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South Carolina could use the recall to advantage to advantage now if it had it.

GOOD ROADS NEEDED.

Counties like Guilford and Mecklenburg built good roads when there wasn't anything like the information available as to road-building that there is now and those counties have been going ahead at a rapid rate. Craven is in sore need of better roads and while it is making some progress with things as they are now, we believe it would make very much greater progress if it would launch on a good-sized scale program of road building. For these reasons we deplore the reverse which the movement for a good roads bond issue met here yesterday.

NEW BERN AND THE NORFOLK SOUTHERN.

Rightly or wrongly the Norfolk Southern Railroad thinks New Bern has shown a grasping attitude in its dealings with it. We have heard that it claims that when it proposed to buy some land here on which to build shops an extravagant price was asked. It is probable also that the railroad thinks that the city was disposed to drive as hard a bargain as it could in connection with the paving of certain streets. Anyhow the circumstances are such as to indicate that the proposed curtailment of service here has grown out of a spirit of retaliation for injuries real or fancied. If such is the case New Bern ought to know it. New Bern needs the Norfolk Southern and the Norfolk Southern needs New Bern. The relations between the city and the railroad should be friendly for each profits from the prosperity of the other.

There is room here for the Northern Coast Line outlet and the movement to get it is one of the most desperate ever started here. We hope that there will be no let up until the new line of railroad is secured. But New Bern also needs the Norfolk Southern and the very best service that that railroad will give. To this end we believe there ought to be a better understanding between the city and the railroad. The proposed change in schedules operating to the disadvantage of New Bern should not be allowed to go into effect without a clearing up of the situation as to how the Norfolk Southern management feels toward New Bern. Of course the city cannot expect any more in the way of railroad facilities than the business which it produces justifies but it wants all that the business does justify and it wants a clear understanding of the reasons which actuate the railroad in curtailing the railroad facilities if indeed it does curtail them.

The Chamber of Commerce will of course take the matter up and the outcome of its inquiry into the matter together with full information as to the nature of the changes proposed will have to be awaited before an intelligent opinion can be formed as to whether the railroad is disposed to treat the city unfairly.

WILL BE GREAT AFFAIR.

With a Senator, one and maybe two Congressmen, the best known newspaper man in the State and other well known persons agreeing to come for New Bern's first annual municipal dinner, it is plain that the dinner is going to be an affair of great moment. We believe that it will inure greatly to the advantage of New Bern. Secretary Williams is to be felicitated on conceiving the idea and on the energetic manner in which he is working to make it a "go."

READ THE ADS.

This is an especially good time of the year to read the advertising in the Journal. Some very valuable information as to where to buy and what to buy for Christmas presents will be found in the announcements of New Bern's five merchants. Read the advertisements in the Journal. They will help you to save money and to buy to the best advantage.

A ROSEATE VIEW.

The communication of "Fair Play" in today's Journal is timely and interesting not only because of the remarks on De Graffenried but also because of the roseate view of New

IF YOU EAT SOMETHING that disagrees with you, don't let it work its own way through; it's a slow process and makes you feel bad. Get rid of it quickly by taking a pinch or two of

SIMMONS RED LIVER REGULATOR

(THE POWDER FORM)

It drives out impurities and badly digested food in the stomach and bowels; stimulates the torpid liver and restores regular bowel movements. It is a fine tonic and system purifier that puts the vital organs in sound, healthy condition.

SOLD BY DEALERS. PRICE, LARGE PACKAGE, \$1.00.

Ask for the genuine with the Red Z on the label. If you cannot get it, write to us, we will send it by mail, postpaid. Simmons Liver Regulator is put up also in liquid form for those who prefer it. Price \$1.50 per bottle. Look for the Red Z label.

J. H. ZEHLIN & CO., PROP., ST. LOUIS, MO.

Bern's future as taken by the writer. The proposed park that is mentioned in the communication would mean changing the whole face of the earth in the locality mentioned, but a park of such dimensions with such a location and view is an agreeable thing to think about at any rate, and may some day when New Bern is very much larger than it is now, be realized. "Fair Play" thinks New Bern has a great future. The way it is gaining ground now would certainly indicate as much.

POOR SOUTH CAROLINA.

(New York World.)

Poor South Carolina! To be represented at the Conference of Governors at Richmond by a vulgar demagogue like Cole Blease?

If any other State after one experience had re-elected as Governor such a type of vicious, blatant politician it would cause surprise. But South Carolina is only fulfilling its fate.

After half a century of corruption and lawlessness, after fifty years of misrule by carpet-baggers, by ignorant negroes, by crooked corporation interests, by political feudists and professional inciters of race hatred, it has descended so low as to put the mark of approval on Cole Blease for a second time. A Governor who preaches mob murder and publicly provokes passionate men to open crime; a Governor who appeals to the criminal instincts of men who need to be restrained and courts the support of criminals in and out of jail; a Governor who flouts the law, scoffs at the courts, defies decency; a Governor who gives public notice that mobs and murderers can always look to him for official protection; a Governor so depraved as to proclaim himself the advocate of wholesale lynching, who parades as the friend of men who act like beasts—this is the kind of Governor South Carolina has made its spokesman.

