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We Have Any  
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One can buy Millinery very satisfactory from us by mail, select the style of Hat desired then tell us very carefully about the trimmings, colorings etc. Write us in your own way just how you want the Hat to look when you receive it.

We keep in close touch with Millinery Fashions and have plenty of skilled people in our work room to carry out your ideas. However if the Hat does not suit we will refund your money.

J. M. Mitchell & Co.

61 POLLOCK ST.

PHONE 288.

## NOTICE!

We have just received another car load of Summer goods, consisting of Porch Rockers, Refrigerators, Water Coolers, Ice Cream Freezers, Hammocks and store awnings and will sell cheap for cash or on time.

T. J. Turner Fur. Co.

83 MIDDLE ST.

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NEW BERN, N. C.

## YOU CAN'T DO BETTER

Than to trade at our Drug Store. We offer you a complete line of drug store goods, of a quality to be trusted and at a fair cost. Every point of service is perfect and there's satisfaction in every deal with us.

Gaston Drug Company

ON THE CORNER

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OPPO. POST OFFICE.

THE AMERICAN STOCK CO.

HAS JUST RECEIVED ITS STOCK OF

## Spring and Summer Goods

Latest styles in mens and boys clothing to select from, at prices to suit everybody. A handsome line of Hats for spring and summer wear. Shoes in all styles and leathers. Satisfaction guaranteed.

THE AMERICAN STOCK CO.

PHILIP HOWARD,

50 MIDDLE ST.

## Ladies Tailor Made Suits

We are agents for the American Ladies Tailoring Co., of Chicago, and will be glad for you to call in and examine our samples and styles before buying.

F. M. Chadwick,

MERCHANT  
TAILOR

ELEPHANTS GO  
ON RAMPAGE

Danville Enjoys Sport Hunting  
Big Game in City Streets  
With Automobiles.

Danville, Ill. April 28.—Several persons were injured and much property was damaged by nine elephants that stampeded just after they had been unloaded from a car after several hours' ride from Chicago. A large bull elephant made a break for liberty, bowling over the keeper and escaping. The animal was followed by several other bulls, which ran bellowing through the streets and across fields. Later, while the entire force of trainers and keepers were engaged in the unusual sport of hunting elephants in automobiles, a female elephant escaped.

For several hours the elephants were at large, hunted by all attaches of the circus, the city police and the more venturesome citizens. The elephants at first moved in a bunch, then separated. They stopped for nothing except brick and stone buildings. Such small frame structures, coal sheds, fences and trees as came in their path were pushed over, trodden down uprooted and thrown to one side.

See our special line of Screen  
Doors and Windows. J. S. Bas-  
night Hdw. Co., 67 S. Front St.

## Death of Miss S. A. Hewitt.

The remains of Miss Sida A. Hewitt who died at the home of her sister Mrs. C. C. Perry, at High Point, N. C., on the 26th inst., passed through this city yesterday morning en route to the family burying ground at her former home in Onalaw county. The remains were accompanied by her sister, Mrs. C. C. Perry, of High Point, and brothers, W. A. and J. C. Hewitt, of Durham, and T. D. Hewitt, of this city.

Foley's Kidney Remedy will cure any case of kidney and bladder trouble not beyond the reach of medicine. No medicine can do more. Davis Pharmacy.

## Married.

At Ayden Pitt County on the afternoon of April 27 Mr. W. N. Dixon, of Bellair to Miss Jessie Price of Ayden.

The bride party returned to the residence of Mr. W. N. Dixon last evening where a reception was given to the neighbors and friends.

We rejoice to welcome to our midst the bride, as only a few years since her brother carried from Bellair community one of our nicest girls. Such exchanges will come.

Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets assist nature in driving all impurities out of the system, insuring a free and regular condition and restoring the organs of the body to health and strength. Sold by all dealers.

## Swanboro Notes.

Swanboro, April 28th.—The weather in this section continues cool—too cool for growing crops.

Quite a crowd of young people went out to Oak Grove Park last Sunday afternoon.

Meats John A. Pittman and C. Buckmaster have the finest cabbage we have seen this season.

Dr. Monfort has got the finest Irish potatoes in the community; he also has about 50 Indian Black Runner young ducklings just out.

Mrs. B. H. Matthews has thirty hens that layed 500 eggs in March; they are the Brown Leghorn and Black Minorcas.

