

**J. M. MITCHELL & CO.,**  
*Will Meet*  
**ALL Competition.**

Competition is the life of trade. Legitimate we court, but having no old shop worn goods to run off we have been averse to putting our Fresh, New and Seasonable Goods on the market in competition with old or shop worn goods. We have decided however to mark down our entire stock at a great loss to us: "Our loss your gain"

**Commencing**  
**Saturday Morning**  
**July 16th**  
**for 3 Days**  
**Our Entire Stock**

will be offered to the public at prices unheard of. Remember we have only been in business since March and our goods **Are all New.**

Save up your small change, it does not require but little money to supply your wants at this sale.

**SEE HAND BILL FOR PRICES**

and Remember this sale is for 3 Days only beginning **Saturday Morning July 16th**, and will continue Monday and Tuesday.

No Goods Charged, Sent Out on Approval, or Exchanged During This Sale.

**J. M. MITCHELL & CO.,**  
PHONE 288.  
43 Pollock St., Opposite Post-office.

**A Great SUCCESS!**

Our Reduction Sale is what we knew it would be, a big success. We have one more week to give you bargains. Every thing in our store will be sold regardless of cost. There is enough for every body. Our **Clothing AND Shoe** stock is enormous and must go. No profits on anything. Don't buy till you know our price.

**J. J. BAXTER.**

**The Inn**  
Black Mountain, N. C.  
In the famous Swainson Valley magnificent scenery. The rooms are comfortable. Inquiries of The Inn, Black Mountain, N. C.

Two New Stone Cottages - One and one-half Acres - 1000 Feet - Will be very cheap to get out of my way. Apply to J. J. BAXTER, Black Mountain, N. C.

### National League Games.

**STANDING OF CLUBS:**

	Won.	Lost.	Per Cent.
New York	56	20	733
Chicago	46	27	628
Cincinnati	35	31	527
Pittsburg	40	31	562
St. Louis	35	30	538
Brooklyn	29	48	402
Boston	28	48	368
Philadelphia	18	54	250

**Cincinnati, July 16.**—The following game was played today:

	R	H	E
Brooklyn	3	6	0
Cincinnati	4	7	1

Batteries—Cronin and Bergen; Kellum and Schiel.  
Umpire—Emmie and Johnston.

**St. Louis, July 16.**—The following was the game played here today:

	R	H	E
Boston	3	9	2
St. Louis	5	10	2

Batteries—Willis and Needham; Taylor and Grady.  
Umpire—Zimmer.

**Chicago, July 16.**—Game today:

	R	H	E
Philadelphia	0	4	5
Chicago	1	8	0

Batteries—Sparks and Roth; Archer and Kilg.  
Umpire—Carpenter.

**Pittsburg, July 17.**—The following game was played today:

	R	H	E
New York	7	13	5
Pittsburg	6	11	3

Batteries—McGinty and Bowerman; Flaherty and Smith;  
Umpire—O'Day and Moran.

### A Splendid Record.

The following good record was made at Friday's trap shoot. It was the best tournament held yet and shows that the marksmen have a record of which they may well be proud.

Following is the score.

	Shot at.	Broke.	P. O.
U C Jordan	25	23	92
Clark	25	22	88
R DuVal Jones	25	18	72
W T Hill	25	18	72
Hartfield	25	13	52

### An Excellent Lecture Course.

A canvass for subscribers to the Lyceum Course which Messrs Cowan Bros. are to run at the Masonic Theatre the coming season will commence this week and will be in charge of Mr. John W. Blomme, the treasurer of Messrs Cowan Bros. Wilmington theatre. Mr. Blomme will arrive either tomorrow or Tuesday and will take up the work at once. The Lyceum Course in this city will be one of the greatest artistic successes in this amusement line our theatre-going public has ever had the opportunity of witnessing and it will without doubt prove exceedingly popular, as it has done in the principal cities of the South. The course here will be the equal of any ever given anywhere and will be the same as will appear in Wilmington.

The following letter will attest as to the merits of the course—

Messrs Cowan Bros.  
Wilmington, N. C.

Gentlemen:—

The course of attractions which you have contracted for is composed of the leading platform attractions of America and you need feel no hesitancy in recommending this course to your patrons. It is very seldom that a Lyceum course is presented composed of such strong and popular numbers.

Wishing you much success, we are,  
Yours very truly,  
THE RICH BURNAM.

All who subscribe for the course to Mr. Blomme will be able to obtain season books when they are offered for sale at \$3 each, which will entitle the holder to admission to each of the eight noted entertainments, but a reserve seat will be sold extra for 10 cents. Consequently the attractions will only cost \$3.00 each. Those not possessing season books will have to pay not less than \$1 for admission to each entertainment.

Complimentary Sail.

Miss Margaret McCloy gave an enjoyable sail Friday afternoon to Mrs. Beale Bay of Charlotte who is visiting Mr. Hugh Meredith.

The sail took place in the handsome new boat belonging to the Naval Reserve, and while the party was out Mrs. McCloy presented a beautiful flag to the Reserve which was immediately hoisted and the ship floated in the breeze with the sheets and chutes of blue on board.