For fifty years South Carolina has been prostrate. By choice it remains prostrate, and Cole Blease is its Governor.

"THE CLIMAX"

Said to Be the One Big Theatrical Success of Year.

There has been a great deal of interest manifested in the forthcoming engagement of Joseph M. Weber's charming play "The Climax" by Joseph Carl Briel, which will be seen at the Masonic Theatre next Tuesday night. "The Climax" is said to be the one big success of the year, scoring a most unprecedented triumph at Weber's famous New York play house where it will be seen for many weeks to come, and will undoubtedly be the strongest and most wholesome offering that will be seen here this season. So great has been the demand for the play throughout the country that Manager Weber will have no fewer than five companies on tour this season. It can be truthfully said that the sun never sets on "The Climax", as it will be seen in America, England, Australia, Germany, Italy, India, France, Spain, Sweden, Africa, South America and in other parts of the world where it will be played in all languages.

Rugs That Curl.

Cont the under side of the edge of a rug with shellac and it will at no time curl.

Belle Mead Sweets Bonbons and Chocolates

A Fresh Supply at

DAVIS PHARMACY

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STARTLING STATISTICS.—

The average annual fire loss in the United States is \$250,000,000. The fire loss for the first nine months of this year is \$159,000,000. (and fire season has just begun) in which North Carolina exceeds every other Southern State except Texas.

Moral:—INSURE YOUR PROPERTY RIGHT NOW, in a reliable agency, where full facilities are afforded in leading foreign and domestic companies, and where personal attention is given all matters.

W. G. BOYD
General Insurance Real Estate Surety Bonds.

SAWYER'S REMOVAL.

O, Mike come over here. Well, what's the news? Nothing more than I just noticed old man Economy. He has moved Sawyer the Tailor up fifty points in the business race.

He started at 51 South Front and is now at 101, next to S. G. Roberts' Grocery Company and he is giving three fits now instead of one. First the pursuit to perfection, second your form, third your idea, giving you general satisfaction.

All work of the very latest design. Thirty-five years practical experience.

Respectfully yours,
Latest Economy,
No. 101 South Front St.



Finest of Gifts

—A Diamond ring is above all the most welcome present
—As good as a bank account to the recipient, if it is purchased right
—Our stock contains only the finest stones and settings
—The values are exceptionally good

We are showing some special values at \$50.00.

BAXTER

New Bern
FINE MALAGA GRAPES
20 cents per lb.
PRUNES, [LARGE] 2 LBS.
for 25 cents.
ORANGES [FLORIDA] 35
and 40 cents.
FRESH EGGS.
L. S. GRANT & COMPANY
24 Middle St. Phone 25.

You are cordially invited to visit our store, see our line and get our prices before placing your order, small or large. Make our store your store and remember the phone 174

H. C. ARMSTRONG

Bradham Drug Co.

Sell everything with a SATISFACTION string attached. If what you purchase is not entirely satisfactory bring it back and get what you want or your money back. Our object is to satisfy every customer and we will do it.

Bradham Drug Co.

HOW-WHEN-WHERE?

After all that has been written of the sinking of the TITANIC, with a loss of over 1600 lives, here are some facts that may interest you.

Three hundred and sixty six of each 1000 accidents happen while at HOME, on the STREET or while taking part in GAMES and RECREATION.

BUT wherever they happen, ALL will be paid benefits under our Accident Policies.

They are so cheap, so reliable and so complete in the protection given, that it is cheaper to carry one than to TAKE CHANCES.

REMEMBER, one person in every seven is injured every year.

BAIN & STYRON

GENERAL INSURANCE.
Broad and Middle Streets
New Bern, N. C.

OYSTERS! OYSTERS!

We have added a retail department to our large oyster business, and we now solicit the patronage of the citizens of New Bern. We buy the finest oysters obtainable and they are handled and shucked in a sanitary manner by experienced men. We deliver them in clean sanitary packages and guarantee full measure and solid meat oysters. You don't pay for water when you get our oysters.

GEO. N. IVESS & SON,
Phone No. 6

BAXTER'S Dress Goods and Coat Suit Sale

We have put on sale a big stock of Dress Goods at New York cost also our entire stock of ladies' coat suits, coats and skirts. Don't fail to see us for anything you want, we will save you money—our regular prices are as low as other peoples' sale price.

We are showing a big stock of Xmas goods. See our windows.

J. J. BAXTER.

Department Store - Elks' Temple.

NEW GOODS FOR FALL

are arriving daily and you'll surely enjoy seeing the latest arrivals.

A more splendid showing than we have ever had for your inspection now awaits your approval here.

Come and look the newest things over whether you want to buy or not. An inspection will prove very interesting.

Today is a good time.

SAM LIPMAN

Cor Middle and South Front Streets. Bryan Block

Paper-Shell Almonds New Walnuts

Fresh Sunshine Cakes and Crackers

QUALITY--Not Quantity.

HACKBURN

STALK CUTTERS

CUTAWAY HARROWS

HAY, GRAIN, FEED, AND SEED.

BRICK.

BURRUS & COMPANY

Phone 184. New Bern, N. C.