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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 stick, tough Tobacco. November 1903 one planter sold 1,452 pounds of tobacco for \$511.00. He used Gold Leaf.  
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### 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,  
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### Our Stock of White Goods Embroideries and Lace

For the Spring is now complete and were bought at old prices.  
Make your selection early.  
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All kinds Builders Material.  
Sash, Doors, Blinds, Lino and Cement  
New Era Ready-mixed Paint,  
The Best and Cheapest on the market.  
Saddles, Tools of the Best Grade.  
Stoves and Coking Utensils,  
Saws, Axes, Chains and Chisels,  
Iron Cultivators.

### MITCHELL'S New Stables.

Located Opposite Hotel Chattawka,  
Rigs for All Occasions. First Class Equipment. Everything in the Livery Line.  
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AMERICA'S MOST PERFECT BICYCLE  
THE MIAMI CYCLE & MFG CO.  
MIDDLETOWN, OHIO, U.S.A.  
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### 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 G. Higgins. For information concerning the purchase of the above property, apply to  
**H. W. WILLIAMS,**  
68 Queen St., New Bern.

### TO SET ASIDE

**Judge Parnell's Order For Receiver A. & N. C.**  
Papers Sent to Charleston To Judge Simonton. Hot Contest to Follow Feeling High on The Case. Another Lease Proposed.

Raleigh Feb. 27.—As was stated this correspondence application was prepared and sent to Judge Simonton by the State and by the greater number of the private stockholders of the Atlantic & North Carolina railway asking that the order made by Judge Parnell for a receiver for the Atlantic & North Carolina railway be set aside. The papers in the case were taken to Judge Simonton by Attorney General Gilmer and A. D. Ward as assistant counsel; President James A. Bryan and W. O. Munroe the attorney for the Atlantic & North Carolina railway. It is very significant, that as has been stated, the officials were unanimously of the opinion that the judge would put aside the receivership order. Feeling about this matter appears to run pretty high. An effort by receiver McBoe to have the papers served upon the President of the road last night before the latter left Raleigh failed by half an hour, the President and the other gentlemen named having left on the Seaboard Air Line for Charleston.

Several days ago the governor stated that he felt confident more bids would come in for the lease of the Atlantic & North Carolina railway, H. L. Finlayson, and W. W. Mills, having stated that they would file a bid before the week ended. They have filed their proposition, which is the second or third they have made, offering to take the road for 50 years, pay off the \$48,000 floating debt, pay the \$19,000 annual interest on the bonded debt of \$385,000, pay for the continuance of the organization of the company as at present, not except \$1200 a year, and then to pay interest on the out standing capital at the rate of 8 per cent for the first 15 years, 4 per cent for the next 10 years, 5 per cent for the following 10, and 7 per cent for the remaining 15, and further to build within ten years 50 miles of connecting railway, the lease to be void unless this 50 miles is built. The original plan of Finlayson, Mills and their associates, was to build the new road westward from Goldsboro, probably to Youngville or some other point on the Seaboard Air Line. All the bidders for the lease have stated that they would not submit to the Southern or the Atlantic Coast Line.

### ACTION ON RECEIVERSHIP.

Judge Simonton Will Hear Case in Raleigh.  
Special to Journal.  
Raleigh, February 27.—Governor Aycock received a telegram tonight from Attorney General Gilmer at Charleston, saying that Judge Simonton agrees to come to Raleigh and hear the receivership matter any time after March 1.

The Governor was asked by your correspondent if he had any doubt as to whether Judge Simonton would revoke the receivership, and replied:  
"I have not the slightest apprehension that he will do anything else than set it aside."  
**PINCH BY HIMSELF.**  
State and Three Fourths Private Stockholders Against Receivership.  
Special to Journal.  
Raleigh, February 27.—Governor Aycock says that three fourths of all the private stock of the Atlantic and North Carolina Railway has joined the State in fighting the receivership, and that so far as he knows, no one is with Finch.

### CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.  
The Kid You Have Always Bought  
Beware of cheap imitations.  
Pabst Milwaukee Beer, per box of 6 doz. bottles \$1.25 at Crown Bottling.

### PORT BURNING.

**Japanese Admiral Reports Result of Shell Fire.**  
Dainy Said to be Occupied by Japan but Denied at St. Petersburg. Plan of Russian Commander to Retreat.

