

THE ADVANTAGES OF A TRUST CO. AS EXECUTOR AND TRUSTEE.

A Trust Company is preferable to an individual, because it possesses every quality of desirability which the individual lacks.

Its permanency; it does not die.

It does not go abroad.

It does not become insane.

It does not imperil the trust by failure or dishonesty.

Its experience and judgment in trust matters are beyond dispute.

It never neglects its work or hands it over to untrustworthy people.

It does not refuse to act from caprice or on the grounds of inexperience.

It is invariably on hand during business hours and can be consulted at all times.

Its wide experience of trust business and trust securities are invaluable to the estate.

It is absolutely confidential.

It has no sympathies, no axe to grind and no politics.

It can be relied upon to act up to its instructions.

It does not resign.

Every trust fund is kept separate and distinct from every other trust fund and from the Company's own assets.

It is a matter of gratification to the Officials and Directors of the NEW BERN BANKING & TRUST COMPANY that many good men and women, recognizing its safety, are appointing it the Executor and Trustee in their wills.

NEW BERN BANKING & TRUST CO.
NEW BERN, N. C.
Capital Two Hundred Thousand Dollars.

BIG ILLICIT STILL DESTROYED

Near Jacksonville, Onslow County, Yesterday Morning By Revenue Officers.

Deputy Collector, J. E. Cameron and Deputy Marshal Sam Lilly early yesterday morning located and destroyed near Jacksonville, Onslow county, one of the largest illicit distilleries ever found in eastern North Carolina. The plant was out up and more than one thousand gallons of beer poured out on the ground. The still had a capacity of 200 gallons and was in full operation but the operators had got wind of the officers approaching visit and had made their escape.

In speaking of the capture of the still Deputy Marshal Lilly stated to a Journal reporter that it was located within one hundred feet of a church and that only by the merest chance had they learned that it was in operation. He said that in all probability the operators had been running this still for several years and had doubtless made thousands of gallons of "moonshine" and dispensed it in that locality. Although the owners made their escape before the officers arrived, they are known to the revenue men and may be arrested at any time.

Brand New Line

of Rugs just in from the mills, 9x12 Ax-minister, in beautiful shades, extra heavy at \$20.00, 9x12 Wilton at \$27.50, 9x12 Brussels at \$25.00, 9x12 Topsey at \$12.50, small rugs to match. Now is the time to make selection, as my stock is complete.

J. S. MILLER,
The Furniture Man.

The Weather During November.

Following is the high and low temperature with rainfall here during the month of November:—

1	74-58--83
2	73-46
3	63-31
4	61-38
5	66-48
6	66-47
7	75-52--09
8	78-46
9	67-44--78
10	57-46
11	78-40
12	77-52
13	78-31
14	62-27
15	61-33
16	64-42--09
17	66-37
18	69-37
19	70-43
20	74-38--07
21	71-31
22	77-40
23	68-25
24	73-46
25	71-24--16
26	61-24
27	72-26
28	74-40--05
29	68-46--32
30	62-25.

Ninety minutes of amusement at The Athens at small cost.

COUNTY FARM-LIFE SCHOOL OF CRAVEN COUNTY N. C.

\$15,000.00 5 per cent Thirty Year Bonds For Sale.

Sealed bids will be received at the office of the undersigned, in New Bern, North Carolina, until Monday, 1st day of January, 1912, at 12 o'clock M., for the purchase of Five Thousand (\$5,000.00) Dollars Craven County bonds, and Ten Thousand (\$10,000.00) Dollars First Township, Craven County, Bonds, all of said bonds payable Thirty Years after date, and bearing interest at the rate of Five per centum per annum, payable at each five or ten, and at each place or places, and said bonds to be of such denomination, and of such proportion, and to be of such form and tenor and transferable in each way, and the principal thereof payable or redeemable at each five or ten, not less than Fifteen Years from the date thereof, and at each place or places, as may be agreed on between the Board of Commissioners for the Craven County, and the purchaser of said bonds.

Certified check for One Hundred (\$100.00) Dollars as evidence of good faith, must be filed with bid.

