

NEW BERN BANKING AND TRUST COMPANY

NEW BERN, N. C.

MONEY AT HOME

MONEY that is kept at home is constantly subject to loss by fire, burglary or some other mishap. It is idle money and pays no interest. All risks are avoided and a fair income is assured by depositing your surplus money in the savings department of this bank. We invite accounts in any amount and cordially extend the protection of this bank to all persons who desire unquestioned safety for their funds.

WE CORDIALLY INVITE YOUR CHECKING OR SAVINGS ACCOUNT. FOUR PER CENT PAID ON SAVINGS.

RED CROSS FOUNDER DEAD

Miss Clara Barton, Most Widely Known American Woman Passes.

Washington, April 13th.—Miss Clara Barton, founder of the American Red Cross, and probably the most widely known American woman of her day, died at her home, Red Cross, in Glen Echo, Md., yesterday morning at nine o'clock. She was 91 years old.

Miss Barton suffered an attack of pneumonia in February, 1911, had a relapse and the disease became chronic. She went last summer, as usual, to her old home in Oxford, Mass., and returned to Glen Echo in feeble health last autumn. Mutual weakness of the heart developed and for weeks the condition of the venerable nurse had been such as to cause grave concern among her friends. Her bright mind was undimmed, almost to the last, and her ready wit and quick repartee made her sick room a place of cheer to her attendants. With her when the end came were her nephew, Stephen Barton, of Boston, and Dr. J. B. Hubbell.

The great regret of Miss Barton's last months was that her feeble condition made it necessary for her to suspend work on her autobiography. She had brought this work down only to the beginning of her public career as a Civil War nurse. A woman whose whole training fostered habits of precision, she has left behind practically the entire correspondence of her public career as well as other data bearing upon her international hospital work, and the memoirs which she herself began will be completed by other hands.

The last year of the great Red Cross nurse had been spent in retirement. She maintained her winter home at Glen Echo, but passed a part of each summer at her birth place in Massachusetts. She retired from the presidency of the American Red Cross in 1904 and since that time had had no affiliation with the organization of which she previously had been the head since its establishment, largely through her efforts, somewhat more than thirty years ago.

Miss Barton will be buried where she was born. On the slopes of the little cemetery in Oxford, with father and mother, brothers and sisters, she will be laid to her long rest by the spot where her cradle was rocked.

Phone 99 and let us figure on your Screen doors and windows. J. S. Basnight Hdw. Co.

Dioecesan Council Delegates.

Messrs. Geo. H. Roberts, Judge H. R. Bryan, E. K. Bishop, and T. D. Warren have been elected delegates and Messrs. J. G. Dunn, Dr. H. M. Bonner, W. Dunn, Jr., and Mark Disoway alternates by Christ Church vesting to the Dioecesan Council of the Episcopal church which convenes at Edenton, N. C., May 19th, 1912.

PILES CURED IN 6 TO 14 DAYS

Your druggist will refund money if PAIN OINTMENT fails to cure any case of Itching, Blind, Bleeding or Protruding Piles in 6 to 14 days. 50c.

SOCIETY

AN ENTERTAINING PARTY.

Some of the most interesting social functions of the season was given by Mrs. Francis Stringer Duffy and Mrs. Mary Francis Stringer at their residence on Johnson street, going was conducted in the artistic and profuse manner of the wild honey-suckle, peonies, geraniums and flag-illies and also the attractive place cards. Spring was also suggested in the sumptuous two course luncheon which was served at 6 o'clock, the baskets of nuts on every table were adorned by Easter biddies.

Those invited for the afternoon were, Mrs. Francis Stringer Duffy, Mrs. David Jarvis, Mrs. Charles Thomas, Mrs. F. Howard Sawyer, Mrs. Ceell Gabbett, Mrs. Owen Gulon, Mrs. Edward Bishop, Mrs. David Ward, Mrs. C. D. Bradham, Mrs. William Hand, Mrs. Robert Jones, Mrs. Morris Marker, Mrs. John Coyle, Mrs. James Vernon Blades, Mrs. Thomas Carraway, Mrs. Monroe Howell, Mrs. Henry R. Bryan, Jr., Mrs. James Waters, Mrs. Harry Marks, Mrs. Thonnie Hyman, Misses Nellie Hollister, Marie Hunter, Richardson, Sara Congdon, Jane Stewart, Harriette Marks, Janet Hollister and Susie Willis.

