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THE matter for every person, who receives money, to consider is the question of the future. There will be a time when the income will be less than it is at present. Will a little money be a help in case of sickness? When you have settled this vital question, deposit a portion of your income weekly or monthly with this bank, where the money will earn interest and be absolutely safe.

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has the touch, wearing quality, appearance and feel of the highest grade silk that would sell at \$1.00.

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the manufacturers take pride in presenting this fabric to the public as they believe it is the best value in merchandise that has ever been offered over a retail counter.

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This is the dividend of the **Geo Motor Company** for the past five years. Common stock in most automobile manufacturing concerns pays from 30 percent to 1000 per cent dividends.

Our offering of the 7 per cent Cumulative Preferred Stock of the **CONSOLIDATED MOTOR CAR COMPANY**, (Capital stock \$4,000,000.) of Cleveland, at par, \$100.00, with a bonus of 100 per cent of Common, should prove equally productive of profits.

The **CONSOLIDATED MOTOR CAR COMPANY** manufactures the Royal Tourer and the Crown Car, both of which are familiar to every Automobileist.

There are individual, fundamental, mechanical reasons why this complete line of commercial trucks, taxicabs and pleasure cars will create large profits in the future, these we will gladly furnish on request.

Investors will also be furnished with certified public accountants' statements semi-annually. The book value of preferred stock is 30 per cent in excess of price paid.

The Crown Taxicab is now being used by Walter W. Shaw Co. of Chicago and numerous other large taxicab companies.

This is the first public offering of the stock, which is limited to 200,000 shares. Illustrated prospectus, showing plans, assets, etc., upon request. Address:

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WHERE AERO-PLANES ARE SAFE

Must be Above One Thousand Yards as Proven by Rifle Test.

Washington, April 19.—"It is reasonable to believe that an aeroplane 1,000 yards away would stand no show if only the service rifle were used."

That is the conclusion of naval officers, expressed in an official report to the Navy Department on the first attempt ever made to shoot an aeroplane-shaped kite from a battle ship.

The experiment was made April 5, when the Atlantic fleet was at target practice off Hampton Roads. Then only the service rifle was used in firing at the kites. Now preparations are being made to use a three-inch gun.

The kites used were box-shaped, 42 feet. In the third volley, aimed at the first kite sent up, the string by which the kite was being towed was cut by a bullet, and it sailed away without the number of hits being disclosed.

Of one hundred shots, fired very rapidly at the second kite, forty hits were made, several cutting the braces and frames. "As the hunting covered not more than three-fifths of the total area of the kite as presented to the ship," said the report, "it gave the excellent result of forty hits out 160 shots at an area of about five square feet at a rapidly plunging target 500 to 700 yards distant in the air."

Three act Vaudeville at The Athens, this week. The Mansfields as Comedy Singers and Dancers.

Meeting of Chamber of Commerce Tonight.

There will be a regular quarterly meeting of the Chamber of Commerce tonight in the court house at 8 o'clock. The meeting will be addressed by Mr. B. E. Rice, Industrial Agent of the Norfolk Southern. Mr. Rice is an authority on advertising local resources and his talk will be intensely interesting. Mr. S. A. Thompson will address the meeting on the subject of deeper waterways. He is the secretary of the National River and Harbor Congress. He has made the subject a study for the last two or three years. Every citizen of New Bern, whether a member of the Chamber of Commerce or not, is invited to attend this meeting.

NOTICE

The 1st. Co. C. A. C. will have regular drill and target practice tomorrow at 8 o'clock.

H. HUNTER SMITH,
1st. Lieut. Co. Cadg.

Zello, in the Novelty Strong act. The Great Platform Back act at The Athens this week.

Dr. Julian B. Rodgers to Come to the Tabernacle.

Rev. A. C. Shuler, pastor of the Baptist Tabernacle, has secured Dr. Julian B. Rodgers, of Atlanta, to assist him in a series of meetings at the Tabernacle Baptist church which in all probability will start next Sunday.