The weather was delightful and the party spent several pleasant hours in sailing up and down the river.

During the sail, beverages and refreshments were served and hearty partaken of by all.

Try a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy today.

### The Care That Prevented A Horror.

New York World, July 9th.

A train was running away down a steep grade on Saluda Mountain in North Carolina. The speed increased with every foot traveled. The air-brakes would not work. Trainmen were helpless, passengers in a state of hopeless fear.

Just at the moment when the worst was expected the train ran up a short incline and stopped. Yesterday morning in the New York papers, in place of the lists of dead and injured that might have been, there was the story of how a safety-switch had worked and had saved many lives.

This was a story of preparation. The railroad company in North Carolina knew of certain dread possibilities on its route. It provided against them and has reaped in the happy conclusion of a terribly threatening incident the reward for its foresight.

When the Saluda took fire in the East River the first fact revealed about the boat was lack of preparation against the horror then impending. Yet the possibility of what was happening had been demonstrated many times—with what should have been everlasting force in the case of the Seawahaka.

What is the difference in the education of passenger-carrying corporations which brings it about that in North Carolina they take care while in New York they take chances?

### A CUTTING AFFRAY.

#### A Negro Draws a Knife on a White Man on the Mall Train.

Last night as the mall train pulled in to the station there was a fight in progress in one of the rear coaches between A McDonald, white, of Kinston, and Louis Blount, colored. The men were disputing over some grievance and Blount drew his knife and made a lunge at McDonald, making a slight wound on his arm, but inflicting no serious injury.

The negro made his escape while the storm was at its height, jumping from the car just as the train stopped.

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### New Class, N. B. C. & I. Institute.

New Bern Collegiate and Industrial Institute has secured the services of Prof. T. L. McCoy to organize a class of stenography and typewriting. The class has been receiving lessons from Prof. McCoy for two or three weeks, and an inspection made of the progress of the class by the principal and trustees of the Institute. A report of which is made in another column, shows the progress to be very encouraging indeed.

These branches of study have been but little taught, heretofore in the colored schools, but the educational development of the race, creates a demand for stenographers and typewriters and Prof. McCoy says graduates of his classes find quick and profitable employment.

Private lessons will be given to those who cannot attend the school, at the home of the professor, No 91 George street.

### Call For Meeting Of State Democratic Executive Committee.

Raleigh July 14.—The State Democratic Executive Committee of North Carolina is hereby called to meet at 8:30 P. M., on Tuesday, July 20th, 1904, in the Hall of the House of Representatives in the city of Raleigh. This meeting is called for the purpose of organizing the Committee, outlining a plan of campaign, and the consideration of such other business as may be brought before the meeting.

F. M. SIMMONS,  
Chairman State Dem. Ex. Committee.  
ALEX J. FIELD,  
Secretary.

### A Home Mission Note.

An Adversary Never at Rest.

There is no period of life when the tempter hates his enraging. We hear much of the perils of youth and early manhood. We hear less of the moral dangers of middle life, and still less of the temptations of old age. But the moral backlogs of many a man has been broken when his years were counted by forties, fifties, or sixties. To be temperate and pure at twenty-five does not insure sobriety and decency at seventy.

The Adversary comes under different masks at different times and under various conditions of life. The rule is put forward and unending, "Watch and pray that ye enter not into temptation."

For Spring and Stoves, Callahan go to the Oaks Market.

Bids Wanted.

The undersigned will receive until July 20th, sealed bids for supplies for the County Home and for the county poor, for the coming year.

Particulars to be furnished would can be obtained by calling upon me.

July 15th 1904.

### Senatorial Convention, Wednesday

On next Wednesday, July 20th in the court house in this city, will be held the Democratic convention for the purpose of naming two candidates for the Eighth Senatorial District, who shall represent this District in the next General Assembly.

Two gentlemen are mentioned for this nomination, and they are both worthy of nomination and election, for they will well represent the people of this District and serve their interests.

Mr. D. L. Ward, of Craven county, one of these candidates, is well known of the people of the whole District. He is a gentleman of high character, a champion of Democracy in every campaign, and there can be no mistake in sending him to the next Legislature.

Mr. E. M. Koonce, of Onslow county, is also well and favorably known, and will make, with Mr. Ward an able senator to represent the people.

The delegates of the convention next Wednesday, can make no mistake in nominating Messrs Ward and Koonce for Senators to the next General Assembly.

### Job Printing

If you want F. R. S. T. CLASS Job Work don't forget to send your orders to

**Owen G. Dunn**  
Leading Printer & Stationer.  
Cor. Pollock & Craven Sts.

### New Firm

#### Avery & Dukes.

We have opened a shop at No 61 South Front street and are prepared to do any kind of tin work and plumbing Contracts Solicited.

**Avery & Dukes.**  
61 South Front St.

### Fire Insurance!

#### And Brick For Sale!

**BE ALIVE**

to your own interests. Don't let a fire in your home or place of business swamp you completely. Insure against the ravages of fire through this reliable agency for sound companies, and let the flames do their worst. Our rates are reasonable, losses promptly paid. Get a binding receipt today.

