



## NEW BERN BANKING & TRUST COMPANY

CAPITAL \$200,000.00

### THE MOST SATISFACTORY EXECUTOR.

**A**FTER everything is said and done, the most satisfactory executor is a large, safe trust company whose officers have had experience in handling estates and distributing properties among heirs according to the expressed desire of the Testators. This institution affords every assurance of positive safety by reason of its large capital, surplus and resources, taken together with the experience of its officers and Board of Directors.

**4% PAID ON SAVINGS**

## LARGE NUMBER RETAILING CASES

Disposed of at Yesterday's Session of Federal Court. Grand Jury Conclude Its Work.

Practically the entire session of Federal court yesterday was consumed in the disposing of retailing and illicit distilling cases. Today a number of other cases of the same variety will be tried. The grand jury completed its work and was discharged. All of the civil cases on the circuit court docket have been continued until the next term. The following cases were disposed of yesterday:

U. S. vs S. D. Jones, charged with retailing, guilty; judgment suspended upon the payment of the costs in the case.

U. S. vs Ed Hill, charged with retailing, jury returns verdict of guilty; sentenced to one year and one day in Federal prison and also to pay a fine of one hundred dollars and the cost of the case.

U. S. vs Sally Tolson, charged with retailing, verdict of guilty rendered; judgment suspended.

U. S. vs James Whitley, charged with retailing, guilty; sentenced to one year and one day in the Federal prison and pay a fine of one hundred dollars and the cost of the case.

U. S. vs James Bryant, charged with retailing. Defendant entered plea of nolo contendere. Judgment suspended upon payment of the costs and to give a bond for his appearance at the next term and to prove good behavior.

U. S. vs Albert Karain, charged with retailing; verdict of not guilty rendered.

U. S. vs John F. Hughes and Jay Cade, both plead guilty to aiding and abetting in illicit distilling; judgment suspended upon the payment of the costs.

U. S. vs J. W. Rountree, charged with retailing; jury returned a verdict of not guilty.

## NEW YORK BADLY DEFEATED

In Final Championship Game. Philites Win Series Are Two Times Champions.

Phila. Oct. 26—The New York team was overwhelmingly defeated in the last and deciding game for the world's championship. Bender pitched again, and was never in danger allowing but four hits, while his team made made thirteen, facing Ames, Witte and Marguard.

The score by inning: R H E  
Phila. 0-0-1-4-0-1-7-0-x-13-13-5  
New York 1-0-0-0-0-0-0-1-2-4-3

There is a report that Coombs owing to straining a tendon in yesterday's game will never be able to pitch again. Total attendance at all the games about 190,000 and gross receipts about \$350,000.

The twenty one in the Athletic club each get \$3,654.68, each of the twenty-one in the New York club get \$2,436.39.

## Kodak Albums. M. E. Whitehurst & Co.

At Griffin Auditorium To-night.

Tonight the Metropolitan Grand Concert Co will give one of their concerts at Griffin Memorial hall. This company visited New Bern last year and pleased a large audience. At the previous concert seats sold for \$1 each. This time the price has been reduced. Tickets can be secured from any member of the Circulating Library Committee or at the door tonight. If you are a lover of good music and excellent singing you should not fail to attend this concert.

## Always see the Best. Is it at The Athens.

## DANGEROUS LABOR REPORT

Showing in North Carolina. Estimated Cost of Growing Crops.

Raleigh, Oct. 26th.—Figures carefully gathered from all the cotton growing counties in North Carolina by the commissioner of labor and printing show that the farmers estimate the cost of growing cotton this year is \$33.07 per bale as compared with \$33.37 last season. The decrease in cost is figured to be due to additional yield. This estimate is made on 500 pound bales.

The commissioner finds that this year 86 counties raised wheat at a cost of 69 cents per bushel; 99 counties raised corn at an average cost of 48 cents per bushel; 64 counties tobacco at \$7.63 per hundred pounds; 96 counties raised oats at a cost of 35 cents per bushel. There was a report of increased cost of living by farmers in 93 counties, seven reporting no increase, and reports of increase in wages of farm hands and 72 counties no change.

Reports from 91 counties show labor scarce and 9 plentiful. Tendencies toward smaller farms reported from 94 counties and to larger farms in 8 counties. Fertility is reported as maintained in farms of 97 counties. Reports from 94 counties report negro labor unreliable, 4 as reliable and 2 report no negro labor.

## Bedroom Suits.

In cheap plain oak just received a car, they are well made and look good, price \$18.00, \$20.00, \$22.50 and \$25.00, extra dresser at \$6.50, \$7.50 and \$9.00. Beds \$2.50, \$3.50, \$4.50, \$5.50 and \$6.50, for good service to the parties that don't feel like investing much in furniture.

J. S. MILLER.

## Came Near Being Injured.

A colored man who was very much under the influence of whiskey came near being seriously injured by one of the trains at the passenger depot yesterday. Fortunately for him a man who was standing near at the time grasped his coat and placed him in a place of safety. Persons in an intoxicated condition should not be allowed to hang around such a dangerous place.

## New Bern, Take Notice.

Mr. Editor—Please stop my ad at once. 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.

See our line of Coal and Wood Heaters. J. S. Basnight Hdw. Co. 67 S. Front St., Phone 99.

## THIS AD IS WORTH 25c TO YOU

We are offering the National Inverted Gas Burner at \$1.00 gives 80 candle power of light and costs 8 tenths of a cent per hour for gas.

Bring this advertisement to the gas office and it will be accepted for 25c in the purchase of this burner—making the lamp cost you only 75c.