Bidders are invited to submit form of bonds to be used.

The right to reject any and all bids is reserved.

BY ORDER OF THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS for the County of Craven.

FARMER GETS LESS THAN

Fifty Cents of What The Consumer Pays One Dollar For. Cold Storage Raises Living Costs.

Washington, Dec. 8.—"The consumer pays a dollar for food; the farmer gets less than fifty cents of it. Who gets the rest?"

That is a question which Secretary Wilson of the Department of Agriculture asks in his annual report. The Secretary does not attempt to answer it. He does explain in some detail the results of an investigation his department has just concluded into the effect of cold storage on the wholesomeness and cost of food. His investigation leads him to recommend publicity for the amount of food in cold storage, just as the Department now gives publicity to the condition of crops from month to month.

Instead of food remaining in storage for longer than a year or two years, as a rule, the Secretary declares that his investigation shows that "receipts into cold storage are entirely or very nearly exhausted by the deliveries out of cold storage within ten months."

Long storage is the exception, the Secretary asserts. Warehousemen explained to the Department that excessively long storage was due to lawsuits and other circumstances of a commercial nature. The cost of storage, including storage charge, interest and insurance is considered as a barrier to every long storage.

Cold storage, the Secretary reports, has raised the cost of living by increasing the annual price level for butter and eggs.

The Secretary says that an examination of the record of prices gives a "suspicion" that there has been much speculation in some years by the men who keep commodities in cold storage. He refers to "an apparent mistake" of the storage men in overestimating the consumption of eggs by the public at exorbitant prices last winter with the result that in the spring the storage men had to sell eggs at remarkably low prices and send abroad the largest amount of eggs ever exported in order to get rid of the supply. The Secretary declares that the warehousemen ought to be required to send to Washington each month the amount of commodities placed in storage so that the public may be able to judge of the future trend of prices.

Are you satisfied with your cook stove? See Bucks line of Stoves and Ranges at J. S. Basnight Hdw. Store.

Samuel Gompers is being watched by Government agent.



For those Cold, Creepy, Chilly, Days

Sitting in a chilly, creepy room is not at all pleasant, besides, it's not safe. It sometimes means a cold that will stick to you for months. Why take a chance, why be uncomfortable?

Use a **Vulcan Odorless Gas Heater**



Can be connected to any gas fixture. Will take off the chill and make a room comfortable in a few minutes.

GAVE BAD CHECKS FOR WHISKEY

Now Languishes In Craven County Jail In Default Of Bond Of \$500.

G S Henderson, a white man who lives at Pollockville, was arrested by Deputy Marshal Sam Lilly Thursday afternoon on a capias issued by the United States District Court, charging him with using the mails for fraudulent purpose. He was brought to this city and carried before the United States Commissioner who, after hearing the evidence in the case, found probable cause and bound the defendant over to the next term of the United States District Court under a bond of \$500. Henderson could not give this bond and was committed to Craven county jail.

From all that could be learned in regards to the facts in the case it seems that Henderson had been ordering quantities of whiskey from various whiskey houses all over the country and sending them bogus checks. He had been tried in the United States Court for this same offense once previous to this and been warned to desist from this kind of business. However, he failed to do so and is again in the toils of the law.

Ladies, better put a new coat of paint on that room where Santa Claus visits. J. S. Basnight Hdw. Co.

Hunting Party Returns

Last Saturday night a party of hunters composed of the following gentlemen, Messrs L. J. Taylor, J. L. Hartsfield, Wm. B. Blades, L. Blades of Elizabeth City, Daniel W. Richardson, of Dover and Law of Washington, D. C., left this city on Mr. Wm. Blades' houseboat "Comfort" enroute to Portsmouth, N. C., where they intended spending several days hunting wild geese and ducks.

Thursday afternoon they left Portsmouth and started on the return trip, reaching New Bern about 1 o'clock on the following morning. The party succeeded in bagging fifty wild geese and one hundred and fifty ducks. Each one of the party was delighted with the trip and voted Mr. Blades the most genial of hosts.

Postal Employees Cannot Have Union.