Moving Pictures and Vaudeville, afternoon and night, at The Athens.

TAMA JIM DENOUNCED

Secretary of Agriculture Wilson Gets A Drubbing From Ohio Congressman.

Washington, April 13.—The administration of Secretary Wilson, of the Department of Agriculture, was severely criticised in the House of Representatives in a speech by Representative Bathrick, Democrat, of Ohio. Mr. Bathrick asserted that Mr. Wilson's management of the Department "has been a scandal and a disgrace." Mr. Bathrick's attacks included the charge that Mr. Wilson had been tied to the "food dopers."

He also said that the secretary had aided and abetted land boomers in the exploitation of the Florida Everglades. "Like the best of Sinbad," said Mr. Bathrick, "this old man sits astride the shoulders of the people's rights, weighing down justice, obstructing the operation of laws intended to protect the people, and in his course of management of the expenditure of over \$16,000,000 annually, of the people's money, he shifts from one decision to another at the beck and call of big interests of this country."

Mr. Bathrick defended C. G. Elliott and A. D. Morehouse, whom Secretary Wilson recently dismissed from the service. The men were involved in the Everglades controversy and were recently indicted for technical violations of law. Mr. Bathrick said this prosecution was "contemptible."

The debate in the House last night was a proposal of the postoffice appropriation bill. Representative Witherspoon, of Mississippi, followed Mr. Bathrick. Mr. Witherspoon's speech was in favor of a parcels post, but he opposed the plan for it proposed in the pending bill.

Vaudeville at The Athens, Mon., Tues., Wed.—Ben J. Lander and Lettie M. Kiscaden—in their breezy comedy sketch, "A Night of Adventure." Scintillating with wit and incessant laughter—Elegantly costumed.

Entertainment at Parish House Tomorrow.

The following program has been arranged for the entertainment to be given at the Parish House tomorrow afternoon. The admission fee will be only 10 and 15 cents and the public is extended a cordial invitation:

1. High School Orchestra.
2. Soldier Boy Drill.
3. Recitation—Lida Guion.
4. Vocal Trio—Katherine Boyd, Mary Sutton and Fred Boyd.
5. Latin Verse—Katherine Patterson.
6. Vocal Solo—Jennette Hill.
7. French Dialogue—5 High School Girls.
8. Violin Solo—Chas. S. Hollister Jr.
9. Rambon Song and Dance—Ellen Gulon and Julia Bryan Jones.
10. Vocal Duet—Elsie Jones and Elia Lawrence.
11. High School Orchestra.

WEEKLY COTTON MARKET REVIEW

Prices Up Account Flood Conditions, Spot Situation Steadily Widening Speculation.

New York, April 13.—Cotton prices have jumped under the impelling force of floods at the South, rainy weather, delayed field work, a strong spot situation and a big and steadily widening speculation. Recently the advance has been very marked, but the bull fever seems to be spreading. The idea, rightly or wrongly, of many, is that the next crop is going to be a couple of million bales smaller than the last one. The advocated of higher prices figure that the last crop has been practically eliminated from consideration. The figure up a domestic consumption of 5,500,000 bales and exports of 10,500,000, both totals unprecedented in size. This accounts for 16,000,000 bales out of a crop of 16,205,000 bales. Meantime, cotton goods are in good demand at rising prices. The Lancashire outlook for trade has been improved by the practical ending of the English coal strike. Liverpool has sent large buying orders to New York during the past week and this fact has at times contributed no little to the price in a advance. The exports have continued liberal. Field work in many parts of the South is still far behind. There is some shaking of heads over the recent sharp advance. Some think that it has been overdone and that a market reaction may come at almost any time, through a sudden and big liquidating movement. Though much alarm has been felt because of the Mississippi river flood, it is contended that there is not likely to be any serious shortage from the cotton crop resulting therefrom. From parts of the South, too, favorable reports are being received, particularly from Texas. It is believed that the recent advance in prices will not tend to any reduction in the acreage.

The elimination of a large portion of the short interest has weakened theoretically at least the technical and the speculative position. It is thought that through the speed of speculation to outside public traders a great deal of cotton will be lodged in weaker hands so that as time goes on it will be probably that the fluctuations will be sharp and sudden. The London liquidation caused a sharp break, but on Friday came another upturn coincident with a rise in Liverpool where a better spot demand was reported and heavy rains in parts of the South.

NOTICE.

