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10 Sacks "Laguayra," "Java" and "Mocha."
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We carry as fine a line of Canned Goods as can be found in the city.
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MAIL CLOSURES.

For North, West and South, via A. & N. C. R. R. at 8:30 a. m.
For Beaufort and the East, at 6:00 p. m.
For Washington, Swift Creek, Hyde and Beaufort Counties Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays at 5:00 a. m.
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Office open constantly between these hours except when mails are being distributed or sent.

Reading "Signs."

A frontiersman reads what he calls "signs" on the prairies as readily as a city man reads the signboards in the street. Tracks, a broken twig, a crushed weed, and the remains around a camp-fire, are as legible to a cowboy as an advertisement to a reader. A Texas paper illustrates this art of reading "signs" by the following narrative:

"About two miles from town he suddenly checked his horse, gazed intently on the ground, and said, 'Some fellow has lost his saddle horse here this morning.'
"There was no advertisement on any of the trees offering a reward for a lost horse, and as there was no lost horse in sight, we were at a loss to understand how, if a horse was lost, our friend could know so much about it.

"The doctor inquired, 'How do you know that a horse has been lost?'"

"I see his tracks."
"Are there not hundreds of horses pasturing on the prairie and how do you know that this is not the track of one of them?"

"Because he is shod; and the horses herding on the prairies do not wear shoes."

"How do you know that he is a saddle-horse, and lost?"

"I see a rope-track alongside his trail. The horse has a saddle on, and the rope hangs from the horn of the saddle."

"But why may he not be a horse that some one has ridden over this way this morning? and why do you insist that he is lost?"

"Because, if a man had been on his back, he would have ridden him on a straight course. But this horse has moved from side to side of the road as he strolled along, and that is a plain sign that he grazed as he went, and that he had no rider."

"After that, it would not surprise me," said the doctor, "if you were to tell us the age of the horse and the name of the owner."

"Well, that would not be very hard to do. There are signs that have told me the owner's name, and there are other signs, that, if I had time to examine, would tell me his age. I know he is one of old man Pendergrast's horses. Pendergrast has a large bunch of horses down in the bottom, and an old nigger down there does all his shoeing, and shoes no other horses except his. So we know his shoe-track just the same as we know his brand."

A GENTLEMAN whose house was under repair went out one day to see how the work progressed, and observing a quantity of nails lying about, he said to the carpenter, "Why don't you take care of these nails? They'll certainly be lost."
"No," replied the carpenter; "you'll find them in the bill."

Real estate mortgages and deeds and chattel mortgages for sale at this office.

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