

## NEW BERN BANKING & TRUST CO. NEW BERN, N. C.

### How Often You Hear

some friend say: "I need some ready money very badly but all my surplus is tied up."

But you never hear this from the man who has a savings account in this strong Bank for that man has a real reserve, the kind he can draw on at any time he needs the money.

Remember these facts when you invest YOUR surplus and have a good sized savings account here before going into any outside venture whatever.

JAS. B. BLADES, Pres. T. A. GREEN, V. Pres.  
Wm. R. BLADES, V. Pres. GEO. B. PENDLETON, Cashier

4% INTEREST PAID ON SAVINGS 4%

## FACTS 'BOUT COTTON GOODS

Don't let the high price of cotton frighten you, we are still and will continue to sell Cotton Fabrics at the same low prices as heretofore.

We prepared months ago to protect our customers, it's our duty and pleasure to protect those who trade with us, but some one might say how are we to know this. To all we would say come and get our prices and compare them with any other house. Each day we are receiving large shipments of spring goods.

Best Galatea, all shades,	20c. values for	15c.
Best Dress Gingham, worth,	12c.	10c.
Best Audery Suiting	15c.	10c.
Best Calcutta Fabrics	10c.	6c.

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## J. M. Mitchell & Co.

61 Pollock St. Phone 788



**OUR COAL** Undergound Work

results in fires for comfort and fires for manufacturing purposes. But underhand work can bring satisfaction to no one. We try to be honest with you, and promise nothing for our coal that we cannot carry out.

**Ellis Coal and Wood Yard**  
Phone 47 Union Point.

is FREE FROM DUST AND DIRT

## NEW BERN FRUIT CO.

WHOLESALE DEALERS

In Hay, Grain and Feed, Heavy and Fancy Groceries, Canned Meats and Vegetables, Evaporated Apples, Chewing and Smoking Tobacco, Cigars, Cheroots and Cigarettes, Peas and Potatoes, Fruits of all kinds. Also agent for the National Oil Co., always have a big stock of Oils of all kinds and Gasoline on hand. Send us your orders. Remember the name National Oil Co., 37 Middle St. Phone 207.

T. P. ASHFORD, Mgr.  
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### BARGAIN IN TYPEWRITERS

1 No. 1 S. P. \$20  
1 No. 2 S. P. \$35

ENNETT'S BOOK STORE

## A TREMENDOUS BIG STOCK IN FACT TWO BIG STOCKS COMBINED IN ONE

I have moved my Kinston branch store here, and have more goods on hand now than ever, and to get rid of some, will of course cut prices on everything. There is no red banner in front of my store, as I am not trying to stimulate business by any fake sale. You can save from 20 to 50 per cent on any article you buy at my store. It will pay you to buy your next winter suit or overcoat now at the prices we will sell at. I want to get rid of my tremendous stock in a short time to make room for my Spring and Summer Goods and will sell at almost any price. Come and price our goods and be convinced. Yours to serve,

**Sam Lippman.**  
62 Middle Street Bryan Block.

## BODIES TAKEN FROM MINE

### Victims of Cherry Mine Disaster Being Brought Out of Mine

Cherry, Ill., Feb. 1.—"Get the bodies of the dead miners out as quick as possible," was the request made today by W. W. Taylor, manager of the St. Paul Mining Co. to the State mine inspectors, under whose direction the St. Paul mine will be opened tomorrow. The shafts have been closed for two months to another the flames that have been smoldering in the second level since November 13.

"This does not mean," added Mr. Taylor, "that any chance of needlessly sacrificing other lives will be taken. There are 150 bodies in the subterranean galleries. About 35 are in the third level, floating on a 2,000,000-gallon lake, while about 110 are on the second level. These later may be cut off from the main shaft by a smoldering fire. If the fire is present, as we suspect, a new gallery will be cut around the fire and the burning section will be walled in.

"In the meantime, the water will be pumped from the bottom of the mine so that the bodies down there may be brought to the surface."

