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We extend to our customers and patrons our thanks for their loyalty and patronage, which have aided materially in the substantial growth of this institution. We appreciate every patron who comes to us with any business, whether deposits or trust company service, and it is our aim to maintain a uniformly high standard of service, so that our patrons will always be thoroughly satisfied in the future as well as they have been in the past.

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At this time in the year a shoe stock needs "cleaning" by this we mean disposing of all odds and ends and discontinued lines so that there remains an absolutely clean stock with which to start the new season. It is and always has been our policy to offer our customers nothing but fresh goods each season. This course is made possible only by sacrificing all odds and ends in stock at the present time. All Oxfords for men, women and children are now on sale at cost, the stock is so large that it is easy to find anything you may want, every size, width and leather. No one should miss this sale. Anticipate your future needs and save money.

**KUPPENHEIMER CLOTHES**

Mens' and Young Mens' Suits, Fancy Mixtures, Plain Blue, Blue Felt Stripe, Plain Black Suits. Every suit is included in this final offering.

\$ 8 50 and \$10 Suits Now	\$ 5 45
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Its purpose to clear our entire lines of Mens' and Young Mens' Spring and Summer Suits, including many of our medium weights most suitable for Fall and Winter wear. This final clearance of all our stock consists of a still wide range in models and textures. Hundreds and are different models to make your choosing without an effort, equally as many patterns to select from—Stout men, Tall and stout, Short and stumpy—Tall and slender men can be served with ease during this final disposal.

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LITTLE OUT OF THE WAY, BUT IT PAYS TO WALK TO COPLON'S

**WE WILL INAUGURATE OUR FIRST SPECIAL CIGAR SALE FRIDAY AND SATURDAY**

And Will Continue This Special Sale on Those Two Days For a Few Weeks. We Offer You The Following Values:

Royal Robes, value \$2.50 a box for \$2.00 or 6 for 25c.	
MonteHo. " 2.00 " " "	\$1.75
Little Lew " 2.00 " " "	1.75
Monumental " 2.25 " " "	1.75
El Provenzo " 2.50 " " "	2.00

These brands are offered you at wholesale prices and you will make no mistake to avail yourself of this "Great Bargain Opportunity." We also carry a full line of well known 10c. and 4c. Cigars, Tobacco, Pipes, and Smokers articles. Agents for Guth's Chocolates and Bon Bons, also Conklin Fountain Pens, all styles and sizes. Five Year Guarantee—It Has no Equal.

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## FRAMING TIMBERS

and all other kinds of timbers for pine construction of all kinds may be had from us in any grade, size or quality and at varying prices. But the price is bound to be right, as we are manufacturers selling direct from our own yards. So is the quality of the pine bound to be right, as we are large specialists in pine lumber.

### PISTOL FLASHES; NEGRO DIES.

Two New Bern Negroes Fight on Excursion Train Near Chocowinity. One is Killed.

A telephone message received here yesterday morning by the local police from Chocowinity stated that Duke Harrell, a colored man, whose home is in this city, had shot and killed Oscar Hill, also colored and from this place, near that town, and that immediately after the shooting he leaped from the excursion train upon which they were both enroute to Greenville, and although an attempt had been made to capture him he had succeeded in making good his escape.

From the few details that could be learned in regards to the affray it seems that Harrell Hill and another negro had been drinking and had become boisterous. The three finally became engaged in an altercation with the result that the third member of the party, whose name could not be learned, handed Harrell a revolver and told him to shoot Hill. Harrell took the revolver and immediately fired point blank at the victim. The ball entered his body and death resulted almost instantly. Seeing that he had committed murder, Harrell ran to the platform and jumped from the train and ran toward the woods. The body of the dead man was brought to this city on the regular passenger train which arrives here at 11:55 and turned over to his relatives for burial.

There is a difference in the atmosphere at The Athens—Get in the best atmosphere.

Trunks and Suit Cases. Big shipment just arrived. I have the Rountree Roller Tray for ladies, beautifully finished, heavy traveling Trunks, Suit Cases in different colors. J. S. MILLER.

