

## MEETING YOU HALF WAY

THE Officers and Directors of this bank are working all the time to please depositors and patrons. There is a human side to this institution. It is authorized to act as the trusted guardian of orphan children and the executor of estates for widows, yet all of its affairs are transacted with the strictest regard for economy, safety and prudence.

Your Savings or Checkings Account Cordially Invited.

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## DIRECT FROM THE MANUFACTURER TO THE RETAILER.

### Century Silk, Price 30c.

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

### Tissue Violet, Price 20c.

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.

### Dupianne Silk, Price 25c.

will make a handsome costume for Spring and Summer, looks and feels like an expensive silk, in the latest styles only.

### Near Silk Foulards, Price 15c

a popular fabric, well adapted for a Tailor Made Suit.

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## 90 PER CENT. PER ANNUM

This is the dividend of the Ray Motor Company for the past five years. Common stock in most automobile manufacturing concerns pays from 30 per cent 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 Tourist and the Creston Cars, both of which are familiar to every Automobileist.

There are individual, fundamental, mechanical reasons why their complete line of commercial trucks, taxicabs and pleasure cars will assure large profits to the investor, 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 par value.

The Creston Textiles are now being used by William W. Shaw Co. of Chicago and numerous other large branch companies.

This is the first public offering of this stock, which is limited to \$250,000. General illustrated prospectus, showing plants, etc., upon request.

### HARVEY A. WILLIS & CO.

27 Broadway, New York.

## AMERICAN SOLDIER DESERTS

### To Join And Fight With Mexican Freight Depot and Cars Burned.

Agua Prieta, Mexico, April 20.—A detachment of 278 Federals, including 40 cavalry, left Agua Prieta under orders. It is believed to attack Juan Cabral's insurgents, are reported to be south of Naco, preparing to attack that town. The Federal column marched directly west, following the international line closely.

Fear of a renewal of insurgent efforts to capture Agua Prieta is probably responsible for the failure to send forward a larger force. That the rebels have not moved far from the town was indicated when a small insurgent band broke through the Federal lines and set fire to the Nacozari railroad station, which was destroyed, together with three car loads of provisions, miscellaneous supplies and machinery. In the ensuing skirmish several were killed.

Owen Savage, a member of Troop K, First United States Cavalry, is a prisoner in the bull ring. His eagerness to get into the fight was too great for his loyalty, and he deserted, taking with him an army pistol to fight with the rebels. Tied and roped, he was brought before American Consul Dye, of Nogales, together with Tim K. Sullivan, an American from Brix report, Conn., the Consul having requested to see them.

The Federals had kept Sullivan for several hours so tied with knotted ropes that he was unable to lie down or stand up. Sullivan saw service with the Boers in South Africa. Savage asked the Consul not to inform his family of his fate.

### The Talkative Trickster at The Athens this week. E. Gordo.

#### Week Day Hours.

Stamp and General Delivery windows are open from 7 a. m. to 7 p. m. except during the time of assorting and putting up the large morning and afternoon mails.

Sunday and holiday hours. Stamp and general delivery windows are open from 7:45 to 8:15 a. m. and also from 10:15 to 10:45 a. m. The general delivery window is open from 8:15 to 8:45 p. m.

J. S. BASNIGHT, Postmaster.

#### Purchases. Mebane Leader.

It will be of interest to his friends in this city to know that Mr. J. O. Foy, a well known newspaper man who at one time resided in this city, has purchased the plant and fixtures of the Mebane, N. C. Leader and will in the future edit that periodical. The Leader has had quite a spectacular career since its birth two years ago, having been owned by twenty-three people during that time and it is hoped that Mr. Foy will succeed admirably in the venture.

While you are having that spring cleaning, make a new room of an old one with B. P. S. Flat Wall Finish. For color cards, phone 99 or write J. S. Basnight Hdw. Co., 67 S. Front St.

#### BRIDGETON ITEMS.

Bridgeton April 19th.—We have had some warm April weather today.

