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Wednesday, July 12, 1911.

This is the beginning of dog days and there are lots of dogs, and they are not all two legged, either.

The Chamber of Commerce is getting in some good work these days, and have succeeded in having another store vacated.

With near-beer barred, their water supplies bankrupt, and no rain in sight, the position of many of our towns is undeniably serious.

The amusements owned and run by our own citizens are required to close at 9 o'clock, while those owned and run by outsiders can run all night. In this instance it pays to be an outsider.

It's awfully dry in Burlington just now for the want of rain. This does not indicate however that the fire liquid is not served at the usual places, for those who are afraid of snake bites.

The governor failed to hand the plum out yesterday. The crowd around the fruit stand grows from day to day. Already twenty-seven have been on the job, to say nothing of their attendants.

The Burlington Beverage Co. are always upon the lookout for improvements in their well equipped and up-to-date bottling plant. They have just installed a bottle soaker and washer that's a dandy. Cleanliness and up-to-date methods are watch-words of these enterprising people. When you buy their drinks you may rest assured that you are getting the best.

Since our last publication, Mr. John E. Hart, Editor of THE STATE DISPATCH has severed his connection to accept the lucrative position as foreman of The Burlington News. THE STATE DISPATCH regrets exceedingly to lose Mr. Hart as its Editor, and wish to congratulate The News upon securing his valuable service. He has served THE DISPATCH for more than three years, faithfully and loyally, bearing the burdens and heat of the day with untiring patience, hence we feel the loss severely.

One or the Other.

The pool room, shooting gallery and other places of amusement should either be required to close at 7 o'clock p. m., or allowed to keep open until 11. As it is now the boys and men congregate there as long as allowed to remain, and then when the places close, which is only 9 o'clock, and hardly dark, go elsewhere for other devilment. Why not allow them to stay at these places until good bed-time, and when they leave, the chances are that they will go home and to bed. This is the sensible view and worthy the attention of our city fathers.

Important to Farmers.

At another place in this issue we are publishing a complete programme of Farmers Institutes which will be held at Mebane, Tuesday, July 25th; Elon College, Wednesday, July 26th, and at Friendship High School, Wednesday, August 23rd. At these dates and places will also be held Women's Institutes under the direction of Mrs. Sue V. Hollowell and others.

These institutes are of vast amount of good, both to women and men, as they give opportunity for the discussion of the betterment of rural home life, and every farmer and farmer's wife who can possibly do so should attend. Speakers of state wide reputation, men who know what is most needed on the farm, will be present and deliver addresses. To enthruse the occasions, small premiums have been offered.

A special invitation is extended the boys and young men to be present at these institutes.

The places are arranged so it will be convenient for you to attend one or more without going far.

Announcement.

My connection with THE STATE DISPATCH terminated last Saturday, after serving it in various capacities for more than three years. The labor has been arduous, yet I have enjoyed it, believing that my labors were appreciated by the patrons and the stockholders. I think so yet, and leave the work and the associates with the same kindly feelings that existed when the work was taken up more than three years ago, in fact, before the paper was started. As I had the pleasure of printing the first one and have been continually on the job ever since. I have seen the paper grow from, comparatively speaking, nothing, to one among the best and most widely read papers in the country, and in severing my connection with it does not sever my best wishes for its continued success and prosperity. In making these few remarks I desire to thank those staunch friends who stood by me so loyally in my efforts, to say that this friendship is appreciated in stating the case too mildly, and I trust you will give my successor the same loyal support and encouragement extended me.

In this connection I am glad to announce that I will remain in Burlington, having accepted the position as foreman in the office of The Burlington News, where I will be pleased to have my friends drop in and see me.

Again thanking you and wishing each one success and happiness, I am,

Respectfully,
 JOHN E. HART.

June Crop Report.

Prof. N. C. Murray, acting Chief of the crop reporting board of the Department of Agriculture at Washington, reports that crops are not up to the average, caused by the drought. Oats and hay seem to have had the hardest hits. Less than two thirds of a normal crop of hay is expected, and oats probably will be more than twenty-five per cent less than last year and about twelve per cent less the average for the last five years.