Owing to the failure of Helmsmen Williams and Webb, of the University of Illinois, to reach Cherry today, the cap will not be pried from the mine-shaft until tomorrow. These men, with oxygen helmets, will enter this shaft as soon as it is opened. On their reports will depend subsequent action.

All the bodies in the mine probably will be in fair condition, according to Dr. H. M. Orr, of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway. He believes that the 130 bodies in the second level will be partly mummified.

All is quiet in Cherry today, although there is suppressed grieving of bereaved relatives to the coming ordeal of taking the long deferred task at the dead. Several women mostly Scotch and English, said today they would not renew their grief by seeing the corpses of their husbands and sons, but would prefer that the identification be made by mine officers.

Glass most any size you need and the price is right. Banright Hardware Co.

For Sore Throat, Sudden Cold and Coughs no remedy has been discovered so powerful to cure as Perry Davis' Painkiller. As a Liniment it has no equal in curing Rheumatism or Neuralgia, burns and bruises, and wounds of every description. It is the cheapest and best remedy offered to the public. Only 35c. for a big bottle. There are other sizes also, 25c. and 50c.

### Not Tending To Business

A country doctor was recently called upon to visit a patient some way from his office. Driving to where the sick man lived, he tied his horse to a tree in front of the house and started to walk across the ground. It happened that work was in progress on a new well, of which the doctor knew nothing until he found himself sinking into the earth. He fell just far enough to be unable to get out of the hole unassisted, and lustily yelled for help.

When he was finally pulled up the hired man remarked to him:

"I say, doc, you had no business down there."

"No, I don't think I had," replied the doctor.

"Don't you know," continued the hired man, "you ought to leave the well alone and take care of the sick!" February; Lippincott's

### PILES! PILES! PILES!

Williams' Indian Pile Ointment will cure Blind, Bleeding and itching Piles. It absorbs the tumor, allays itching at once, acts as a poultice, gives instant relief. Williams' Indian Pile Ointment is prepared for Piles and itching of the private parts. Sold by druggists, mail 50c and \$1.00. Williams' M'fg. Co., Props., Cleveland, O.

### Feltice To Patrons Of Rural Delivery Routes.

In view of the extent to which the practice of placing loose coins in boxes by rural patrons has grown, and the delay in the delivery and collection of mail and the hardship imposed on rural carriers incident thereto, you are informed that, commencing February 15th proximo, rural letter carriers will not be required to collect loose coins from rural mail boxes.

Patrons should enclose coins in an envelope, wrap temporarily in a piece of paper, or deposit them in a coin-holding receptacle, so they can be easily and quickly taken from the boxes, and carriers will be required to file such coins, and where recognized by mail for deposit, which the regular stamps. E. V. McElroy, Fourth Ave., Postmaster-General, upon any other day.

## ALDERMEN MEETING

### Reports of Committee, Resignation Engineer Water Works, Franchise Granted Inter-urban Railway.

The board of aldermen met Tuesday night in regular monthly session, ten present with Mayor. Alderman Simpson asked permission for the Tolson Manufacturing Co. to lay a tramway from its plant on East Front street to A. C. L. for use until the A. C. L. lays siding, as proposed. Granted. Dr. J. F. Rhem asked for fire hydrants for protection of that section north of the tobacco warehouse on George street. Referred. The committee appointed to consider the matter of granting franchise to New Bern and Trenton Inter-urban Railway, reported unanimously in favor, and on roll call nine aldermen voted favorably, one not voting. Alderman Ellis tendered report of the expert on fire alarm system of New Bern, and recommendations made. Referred for further action. Ordered additional pipe to be put on New street sewer to extend it to channel. Reported that number of incandescent lights in stores were left burning day time and Sundays. Penalty for those not having meters, double rates. H. P. Willis tendered his resignation as engineer of water works which was accepted, and Wm. E. Smith elected his successor. On motion carried, belts were ordered for policemen. On motion alderman Ellis, no bills to be allowed unless read before the board in session.

