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YOUR PERSONAL OR HOUSEHOLD CHECKING ACCOUNT INVITED.

4% PAID ON SAVINGS

WRECK RECORD PILING UP

Revenue Cutter Service So Far This Winter Has To Its Credit 37 Vessels Aided.

Washington, Jan. 16.—The storm swept Atlantic coast is piling up a record of wrecks of ships and suffering of men that promise to eclipse the havoc of all previous rigorous and severe winters on the Eastern seaboard.

In the past fortnight—and the end is not yet in sight—the revenue cutters patrolling the coast have been called in to greater activity than ever before in their history. Within this period they have extended aid to 37 tempest-tossed vessels and their helpless and frost-bitten crews, whom they have transported to havens of safety.

The aggregate value of the salvaged ships runs into millions, and it is estimated that about 300 lives were saved by the revenue cutters and the life-saving service, working separately or jointly.

The cordon of revenue cutters, stretched from Maine to Florida, is now performing its yearly service to commerce. From November to May these little vessels patrol the Atlantic coast solely to assist disabled craft battling with the sea. This patrol is continuous, the vessels putting into port only for food and provisions.

In such a winter as this declared a revenue cutter officer today, there are no "piping times of peace" for the revenue cutters. Hourly Captain Berthoff, commandant of the service, is receiving wireless appeals to aid. These are sent by the helpless sailing vessels to steamers passing them and frequently are picked up by the revenue cutters before they reach Washington.

The "S. O. S." of the wireless has played its important part in the work.

Start the New Year right, by letting the Basnight Hdw. Co. supply your hardware wants.

TREE DOCTORS IN THE CITY

Are Here For the Purpose Of Repairing and Preserving Historic Trees. Will Give Illustrated Lecture.

Mr. F. C. Clark, an expert from the Davey Institute of Tree Surgery, of Kent, Ohio, is in the city for the purpose of repairing and preserving the historic trees of the city or any tree which the owner may care to save. The school which Mr. Clark represents is the only one of its kind in the United States and they have repaired and saved thousands of trees during the past few years. Their methods of repairing trees are numerous but in not a single instance have they failed to accomplish the work which they have begun.

Mr. Clark will be in the city for several days and will endeavor to give an illustrated lecture on this subject during his visit here. If you have a tree that is in bad order and one that you wish to save it will cost you nothing to have him examine it and tell you the best remedy. A letter addressed to him in care of the general delivery will reach him within a few hours.

The pride of the South—its grand old trees. Quite properly they may be considered a heritage of the old days. From generation they have stood and marked the passing of men. Their sturdy limbs, outstretched like huge protecting arms, have shaded the old places of fond remembrance, giving a touch of comfort and peace and beauty peculiar to the homes of the South. They deserve, therefore, such reasonable care and attention as will insure their continued health and development.

How about a barn-size Range, for twenty-five dollars? J. S. Basnight Hdw. Co.

Women's Club

The January business meeting of the Women's Club will be held today, Wednesday morning at eleven o'clock at the home of Mrs. L. L. Dill, Jr. A written report from the chairman of each department, the treasurer's report and the revised list of members voted upon. A full attendance is there as there is business of importance to be discussed.

Immediately after the meeting of the Women's Club matters of importance will be discussed and every member is urged to attend.

Next Friday Legal Holiday.

Friday, Jan. 19th, Legal Holiday being a Public Holiday, the doors of the Court will be closed.

YESTERDAY WAS COLDEST DAY

Mercury Dropped To 9 Degrees. Coldest In Fifteen Years. Snow Still Covers the Ground. Rising Temperature Forecast.

With the mercury registering 9 degrees above zero and the ground covered with snow and ice but little business was transacted in this city yesterday. On the previous day much of the snow which fell on Saturday melted. During the night the remainder froze as hard as ice and travel with vehicles drawn by horses was almost impossible. However, many pedestrians ventured out.