The corn average is largest ever recorded, but the condition of the crop is about seven per cent below the average. That indicates a production of about five per cent less than last year's record crop but a better yield than the average production during the past five years.

The potato crop promises to be unusually short. The corn has fallen off probably on account of unsatisfactory prices the past year. The condition of the potato crop is lower than at any time on July 1st for twenty-two years.

Owing to the difficulty in the setting out of tobacco plants, the acreage of tobacco has been reduced 23 per cent from last year. The shortage of acreage and low condition of the crop at present indicate a total production 63.3 per cent of last year's crop. Wheat notwithstanding the drought will be well up to the average.

NOTICE

The Public Sale at Banes Dry Goods is continued for 10 days longer. This is done in order to give a chance to the country people and others that didn't have a chance to attend the sale. This sale will positively last only 10 more days so you better come at once and secure the bargains don't say after the sale is over that you are sorry you didn't come while the sale was on. Come and get your bargains and be pleased.

We name a few prices below to give you an idea how cheap you can get goods at our public sale.

Ladies full bleached sheeveless vests tape in the neck and sleeves 15 c. kind at 7c. Ladies and Gents hose 15 and 20c. grade 7c. per pair. Ladies musline drop skirts trimmed in lace and insertion \$1.00 value 46c. Best machine thread 3 1-2 c. per spool sewing silk 50 yd spools 3 1-2 c. Woolen goods for skirt and taylor made suits for less than 1-2 price. Ladies velvet pumps \$3.50 kind at \$1.38 per pair as long as they last, other slippers also going at half price. Mens clothing \$10.00 and \$15.00 kind going at \$4.67 a suit. Mens slippers vici kid, gun medal and patent leather \$3.50 quality Public Sale price \$1.63 per pair. Summer under shirts for men and boys 15 c. each. A good many other bargains all through our departments it will pay you to come and see the bargains we have for you.

Banes Dry Goods Co., Store,
 Burlington, North Carolina.

To secure bargains you must come quick as this Public Sale will positively not last longer than 10 days.

LOOK! LOOK!

GO TO
 THE CITY BARBER SHOP

This week and see who the lucky man is. With each job of work done we will allow you to vote your name in the LUCKY BOX and on Monday of each week there will be 3 prize winners drawn out as follows:

- 1 st. prize, All your Barber Work done free of all cost for the coming week.
- 2 nd. prize, A first class Hair Cut and a good application of the famous Rose Wood Hair Tonic.
- 3 rd. prize, A good Shave and a first class Shoe Shine.

LADIES: We will not leave you out, to the lady who guesses nearest the number of votes cast in the Lucky Box each week, will receive a \$1.00 bottle of the famous TO-BAC-TON Hair tonic for all ailments of the scalp. Let every one get busy and see who the Lucky Ones will be. Send your guesses in by Saturday of each week.

Respectfully
 C. V. Heritage.

HALF PRICE SALE of
 MILLINERY

Big Saving for the Economical

We are closing our season and want to clean out all spring goods. We have been doing a nice steady business and have made a small legitimate profit on every sale. We are now willing to make a sacrifice in order to effect a quick clearance.

Every woman in this section of the county is familiar with our stock. Goods in good shape.

Included in this sale is every trimmed hat. All flowers and most of the shapes at just one-half price.

Bargains too big and good for any economical woman to miss.

Morrow Bason & Green Inc.
 Burlington, N. C.



Queen Quality SHOE

EVERY woman who is well posted buys only trade-marked goods. She takes no risks, for the reputation of a successful product is too valuable to allow any deterioration.

Thousands of women buy "Queen Quality" shoes simply because years of experience has taught them that any shoe stamped "Queen Quality" is sure to be absolutely good.

Foster Shoe Co.
 Burlington, N. C.

CLOSING SALE!

A Good Opportunity to Buy
 GOOD GOODS
 CHEAP

I am going out of the Clothing and Furnishing business and will sell my entire

Stock at and Below Cost!