The Emmerton school closed its spring session on the 14th inst. and the teachers, Misses Fessenden and Johnson left for their homes up North on the 16th, they will stop a few days in Richmond, Washington and New York city.

Mr. D. W. Russell is furnishing our town with some very nice cabbage from his Island farm.

Meats Daily, of Washington, and Nelson, of New Bern, made a flying trip through this section last Tuesday on an automobile; they paid our merchants a visit and left after a short stay for Richlands.

Meats Swindell and son are making good progress on their new mill here and will be ready to saw in a few weeks.

Mr. E. W. Freeman, Sr., a highly respected citizen of this community, died last Tuesday morning.

ROSE BUD.

## Just Arrived

Well paper now in stock we decided to get in good quality paper on our second lot here in town for 10 to 15 cents a sheet. We will be glad to show you the prices from 100 per cent and on to 25 to 30 per cent.

## GOVERNMENT RESTS INSANE HUSBAND

In Caraway Case In Federal  
Court. Defendant Asks For  
Elective Charge For  
Trial.

At 4:30 p. m. yesterday, the government rested its case against J. R. E. Caraway, in the trial before the Federal Court. Counsel for the defendant Caraway, asked the court for a recess in order to arrange notes on the trial, and determine whether it would put on any witnesses for defense. Counsel asked the court that the government be charged to state which laws, embezzlement, misappropriation of funds or false entries, it would elect to present to the jury. Each offense carried with it the same punishment, hence there was nothing to the government in deciding, but to the defendant it was different, and counsel upon this information would decide its course to offer witnesses or not after the recess. Today the court will decide this. The grand jury came in and was discharged.

The trial of the Caraway case yesterday was a continuation of the examination of the bank officials, Cashier Roberts, President Bryan, Bookkeeper Duffy and Teller Attmore occupying a large share of attention. There was a mass of deposits slips, books and checks gone over, and their contents pried into. It was slow and prosy at times, with a monotony of figures, and again the defendant's counsel would rouse things by sharp probes of witnesses. Scattered into the day's proceedings were examinations of cashiers from several large trade houses in New England, New York and Winston, N. C., who had to prove in regard to checks of the National bank they received which had bearing on the case. Among the other witnesses were Capt. J. J. Lassiter, Robt. Hancock, N. C. Hughes.

## Just Arrived

The best selected line of lace curtains direct from the mills, you don't have to pay the jobbers profit to get them. We sell you curtains as good as you can find for \$5.00 at \$3.50 per pair the \$2.50 kind at \$1.50.

J. S. MILLER,  
87 & 89 Middle St. The Furniture Man

## Foreign Postage

On account of many letters from foreign countries mailed without the postage fully prepaid the post office desires to call the attention of the New Bern public to this.

The only foreign countries to which the two cent letter rate applies are Canada, Cuba, Mexico, New Foundland Canal Zone, Republic of Panama, City of Shanghai, Germany, England, Scotland, Wales and Ireland. To all other countries the rate is five cents for the first ounce or fraction thereof and three cents for each additional ounce or fraction thereof, which must be fully prepaid or the letters become liable on delivery to a charge equal to double the instance; a single rate letter prepaid only two cents would be subject on delivery to an additional postage charge of six cents.

Since this gives rise to many inquiries public attention is called to the subject.

Don't forget us when you  
want a White Mountain Freezer.  
Phone 99. J. S. Basnight Hdw.  
Co.

## VOICE OF THE PEOPLE.

## WHY IS IT ALLOWED?

Mr. Editor:—Will you kindly allow me space in your valuable paper to state a few facts that would bear investigation by our present set of city officials at an early date:

In Chapter 5, Section 107, of the city ordinance the following paragraph is very prominent, "no person shall stop any vehicle on a footway or crossing for foot passengers. For doing so he shall be fined \$1.00."

In Section 112 of the same chapter the following is to be found: "no wagon, cart, carriage, buggy or other vehicle shall be permitted to stand in any street when not in use."

Despite the fact that such an act is constituted an offense and that at least one policeman who receives a sum that is sufficiently adequate for his services, is stationed there at the time mentioned each day, this thing occurs almost daily at the Norfolk and Southern passenger station upon the arrival of passenger trains.

Besides being a nuisance to a man, it is to the public and if these officers who are placed there cannot enforce the law some one should be placed at this point who can and will see that such conditions do not persist.

