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We extend a welcome to all to inspect our New Spring Goods You will find them here in profusion, the Choicest Production to sui the taste of the Refined American Woman. Come and see the New Creations of the season, they are here for your inspection and benefit It costs you nothing to look and the pleasure is all ours.

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RALEIGH

Looking Over Records in Onslow Co. Bond Case.

Dog Tax Provides Funds For Rural Libraries Growth of Junior Mechanics Order. Loans for School Houses.

Raleigh, March 9.—Standing Master Eugene Martin, J. O. Carr, counsel for bondholders and ex-Judge E. K. Bryan counsel for commissioners of Onslow county are here examining records in the Onslow county bond case in which the county seeks to repudiate $40,000 bonds issued under an act in 1885. According to a ruling of the supreme court both the no vote must be recorded in the legislature when voting by roll call for bond issue bills. In this case the "aye" vote is recorded and there is a mark after the "nos" vote which the county commissioners contend is only a comma and the bondholders insist is a "I" signifying one vote cast. If they are right the bonds are valid under the ruling. If it is only a comma then the bonds are no good.

The State superintendent of public instruction is informed that Edgecombe county has out of the proceeds of a dog tax provided rural libraries for all the colored public schools in the county Libraries had previously been provided for all white schools.

National Councilor W. E. Faison of the Junior Order United American Mechanics says the order in this State has grown in ten years from the tail of the procession to the second largest membership of any order in the State, there being 1,050 members. Applications were received yesterday for new lodges in Forsythe and Guilford counties. The National Councilor has just returned from Florida where he instructed a State Council and will go soon to Louisiana to institute a State Council.

Resolutions of Thanks.

WHEREAS Through the unremitting efforts of our esteemed Congressman Honoeable Charles R. Thomas, Representative from the Third Congressional District of North Carolina, St. John's Lodge, No. 3, A. F. & A. M., has been partially compensated by the United States Government, for the despoilment of its property by some of the soldiers of the Federal Army during the Civil War, And

WHEREAS All the members of said Lodge desire to express, in unmeasured terms, their imperishable gratitude to our worthy Representative in Congress and our beloved fellow-townsman, for his noble work in accomplishing that, in which so many had here-to-fore failed. Therefore be it

RESOLVED That St. John's Lodge, No. 3, A. F. & A. M. unanimously extends to Honorable Charles R. Thomas, the sincere and heartfelt thanks and appreciation of its whole membership, for the recovery of the sum of Five Thousand Dollars, a claim to which we were justly entitled, but for the recovery of which we have vainly striven for nearly half a century.

RESOLVED That it is the firm belief of this Lodge that the allowance of this claim was due entirely to the untiring energy, marked ability, and well earned popularity, of our Representative of whom we are justly proud.

RESOLVED That these resolutions be inscribed upon the permanent records of this Lodge, a copy sent to Honorable Charles R. Thomas, and a copy given the New Bern Daily Journal for publication.

BLOODY FIGHTING AT MUKDEN.

Russians Retreat in Effort to Escape Total Slaughter and Capture.

St. Petersburg, March 9.—The battle of Mukden has resulted in a Russian defeat. Field Marshal Oyama has once more proved himself one of the greatest masters of offensive strategy since Napoleon, while General Kuropatkin is now engaged in endeavoring to defend his title as a master of successful retreats and bring off his army, with its immense train, safety to Tie Pass, where a position was long ago prepared with this contingency in view. The problem before the Russian commander-in-chief is more difficult than the one he met successfully at Liao Yang, since now he is threatened on both flanks his left wing being entangled in a mountainous region far from the railroad.

Tokio, March 9.—Messages from Mukden today state the battle before Mukden is the bloodiest of the war. Over eight thousand Russians had to lie down before Oky's army alone. It is expected the reports from the other armies will treble this number.

London, March 9.—The Japanese legation today gave out a dispatch from Tokio containing a report from Oyama sent from head-quarters on the field today stating the enemy have been beaten at every point and that the Russians commenced to retreat early yesterday morning. Oyama says the Japanese are vigorously pursuing.

A CLERICAL MISTAKE

Causes Two Law Suits in Which the Record of an Aye and No Vote in Legislature is Called in Question.

The Raleigh Post Says:—

Mr. J. C. Carr, Judge E. B. Bryan and Mr. E. S. Martin, all of Wilmington, were in the city yesterday and paid a visit to the office of Secretary of State Grimes, to examine the Senate jour of the session of 1885 for the record of an act passed in that year providing for a bond issue in Onslow county. It appears that two law suits have resulted from a question as to whether a certain mark of the pen or the record is intended for the figure one or a comma.

