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For Your Spring Gown.

The material and the trimmings for your Spring Gown can be bought nowhere else so wisely and economically as here.

The goods are all you can ask—fresh, fashionable, and in wide variety,

The prices are even lower than our prices usually are, and that means a great deal.

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At the price in prospect you can afford to fertilize it well, If you want the BEST—

Use Meadows Great Cotton Guano.

Insist on having that kind, and you will not be disappointed in your crop.

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Use Meadows Gold Leaf Tobacco Guano

It makes good, slick, tough Tobacco. November 1903 one planter sold 1,452 pounds of tobacco for $511,00. He used Gold Leaf

Special High Grade Fertilizers for all crops

If there is no dealer in your section handling our goods, write us.

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Factory Neuse River, New Bern, N. C.

Notice!

Any farmer desiring to fence his land with the American Field Fence can procure the same of me for a short while. I now have in stock two car loads of Same.

E. W. Smallwood,

Under Hotel Chattawka,

NEW BERN, N. C.

Our Stock of White Goods Embroideries and Lace

For the Spring is now complete and were bought at old prices.

Make your selection early.

D. F. JARVIS,

63 Pollock St.

To The Public.

Having purchased the interests of F H Salter in his business, I beg to announce that I have again renewed the business of the Sale & Exchange of Horses, Mules, Buggies, Wagons, Harness, etc, at the same old stand, Middle street, and will be pleased to meet my old friends, and prepared to serve all customers in my line.

Very Respectfully,

MAYER HAHN.

Change of Firm

W A McLotsch has sold his interest in the firm of McLotsch and Williams, and retires, J. L. Cosby succeeding, the new firm now being Williams and Cosby, who will continue the business at the same stand on Craven Street.

EUGENE WILLIAMS,

J. L. COSBY.

February 1st, 1904.

Novelty Valentines!

We are showing them in the very latest creations.

BARNETT'S BOOK STORE

L. M. EDGERTON,
90 Middle St.,
Phone 291.

Valuable City Property For Sale.

All that certain piece of property corner of Johnson and Metcalf streets, and formerly owned by George H White; also a piece corner Queen and Hancock streets, formerly owned by William Gaither. For information concerning the purchase of the above property, apply to

R. W. WILLIAMSON,
98 Craven St, New Bern.

Pabst Milwaukee Beer, per box of 2 doz. bottles, $1.25 at Crown Bottling Works.

Kodol Dyspepsia Cure

Digests what you eat.

Candidates Hustling

Raleigh, Feby 11.—The Democratic campaign for the nomination for governor is quite actively in progress now, so far as the four aspirants are concerned. Major Charles M Stedman is writing personal letters to persons in all parts of the State, Capt Gleaves is speaking, and it is understood that Lt Governor Turner and Col Davidson are by no means idle.

N. C. Ice Association

Raleigh, N. C. Febuary 11th.— At the annual meeting of the North Carolina Ice Association held here, R. R. Conger of Edenton was elected president, N. W. Thompson of Greensboro, vice-president and William Dunn of New Bern, Secy. and Treas. The next session will be held at Rocky Mount. It is the purpose to form a closer union of the ice manufacturers in this State, of whom there are about thirty.

An Early Riser.

A strong, healthy, active constitution depends largely on the condition of the liver. The famous little pills known as DeWitt's Little Early Risers not only cleanse the system but they strengthen the action of the liver and rebuild the tissues supporting that organ. Little Early Risers are easy to not, they never gripe and yet they are absolutely certain to produce results that are satisfactory in all cases. Sold by F. S. Duffy.

Long Term Convict Escapes.

Raleigh, February 11.—Lane Morgan, white, a long termed convict, made an escape from the State convict camp, 5 miles from here, where the force is grading the Raleigh and Pamlico Sound railway. He was shot after five times and it is said was hit. He is from Montgomery, is 21 years old, and is under a thirty years sentence for murder.

Baltimore Bank Escaped

Raleigh, February 11.—Bank men here were surprised today to receive notices of the escape from serious damage of the great building of the Merchants National Bank of Baltimore, which was right in the track of the fire, yet the notices to the banks stated that only the eighth story was injured.

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.

The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher

YESTERDAY'S COTTON MARKET.

NEW YORK, Feb. 11.