THIS OFFER GOOD FOR TWO WEEKS ONLY

NEW BERN GAS COMPANY

## GREAT PROFITS IN FREIGHT

Rates To Sugar Trust. Comparison In Commodities Tariff Schedule.

Washington, Oct. 26—Agents of the Interstate Commerce Commission have collected a mass of figures which prove that the American Sugar Refining Company—commonly known as the Sugar Trust—enjoys freight rates remarkably low compared with those afforded other shippers.

The commission last spring instructed Frank Lyon, a special attorney, to make an exhaustive examination of the cost of hauling coal from the West Virginia coal fields to the Lake Erie ports, for the purpose of guiding the commission in its decision on applications made by carriers for an increase in rates. At Lyon's agents discovered that all the known rules of freight rates making are contravened for the purpose of granting the sugar interests preferential rates. A scale of cost prices compiled by the commission's agents for hauling sugar and other commodities from the coast line to interior points shows the following rates.

Sugar, valued at approximately \$150 per ton, is shipped at one and ninety-three hundredths mills per ton per mile. Cement, which is valued at only \$30 per ton, is assessed at six and sixteenth mills per ton per mile.

Machinery, whose ton valuation is almost impossible to estimate, owing to the many classes, is charged seven and one-half mills.

Coal, which has a mine valuation of little more than \$1 per ton, is charged three and thirty-nine hundredths mills.

Produce, whose value is variable, is charged thirteen mills.

These are only a few of the remarkable discrepancies found. While they show on their face that sugar is the great preferred commodity, the element of cost to the company does not show on the tabulation. For example, 18 tons of sugar is considered to load, because owing to its bulk it is impossible to put more than that amount into one car. The ordinary load of coal is 44 tons. Produce runs from 50 tons per carload upward, and machinery averages 100 tons to the carload.

Ordinarily railroads charge a freight rate for the transportation of commodities which is arrived at by the comparison of the weight of the commodity and its valuation, which means that the company charges more where a greater risk is taken in the cost of the freight than where the risk is slight. The same is true of express companies and all other transportation companies. But a principle diametrically opposite to this plan is used in charging for sugar shipments; sugar, the most valuable commodity, is shipped at the lowest rate.

The capacity of a car is also considered in the hauling of commodities generally, but in the case of sugar the rule has been reversed. Although sugar is the bulkiest commodity named in the tabulation, it is given the lowest freight rate.

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

Free Lecture To-night.

## A REAL BARGAIN

Owing to the fact that my business requires my attention at another place, I have decided to place my house and lot on the market. This lot contains 3 acres of the best land in the vicinity of Clark. The dwelling house is new and modern, and the out houses are in the best of condition. A fine young orchard is also located on the lot, also a fine grape vineyard. I will sell this place cheap to the proper person. If interested write to or see me at once.

J. M. REGISTER, Clark, N. C.

## Little Girls Improving

Mr. G. B. Fuller informed us yesterday that the condition of his little daughter Cella, who was lately afflicted with a quantity of erysipelas on the previous day, was very much improved. The little girl will continue to improve until she is well again. This fact is very gratifying to her mother.

## 4% INTEREST ON SAVINGS 4 3/4%

## SAVING MONEY

is a different matter with practically every person; each individual has his own expenses and income on which to base a saving plan. However, the fundamental principle of saving is always the same—namely, keeping expenses below income.

If you open a Savings Account in the Peoples Bank you can deposit any amount from one dollar upwards, so that whether you earn much or little this bank can assist you.

We pay 4 per cent compound interest.

## THE PEOPLES BANK

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

## The Latest Thing Out

We have secured the agency for the "SEMY MAYDE" dresses already cut, ready to sew and all trimmings furnished for only

# \$1.50

The same dress made-up would cost from \$2.50 to \$3.00.

The material is the very best, guaranteed to wash, in Harmony Mills Percals, Scotch Zephyrs, Nonshon Gingham and Hydrele Gabaten cloth.

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



## J. J. BAXTER

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## NOW IS THE TIME

when women who appreciate the importance of being well dressed are thinking of new clothes for Fall and Winter.

And it is just the time when you should see the new styles and learn where the best values can be had. Appearance counts in the battle of life. It's important that you Dress Well. It's equally important that you get best values possible to secure for the money you invest in clothes.

Dressing Well means neither more nor less, than dressing simply, suitably and sensibly, the accomplishment of which is exceedingly easy when you have the right clothes to select from and the kind of a dealer to help you make your choice and see that you get properly fitted.

## FOR LADIES AND MISSES COAT SUITS AND LONG COATS

## J. M. MITCHELL & CO.

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"What well made clothes!"  
"What fine styles!"  
"What careful attention to details!"

These are the comments we are constantly hearing these days, about our Boys' Clothing Department, from parents who are just looking.

We have the best Boys' Clothing Makers' best efforts. Strong, sturdy Reeler Suits, Norfolk Suits, Edsian Suits, etc. Then there are splendid Overcoats that we shall speak of later.

Suits for Boys 5 to 10 Years \$3.00 to \$3.00.  
Suits for Boys 10 to 18 Years \$4.00 to \$15.00.

We always count it a pleasure to show our Boys' Clothes to Parents who are "just looking."

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

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Ever offered to the trading public. Do you Ladies still want to Pay More? Then don't come to see these bags.

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**YOU COULDN'T BEAT IT,** because it is the highest band in the deck. That's the story of our pine lumber—it's the highest grade and quality that has yet been discovered. You can't make a mistake buying pine lumber from us. We are headquarters for it.

## Broadus & Ives Lumber Co.