The county of Onslow, after the act has passed, issued the bonds to the amount of $40,000, and they were sold. Then the county commissioners refused to pay the interest and are now suing in the Superior court of Onslow to repudiate the issue on the ground that the act was illegially passed because the noes were not recorded. An examination of the journal shows the ayes regularly recorded, but after the word "noes" the character which one side claims to be the figure one and which the other declares is simply a comma.

The bondholder in the case is Mr. D. H. Tolman, who lives in Ohio. He is suing in the Federal court at Wilmington to establish the validity of his bonds and collect the coupons.

The case in some respects is similar to the Debnam case, in which Chief Justice Clark decided that on the passage of a roll-call bill in the general assembly both the aye and no votes must be regularly recorded on the journal.

Mr. Carr is attorney for Mr. Tolman the bondholder. Judge Bryan represents Onslow county and Mr. Martin is special examiner for the federal court at Wilmington.

Mr. W. D. McIver, one of the lawyers engaged on this case was shown the above article and he says that the question mentioned is only one of many He also said that if the bondholders win out they may sue Craven county for the $50,000 bonds voted on in this same matter.

Colds cause congestion and costiveness, Fluids which should pass through the bowels and kidneys are secreted by the nose and throat. Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea will positively cure. 35 cents. F. S. Duffy.

Fine Veal and Dressed Chickens at Coast Line Meat Market.

ARAPAHOE

March 8th.

The farmers around our community are nearly done planting the potato crop. The weather has been favorable for the farm work during the last two weeks.

We are having some sickness in our community.

Mr. George Philpot of Arapahoe is very sick with pneumonia.

The ladies of Arapahoe have organized an Aid Society for the benefit of the Christian Church.

Rev. A. F. Leighton filled his appointment at the Christian church, at Arapahoe last Saturday and Sunday.

The young people of Arapahoe have organized the Junior Builders Society which meets every Sunday evening.

Some of our farmers have been blowing up stump out of their lands with dynamite.

Mr. Willie Tingle who has been going to school at Raleigh has returned home. He will farm near here this year.

The colored Masons of this place are building a lodge room.

By request of the congregation worshipping at Broad Creek, the Pamlico Union will meet the fifth Saturday and Sunday of April 1905, with Bethany congregation worshipping at Arapahoe instead of Broad Creek.

Bethany congregation are making arrangements to give all who come a royal reception. Come and bring your friends.

A. B.

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Sold throughout the world. Cuticura Resolvent, $1c. (in form of Chocolate Coated Pills, 25c. per vial of 60), Ointment, 50c., Soap, 25c. Depots: London, 27 Charterhouse Sq.; Paris, 5 Rue de la Paix; Boston, 137 Columbus Ave. Potter Drug & Chem. Corp., Sole Props.

Send for "How to Cure Every Humour."

MORE BUILDING ACTIVITIES

Dr. Hughes And L. H. Cutler Preparing to Erect Two Buildings.

The building fever continues in New Bern and the prospects are that there will be about as much building of residences or rebuilding going on as there has for the past two years. We have spoken of several new houses going up in different parts of the city and now Craven street comes to the front with two nice buildings which are to be erected by Dr. F. W. Hughes and L. H Cutler. Dr. Hughes will put up a two story brick structure on the lot between the Jones building, formerly occupied by the P. O. & W. Railway Co. and the Gaskill Hardware Co's. store. The dimensions will be 30 by 95 feet. The ground floor will be occupied by the Southern Express Co. and it will be ready for use about July 1.

Mr. L. H. Cutler is making preparations to construct a two story warehouse of brick which will measure 30 by 50 feet. It will be located on the lot opposite the Journal offic.

A New Bern Woman Says

"have you a floor paint that will last two weeks?" Yes we have Devoe's; it has a beautiful gloss and will wear two years if properly applied. E. W. Smallwood.

ALL ABOUT CARRIAGES

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All Loin Steak per lb.	12½c.	Standard Ribs per lb.	12½
Shoulder cuts " "	10c.	Stew " "	7c

PORK CUTS.

Trimmed Loins per lb.	12½c	Shoulders per lb.	10c

Stew per lb. 10c.

SAUSAGE.

Sausage, per lb	12½c.	All Pork per lb.	15c
Devonshire Farm per lb	20c.	Chitterlings	5c

CORNED MEATS.

Hams per lb	14c.	Butts per lb	10c

Lard 3, 5 and 10 lb buckets per lb 11c Lard in 50 lb cases per lb 10c

All Smoked Meats at Lowest Market Prices.

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Wild Game in Season.

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