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A SUIT of clothes has three points of value—style, fit and wear. You get the utmost style value only when your suit is cut to fit YOUR individual personality. That means tailor-made clothes.

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You get the utmost wear value only when your suit is made of a standard pure wool fabric. And that means tailor-made clothes.

We give you the utmost value in Style and Fit by applying all our knowledge and artistic skill to the making of YOUR suit.

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Are seeking good, substantial buildings know that good, sound, well seasoned lumber is an absolute essential in the construction, as the less shrinkage there is the better the building will stand. Our lumber is thoroughly dried and seasoned and free from cracks and defects.

Broadway Lumber Co.

SLIDE IN BAR-GAIN RUSH

Kansas City Women Ride Banisters In a Dry Goods Store To Get Goods.

Kansas City, Mo., Aug. 27.—A good deal of excitement was created at the August clearance sale at John Taylor's dry goods store when a crowd of women making for a lower floor where some handbags were on sale at cut prices took to the banisters and slid down.

The stairways and elevators as well as the aisles downstairs were packed as a result of the advertisement that great things were doing in handbags.

The women entered the store on Baltimore avenue. The entrance floor on Main street, where the bargain was on sale. They saw the stairway was full and women were struggling in a way—some in a congested mass, unable either to advance or retreat.

"Come on," a leader cried, "there's no getting through there."

As she spoke she gathered up her skirts, gave a quick spring and landed astride the banister. There was a flash of stockings and lace and the next instant she was on the floor below, fighting her way toward the counter. One after another the bolder ones followed until the banister was full of sliding women. One after another they landed at the bottom in little, shrieking heaps and plunged into the struggling mass in front of the counter.

Similar scenes were enacted throughout the store. Before a counter where dress goods were on sale two women fought over a bolt of cloth until a patrolman took it away from them.

"Officer, make her let go," one of the women screamed.

Each had seized the same piece of cloth and then were pulling in opposite directions.

At the hand-bag counter the usual bargain tactics were resorted to. A woman would seize four or five bags and hold them all until she had made a choice. Some women were accompanied by their husbands and it was their part to "hold out" desirable-looking articles until the wife decided which was the most desirable. Then the rest would be dumped back on the counter.

Attend The Athens where you can always keep cool and comfortable.

At The Athens Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday—Lawwe and Putier—Novelty singing and talking.

Pictures Just Arrived.

Notice my windows, Fall is coming on, what can you buy for the small sum of two or three dollars that will brighten up the home so much as pictures. We have them for dining room, hall, parlor and living room.

J. S. MILLER, The Fur Man.

Utah Delivered.

Camden, N. J., Aug. 26.—The battleship Utah the most powerful in the navy has been delivered by the builders to the navy. It will join the Atlantic Fleet at Hampton Roads.

No. 9 Township School Committee.

School Committee No. 9 Township will meet at Jasper, Friday Sept. 15th, to appoint teachers for the public schools. Teachers desiring school positions may send in applications to Mr. W. G. Carmon, New Bern, N. C.

Maybe you will need one or two Fruit Jars this season. We have them. J. S. Bastight Hdw. Co.

A Busy Man Has Just Arrived.

Good news he brings to New Bern, a large stock of all kinds of sawed Shingles on hand. He can and will please you. See Big Hill for lowest prices.—The Old Reliable.

THE BIG GAME ABOUT PLAYED.

Do you remember that The Star long ago predicted what would become of the farmers' free list bill and other legislation revising the tariff. Not only has President Taft vetoed the compromise wool revival but on Friday he cut the jiblets out of the farmer's free list bill. He pruned it with a veto but it might have been different had the Democrats joined Senator Simmons in taking the farmers' free list on to the Reciprocity Bill so that President Taft could not have vetoed one without including the other.

The farmers' free list hit the manufacturer and that is the reason Taft and his supporters did not want it tacked on to reciprocity. A final analysis of the treaty with Canada will reveal the fact that its principal benefits will accrue to the Hill line and other railroads which will haul Canadian lumber and wheat into the United States; to American lumber manufacturers who own ninety per cent. of the Canadian timber supply, to the American flour manufacturers who do not care to be confined to their own country for their wheat supply; and to the meat packers who want Canadian free cattle, hogs and other animal products on the hoof. Protected manufacturers want free raw material, without any reduction on manufactured products, and if Canada ratifies the reciprocity pact consumers and farmers will be enabled sooner or later to see who gets the milk in the cocoanut. Sure, it is that reciprocity is a good thing if its benefits are equitably distributed, but reciprocity that benefits some interests and sections, and is detrimental to others, is not the kind of reciprocity that the masses of this country need and ought to have.—Wilmington Star, 26th.

BIDS WANTED.

The city of New Bern, N. C., desires bids for furnishing (1500) fifteen hundred feet of six inch standard cast iron pipe for Water Main, delivered F. O. B. cars at New Bern.

All bids must be sealed and addressed to E. T. Patterson, City Clerk, New Bern, N. C., and endorsed on envelope "Bid for furnishing water pipe."

Bids will be opened Sept. 1, 1911.

The city reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

THOS. F. McCARTHY,
Chm. W. & L. Co.

Magazine Explodes.