Death of M. B. Strasburger. Word is received here of the not unexpected death of M. B. Strasburger in New Jersey who was a visitor here a few months ago and at that time was in poor health. He was known to several here and was son-in-law of Mr. M. Hahn.

Death of Harry L. Gray. Died in this city Tuesday, Harry L. Gray, in his 28th year. He was born in Brunswick Co., N. C., and was an engineer in the employ of Norfolk Southern Ry. A wife and two children survive. Mr. Gray was a member of W. O. W. and B. L. Engineers. The funeral services will be held at the family residence 196 George St, this p. m. by Rev. J. B. Hurley.

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'fg. Co., Props., Cleveland, O.

### VETOES FOR BIG MEASURES

President Prepared To Kill Wool And Free List Bill.

Washington, Aug. 8.—Vigorous veto messages on the Wool and Free List measures are in course of preparation today by President Taft on his trip to Mountain Lake Park, the President being anxious to have them ready for presentation to Congress at the earliest possible moment. All his time going and coming will be devoted to this labor.

Through this disclosure all uncertainty as to the President's ultimate action on the measures is dispelled, and the vetoes may be accepted as assured.

These veto messages are being prepared in the advance of the actual passage of the two bills. The President is morally certain the measures will pass, and wants to be ready with a stiff, vigorous veto when they reach him.

He will not hold these acts on his desk long, but wish them back to the House and the Senate with his message. It is even believed now that he will return the measure within 24 hours.

We can't keep the mosquito and fly out of your yard, but we can furnish you with the material to keep them out of your house.

### CANADIAN RECIPROCIITY FIGHT

President Taft Looms Big In Across The Border Elections. Government Appears To Lead.

Ottawa, Aug. 8.—Never before has a President of the United States been so conspicuous a figure in a Canadian election. President Taft is almost as conspicuous a personality in the present campaign as is Prime Minister Laurier himself. The former's utterance on reciprocity promise to be more often quoted than those of Sir Wilfrid or Finance Minister Fielding. A ready extensive use of them has been made by both sides. The Opposition will cover several acres of billboards with them.

The views of Champ Clark and other American champions of reciprocity all will figure largely in the speech-making, as will the opinion of British statesmen relative to the effect reciprocity would have on British tariff reform and imperial preference.

To defeat reciprocity the opposition must gain twenty-five members of the House. That would give them a majority of five. Today, out of 22 members, 133 support the Government and 88 oppose it, the administration's majority being forty-five.

The Government's principal strength lies east of Ontario, its supporters from that portion of Canada numbering 79, while the opposition has but 21. In Ontario and the provinces west the parties are more evenly divided, there being 67 Opposition and 64 Government members.

Despite impish cartoons and facetious speeches to the contrary, the annexation bogey is hardly alive. If Canadians believed that reciprocity would lead to the severing of the British tie, or to absorption by the United States, the agreement would get hardly a favoring vote.

Refrigerators. Will sell the balance left over at the following prices. Genuine Porcelain lined Lenard Cleanable, the \$25 00 at \$22 50, the \$35 00 at \$30 00, the \$40 00 at \$35 00, the \$50 00 at \$45 00. The above prices are the lowest we ever offered this class of goods at. Everyone carries guarantee that they will do all you expect any refrigerator to do. J. S. MILLER.

Action by the Board of County Commissioners.

The action taken by the board of County Commissioners at their meeting Monday in refusing to pay for burying a pauper has caused considerable comment. There are a number of people who are under the impression that when a person who lives in any county dies, the officials of that county are compelled to bury the body, such, however is not the case. Unless the body is that of an inmate of the county home, a Confederate soldier or the widow of a Confederate soldier the county cannot bury them, and if the body is not claimed by relatives within 36 hours after death it is turned over to the State Board of Anatomy. Unless you wish to be used for experimental and scientific purposes in some medical college, don't be a pauper.

### Stoves.

Remember we are complete house furnishers, can give you prices on Ranges of the best quality, such as the Favorite Ranges. Cook Stoves from \$8 00 to \$20.00, Ranges from \$5.00 to \$60.00. Give me a chance at your stove wants. J. S. MILLER.