Wood and coal dealers managed to put a few teams in service and by driving slowly and with extreme care delivered many loads of fuel. The delivery wagons of the grocery stores were not seen on the streets during the day. All packages were delivered by hand. Several horses slipped on the pavements and were badly bruised but so far as is known none of them were very badly hurt.

The plumbers were kept busy during the early part of the day repairing water pipes that had burst during the night. Usters of the city water should see to it that the water is cut off from their pipes tonight for at 1 o'clock the supply will be cut off at the tank and if left running the pipes will freeze.

Not before in fifteen years has the mercury fallen as low as 9 degrees. However, the Weather Bureau predicts a rising temperature today and it is probable that the worst is over.

J. J. Baxter received by express today a good supply of Ladies, Mens and Childrens Rubbers.

Mrs. Whitford Gets Prize.

The Secretary of the Craven County Agricultural and Stock Exhibit Association wishes to announce the following first prizes:

Mrs. D. P. Whitford, Askins, N. C. Best Trio Ringlet Barred Plymouth Rocks. This prize should have been announced at the time all other prizes were announced, but was overlooked.

If you want the Stove of quality, Bucks line is your only solution. J. S. Basnight Hdw. Co.

Early Mornig Weeding.

At 8:30 o'clock last Sunday morning at the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. M. W. Fodrie on Metcalf St., Miss Katie Winfield became the bride of Mr. James A. Miller, of Norfolk, Rev. J. B. Hurley performed the marriage ceremony in the presence of a few invited friends and relatives. Immediately after the ceremony the bride and groom drove to the union station where they boarded the train enroute to their future home at Norfolk.

ALONZO'S PRESSING CLUB

on Monday January 16th will occupy the building adjacent to Mr. J. R. Ball's place of business on Craven street. We will be prepared to do work cheaper than anyone else in the city. Ladies coat suits cleaned and pressed 75c. Ladies coat suits pressed 60c., Gents suits cleaned and pressed 50c., Gents suits pressed 35c., Pants cleaned and pressed 25c., Pants pressed 15c.

Prompt attention. Orders called for and delivered.

PHONE 284

SLIPPED AND FELL; KILLED BY TRAIN

Charles H. Jacobson Lost His Life On Norfolk-Southern Yards.

Losing his foothold on the ice and snow which covered the track along which he was walking, Mr. Charles H. Jacobson, who lives on National avenue this city, was struck by the incoming east bound train on the Norfolk-Southern Railway Company's yards yesterday morning and received injuries from which he died a short while later after he had been carried to Stewart's sanitarium and everything possible had been done to save his life.

Mr. Jacobson was about 59 years of age and for sometime has been engaged in truck farming near the city. Yesterday morning he left home, presumably for the purpose of coming into the city to attend to some business matters. Just why he was on the railroad track at the point which he was struck will probably never be known. However it is more than probable that finding himself in the northern part of the city he had intended going to the passenger station to see the arrival of the passengers. There were no eye witnesses to the horrible accident as far as is known, but there is not the least doubt but that upon hearing the approaching train he attempted to get off the track and in so doing fell. His skull was crushed and one of his lower limbs broken.

As soon as the train arrived at the station and the accident was reported a stretcher was procured and the injured man rushed to Stewart's sanitarium for medical treatment, but it was easily seen that he could not live but a short while and he died soon after reaching that institution.

Mr. Jacobson is survived by one daughter, his wife having died some time ago. He leaves also a brother, Mr. W. K. Jacobson, editor of the Washington, N. C. Progress. He was a native of Craven county and his remains will be taken to the old home near Vaneboro and there interred, today, in the family burying ground.

PARCELS POST DELIVERY URGED

Needed To Wipe Out Free Delivery Deficit, Says Fourth Assistant.

Washington, Jan. 16.—The establishment of parcels post delivery along rural mail routes should not be delayed any longer, in the opinion of P. V. DeGraw, Fourth Assistant Postmaster General, as presented in his annual report which was submitted to Postmaster-General Hitchcock today.

Every consideration of practicability, business expediency and good administration, Mr. DeGraw says, "favors the plan as being a probable source of large revenue and great public accommodation."

