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ARE YOU SAVING MONEY.

ONE question that every person should ask himself is, Am I saving money? There is no assurance that your present income will continue indefinitely. In fact, there is every reason to believe that sickness or some other misfortune may come to you, requiring additional outlay of money, and it may be at the same time stopping your income, either temporarily or permanently.

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Straight Talk About Childrens Shoes.

We urgently invite parents to come and see a famous line of Children's Shoes, "Buster Brown" and "Sally Walker" Brands. There is nothing as good as these elsewhere in New Bern. They are built right, shaped right and put together right to combine dress and wear. They are flexible and wear all over—a feature that will only be found in properly fit formed shoes and give them lasting qualities. We have them in many styles and in sizes from the little tot to the age 12.

Many of you know the wear excellence and economy of Buster Brown and Sally Walker Shoes for Children. For years they have given rare satisfaction to Buyers and ourselves. Every quality a child's shoe should possess is embodied in these.

Our Children's Shoes come in extra highs, of Red and Black Tops, Patent, Gun Metal and Varsity. Come and look, we will not ask you to buy, we will let the shoes talk to you. Price 50c. to \$2.50, and all sold for leather.


Why is this hole here?

The leather was poor at that point.

Get your youngsters Buster Brown Shoes—

You'll find their soles made of the best of leather. They have no weak points.

BUSTER BROWN Blue Ribbon SHOES.
For youngsters, \$1.50 to \$2.50



In our Men's and Women's, Boys and Misses shoes, the Solid Leather is absolute. We guarantee it.

We specialize Edson Clapp & Son, Walk Over and Barry Shoes for men. In our Ladies department you can find Walk Over and Heinek Shoes in all the latest creations. Be sure and see the new White High Cut Boots for ladies, that are so popular these days.

We would not feel like paying for this a cent more and taking your time and your time to tell you all this unless we had shoes of exceptional merit. Come in and let our shoes talk to you. We will answer your questions.

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

Coal Coal

Anthracite White Ashe
ALL SIZES, ALL SCREENED
Bituminous Pocahontas
FOR STEAM AND DOMESTIC PURPOSES.

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VISIBLE TYPEWRITER
MODEL 10
Acme of Perfection in Construction and Service.

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Broadus & Ives Lumber Co.

GUANO MANUFACTURERS MUST PAY

State, County and City Tax On The Guano Manufactured By Them.

Judge Frank Carter rendered a decision last Friday in Craven County Superior Court which may mean a saving to the people of North Carolina the enormous sum of \$250,000 or more this year and even greater saving in the years to come. The judgment's for there were two cases involving practically the same question, were rendered in the cases of the Pocomoke-Guano Co., vs. J. W. Biddle, Sheriff of Craven county and the Board of Commissioners of Craven county and the D. B. Martin Company against the same defendants. It seems that for twenty years or more there has been a statute on the books providing for an inspection charge of twenty cents on each ton of fertilizer sold in the state and that the charge is paid by the purchase of certain tags by the guano manufacturers from the Agricultural Department of the State. These tags are attached to all of guano sold in North Carolina and the statute after providing for the purchase of the tags and the placing of them upon the guano packed, goes on to say that whenever any manufacturer of fertilizers shall have paid the charges for the tags, his goods shall not be liable to any further tax, whether by city town or county. This law, the fertilizer manufacturers claim, exempt them from any tax levied on them from paying any tax levied on them by any county or town. The Board of Commissioners of Craven county recently caused the fertilizer of the plaintiffs in the cases mentioned to be placed on the tax books and ordered the sheriff to collect the taxes just as taxes were collected from other species of property. Then it was that the plaintiffs refused to pay the tax.