Special to Journal.  
London, February 27.—Shells from the Japanese warships have set fire to Port Arthur which was in flames when the report of the bombardment was sent to Tokyo by Admiral Kamimura. Eleven Japanese ships engaged the forts and the rest of the attacking fleet, fifteen in number, withdrew to Dainy. Under cover of the ships, an army division under Lieut. General Imonyo was landed from the transports and occupied Dainy without resistance.

In the report of Admiral Kamimura to Tokyo, he describes the sinking of the five steamers in or near the entrance to the harbor which failed to block the channel. He describes the recent bombardment and the flight of three Russian warships, which appeared to be fit for action, to the inner harbor.

St. Petersburg, February 27.—The war office issues a denial of the statement that the Japanese have landed an army division at Dainy and says that the news was spread to affect the Russian financial operations in Europe.

St. Petersburg, February 27.—Admiral Alexieff reports the landing of Japanese at Posselt Bay. The advance of the Mikado's forces toward the interior of Manchuria is confirmed from other sources.

The Russian Viceroy says that the Japanese fleet blockading Port Arthur is composed of seventeen battleships and cruisers and eight torpedo boat destroyers. He admits that the fleet has established a blockade of the Port. The Russians believe that they sank Japanese torpedo boats in the battle of Thursday morning.

Rome Feb. 27.—A telegram has been received here from St. Petersburg this evening, stating that General Kuropatkin, recently appointed to the chief command, has outlined his plan of military campaign against Japan. This includes the abandonment of Harbin, on the Manchurian railroad, and the concentration of the Russian army on the Trans-Balkal frontier, whence after re-organization he will send the army into Manchuria again.

### Services Today.

Presbyterian Church—Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7.30 p. m. sermon by Rev. H. S. Bradshaw. Sunday School at 9.30 p. m. We extend a cordial invitation to all.  
Christ Church—Rev. T. M. George, pastor. 2nd Sunday in Lent. Holy Communion 7.45 a. m. Services 11 a. m. and 7.30 p. m. Sunday School 9.30 p. m. Lenten services daily during the week as announced. A cordial invitation is extended to all.  
St. Paul's Episcopal, the National Evangelist of the Free Will Baptist church will preach at the Free Will Baptist today at 11 a. m. and 7.30 p. m. Morning subject, "The Power of the Holy Spirit and the office of the Trinity God." Evening subject, "Is God a Liar." Services each evening this week. All are welcome.

First Church of Christ, Scientist, 37 Craven street. Services Sunday 10.45 a. m. and 7.30 p. m. Bible Lesson Sermon today. Subject, "Man" Genesis, 1:27. Sunday School after morning service. Testimony service Wednesday 7.30 p. m. Reading Room is open daily. All are cordially invited to attend.  
First Baptist Church, Rev. W. H. Birch, pastor. Preaching at 11 a. m., Dr. J. S. Farmer, of Raleigh, N. C., will preach, 7.30 p. m. subject, "Thou Fool! This Right-Way Road is Required of Thee." Sunday School at 9 p. m. All are cordially invited to these services.

Ordinary M. E. Church—Rev. G. T. Adams, pastor, preaching at 11 a. m. by Rev. J. W. Jenkins, Superintendent of the Methodist Orphanage. At 7.30 p. m. by the pastor, Rev. G. T. Adams. Sunday School at 9 p. m. T. A. Green, Superintendent. Epworth League meets every Monday night, 7.30 o'clock. At the morning service an offering will be made for the Orphanage.

### For Sale, Cheap For Cash.

Complete Horse Shoers' Outfit, including:  
1 Portable Forge,  
1 Anvil, 100 lbs best make.  
1 Vice 60 lbs,  
Lot Tongs, Hammers etc.  
**P. M. DRANEY,**  
67 South Front St.