### Old People Feel The Cold Keenly.

because their blood is thin, sluggish and watery. There is not the same renewal of strength that constantly goes on in youth. Vinol is the ideal blood tonic and strength maker of old people. It creates an appetite, promotes digestion, enriches the blood and invigorates the entire body.—F. S. Duffy, Druggist.

### Nyal's Cherry Cough Syrup.

Nothing else will so readily relieve a tight, dry, hacking cough. Try a bottle for that cough before it leads to serious illness. Price 25 and 50c. On sale at Davis' Pharmacy.

## SHORT PASSING EVENTS

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some one, either white or colored is held before the mayor on the charge of gambling.

Prof. H. B. Craven, who attended the North Carolina Teachers and Superintendents Convention at Durham, N. C., seems to have made quite an impression on that body with the masterful paper which he had prepared. One of the Durham papers in speaking of him says: "He gave the superintendents an idea of his own system and told how easily he could keep up with each pupil. He then told about one of his pupils remarking to the effect that he, the superintendent, had said that he was the meanest boy in school. He told the boy he was not sure about him being the meanest but at any rate his record would show. It showed that he was not the meanest."

A runaway that might have resulted seriously was averted yesterday morning on East Front street by the quick presence of a gentleman who was passing at that time. A large black horse which was hitched to a wagon had become frightened at some trivial object near the corners of Union and East Front streets and although the driver exerted every effort to stop him dashed off down the street at the corner of Broad street he barely averted a collision with another vehicle and in doing so swerved toward the river, then it was that the bystander rendered his timely assistance and brought the animal to a standstill without injury to either the horse or vehicle.

Considerable complaint has been made within the past few days against the hauling of swill carts on the sidewalks by small colored boys. To have to pass one of these loads of decayed refuse is indeed an offensive sight to any one and much more so to a lady of refined taste. This again they are garbed in and thousands of minuscule microbes laden with the deadliest germs necessarily follow in their wake. There is a city ordinance against riding bicycles on the sidewalks and it is rigidly enforced. The city authorities should also pass an ordinance prohibiting the passage of these carts on the sidewalks and see that it is enforced. This is a matter that needs attention at once.

### All Trains "On Time All The Time"

The passenger trains of the N. & E. Ry., equipped with modern coaches of the latest design, are operated punctually on time to a degree unparalleled upon any other line.

## ARRESTED ON A SERIOUS CHARGE

### Norfolk Man Embezzles Money From Letters. Caught in the Act.

Norfolk, Va., Feb. 1st.—Luther E. Flickinger, for more than ten years a trusted clerk in the Norfolk postoffice, will before United States Commissioner P. S. Stephenson at 4 p. m. tomorrow have a hearing upon the charge of extracting and embezzling \$4 from a decoy letter sent through the mails by postoffice inspectors, who, watching through the opening of a secret chamber on a magazine corridor at the postoffice building Saturday saw Flickinger, they allege, open the letter and remove therefrom four marked one dollar bills which they claim to have removed from his person immediately afterwards.

Flickinger, it is asserted, will, before the commissioner tomorrow be confronted with declarations on the part of the postoffice inspectors that he confessed to them to having before extracted from the mails money that he from time to time appropriated to his own use. The defendant, now out, under \$1,000 bail, will be defended by attorney Harry K. Wolcott, of the firm of Jeffries, Wolcott, Wolcott and Lankford. The arrest of Flickinger occurred last Saturday afternoon while he was at his desk as assistant superintendent of mails with direct supervision over the city and rural carriers. The letter from which the four marked \$1 bills are alleged to have been taken was addressed to medicine company. This letter was a "doubtful" one and passed from clerk to clerk until it went to Flickinger. The inspectors, without their presence being known to any one, watched through the key holes of the secret chamber above where the postoffice clerks and officials were at work. Flickinger was quietly at his desk when the inspectors came in, approached him, put their hands on his shoulder, told him to get his hat and coat and follow them. The arrest was made by police officer Spratt in citizens' clothes, the postoffice inspectors desiring the matter to proceed in this form. Flickinger was carried to police headquarters and there detained until Commissioner Stephenson admitted him to bail.