No. 1 Red Heart 5x20 Shingles, and all kinds of Shingles on hand, better, 1 Mule, a good, nice and gentle work horse. All this for less. Lume a specialty: Rubber Roofing, good Points at 60 cents per gallon. Will sell it all for less. Rooms furnished or unfurnished for light housekeeping. See Big Hill the Old Reliable Shingle Man, office 1534 South Front street. Phone 559 residence, for all kinds of Shingles.

Alleged Tiger Bound Over.

Webster Blount, colored, was given a hearing before the mayor yesterday afternoon on a warrant charging him with selling whiskey. Sam Lancaster, white, was the state witness in the case. During the progress of the trial it was proven that at the time Lancaster said he purchased the whiskey from Blount he was under the influence of whiskey himself. Probable cause was found and the defendant was bound over to the next term of Superior Court under a bond of \$100.

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 \$1.00 and \$1.00. Williams' Mfg. Co., Props., Cleveland, O.

Coast Artillery To Be Instructed.

Adjutant General Lester of the North Carolina National Guard, has received official notification from the War Department that there will be assigned to service in this state a sergeant inspector of Coast Artillery to devote his time to the instruction of the companies of Coast Artillery of the North Carolina National Guard. There are companies at Greensboro, Charlotte, Salisbury, Wilmington, New Bern and other points.

That old chair needs a coat of China-Lac to make it young again—B. P. S. specialties for the best house-keepers. J. S. Basnight Hdw.

4% INTEREST ON SAVINGS 4%

WOMEN'S ACCOUNTS.

Women receive many advantages by becoming patrons of this bank. Special attention is given to their accounts. The large number of women patronizing the bank being the best evidence of the value of its service.

You are invited to open a household account subject to check in any amount or deposit your surplus funds in our Savings Department where they will earn 4 per cent interest, compounded twice a year.

THE PEOPLES BANK

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



New Spring Clothing

We have just received our new Spring Clothing and invite the public to call and examine our lines. We carry nothing but all wool guaranteed clothing and our prices are lower than other people will charge you for cotton mixed goods.

We can sell you a Tailor made to measure suit for less than other people will charge you for stock goods of same grade. See us and save money.

J. J. Baxter

115 Temple, Dept. Store

Play Suits

Cowboy Chaps, made of leather like the real Cowboys wear, Rough Rider Outfits, Base Ball Outfits, Indian Chief Outfits, Cowboy and Boy Scout Outfits.

Everybody bring Everybody and Everybody with you to see our large line of Boy Toggery, all Tailored like Everyman wears.

A. T. Willis Co.

HATTERS AND HABERDASHERS
PHONE 19 59 POLLOCK ST.

SHOES FOR EASTER WEAR

You Will Find What You Want Here

EXCLUSIVE AGENTS FOR

Howard and Foster and Bestman Shoes for men.

Good Shoes For Little Money

SAMPLE SHOE STORE



Silk Petticoats

Taffeta and Messaline Petticoats, both in black and colors, made of the best material, they conform to the figure and fit perfectly under the up-to-date suits and costumes, at \$3.75 to \$5.00.

You Will Find Many of The Latest Novelties Here Too.

J. M. MITCHELL & CO.

61 POLLOCK ST. PHONE 288

Long Staple Cotton Seed

We have for sale about 200 bushels Long Staple Cotton Seed. Price sacked \$1.25 per bushel.

Here are the results from fifteen acres planted by us this season

Fifteen bales averaging 460 lbs. to the bale Sold in Gastonia, N. C., at 16¢ per lb.

HACKBURN & WILLETT

NEW BERN, N. C.

We've just received an assortment of

Peerless Asbestos Table Mats



Don't risk that beautiful polished top of your dining table any longer. We now have sure protection for it—a Peerless Asbestos Table Mat. Made of solid boards of asbestos; heat from dishes and spilled liquids cannot get through to mar the table. Styles and sizes to fit any table, with extra leaves to fill out as the table is extended.

The parts are strongly hinged so they may be folded and put away when not in use. The soft flannel coverings may be removed when they require washing.

Call in soon and see the mat that will give your table the best protection.

HOT WATER

Have you an inexhaustible supply of hot water at your house? It is not a luxury but an absolute necessity to have hot water when you want it.

An Independent Water Heater can be attached to any ordinary kitchen boiler—light the gas burner under it and in fifteen minutes you have hot water enough for a bath. The cost for the gas will be only two or three cents. The heater costs \$15.00 installed. Get one.

NEW BERN