Dr. Rodgers is no stranger to many in our city, having once before led a meeting at the Tabernacle when Rev. J. W. Ham was the church's pastor.

Dr. Rodgers is a man of culture, deep thinking, and ripe experiences and is sought for in revival work the country over.

He will be heard with pleasure by many of our people.

WILLIAMS' KIDNEY PILLS

Have you neglected your kidneys? Have you overworked your nervous system and caused trouble with your kidneys and bladder? Have you pains in your back, side, groin and bladder? Have you a flabby appearance of the face, especially under the eyes? Too frequent a desire to pass urine? If so, Williams' Kidney Pills will cure you. Druggists, Price Six Cents. Williams' Medical Co., Proprs., Cleveland, O.

Lava Party.

There will be a lava party at the home of O. E. Perry, Wednesday April 19th, from 4 p. m. to 11 p. m. at the home of Perry's Garden Baptist church. Tickets and program in afternoon. Everybody invited.

We have Screen Doors and Windows in all sizes and styles, knocked down in one week with cloth. We are the lowest prices in the city.

TRENT RIVER RAILROAD CO.

From Swansboro on The Atlantic Ocean in Onalow County to Farmville in Pitt County.

Through the efforts of Mr. J. K. Dixon, our esteemed fellow citizen and Honorable Representative, the member from Jones county in the last legislature, the charter of the Trent River Railroad Company was granted.

The first purpose of this charter is, as before stated by advocates, to connect by a short line of railroad in every part of the county.

There are now three North and South lines of railroad running through Jones county, which do not meet the demand for interior development nor afford a direct connection with all sections of the county with each other and the outside world.

These lines are: 1st. The Atlantic Coast Line from New Bern to Wilmington, via Pollockville and Mayville. 2nd. The John L. Roper Road from New Bern to Catherine Lake, via Pollockville and upper White Oak and evidently destined to point further South. These first two roads are in the lower or eastern end of Jones county. 3rd. The Dover South Bound from Dover to Richlands, via Foy's Taylor's, Phillip's, Dudley's and Comfort in the upper or western end of Jones county.

None of these roads reach our county seat at Trenton or pass through the rich middle section of our county. Under present conditions it will take about two days to go from Mayville to Comfort by rail. In fact one can make the round trip to New York City and spend a day of business or pleasure in that Metropolis in less time than it will take to make the round trip by rail from the Eastern to the Western end of Jones county and spend a day.

In building a new railroad it is important that we take advantage of our national facilities, and while it cannot be built, literally, by every man's door yet every man in the county will, practically, have a railroad at his immediate convenience. The proposed Trent River Railroad will develop the entire county, put our county seat on a railroad line and do the most good to all the people for, "Breathes There a Man With Soul so Dead etc."

The charter of the Trent River Railroad proposes to construct a railroad from some point to deep water on Trent river at or near Pollockville in Jones county via Trenton to some point on the Dover South Bound with the privilege of extending East and West to make any other railroad or water connection. The distance from Pollockville via Trenton to the Dover South Bound is about (17) seventeen miles. This seventeen (17) miles of railroad will connect and link together every part of Jones county and put every neighborhood in the county in touch with the outside world. And the end is not yet. The building of this seventeen (17) miles of railroad, opening a large, rich section of our county, giving easy, quick transportation to a large per cent of our people, who have so long been deprived of these developing agencies, putting our county seat, Trenton, on a railroad line and on the march to growth and prosperity but the construction of this seventeen (17) miles of railroad makes the following lines feasible and practicable, for instance, at Pollockville you connect with the Atlantic Coast Line for New Bern and Wilmington, the John L. Roper road for New Bern and the South, the Trent river with deep water for New Bern and the Atlantic Ocean. From Trent river secure tracings over the John L. Roper road to the White Oak road at Miss Oldfield's plantation, build a line from that point Eastwardly crossing and connecting again with the Atlantic Coast Line at Mayville, thence down the North Side of White Oak river through the celebrated Long Point Plantation, which now belongs to the estate of the late Henry B. Rogers, who it is said had the distinction of building the Virginia Railroad from the coal fields of West Virginia to Norfolk harbor, a distance of 400 miles at a cost of forty million dollars, without a single bond or preference worth of stock liability against it.