Flickinger was regarded by the postoffice officials and his fellow clerks as highly as any other person in the Norfolk office. He is of pleasing manner and disposition and for this reason his advancement to higher position was always agreeable to those whose duty it became to work under him. From a minor clerkship in the Norfolk office Flickinger had gradually worked his way up until he was getting \$1,300 per annum at the time of his arrest. Flickinger is about 38 years of age and married. Recently he built a home in the seventh ward, which he and his family have since been occupying. He has one child.

### Sash, Doors and Blinds at Banright Hardware Co., and our prices will catch your orders.

### Calendar Committee.

The Calendar Committee of the New Bern bar will meet at the Clerk's office Wednesday morning, Feb. 24, 1910 at 11 o'clock to arrange a calendar of civil cases for trial at February term superior court, commencing Feb. 14, 1910. By order of Committee. W. M. WATSON, Clerk.

### PILES CURED IN 6 TO 14 DAYS

PAZO OINTMENT is guaranteed to cure any case of Itching, Blind, Bleeding or Protruding Piles in 6 to 14 days or money refunded. 50c.

### NOTICE.

Having several packages of seed at the post office, sent out by the Hon. C. R. Thomas, which we were unable to deliver to the address on account of having changed their address etc. I have been requested by him to deliver them to any one who will use them. Any person wishing a package will please call at the general delivery window at the post office and I will give them one with his compliments. ROBERT HANCOCK, Act. P. M.

### CANDIDATE FOR COUNTY TREASURER

To the Democratic Voters of Craven County. I respectfully announce that I shall be a candidate for re-election for the office of Treasurer of Craven County, subject to the action of the Democratic primary when held. I promise if re-elected to be found at my office in the Craven county court house, willing to serve you as faithfully in the future as I have in the past. Respectfully, EDWARD E. BROAD.

## The Peoples Bank

NEW BERN, N. C.

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STRONG COURTEOUS PROGRESSIVE

### Modern Banking Service

When you go to your bank for business purposes you want to be waited upon promptly. Quick service is our watchword. We are thoroughly equipped to receive deposits, answer inquiries in regard to individual balances and other questions with dispatch and accuracy. Both checking and savings accounts are cordially invited.

WM DUNN PRES. C.D. BRADHAM VICE PRES. T.A. UZZELL CASHIER

## SALE CONTINUED

We will continue the Cut Price Sale for one week more on all winter goods, such as Clothing, Ladies and Mens Underwear, Heavy Shoes, Cloaks, Suits, Millinery, Rubber Goods, Dress Goods etc. To go at some price.

## PRICES LOWER THAN EVER

## J. J. BAXTER

Elks Temple Department Store

## To The Business Men of New Bern

FACTIONS, LACK OF CO-OPERATION and NEGLIGENCE of NATURAL ADVANTAGES will KILL any town.

An active commercial body prevents factions, promotes co-operation and protects the community's interests.

The NEW BERN CHAMBER OF COMMERCE stands committed to business co-operation, an improved municipality, waterways, country thoroughfares and everything that promotes progress in a community. Will you aid us to this end?

Annual meeting next Friday night at court house, 8:30 sharp. Election Officers, bi-centennial celebration and other important matters to come up. Everybody invited.

Watch us grow, 25 new members less than a month. New members daily.

## New Bern Chamber of Commerce

## A SELECT LINE

We have a very select line of suiting and pants patterns. Also several fancy vest patterns.

CALL AND SEE THEM

## F. M. Chadwick, Merchant Tailor

## Do You Contemplate Building or Repairing?

In figuring on old or new work do not forget that we carry the goods you need, and guarantee our prices to be right. If it is Building or Painting come and let us figure with you.

## Gaskill Hardware Co.

Middle Street Phone 147 New Bern N. C.