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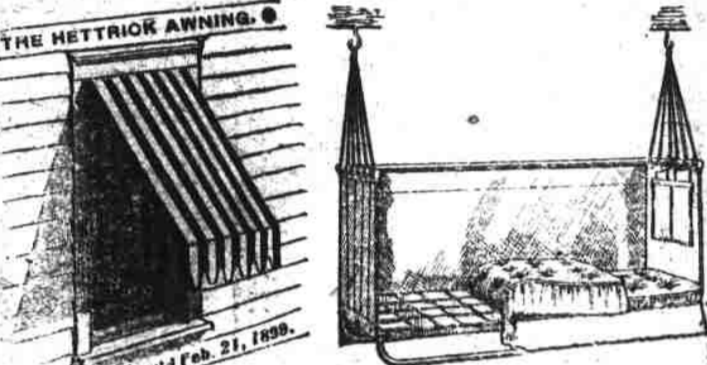
its own strength in the standing of its customers. No other single thing as favorably influences a man's business standing as to have a checking account in a bank of known conservatism and strength. Would it not pay you to join the large number of responsible men who now do their banking here and thus secure for yourself and for your business the added strength that such association would reflect upon you?

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Only six more of Window Awnings, worth \$4.50 Reduced to \$3.50. Also three more of the fine Couch Hammocks, worth \$12.50 Reduced to \$9.50. You will find these goods displayed in our window exactly like cuts you see above.

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The Greatest Cut Price Sale ever run in the city of New Bern. Prices on all goods reduced to one half and less.

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Oil Wick Cook Stoves, no heat to bother you. You will find them a treasure this hot weather. Let us send you one today. We have the best makes, Ice Cream Freezers, Water Coolers, Lawn Mowers, Hose Reels, Lawn Mowers.

Gaskill Hardware Co.

Middle Street Phone 147 New Bern, N. C.

CITIZENSHIP AND PUBLIC HEALTH

Responsibility for Public Health Our Greatest Civic Responsibility.

The essential difference between the citizen and the savage is the expression in his daily routine by the former of the principle, "No man liveth unto himself." This biblical axiom is the basis of civilization, because it expresses a relation that law defines and controls. It naturally follows that the clearer our mental perception, the more distinctly will we recognize the many and subtle bonds that unite our fortunes or our fates into a web of weal or woe. Knowledge gives acuteness of mental vision, and, therefore, it is knowledge that opens the gates of a higher civilization and gives to him who desires the opportunity to become a better citizen.

The relation of one man's property to another's is easily recognized, and is firmly established upon universally accepted principles of civil law. The relation of one man's life to another's has only within the last half century been established upon principles of natural law. But, as yet, the knowledge of these natural laws has not been widely enough disseminated to produce sufficient public sentiment to weld them into our statutes.

Man's greatest civic obligation is to the public health. This sounds like the exaggeration of an enthusiast. Nevertheless, it rests upon those primary and fundamental principles of law that for over four thousand years have been the basis of civilization. Write in tables of stone by the Supreme Judge Himself, these legal principles are so comprehensive as to embrace man's every possible relation: His relation to the Court of Heaven; his relation to the Court of the home and his relation to the court of man. But note, and note carefully, that the first of the five rules governing man's relation to man is the law protecting life. First, not by hazard, but first by Omnipotent design, because it is just as fundamental to the last four of these five laws as life is fundamental to chastity, property reputation, and neighborly comfort. Note further, that "Thou shalt not kill" carries no provisions limiting its application to the 5,000 deaths occurring annually in the United States through willful acts of commission, and excluding the 500,000 deaths annually occurring in our country by an act of passive omission. Every citizen who does not take a serious interest in the public health of his or her community is a partisan to this criminal destruction of life. Like Lady Macbeth dipping her bloody hands in water, we say, "Out! damned spot," but it will not out, for all the real and feigned ignorance and indifference into which we submerge our individual and public consciences.

And now, lastly, how can the conscious citizen—this does not include everybody—discharge this obligation? He can easily inform himself, with a total amount of reading of not over ten hours, of the principal facts which will enable one to take an active and intelligent part in this work. He can be supplied, without cost, with this literature by writing the Secretary of the State Board of Health at Raleigh to place his or her name on the mailing list for the monthly Bulletin. He can read articles on this subject appearing in this paper monthly. He can vote for aldermen, county commissioners, and legislators who are informed in regard to this important problem.

The Rubbish Danger

However serious or not may have been the incident mentioned in Wednesday's Journal, of the fire in the alley back of the Barrington Dry Goods Company's store, there is no question but that the trash thrown into this alley offers the way to a fire that could be started by some innocent passerby, which might prove disastrous. The summer heat always invites a fire among trash.