What employees of the United States mail service term an attack on their union organization is a general order from C. P. Grandfield, first assistant postmaster general, calling on all secret organizations in the service immediately to disband. The order is aimed at the men say, at the National Federation of the American Federation of Labor, to which many of the men belong.

The order does not effect any employee who belongs to fraternal secret organizations outside the postal service. Membership in secret organizations was termed "inimical to the interests of good government," as being incompatible with the employees' oath of service.

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 Hjb." the Shingle and Paper Roofing Man.

Next Meeting in New Bern

Seaboard Air Line Surgeons Will Meet Here in 1912. Dr. N. M. Gibbs, of This City Elected President.

Thursday afternoon at Newport News, Va., the 15th annual session of the Seaboard Medical Association of Virginia and North Carolina, came to a close with the election of officers for the ensuing year and the choosing of a place for the next meeting.

In both these important matters New Bern was honored. Dr. N. M. Gibbs, one of the most prominent local physicians, was chosen president of the Association and upon the invitation of Dr. Cyrus Thompson of Jacksonville the city of New Bern was chosen as the place for holding the session in 1912.

Just Received

4% INTEREST ON SAVINGS 4%

A DOUBLE BENEFIT

is received by those who maintain a checking account in the bank and at the end of every month transfer the balance of their savings account which earns 4 per cent interest, compounded semi-annually, to their deposit all money received in a checking account to the bank and a receipt for every dollar paid out will be recorded and when the month is over you will have the money to add to your savings account that you have saved the old way of keeping funds at home and expending with currency.

Small accounts are as welcome as the largest and one cent is enough for a beginning.

THE PEOPLES BANK
NEW BERN, N. C.
STRONG, COURTEOUS, PROGRESSIVE

BIG CLOTHING SALE

BEGINNING TO-DAY

We put on sale our entire stock of mens, boys and childrens Clothing, Overcoats and Pants, at a sweeping reduction of 20 per cent.

Over \$10,000 Worth of New Goods to Select From

THESE GOODS MUST GO

J. J. BAXTER

ELKS TEMPLE DEPT. STORE

You Don't Buy a Stove

every month, so that when you do buy, you want to look around a little and see where you can get the greatest satisfaction for your money. We have a great line of Stoves here and we can suit any pocket-book with our prices.

Gaskill Hardware Co.
SOLE AGENTS FOR MAJESTIC RANGES
PHONE 147

Give a Woman What She Wants, That's The Way to Please Her.

Santa Claus is growing more practical each year and instead of the things that satisfy the eye, he is giving of those wholesome, useful, practical things which one would buy for himself and which are not only gratefully received on Xmas day, but are a source of much joy and pleasure for many days to come.

An Axminster Rug 9x12 Feet Oriental or Floral Design
\$22.50 Value For \$17.00

Velvet and Brussels Rugs Sizes 9x12 Feet
\$18.50 Value For \$12.50

Capra Indian Blanket, Beautiful Design, North Carolina Wool Blanket, in three sizes, 10-4, 11-4, 12-4.

J. M. MITCHELL & CO.

Good Morning!



Nothing to do; just reading the paper. Oh, yes, you are.

Now, be honest. Don't you think your personal appearance is more important than a few news items that concern you but little?

Why of course.

Then, why not step in our store and see the splendid array of Suits and Overcoats we are showing this Fall—you'd be pleased.

\$7.50 to \$30

New Christmas Neckwear, Gloves, Shirts, Hosiery, Scarf Pins and Mufflers are here. Come in and see the largest selection to be found in town.

S. Coplon & Son
SELLS IT FOR LESS.
A LITTLE OUT OF THE WAY, BUT IT PAYS TO WALK TO COPLON'S

MAN'S WOEFUL NEGLECT.

The late Dr. Talmage, the great preacher delivered a sermon on life insurance at his B'nai B'rith Tabernacle once to which he stated that the most pitiful sight was a woman, delicately reared by an indulgent father and given in marriage to a man who failed to insure his life, and after whose death she compelled to struggle with helpless children, for bread, in a cold, barren world.

The UNION CENTRAL LIFE INSURANCE Co. with the best...