Easter came in very pleasant after such a bad day Saturday. We had very nice services in the Methodist church, the morning service was well attended and at night the Sunday school had their Easter rally service. The church was decorated very prettily with palms and flowers, and the program was enjoyed very much by the large crowd that came out.

Mr. A. M. Tingle went to Stella Sunday morning and returned on Monday night.

Mr. Ben Phillips and Mr. Charlie Phillips and wife, of Griffon, was in our town yesterday visiting relatives.

Mrs. Wm. Thomas, who has been down in Beaufort county, visiting her daughter, who has been very sick, has returned home.

Mrs. Mary E. Willis is visiting her son Mr. Ben Willis, at Oriental.

Mr. J. Leon Williams and three members of New Bern, will appear in our town next Friday night at a look in the interest of the Honorable Court. Every body is invited to come out and hear what they have to say.

There will be preaching in the Methodist church next Sunday, both morning and night by the pastor, Rev. J. M. Wright, every body is cordially invited to come out.

Mr. and Mrs. Nathan...

## FARMERS FREE LIST BILL.

### Proposed Exemptions From Tariff Duties. Arguments in Its Favor.

Washington, Apr. 20.—The majority report of the Ways and Means Committee on the so-called farmers' free list bill, submitted to the House yesterday by Chairman Underwood, is a merger of Democratic political argument and an analysis of the proposed duty exemptions.

The report shows that the bill would reduce the tariff revenue \$10,016,495, based on the importations for the last fiscal year, an amount described as "inconsiderable in comparison with the great saving and advantages to all of our people from the additions to the free list provided for."

The report takes up in detail the classified list of articles included in the free list bill. Regarding agricultural implements it says their manufacture is controlled by trusts and combinations that have sold in foreign countries at lower prices than at home, building up their foreign trade from \$3,859,184 in 1890 to \$28,124,933 in 1910.

In discussing the elimination of the duties on hoops, bands, wires and other articles made in metal, the report says the steel trust for controlling prices and selling more cheaply abroad. Similar charges are made against the meat combination and the makers of sewing machines. The reasonableness of putting the other articles on the free list is set forth at length.

Mr. Fly and his family will soon call. Greet them with well screened windows and doors and save a doctor's bill. We have the Screens. J. S. Basnight Hdw. Co., phone 99, 67 S. Front St.

#### First Half April Weather.

The following is the maximum and minimum temperatures and rainfall for April on dates stated.

1-61-29
2-65-40 12
4-69-43
5-75-54 32
6-78-53 136
7-81-57 37
8-83-47 96
9-84-43 26
10-84-35
11-81-37 66
12-76-47 65
13-67-50
14-72-54
15-73-59

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

#### NOTES FROM RIVERDALE.

April 19.—The weather continues cool for the time of the year. The farmers are busy planting corn.

The Easter services were thoroughly enjoyed by all who attended the Methodist church Sunday.

Mrs. L. N. Latham and little son Harvey spent Monday in New Bern.

Misses Helen Rouse, Thelma and Vera Horn, are spending a few days with friends and relatives at Dover.

Misses Janie Conner and Nellie Bray of Thurman, spent Sunday with Miss Kate Ozlesby.

Mr. Cleo Taylor and family formerly of Clark, have moved in our midst. We extend to them a cordial welcome.

Mr. Walter Wynn of Havelock was a visitor at Mr. H. C. Wood's Sunday.

Mrs. B. E. Williams and little son Carl of Croatan were visitors of Mrs. L. N. Latham Tuesday.

Mr. B. B. Mallison, who has a position with the Roper Lumber Co. at their place, spent Sunday with his family at Pine Grove.

A number of our young people attended prayer meeting at the Thomson school house Sunday night.

We regret very much to know our school is so near a close. The pupils have advanced very rapidly under the skillful management of Mr. E. A. Hill of Stanfort during the past session and we sincerely hope to be fortunate enough to have him teach our school next term.

With best wishes to The New Bern Journal.