**Geo. A. Nicoll.**  
Phone 200.

In Patent Beer only the choicest materials are used, and the brewing is conducted with absolute cleanliness. These are important factors in beer making and the secret of Pabst's great success.

### NEW ERA PAINT

is the very Best Paint made. It surpasses all other paints as to Quality, Durability and Covering Capacity.

**Leads, Oils And colors.**  
Varnishes, Enamels, Floor-Paint, Varnish Stains, Boggy Paints, Roof Paints, and Paint Brushes.

**Window Screens and Screen Doors.**  
Ice-Cream Freezers and Water Coolers

*Wilmington Hardware Co.*

### Ice Cream

Now Every Day, Delivered For

35c. a quart at your home. Ice cream soda, phosphates and all other cool and refreshing drinks at

**McSORLEY'S.**

Brick! Brick!! Brick!!!

Quality and price guaranteed in any quantity, wholesale or retail.

Orders left at J. W. Stewart's office at F & M Bank building will receive prompt attention.

**Enterprise Brick, Tile and Mfg. Co.**  
By **J. W. STEWART,**  
Sec'y. & Treas.

**EASTERN CAROLINA DISPATCH LINE**  
—AND—  
**Old Dominion Steamship Co.**

The steamer Neuse will be withdrawn temporarily from the route on July 15th for her annual repairs.

During her absence the steamer Oronoke is scheduled to sail from New Bern for Behaves, (instead of Elizabeth City) at 6 p. m. on Monday, Wednesday and Friday.

Until further notice there will be no steamer sailing on Tuesday, Thursday or Saturdays.

**GEO. HENDERSON, Agt.**

### For Sale!

At once, one No 13 breech-loading gun, one book case, hunting boat, refrigerator, nice kitchen safe, brass preserving kettle, wardrobe, an extension ladder and a patented painter's grasper.

On Sept 1st, 1904, a valuable house and lot will also be sold. Apply to

**E. S. CHARLOTTE,**  
141 Pollock St.

### Wood Turning

Porch Columns, Balusters, Brackets, Scroll Work, Grille Stair Work, Mantels and Screens, Sash Doors and Frames. All done on short notice, at Registers & Esell's shop on Church Alley, New Bern N. C.

### Stenography & Typewriting School

For Colored Pupils.

Opened at the Collegiate and Industrial Institute, Corner West and Cypress Streets, this city.

Typewriting taught Monday, Wednesday and Friday.  
Stenography, Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday.

Will arrange to give private lessons on application at 91 George St.

**T. L. MCCOY,**  
Teacher.

### Wheeler & Wilson



I am now ready and prepared to show you the lightest running, most noiseless and fastest stitching machine on the market, the world renowned **BALL-BEARING WHEELER & WILSON.**

Please or send me a card and I will have Mr. Bingleton, my agent, call on you. He will be glad to call on you. He will be glad to call on you. He will be glad to call on you.

**WM. T. HILL,**  
Dealer in Bicycles, Gramophones, Cash Registers, L. Smith Sewing Machines, Sewing Machines, & Sewing Machine Accessories. 75 Middle Street, New Bern, N. C.

### Small lot Portsmouth Corned Mullet

Just Received.

Very Finest Fresh Elgin Butter 30c lb, Received Fresh from the dairy every week.

Harvey's Small Hams English Cured & breakers fast strips.

Complete stock staple and fancy Groceries of the very best quality.

Yours to please,

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

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### BOTTLED Coca-Cola

All orders, either local or shipping promptly filled, private families supplied.

**Coca-Cola Bottling Works,**  
C. A. SEIFERT, Mgr., E. Front St.

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All Sizes, New shipment just to hand.

Heath & Milligan Paint, none better, covers most, looks best. Car load Fence Wire just received. Builders Material. Sash Doors and Blinds. Poultry Wire, Mill and Machine supplies.

**Gaskill Hdw. & Mill Supply Co.,**  
Hardware 73 Middle St. Phone 147.  
MILL SUPPLIES 44 Craven St. Phone 216.

### E. W. Smallwood, He Fell From The Top!

Under Hotel Chattawka.

### GENERAL HARDWARE.

Screen Wire Doors and Windows.

The Ice Saving Glazier Refrigerators.

Agent for the Farmer Girl and Boy Cook Stoves.

Farmers will bear in mind that we carry a very complete line of American Steel Wire Fences.

**NEW BERN, N. C.**

**Wheeler & Wilson**

38 men's summer suits that will go this week from \$7.50 to \$4.  
40 boy's suits that must go at some price, call and get a bargain.  
40 suits of men's gauze they must go.  
25 Ladies gauze and they must go.

We are down to business on Straw Hats, if 15c is too much call for two for 15c.

See our window, the shirts must go.

Cut down prices on all summer goods.

When looking for a safe drop in at 75 Middle St and fall out with an arm full of goods.

**S. COPLON,**  
75 MIDDLE STREET, Next to Bank. Hardware Co., New Bern.

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