Port Limon, Aug. 25.—Half the town of San Jose is in ruins and many are dead and injured from a marauding explosion in the barracks.

75,000 See Beginning of Auto Race.

Elgin, Ill., Aug. 25.—Seventy-five thousand persons saw the beginning of the Elgin automobile race. \$10,000 in prizes were contested for to-day.

The managers of The Athens suggest look to the comfort and

WILL POOL 1911 TOBACCO

Growers Of Virginia And North Carolina Want 15 Cents.

Greensboro, N. C. Aug. 25.—The Convention to Tobacco Growers of North Carolina and Virginia agreed yesterday to pool the 1911 tobacco crop of the two States. It was announced that the partial report of the resolutions committee, favoring the pooling of the crop, was unanimously adopted.

It is learned that it is the plan of the delegates, representing more than 50 per cent. of the tobacco growers of the two States, to put the crop through prizeries and store it in warehouses until a price of 15 cents a pound can be obtained.

Members of the union are confident of winning against the American Tobacco Company, as it is figured that the company, instead of having sufficient supply for three years, without using the 1911 crop, has only enough to last until the present crop is marketable.

FOR PROGRESSIVE PRESIDENT

W. R. Hearst Backing Movement of The Latest Political Scheme.

Washington, Aug. 25.—Under the leadership of Senators Owen and Chamberlain, a movement was formally launched here which has for its object the nomination of a progressive President in 1912 on, of course, a progressive platform.

According to the explicit statement of Senator Owen this movement is not in the interests of any one of the candidates who have been mentioned for the presidency by Democrats.

An important meeting of those in interest was held, at the Senate, and a charter was adopted for an organization to be known as the Democratic Federation of Precinct Clubs.

Senator Chamberlain and Senator Owen will ask the Supreme Court the District of Columbia to sanction the charter of the national body. It is proposed that there shall be an advisory board of nine, which will have directorate power over the movement.

At the meeting several names were suggested for the advisory board. Among them those of Senator Owen, Senator Chamberlain and William Randolph Hearst.

Among those who were present at the conference were Senator Owen, of Oklahoma; Senator Chamberlain, of Oregon; Senator Meyers, of Montana; Representative Baker, of California; Buchanan, of Illinois; Sabbath, of Illinois; Dittendorf, of Pennsylvania, and Mr. Cotter P. Bride. The plan is to organize at once into Democratic clubs the Democrats in each of the various precincts throughout the country, and to form these clubs into something like 25,000 county federations and about 1,000 city federations, forty-eight State federations and a national federation.

It was explained that there was no intention of forming a new political party. It was also stated that the federation would cooperate with existing Democratic clubs to bring about the best results.

Side Boards and Buffet.

Two extra large Side Boards in quartered oak and extra large Buffet. These three pieces of furniture are a little too high priced to sell fast. Will sell either one at cost, \$42.50, \$45.00, \$39.00.

J. S. MILLER.

For an Agricultural Exhibit.

The agricultural Committee of the Chamber of Commerce and the Agricultural Committee of the Farmers Union met in the Chamber of Commerce room, Saturday, at twelve o'clock. The following were present: G. T. Richardson, B. B. Wooten, G. L. Hardison, W. C. Gaskins, D. F. Whitford, A. E. Wadsworth, J. W. Stewart, C. V. McGehee, B. B. Hurst, Clyde Eby, President of the Chamber of Commerce and J. Leon Williams, Secretary.

This committee met for the purpose of devising ways and means of putting on in New Bern this fall an agricultural exhibit.

After lengthy discussion L. H. Cutler, Jr., G. T. Richardson, B. B. Hurst, and J. Leon Williams were appointed a committee to immediately investigate the various sites available for holding this exhibition, also to find the amount of money it would require to finance this proposition. The committee was instructed to report their findings at a joint meeting of the Farmers Union and the Chamber of Commerce to be held at the Court house next Saturday at twelve o'clock.

PILES! PILES! PILES!

Williams' Indian Pile Ointment will cure Blind, Bleeding and Itching Piles. It absorbs the tumors, always 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 \$5c and \$1.00. Williams' M'f'g. Co., Props., Cleveland, O.

Mystery Surrounds Finding of Body.

There is a good deal of mystery surrounding the finding of the body of a colored man at Wilkinson's Point last Friday morning. Investigations have been made but it was found that no person had mysteriously disappeared from that section. If the man had fallen from a passing boat his absence would have been noted and inquiries made. The body was in such a decomposed condition that it was almost impossible for the coroner to ascertain whether the deceased had been murdered, but the majority of people hold to the former theory that he fell from a boat and was drowned. The matter, however, will doubtless ever remain a mystery.

Library Tables.

School time is fast approaching. You will need a good strong Library Table for the children to study around at night. I have them in quartered oak, mahogany and varnished oak. Prices ranging from \$5.00 to \$10.00.

SMALL CHECKING ACCOUNTS.

This bank welcomes small checking accounts and extends the same painstaking attention to every customer regardless of the amount of money deposited. It will not cost you a single penny to adopt this modern way of paying expenses and furthermore, your money when entrusted to us is completely protected by State supervision, by conservative management and by Capital and Surplus of over \$65,000.00.

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