W. B. BAXTER.

We have Screen Doors and Windows, in all sizes and styles, knocked down frames and wire cloth. We can fill your orders promptly. Don't

## CHAMBER COMMERCE MEETING

### Instructive Addresses on Need of Waterways And Advertising a Section.

The quarterly meeting of the Chamber of Commerce was held at the court house last night. The attendance was far short of what it should have been. The address of Mr. S. A. Thompson, field secretary of the National Rivers and Harbors Congress, should have been heard by every citizen. It was instructive, impressive, and inspiring as to New Bern and the great possibilities that abound for the development of this city, in population and wealth, through increase of waterway transportation. Rapidly speaking, but with full knowledge of his subject, Mr. Thompson presented the waterways, the absolute demand for their creation in every section of this country where they can be built. The cost per ton by water transportation compared with every kind of transportation; the tremendous growth in commerce of those cities where waterways led to the sea, the wisdom that demanded hundreds of millions of dollars for waterway development, finding its full justification in the remarkable returns in business created through these opened up waterways. Figures piled upon figures, yet no confusion, all proving the speaker's contention for waterways and even more of them. Mr. Thompson showed the need of municipal ownership of docks, pointed out New Bern had only the butt end of streets to offer for any water commerce that might seek this part. As a stranger, New Bern's opportunities for developing a splendid water highway to the sea, going south and north after trade, and have equal trade seeking this part appealed strongly to Mr. Thompson. He was given hearty applause several times.

Mr. B. E. Rice, industrial agent Norfolk-Southern, made an address on advertising this section to the people of other sections, who would find in Eastern Carolina the very climate, soil and opportunities that thousands sought in other states but could not find.

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#### 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. Sole by druggists, mail 50c and \$1.00. Williams' M'G. Co. Props., Cleveland, O.

#### Retailer Arrested.

Jesse Livingston, a colored man, resident of Jacksonville, N. C., was arrested at that place yesterday by Deputy Marshal Samuel Lilly on a charge of retailing spirituous liquor without license. Livingston was brought to this city and taken before Commissioner C. B. Hill, who continued the case until next Monday one o'clock, p. m.; awaiting the arrival of U. S. Marshal Cameron, who is an important witness. A bond of \$150 was required of the defendant for appearance, in default of which he was committed to Craven Co. jail.

#### Rheumatism Relieved in Six Hours

Dr. Detchon's relief for Rheumatism usually relieves severest cases in a few hours. Its action upon the system is remarkable and effective. It removes at once the cause and the disease quickly disappears. First dose greatly benefits. 75c and \$1.00. Sold by Bradham Drug Co.

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## For The Welfare of its People.

The State of North Carolina, as a matter of public welfare, has enacted rigid banking laws and financial institutions organized under these laws are rendered particularly safe because of the special safeguards thereby afforded. Besides the protection afforded by this strict State supervision, with this bank there is the added assurance resulting from four years of conservative yet progressive service.

**BOTH SMALL AND LARGE ACCOUNTS ARE INVITED.**

### THE PEOPLES BANK

NEW BERN, N. C.  
STRONG, COURTEOUS, PROGRESSIVE

## JUST RECEIVED

Madras With Satin Stripe, For Waists, Blouses and Shirts.


### ONLY 10c. PER YARD

WELL WORTH 15c.

### Barrington Dry Goods Co.

## 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.



### Broaddus & Ives Lumber Co.

## HORSE INSURANCE PAYS.

New Bern, N. C., April 17, 1911.

Mr. W. G. Boyd, City.

We beg to acknowledge receipt of check from you for \$133.00 covering one of our horses that died recently, that was insured in the SOUTHERN LIVE STOCK INSURANCE COMPANY, of High Point, N. C., for which accept our thanks. We have insured a number of our animals in your Company and do not hesitate to recommend it.

(Signed) SCOTT & CO.

### W. G. BOYD, Agt.

Elks Building, Telephone: Office 400, Home 258.



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