Mr. DeGraw bases his recommendation on the ground that the expenditure for rural service is increasing much more rapidly than the receipts, and the parcels post, he says would provide much additional revenue.

In the past year the rural mail receipts were \$7,570,000, while the expenditures were \$37,130,000. For the present year there has been appropriated \$42,790,000, while it is not expected that there will be any appreciable increase in receipts. The loss will become greater each year, Mr. DeGraw says, unless a parcels post is established to help.

There are at present more than 1,000,000 miles of rural mail routes, and the average mileage a day for each carrier is 24.19 miles. In the past year 577 routes were added, making the present total 41,666.

More than 13,000,000 letters and parcels were received at the dead-letter offices during the year, the daily receipts averaging 44,500 pieces, an increase over the previous year of 8 per cent.

4% INTEREST ON SAVINGS 4%

WHAT YOU SAVE

is more important than what you earn. No matter whether your income is large or small, you can accumulate a substantial sum if you will open an account in our Savings Department and be persistent in your effort to increase it.

We welcome deposits of One Dollar, or more, and pay 4 per cent compound interest. Every depositor receives uniformly prompt and efficient attention whether his account is large or small.

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

Fire Sale

The goods damaged by the Barrington Dry Goods Company's fire will be put on sale at at No. 78 Craven St.

Monday Jan. 8th

IT OFTEN HAPPENS

The holes that make their appearance in the dish pans and milk-pans come without warning, like the ghost that walks at night. No one knows how it happened. We don't mind, of course, because it makes business good for us. The holes are there, and the new pans are here. That's what we are trying to get at. Solid, honest tin, fashioned in convenient, shining pans, etc., waiting to save you many steps and keep the food clean and wholesome. As much honesty has gone into the making of this tinware as goes into a diamond ring.

Gaskill Hardware Co.
PHONE 147 73 MIDDLE ST.

25 to 50 PER CENT

REDUCTION SALE

On account of a large stock of goods left over after the holidays, we have decided to cut on all Clothing and Merchandise until our stock is sufficiently reduced. All goods sold from 25 to 50 per cent on the dollar reduction.


SAM LIPMAN
Cor. Middle and S. E. Sts. Bryan Block.

HORSES & MULES

Fifty head of fine Horses and Mules now in stock. Must be sold.

PRICES AND TERMS REASONABLE.

SCOTT & CO.
NEW BERN, N. C.



EXTRA - EXTRA Special News

For the men of New Bern and vicinity, we place on sale 500 mens suits that formerly sold for \$10

FOR THIS WEEK ONLY

\$5.95

ALL SIZES

Alterations if necessary free of charge

DON'T PASS THIS UP.

Like getting money from home, getting into one of these suits.

S. Coplon & Son

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

FOR THIS WEEK

YOU ARE OFFERED ROUGH LUMBER FOR EVERY PURPOSE—

Flooring, Siding and Ceiling Lumber, Mouldings, Weather Boarding and Partitions.

Remember we want your business whether it's one stick or a car load.

DELIVERIES PROMPT.

Broadus & Ives Lumber Co.

FOR SALE

AUTOMOBILE

GOOD CONDITION

ENNETT'S BOOK-STORE

WE SOLICIT YOUR TRADE

on all kinds of coal—for heating and cooking in the house, for the furnace in shops or stores, for steaming purposes in factory or mill, fully confident of the quality of our fuel, its cleanliness and our facilities for prompt delivery. We will appreciate a trial order.

Ellis Coal and Wood Yard

PHONE 47 UNION POINT



JANUARY CLEARANCE SALE

Our Great Clearance Sale Will Start on Wednesday January 10th, And Continue For 10 Days.

OUR \$35,000 STOCK WILL BE PUT ON SALE AT NEW YORK COST AND LESS

Consisting of Dry Goods, Notions, Millinery, Ladies Suits, Mens and Boys Clothing, Shoes, Hats, Mens Furnishings etc. Save your money for this sale, this will be the greatest one yet.

DEPT STORE **J. J. BAXTER** ELKS TEMPLE