Ruhaway Yesterday Afternoon

Considerable excitement was created on Broad street late yesterday afternoon by a large black horse which had become scared at the east bound passenger train and at once made a dash up the street. Two colored girls were in the buggy when the horse started to run but they lost no time in falling out and thereby doubtless escaped serious injury. The animal kept in the center of the street until in front of J. D. Barfield's store where he ran up on the sidewalk and in some way managed to get free of the buggy which had been turned over and was badly damaged. The animal then crossed the street and fell to the ground. It was found necessary to cut the harness all in pieces before the animal could be brought to its rest. Both the buggy and harness were completely demolished.

Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets gently stimulate the liver and cleanse the system, and are the best remedy for all ailments of the stomach and liver.

IT IS DOCTOR J. M. FAISON

Democratic Nominee Third District For Congress. A Continuous 18 Hour Session.

Goldboro July 6.—At 7:10 this morning, on the 47th ballot, the announcement on roll call of 122 votes for John M. Faison closed a memorable convention that was uncertainty for three candidates during its entire session, as to which one would receive the fatal Congressional stroke of a majority of votes.

Throughout the night there were attempts to take a recess, each being voted down by a volley of "noes." Ballot after ballot with no sign of the break that had to come to make a nomination. Shortly before six o'clock this morning delegates began to rush about. Daylight had come. Delegates were thinking of home and breakfast. Not a minute of adjournment since 1:20 p. m. the day before, not a rest for caucus. The roll call had reached the 470. Hood had been running close to one hundred votes, with the dozen so necessary just beyond reach a number of times. Faison and Thomas had run second and third time and again. The even "no" for Duffy's cry from Onslow county on roll call, began to change. Cries for favorites resounded. Each roll racked the Secretaries with the change of vote. Faison and Thomas' votes like abb and fwood, swept along. The Hood guard stood fast. As the ballots went along slowly it became evident the end was near. Who would it be? The surge went up for John M. Faison, and the vote was made unanimous. Dr. Faison was called and made an excellent speech of acceptance, and the great meeting was over. The Third District had changed its Congressional leader.

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Banner "Sure Seal" Fruit Jars (with glass top.) M. E. Whitehurst & Co.

The Cotton Market.

Special to Journal. New York, July 6.—The cotton market was rather reactionary today notwithstanding additional reports of unfavorable weather conditions. The unsatisfactory state of business is apparently the only reason the market is not reflecting backward crop conditions to a greater extent. Spot prices quoted ten points below yesterday with no sales today.

LATHAM ALEXANDER & CO.

Wilmington Will Have Boat.

At a meeting of the Board of Aldermen at Wilmington Tuesday night, \$200 was appropriated to provide for a float to be used in the various parades during the Bi-Centennial. Alderman Ebbson, of that city stated the Germans of Wilmington would be well represented at the celebration. The float will be a handsome one and the Fort Caswell Band will furnish the music.

Trustees Sale Property Today.

The sale of the Taylor property, House-hold, Store buildings etc., on lower Middle street, that was advertised to be sold yesterday, was postponed until 12 o'clock today.

Collects Bill at Point of Revolver

Gus Roundtree, a notorious negro who lives in the northern section of the city, was given a hearing before Mayor McCarthy yesterday afternoon on the charge of carrying a concealed weapon and probable cause being found he was bound over to the next term of Superior Court under a bond of \$25. From the evidence given by the witnesses in the case it seemed that Jim White, also colored, owed Roundtree 25 cents. Roundtree had made several attempts to collect the bill but had failed each time. Monday afternoon he accepted White on the street in Fayette Town and drawing his revolver told him to either pay the 25 cents or get shot full of holes. White decided to pay, after which he reported the matter to the police and Roundtree was placed under arrest.

Wonder Freezers Best Made.

M. E. Whitehurst & Co.

Congressman Thomas' Card

To the Editor: I desire to return my thanks and publicly express my gratitude to the citizens of New Bern and Currituck County and elsewhere in other counties who so kindly supported me in the Congressional Campaign. I shall always remember with pleasure and gratitude their kind letters and generous support.

Far East.

Two lines of ships were in the harbor at New Bern, N. C. on Wednesday.

BOILER BURSTS THREE INJURED

Steam Gauge Failed to Properly Register and as a Result Three People Now Lay at Point of Death.

At 6:45 o'clock yesterday morning the large 30-horse power boiler at J. Connel Brown's saw mill which is located at the foot of Metcalf street exploded and as a result John Midgett the colored sewer Tom Foy the colored fireman and a colored woman whose name could not be learned and who was struck by a piece of flying scantling as she was crossing Trent river bridge, are seriously if not fatally injured.