The city was represented in the case by Mr. R. A. Nunn who Mr. E. M. Green appeared in behalf of the county. In rendering his decision Judge Carter said that he was satisfied that the constitution of the State required all real and personal property to be taxed by a uniform rule according to its true value in money and that all taxed levied by any county must be uniform and ad valorem upon all property in the county, except property exempted by the legislature itself or such as the legislature was authorized by the Constitution to exempt. Whereupon he decided that the tax levied by the County Commissioners was valid and signed an order dissolving the restraining order and giving the judgment against the plaintiffs for the amount of the tax levied which in the two cases amounted to over \$1000. From this judgment the plaintiffs appealed to the Supreme Court.

The Athens is the only house in New Bern showing Association pictures.

Colored Church Notice.

At the Searchlight cloth Tabernacle corner of West and Cedar streets, will be held special services at 1 p. m., 7:30 and 8 o'clock, Sunday Oct. 14. A prominent white speaker will deliver a practical discourse at the 4 p. m. hour. At 8 o'clock a timely discourse will be delivered on the subject, "The Seed and the Promise." Excellent music will make the hour enjoyable by the Searchlight choir and other musical clubs. Reserve seats for white people. Good order, no politics, short discourse and the gospel power. No pewes after 8:30. The public is welcome.

Wrights Silver Cream. M. E. Whitehurst & Co.

GIANTS WIN FIRST GAME

Between Sixty and Seventy Thousand Spectators Witness Opening of World's Series at New York Yesterday.

The New York Giants with Christy Mathewson in the box and Big Chief Noyes behind the bat took the first game in the world's series yesterday afternoon. It was a close, hard fought game. Philadelphia scored the first run in the second inning, but the Giants never faltered, they came from behind and tied the score in the 4th inning. They kept at their task with bull dog tenacity and scored the winning run in the seventh inning, with Mathewson working in the form, that makes him invincible, and which has earned for him the title of King of Pitchers, there could be but one result, namely, victory for the Giants. The great battling strength of the Athletics failed to materialize and they were lucky to get their low tally. Collins and Baker, the Athletic's two greatest stars failed to shine very brightly. (Perhaps it was cloudy) The game was witnessed by the largest crowd that ever attended a ball game. It was estimated that between sixty and seventy thousand people witnessed the contest. The nearby telephone and telegraph poles and house tops was lined with spectators.

Much goes to prove that baseball appeals to the masses as no other sport does.

Don't let the cold snap catch you without a heater from J. S. Basnight Hdw. Co. 67 S. Front St., Phone 99.

Alumni Holds Meeting.

The Craven county Alumni of the University of North Carolina held an informal social at the Elks Temple last Friday night in honor of University Day, which was celebrated according to custom on October 12 at the University.

The occasion was an enjoyable one to those who had gathered in annual convalescence to renew the spontaneous pledge of fealty to their alma mater. They entered with heartiness of spirit and genuineness of interest into a discussion of plans to increase the usefulness of that institution, and attesting fealty of their regard, and proving their faith by their work, they raised on the spot the sum of \$30 to further the work of organizing the Alumni of the State into a position of efficiency and influence. In addition to this they voted to donate enough money to purchase a scholarship for some worthy Craven county boy.

Mr. A. D. Ward was elected president of the Craven county Alumni for the next year and Mr. Wm. Dunn, Jr., was elected as secretary.

Immediately after this election had been held the following were elected as delegates and alternates to the General Assembly of the Alumni to be held at commencement next year:

Delegates: T. D. Warren, A. D. Ward, C. R. Thomas, William Dunn, Jr., Dr. R. N. Duff and George Attmore.

Alternates: W. B. R. Gunn, Dr. Raymond Fallick, Prof. Cox and D. E. Henderson.

New Bern, Take Notice.

Mr. Editor: Please stop my advertisement. Since my last ad was placed in your paper my business has increased so I cannot hardly wait on my customers. Please stop until further notice. One fine mule for sale, "Big Hill," the Shingle and Paper Roofing Man.

GRAND JURY MAKES REPORT

Recommend Fencing Placed Inside Front Cells in Jail to Keep Prisoners From Windows.