COTTON—	Open.	High.	Low.	Close
March.....	13.89		13.87	13.89
May.....	14.17		13.70	14.10
July	14.19		13.89	14.18
Aug.....	13.89		13.84	13.85
Oct.....	11.88		11.89	11.90
Dec.....				

When You Have a Cold.

The first action when you have a cold should be to relieve the lungs. This is best accomplished by the free use of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. This Remedy liquefies the tough mucous and causes its expulsion from the air cells of the lungs, produces a free expectoration and opens the secretions. A complete cure soon follows. This remedy will cure a severe cold in less time than any other treatment and it leaves the system in a natural and healthy condition. It counteracts any tendency toward pneumonia. For sale by all Druggists.

Are Double Twins.

"Is there any foundation for the popular belief that the constituents of man's body are renewed once every seven years?" inquired the female medical student.

"I do not know how it is with a man," replied the grumpy old professor, who does not approve of having women attend his lectures, "but I have read of a certain female whose body underwent two complete physical changes in the course of a very few minutes."

"How and when did such a wonderful thing happen?"

"It was Lot's wife. You remember, she turned to rubber and then almost at once turned to salt."

Security For the Future.

Wife—Darling, we dined at the Squashers just one week ago tonight. Do you realize that we must make our dinner call? Husband—Suppose we don't. Wouldn't they like it? Wife—Why, they never would forgive us. I'm sure they would never ask us again. Husband—Good. Then we won't go.—Brooklyn Life.

Nenny Saved is Nenny Made.

Dr Wm Bell, of Webster, N. C., an old practitioner of medicine, tells us that after many years experience in medicine he finds it money saved to his patients to use Taylor's Chemical Remedy of Sweet Gum and Mullein for coughs, colds, and consumption.

At druggists, 50c., 75 c., and $1.00 a bottle. For sale in New Bern by F S Duffy.

Pabst Milwaukee Beer on Draught at A. M. Howard's.

FIERCE WAR.

Land And Naval Battl Around Port Arthur.

CHINESE ARE RISING.

Heavy Losses Reported. Russians Lose More Ships. Doubt of Result of Land Battle. Fighting on the Yalu River.

London, February 11.—War against Russia is being pushed by the Japanese around Port Arthur and on the Yalu river which divides Korea from Manchuria. Twenty Japanese transports yesterday attempted to land troops between Port Arthur and Dalny. The troop ships were convoyed by six Japanese warships. Landings were attempted at several points while the remainder of the Japanese fleet kept up a bombardment of the harbor.

The landing was repulsed by the Russian artillery supported by the Siberian rifles. The fighting lasted for two hours and the loss in killed and wounded on both sides was very heavy.

A dispatch from Chefoo says that a fierce battle is reported to have taken place at Ta Tung Kow on the Yalu river. The news was brought by couriers. The battle was the result of another attempt by the Japanese to isolate Port Arthur by cutting the railroad communication to the north. The fighting was at close range and an immense loss was suffered by both sides.

Chefoo, February 11.—A northeast gale prevails and completes the wreck of the Russian battleships and cruisers which were beached after being torpedoed Monday night at Port Arthur.

The latest news confirms the statement that the crews of the Russian cruisers Variag and Koriets surrendered to the Japs at Chemulpo. There were 500 men.

Shanghai, February 11.—Japan has organized the Mongolians of Manchuria under Prince Tuan. The Chinese will attack the Russians from the rear, along the line of the Yalu river, while the Japanese forces will force the war along the Korean frontier.

London, February 11.—The reported result of the naval engagement at Port Arthur, today while the Japanese were attempting to land troops, was the sinking of four Russian battleships and three Russian cruisers. In the Japanese fleet two ships were damaged.

Some of the details of the fight at Chemulpo say that the captain of the Russian cruiser Varing remained on board his ship and blew her up after the crew had escaped from the vessel. The Koriets engaged the Japanese cruisers first while the Varing protected the Russian transports. The Koriets was soon destroyed. The same report says that a French warship notified the Russians of the Japanese approach.

A dispatch from Chefoo says that in anticipation of the return of a Japanese fleet the Russian authorities at Port Arthur are adopting extra defensive measures, such as tearing down brick buildings whose destruction by bombardment might entail loss of life.