Capt. Gossett Has More Trouble With His Protegees.

When Capt. Gossett, commander of the local branch of the Salvation Army, left this city several days ago enroute to Birmingham, Ala., with Christobel Daniels and Ada Daniels, two young white girls of Washington, N. C., whom Mr. Gossett had rescued from a term in the work house at that place, he would have done well to have carried along with him a set of straight jackets and one or more assistants.

The girls did not begin to give the Captain trouble until they reached Raleigh, where they changed cars. At that place they evidently decided that they would not fancy life in the Salvation Army's Rescue home and that the best thing they could do was to make their escape as early as possible. They succeeded in doing this, but were captured by the police of that city several miles from town. They were again placed in Capt. Gossett's charge and started on their journey. From that time until they had reached their destination, life for the Captain was a strenuous proposition, however, they were finally placed in the Home and left in charge of the managers of that institution.

Notice. I have now returned to work on a large stock of all kinds of mixed Shingles Laths and Bricks. For cheap prices and prompt service in making orders please call on me.

### BURRILL CASEY HAS NO FEARS

Tells Journal Representative That He Is Not Worrying About the Outcome of His Trial.

With a long term in the penitentiary if not death staring him in the face in the probability that is found guilty of the poisoning of Mr. Joseph Whitty when he is placed on trial at the October term of superior court, Burrill Casey, of Lanes Chapel who is now confined in Craven county jail, is harboring the belief that he will come out with flying colors, as will also his wife who is charged with aiding him in administering the poison to Mr. Whitty, who was her husband at the time of his death.

In conversation with a Journal representative yesterday, Casey said that the confinement in the jail, although he was treated well by jailer Williams, was causing him much anxiety. He has been living on a farm all of his life and accustomed to being out in the open practically all of the time. When asked in regard to his approaching trial, and as to what he thought would be the probable outcome, he said that he had employed one of the best lawyers in the city and that he had not the least fear that the verdict would be other than "not guilty."

Burrill Casey's wife, who recently presented him with a son and who was confined in the hospital several weeks has been returned to the jail and is allowed to talk with her husband at different times. She too, is confident that after the trial they will both be free.

It is understood that the attorney for the plaintiff is hard at work on the case and will do all in his power to convict both Casey and his wife. Relatives of the dead man have aided much in collecting evidence which they say will prove conclusively that the deceased was poisoned. This trial promises to create considerable interest all over the county.

For the benefit of those who are not familiar with the case, the following facts may be of interest.

Burrill Casey and Mrs. Whitty, wife of the deceased, had been very intimate for a number of months prior to the death of her husband. Several times the defendant had visited the Whitty home during the absence of Mr. Whitty, and there was considerable talk among the neighbors to the effect that Mrs. Whitty thought more of Casey than she did of her husband. Things went on in this manner for some time. One day soon after he had eaten dinner Whitty was taken suddenly with a peculiar attack of stomach trouble and in a few hours was dead. Three weeks later his widow married Casey.

The managers of The Athens always look to the comfort and pleasure of their patrons.

### NOTICE.

Customers who are in debt to me will please square their accounts. It is utterly impossible for me to do business without money. The public will please note, that beginning July the 18th, I shall do an absolute cash business. JOHN T. HAVENS, 94 1/2 Middle St.

### BIDS RECEIVED YESTERDAY

For The Farm-Life School. Trustees Spend Day In Looking Over the Different Sites.

Bids for the location of Craven county's Farm Life School were received at the courthouse yesterday morning by the trustees of the school and were made public. Five bids in all were received, one from the 8th Township, 7th Township, Dover, 1st Township and Cove City. These bids offered various tracts of land and sums of money as heretofore been stated in the Journal.

After the bids had been read the chairman of the Board decided that they would look over the proposed sites offered by the different sections, without and further delay. In company with a soil expert from the Agricultural and Mechanical college at Raleigh they left for Vanceboro, shortly after 1 o'clock yesterday afternoon. They returned on the afternoon train and went down to Thurman. Today they will go to Bellair, Dover and Cove City.

It will doubtless be the latter part of the week, if not later, before a definite decision will be reached.

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