This celebrated Long Point plantation has six miles of water front on the White Oak river in Jones county and contains possibly the most valuable original pine forest of any tract of similar size in North Carolina. Crossing from the North side at Bluffs in Currituck county to Swansboro on the Atlantic Ocean.

We understand that Mr. Lovell Stone will build a railroad in a point within four miles of Phillip's crossing on the Dover South Bound. He already has a road from Bluffs to Stone Hill in Currituck county. We understand there is already a gravel road from Stone Hill to Swansboro in Pitt county. How do you know the proposed line from Stone Hill to Swansboro, via Bluffs, Mayville, Pollockville, Trenton and Farmville in Pitt county, will be the most direct and shortest route from the Atlantic Ocean to the interior of Jones county?

A Well Known Judge Hands Down an Opinion.

The Savodine Company
New Bern, N. C.

Dear Sirs: From the use I have made of SAVODINE I believe it to be a very valuable remedy for catarrh and colds. It gives almost immediate relief in case of difficult breathing and inhaling it freely checks and gives relief in severe coughing. So far as I have had opportunity to use it, which is only a short time, I am much pleased with its efficiency.

Very truly yours,
T. F. SHEPARD,
By City, Mich.

Judge T. F. Shepard is widely known and highly esteemed. He is a lawyer of recognized ability. For years he was Circuit Judge of the Eastern District of Michigan.

will develop the Central Eastern portion of our State more than anything ever yet undertaken, a proposition that every progressive spirited man can take hold of with the satisfaction of knowing that he is striking a blow for his and coming generations, placing his own advantage ground with other highly favored sections.

WHITE OAK.

BOTH PARTIES SUPPORT TAFT

President's Position On Mexican Situation Tension Somewhat Relieved.

Washington, April 19.—"An invasion of Mexico, designed for a limited and temporary purpose, might be like touching a match to a tinder house."

Senator Bacon, of Georgia, ranking minority member of the Senate Committee on Foreign Relations, thus epitomized the sentiment of leaders of both parties in the two branches of Congress. While recognizing the gravity of the situation in Mexico, Congress is satisfied that the President is doing everything that can be done under the circumstances, and nowhere is there seen the slightest disposition to embarrass him or his program.

It was learned at the close of a conference at the White House at which were Senator Cullom, chairman of the Senate Committee on Foreign Relations, and Representative Sulzer, chairman of the House Committee on Foreign Affairs, that President Taft, for the present at least does not contemplate sending to Congress a special message, dealing with Mexican affairs. The President, however, is keeping the leaders of both parties in Congress thoroughly acquainted with developments, with the result that the closest co-operation exists between the Capitol and the White House.

Positive assurance that the Mexican government will adopt a "definite restriction policy along the border, and news from Douglas that the rebel forces have evacuated Agua Prieta, has done much to relieve the high tension under which President Taft and members of his official family have labored. The assurances from Mexico followed demands of the State Department that fighting which endangered American lives in the border town must be stopped.

Dispatches received at the White House from Douglas indicate that the situation along the border is now quite satisfactory. A message from Governor Sloan, of Arizona, said in part: "Good order prevails, and situation entirely satisfactory. Am satisfied. Federal troops reasonable precaution to prevent firing into Douglas during the fighting."

LET THE GOOD WORK GO ON.

We are advertising just as much to educate the public to the use of good pine lumber as to sell it ourselves. Therefore, at times, we need not dwell on the merits of our own timber but can safely leave that to the judgment of intelligent lumber buyers. Our experience with pine lumber enables us to speak with authority, and to offer a grade of goods absolutely without parallel in this section of the country.

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