## TAX PAYER.

Every family and individual who reside in the country should be taxed at all times with a view to the improvement of the community. It is the duty of every citizen to pay his taxes and to see that the money is well spent.

## KILLS WIFE

After Braining Her With an Axe  
Cuts Own Throat With Meat  
Knife; Dies.

Concord, N. H. April 28.—His mind unbalanced by anxiety over the illness of his wife Herman W. Clough, a railroad switchman, killed her today by chopping her head with an axe, and then cut his own throat with a meat knife, dying immediately. Mrs. Clough was forty-five years old. She had been confined to her bed by a nervous disorder for nearly six months. Unable to sleep for many nights on account of the patient's cries, the husband consulted a physician today who advised him to stay away from work and try to rest today.

Clough took the doctor's advice and went to bed at noon, but toward evening he got up and seized an axe, entered his wife's room. Brushing past the nurse, without uttering a word, Clough sank the axe into the head of his bed-ridden wife. Clough then slashed his throat with the knife. He was fifty years old.

## Companions

A Special Convocation of New Bern Chapter No. 46 R. A. M. will be held this Friday evening at 7:30 for work in R. A. Degree. Visiting companions cordially invited.

By order of H. P.

A. H. BANGERT,  
Secretary.

Our car of Pittsburgh Fencing  
has arrived. See us at once.  
Basnight Hdw. Co.

## Delightful Event

Immediately after the prayer meeting services at Centenary Methodist church last night Mrs. Dowell and Miss Duncan, those two musicians who pleased a large audience on the previous night at the Masonic Theatre, gave a sacred concert.

Due to the fact that comparatively few people know that the concert would be given, the audience was not as large as it would have otherwise been, but there were quite a number present.

Miss Duncan presided over the organ and her accompaniment work was above comparison and from the first note that issued from the instrument until the finale the audience was held spellbound and her work showed that she is indeed an artist of ability.

Mrs. Dowell, whose voice has charmed every one who has heard her at previous recitals was at her best last night and showed great power and ability both in tone and quality and it will be with sincere regrets that the music lovers of this city see her depart.

## PILES! PILES! PILES!

Williams' Indian Pile Ointment will cure Blind, Bleeding and Itching Piles. It absorbs the tumors, 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.

## Great Work Being Done

Doubtless many of our readers have heard of the Florence Crittenton Home which is located at Charlotte, N. C., but to those who are not familiar with this great institution and explanation is due. There are 300,000 women and girls in our land who have been enticed into houses of shame through the evils of those engaged in the "traffic girls." This home opens the way to a sheltered avenue of life along which erring women and unfortunate girls may be redeemed. The girl from the street and the unfortunate girl who is about to become a mother both find a refuge there.

Today or tomorrow Miss Elizabeth C. Biggs, a lady whose sterling worth and integrity is known in every benevolent society in this country, will call upon you in the interest of this institution and any help given her, no matter how small will be highly appreciated.

## Big Inducement.

The biggest inducement ever offered by any merchant in New Bern. Beginning today we will give 5 per cent rebate tickets on all cash purchases and in addition will give on each dollar spent with us or paid on account a Clock Ticket which will entitle the customer holding the winning ticket to a Beautiful Decorated Dinner Set. By this new plan every body will get a fine discount and stand a chance to get the dinner set extra. The old clock tickets will not be good in this new series and every one holding any are requested to send them to me at once. All outstanding rebate tickets are good.

## The Peoples Bank

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4% PAID ON  
4% SAVINGS

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• COURTEOUS •  
• PROGRESSIVE

Small Accounts Are Welcomed  
By This Bank.

Do not hesitate to open a bank account because you can not begin with a large sum. The Peoples Bank especially welcomes small deposits; any amount from one dollar upwards, realizing that these accounts grow to substantial proportions when the depositor encouraged to make regular additions thereto just as he is able. The bank pays 4 per cent interest, compounded twice a year, on savings accounts, thus providing a liberal income for your funds together with absolute safety.

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

## The Biggest Inducement

EVER OFFERED BY ANY MERCHANT IN NEW BERN

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J. J. BAXTER

DEPT. STORE

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You are looking for come and see our line. We carry the largest line of Silk and Wash suits in the city, in all the season's newest colors and styles.

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