Paris, Feb 11.—St Petersburg announces the bombardment of Port Arthur today and claims that the Japanese fleet withdrew after suffering severe losses. According to the Russian dispatches the Japanese landing forces were repulsed. It is believed however that the Japanese succeeded in landing North of Talien Wan Inlet on which Port Arthur stands. This place of landing is stated to be Kwang Tung peninsula which would cut of the Russian stronghold from Harbin which place it is connected by the Manchuria railroad.

St Petersburg, Feby 11.—Admiral Alexieff was appointed to the supreme command of the Russian land forces in the far East by the Czar. The Admiral will now direct both the army and navy.

Tokio, Feby 11.—The government has officially published the numbers of its

MASS OF SORES

Awful Suffering of a Boy from an Itching Humour.

CURED BY CUTICURA

Not One Square Inch of Skin on His Whole Body Was Unaffected.

"My little son, a boy of five, broke out with an itching rash. Three doctors prescribed for him, but he kept getting worse until we could not dress him any more. They finally advised me to try a certain medical college, but its treatment did not do any good. At the time I was induced to try Cuticura Remedies he was so bad that I had to cut his hair off and put the Cuticura Ointment on him on bandages, as it was impossible to touch him with the bare hand. There was not one square inch of skin on his whole body that was not affected. He was one mass of sores. The bandages used to stick to his skin and in removing them it used to take the skin off with them, and the screams from the poor child were heart-breaking. I began to think that he would never get well, but after the second application of Cuticura Ointment I began to see signs of improvement, and with the third and fourth applications the sores commenced to dry up. His skin peeled off twenty times, but it finally yielded to the treatment. I used the Cuticura Resolvent for his blood, and now I can say that he is entirely cured, and a stronger and healthier boy you never saw than he is to-day."

ROBERT WATTAM,

4022 Center Ave., Chicago, Ill., Dec. 30, 1897.

No return in six years, Mr. Wattam writes, Feb. 28, 1903.

"Your letter of the 21st in regard to the case of my little boy at hand. I am truly thankful to say that the cure effected by the Cuticura Remedies has been a most thorough and successful cure to date."

Sold throughout the world. Cuticura Resolvent, the new form of Alterative Blood Purifier, 50c. per vial of 60 doses. Cuticura Soap, 25c. Cuticura Ointment, 50c. Potter Drug & Chem. Corp., Sole Proprietors.

Send for "How to Cure Every Humour."

NO MAN IS RICH ENOUGH

to do without fire insurance—none so poor as not to need it. Whether your property consists of real property or household goods, you need fire insurance of the stable sort—stable in the sense of reliable—the one and only kind we write. Think it over once, twice, thrice and then determine upon the wisdom of taking out fire insurance at this office.

I also sell BRICK.

GEO. A. NICOLL,

Phone 200. So. Front & Hancock Sts.

Pleased to have you Call we will be to examine our new stock of Spring Fabrics. We are showing a superb assortment of Worsteds and Cheviots in both imported and domestic goods for Spring. Newest patterns for suits, trousers in most handsome colorings. We have all the correct styles in cut and finish to show you.

F. M. Chadwick.

Notice of First Meeting of Creditors.

In the District Court of the United States, for the Eastern District of North Carolina in Bankruptcy.

In the matter of Geo H Sutton, Bankrupt in Bankruptcy.

To the Creditors of Geo H Sutton, of La Grange, in the County of Lenoir and District aforesaid, a Bankrupt.

Notice is hereby given that on the 8th day of February A D 1904, the said Geo H Sutton was duly adjudicated bankrupt and that the first meeting of his creditors will be held at New Bern, N C, in the United State Court Room on the 19th day of Feb. 1904 at 12 o'clock noon, at which time the said creditors may attend, prove their claims, appoint trustees examine the bankrupt and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

CARUL W SMALLWOOD,

Referee in Bankruptcy.

New Bern, N C.

Feb. 11th, 1904.

WHITFORD HARDWARE CO.,

68 Middle St., New Bern, N. C.

Phone 99.

All kinds Builders Material, Sash, Doors, Blinds, Lime and Cement

New Era Ready-mixed Paint, The Best and Cheapest on the market. Builders Tools of the Best Grade.