The following report has been made by the Grand Jury for the October term of Craven County Superior Court. To His Honor Frank Carter, Judge presiding:

We, the grand jurors for the October term 1911 of the Superior Court of Craven county, make to the Honorable Court the following report of the duties performed by us:

There have been brought before us 32 bills of indictment, of which 29 have been returned by us as true bills, one as not a true bill, and two we return "not acted on for the lack of witnesses." Eleven of these indictments were against white people and twenty-one against negroes. We make seven presentments.

We visited the office of the Register of Deeds, and found the records neatly kept, and in a business like manner; the office has a very neat and clean appearance.

We visited the office of the Clerk of the Court, and found all records kept in a business-like way, as far as the facilities of that office will permit, but we recommend that the vault be enlarged at once, so that all records can be preserved properly, which is impossible with the present vault.

We visited the Sheriff's office and found everything in good condition. We visited the jail and found same to be in a good condition, all the prisoners seemed to be perfectly satisfied, there being no complaint whatever. We recommend the following improvements:

Iron fencing extending from the side walls to the front of steel cells, thus preventing the prisoners looking about the front windows, and calling and whistling to people on the street, we also find the jail yard in a very good condition.

We visited the county home, found all houses, yards and courtyards in a very good condition. We especially commend the matron, Mrs. Williams, for the interest and pride she takes in the home and all the inmates appear to be perfectly satisfied.

We visited the convict camp and found everything in a good condition, we also visited the convicts at work on Trent road about seven miles from New Bern, and found all to be perfectly satisfied.

We examined the road reports and found all roads to be in a good condition. The only complaint we find is that the bridges in New Bern township are in a bad condition, these bridges are kept up by the county. We recommend the commissioners to have these bridges repaired at once.

We examined the magistrates' reports and find, upon checking same with the treasurer's report that there have been fees imposed in two cases, where same have not been collected from R. Street, J. P., \$3.00, W. R. Barrington, J. P., \$3.00.

We also find the Treasurer's report shows fees from the following Justices of the Peace, from whom we have no report:

J. S. Manton, W. R. Hooper and J. A. Erbanks.

We recommend the magistrates to be instructed to always file their reports in all cases.

We examined the list as furnished by the Clerk of the Court, of guardians and their wards, and adjudged same to be correct.

Respectfully Submitted
N. M. FARROW,
Foreman.

A Good Oil Heater.

Nothing is better to heat, quick with, than an Oil Stove. I have the Barler which is considered the best, price from \$1.50 to \$7.50.

J. S. MILLER

Lady Accidentally Shot

Winston Salem, Oct. 14. News was received here today that Mrs. Bruce Craven of North Wilkesboro, was accidentally shot Wednesday with a pistol and that, while the wound is regarded as quite serious, her condition this morning was reported to be favorable. The attending physician thinks she will recover.

It appears that Mrs. Craven was making up the bed in her room when her husband's pistol which was under the pillow, dropped out on the floor and was discharged, the ball taking effect in Mrs. Craven's abdomen.

Mr. Craven, before he entered the practice of law a year ago was one of the leading educators in North Carolina being superintendent of the graded school at Kingston, and other points in the State. Mr. Craven is a brother of Prof. H. B. Craven, of New Bern.

A Good Heater.

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The material is the very best, guaranteed to wash, in Rammy Mills Percales, Scotch Zephyrs, Nonshon Gingham and Hydrograde Galatea cloth.

No patterns to buy, no alterations to be made in cutting.

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It's mighty disagreeable peeling down to Nature's garb in a chilly bathroom. Then after your plunge your pores opened by the warm water of the bath—you're in prime condition to take a good heavy cold if you become chilled.

Don't do it—it's dangerous.

MAKE YOUR BATHROOM COMFORTABLE

A Vulcan Odorless Gas Heater

Will make your bathroom comfortable in five minutes.

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