The accident is said to have been caused by the failure of steam gauge to properly register and the pressure becoming too great the great bulk of metal could not withstand the strain and its sides flew asunder.

John Midgett the colored engineer was in the machine room, which adjoins the boiler room, when the accident occurred, and when the dividing partition was blown down by the rush of steam and metal he was carried more than 50 feet away over piles of rough lumber and finally landed against a post. During his flight over the piles of lumber his shoulder was broken and he sustained other internal injuries. Tom Foy, the colored fireman, was in the boiler room at the time the explosion occurred, and how he escaped instant death is not known, but in some mysterious way he was blown clear of the wreckage, but was severely scalded and also received internal injuries by being struck by falling debris. He was placed in a conveyance and carried to his home where medical attention was rendered him.

A colored woman, whose name could not be learned was walking over Trent river bridge near the scene when it occurred and a piece of scantling which had been blown high into the air struck her a crushing blow on the shoulder. She was carried to a physician's office and medical attention rendered her.

The explosion was heard all over the city and a short while after hundreds of people were on the scene viewing the ruins. Practically the entire building was wrecked. The fly wheel on the engine was twisted off as if it had been made of putty, the large plaining machine just in the rear of the engine room was also totally wrecked. If the catastrophe had occurred 20 minutes later, after the men who are employed there had gone to work, there would have doubtless been a number of them injured, fortunately none of these were in the building. The loss to the property and machinery is estimated at about \$4,000.

"High Grade" Colonial Glassware. M. E. Whitehurst & Co.

Jeffries-Johnson Fight Pictures Will Not be Shown in This City

It will be of much interest to those in this city who were anticipating witnessing the moving pictures of the Jeffries-Johnson prize fight to know that they will not be permitted to be shown in any theatre or any open air performance in this city.

In hundreds of cities in the United States the authorities have compelled the suppression of these pictures and such will be the case in New Bern.

While in conversation with Mayor McCarthy the writer was informed that he would use every available method to stop the proposed exhibition and his action is commended by a large number of influential citizens. He declared that the pictures will only promote race hatred and for that reason they will be debarred.

Large Number of Vagrants in the City.

To a person whose business requires him to go into the northern part of the city, especially in the section inhabited by the colored people it is evident that there are a large number of unemployed negroes continually loafing around the streets, quarrelling and fighting and of course being hauled into the police court. Some months ago the Mayor issued an order in regard to this class of people that had the effect of making many of them go to work. Of late however, these loafers have returned to their old habits and habits and the condition of affairs is again becoming objectionable and in a way a nuisance to the public. There is plenty of work for these men and boys, and they should be made to either go to work or show that they have some visible means of support besides the crum game and petty thefts.

The Peoples Bank

NEW BERN, N. C. STRONG COURTEOUS PROGRESSIVE

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SOUND INVESTMENT

As this is the period of the year when people are receiving dividends and interest, it is well for them to consider how they will use these funds. While awaiting the opportunity to place them in some permanent investment, we cordially recommend our Certificates of Deposit which draw 4 per cent interest and may be readily converted into cash should necessity demand. Checking and Savings Accounts cordially invited in small as well as large sums.

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DEPT. STORE ELKS TEMPLE

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Trunks Suit-Cases and Hand-Bags

AT
Barrington Dry Goods Co.

TO THE PUBLIC

The New Bern STORES are the equal of any in this State and should be patronized by you in preference to others.

By recent comparison the goods offered by our merchants were of as good quality and just as cheap as samples from an established Northern house.

If you don't find what you need, show your civic pride and let your merchant order it for you, for by so doing you will encourage our merchants to keep the best of everything at the cheapest possible prices.

Thousands of dollars are being sent away annually to enrich other communities. Lets keep this money at home and prosper.

Chamber of Commerce

Points on Perfect Protection

The excellence in protection afforded by a policy on BOILERS and FLY WHEELS is the MARYLAND CASUALTY CO. of Baltimore, (assets \$5,000,000) is proven by the following facts and figures: Only casualty company maintaining a CLAIM DEPARTMENT in North Carolina which assures prompt adjustment. Premiums collected in this state last year exceeded that of any other company by \$95,000. Has advanced in 12 years from the bottom to SECOND PLACE in the list of wealthy companies. For prompt adjustment of claims and protection given policy holders it has no equal and the beauty of it all is its rates are low as less reliable companies. A policy on boilers reduces cost of fire insurance. No boiler owner should neglect this important feature.

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