75c
3-4 Table Oil Cloth, worth 25c, now	15c			All Silk Ribbons, in all colors and widths, 5 Bands off all prices.	
				36c. all wool Flannel Dress goods at	27½c
				Ladies Tan Hose 5 pairs for Quarter, worth 25 to 35c each, choice	25c
				Boys Linen Collars, 10 and 12c, at	5 & 7½c
				Good Heavy shoe in every shape and width, Dongola Kid and Calf	
				Tablecloth per bleach	25c
				Counter at	$1.00
				Calicoes	5c

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