Stoves and Cooking Utensils, Guns, Pistols, Shells and Cartridges,

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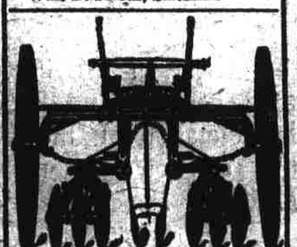

I HAVE already sold about four CAR loads of the the above cultivators and never heard a customer say they were not pleased with it but all praise it. It is in my judgment the best farming implement ever sold in our State. It has taken the premium over all other cultivators. Write to me for Catalogues and prices or see my representatives.

I keep repairs on hand.

J. M. SPENCER,

Agent,

NEW BERN, N. C.

Also Agent for the Aspinwall Potato Planter.

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We put Rubber Tires on your old or new wheels. We shrink your loose tires in a machine without cutting them, or without taking tire from wheel on buggy while you wait. Everybody is invited to see the machine at work putting new hubs in old pieces.

G. R. Waters & Sons,

Phone 186

70 Broad St. New Bern, N. C

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A full supply of Anthracite free burning White Ash, Grate, Stove and Chestnut Coal, also the Celebrated Pocahontas Bituminous for grates and Steam.

The Best Oak, Ash, Pine and Mixed wood.

Quick, Prompt Delivery.

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Hat Pin Sale!

Over two gross Sterling Silver Hat Pins in the New Designs, finished in grey silver, 15c, 20 and 25c Just in. See the window.

J. O. Baxter,

BURGER BLOCK,

NEW BERN.

NICE LOT

FANCY CAKES

10c, 15c and 20c per pound

Just Received Nice and Fresh at

J. L. McDANIEL'S.

Also Fancy Evaporated Peaches and Apples 10c lb.

New lot Harvey's Small Hams and Breakfast Strips.

Blackeye Peas 5c qt,

A Complete stock Staple and Fancy Groceries.

Yours to Please,

J. L. McDANIEL, Wholesale & Retail Grocer,

'Phone 191. 71 Broad St.

Fresh Lot

Florida Oranges

JUST RECEIVED:

J. R. PARKER, Jr.

Wholesale and Retail Grocer,

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Have You a Thirst?

So much the better—by that much more you'll enjoy a draught of Budweis beer. It's a thirst quencher which receives many a well merited encomium—will receive your praise, too, after you have once shared the pleasure of those who long ago found out the many merits of Budweis beer.

Wholesale and retail by

J. F. Taylor,

NEW BERN, N. C.

Agent for Prospect Brewing Co. of Philadelphia.

Fresh Car Load every week.

Cotton Goods

AT OLD PRICES!

Our line of Spring and Summer Cotton Goods is now in. All bought at last years prices and will be sold, as long as they last, at same prices as last year.

Embroideries and Laces.

We can save you from 25 to 50 per cent. on Laces and Embroideries. The Greatest line ever in the city.

DON'T FORGET that we are still selling our winter goods At Cost and under.

New line of Queen Quality and R. P. Rents Shoes just in.

J. J. BAXTER.

Are You Looking For Bargains?

If so come right on to S Coplon's Store, and there is the place where you can find it!

Our Beautiful line of Spring Clothing is in ready and you will find them Beauties the Prettiest style we have ever had and in spite of everything going up in price you will find our goods going down in price but not in quality.

We have two good clerks at our store and you will like them both, one is Mr Price and the other is Mr Quality and the two together makes a good team.

We still have 75 mens $10.00 suits to close out at slaughter prices, sizes 36 37, 38, 40 at $6.90.

45 Youths Suits, 14, 15, 16, 18 old price $7.50 now $5.94.

Just even 50 little boys suits, sizes from 3 to 8 half price.

50 pairs Mens Shoes to close out at half price.

120 Pair Ladies Fine Shoes, old price $3.00 and $3.50 now for this three days only $1.89.

Children Shoes any quality at a little of nothing, and here is a puzzle cotton 16 yard a Pound and Cotton Cloth at Coplon's 5c per yard.

Our Beautiful Line of Dress Goods is coming in daily. We invite all the Ladies of New Bern to come and see for themselves what Bargains they can get at our store.

Yours for Bargains,

S. COPLON,

C. C. MORTON, Salesman.

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

Plumbing!

I have removed my tin shop and plumbing business from my old stand by 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 order please.

J. W. WOOD