### Application for Pardon.

**NORTH CAROLINA,**  
CRAVEN COUNTY.  
Notice is hereby given to the public that application will be made to the Governor of North Carolina for the pardon of W. H. Kurman, convicted at the fall term of the Superior Court of Craven county, 1903 for the crime of theft (taking of logs) and sentenced to work on public roads for a term of eight months.  
**MARY WHITE**

### HARDWARE

**COLD WEATHER NECESSITIES.**  
Don't stand in need of Coal Stoves, Fire Sets, Pokers, Stove Pipes, Stove Boards, Stove Ranges and Heaters any longer than it will take you to reach our store. All these things we have in our **HARDWARE STOCK,** and many more too numerous to mention. The very look of them will make you feel warm, and the low prices will strike you favorably, etc.  
**Foy & Simmons,**  
79 S. Front St., NEW BERN, N. C.

**AVOID WORRY.**  
as to the safety of your property by taking out a fire policy in one of the sound, long established companies on our books. Lessening of fear is worth more than the premiums we charge, every day in the week. Sundays included. You can reach us by phone. I also sell BRICK.  
**GEO. A. NICOLL,**  
Phone 200. So. Front & Hancock Sts.

### New Shoes and Shoes New!

We have received our Spring line of Douglas, Cross sets, Nettletons and Balston Shoes for Men, and Queen Quality and R. P. Reeds for Women, in Oxford and High-outs.  
**MILLINERY.**  
Our stock of Millinery is coming in daily, and Miss Mamie Dawson will be pleased to see one and all at our Millinery Store at 98 Middle Street opposite the Baptist Church.  
Notice of our opening will be given in due time.  
Respectfully,  
**J. J. BAXTER.**

### Horses and Mules

I have just received a CHOICE CAR LOAD of Horses and Mules of EXTRA FINISH AND QUALITY suitable in all purposes.  
Also a full and complete stock of Wagons, Cart-wheels, Buggies, Harness, Etc. which I offer for sale for cash or negotiable paper, guaranteeing to give you money on your purchase.  
**SEE ME BEFORE BUYING.**  
LIVESTOCK QUALITY—Prompt and most satisfactory service.

### Coal and Wood

A full supply of Anthracite free burning White Ash, Grate, Stove and Chestnut Coal, also the Celebrated Pocahontas Bituminous for grates and Stoves.  
The Best Oak, Ash, Pine and Mixed wood.  
**Quick, Prompt Delivery.**  
**W. H. S. COAL & WOOD YARD,**  
Union Point.  
Phone 47.  
Pabst Milwaukee Beer on Draught at A.

### Hat Pin Sale!

Over two gross Sterling Silver Hat Pins in the New Designs, finished in grey silver, 25c, 30 and 50c. Just in. See the window.  
**J. O. BAXTER,**  
HUGHES BLOCK,  
Middle Street.

**You Will Get Left.**  
even on a warm day if your personal attire is not what it should be. Good clothes have a charm for the fair, as they do for every one who should dress as a gentleman would. Get them in their perfection of cut, finish and fabric by leaving your measure or order at F. M. Chadwick's the tailor, 101 Middle St., New Bern, N. C.

### D. B. WOOD,

Carpenter and builder. Estimates furnished promptly on all Building Work. Best References Given.  
112 POLLOCK ST

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### 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.  
A 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 91. 71 Broad St.

### JUST RECEIVED A LOT OF Red Bliss Seed Irish Potatoes

Also a nice lot of Beans and Peas for Seed.  
**J. R. PARKER, JR.**  
Wholesale and Retail Grocer,  
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### SPECIAL AT S. COPLON'S This Week.

1500 yards Sea Island Cotton worth 50c value for this sale 4c.  
GINGHAMS.  
2000 yards Gingham worth 60c now 40c, only 10 yards to each customer.  
1250 yards Spring all-oo 6c and 7c values this week 40c.  
SKIRTS.  
95 Heavy assorted colors Ladies Skirts, was sold at \$3.50 and \$4.50 to close out at 2.69.  
38 Skirts, dark colors, price from 2.25 to 3.00, your choice for this week 1.38.  
SHOES.  
150 pairs Ladies Dongola Shoes, sell elsewhere for 1.50 our price this week 97c.  
225 prs Childrens School Shoes, worth from 1.00 to 1.25 to close at 67c and 75c for this week only.  
CLOTHING.  
Our Clothing Sale has been the means of furnishing hundreds of men and boys with clothing, shoes, and hats.  
The cut price sale will continue for this week.  
Yours for Bargains,  
**S. COPLON,**  
C. C. MORTON, Salesman,  
78 MIDDLE STREET, Next to Church Hardware Co., New Bern.

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