Come and see me and come quick, before the best are gone.

A. M. HADLEY
 GRAHAM, N. C.

WE HAVE.

Just received a case of Baby Socks worth 15c. for 10c. a pair. Also a full line of hosiery at same price.

New Cloth bound Books 10 cents each. New Laces, Vales, Torchon and Clumsy Special, Ladies Lile thread silk finish Hose worth 25c. form 2 1-2 to 10 c. per yard for 15c. a pair. Window New Ribbons. A full line of Ladies and Mens Neck Shades 20c. each. Fresh wear, Fans and etc. Candies every week 10 and 20 cents a pound.

Every thing we carry is a special. We do not hold our Goods at a big profit we try to sell every thing at a popular price "Our Motto" Small Profit and Quick Sales. We are.

Yours with the Goods,
Wilson & Buchanan's
 5, 10 and 25 cent store.
 Burlington, N. C.

An ad in The State Dispatch will pay. Try one and see.

of the United States is only a bit per cent a year, in other directions. That is the rate. That is the rate in the business of the people, the use of local and individuals and the use of the public service. The fact, the receipts and disbursements by the government in the fiscal year with the last year is really remarkable. It is in the direction of the cost of the United States as a whole about \$3,000,000,000 and this has been an increase of \$1,000,000,000 in receipts. It is doubly hard to get more money to have been a treasure the first time in financial condition all that could be had. Now it is whether the good to be followed up on and still work in lessening business and burdens of the people who keep...

Public Health Dept. of W. C. T. U.
Edited by
MRS. R. L. BOYD, Supt.

The word typhoid means a stupor-like fever. The disease was clearly separated from typhus fever, a disease which resembles it somewhat, in the forties of the last century. This latter disease, typhus fever, is now almost extinct. The cause of typhoid fever is a small germ called the typhoid germ. This germ was discovered by Eberth in 1880.

Typhoid fever is one of the most widespread of the infectious diseases. It occurs in the tropics and in far northern and southern latitudes, at sea-level and in the mountains, in the city and in the country, and practically wherever man may go and local conditions do not prevent the dissemination of the disease. A temperature of 80 to 95 degrees does, by increasing germ growth and more particularly by bringing flies increase the number of cases of typhoid. With the summer come flies and typhoid. Dr. Osler's saying, "Typhoid fever is the best index to the sanitary intelligence of a community," is axiomatic with sanitarians. We lose 35,000 lives every year in the United States from typhoid fever; in addition we have 350,000 others sick on an average of six weeks apiece. Certainly the typhoid problem is a grave concern for our country to grapple with.

But what does it mean, not to the country, State or community, but to you, just YOU? We speak now to the man whose bonds of sympathy with the general mass of humanity are so few, so short, and so attenuated that he is content for himself and family only; his public spirit finds its fullest expression in his unuttered prayer:

"God bless me and my wife, My son John and his wife, — Us four and no more."

And what is the least you can do in the fight? "Knowledge is power," is the power that puts to flight this unseen foe, the typhoid germ, which in six years kills more people than were killed on both sides during the four years of civil war; and which causes the loss of \$350,000,000 to the United States every year.

Equip yourself for your part in this fight with the knowledge of how the disease picks off its victims, and how it may be prevented, and then, according to your circumstances use this knowledge. A germ, the BACILLUS TYPHOSUS, causes every case of typhoid; and without it no case would ever occur. There are a number of epidemics clearly traceable to milk, sometimes to water. Remember, that when the fly leaves the places of filth to enter the kitchen or dining room to light on your food he does not wipe his feet. Remember again, that in the open privy—the chief loafing place of the fly between meals—the germs of typhoid fever and other intestinal diseases are deposited.

Typhoid fever is a preventable disease. For every case of this disease, for every death from this disease, some one is responsible. — (State Board of Health.)

Paint Lick Sick Lady
Paint Lick, Ky.—Mrs. Mary Freeman, of this place, says: "Before I commenced to take Cardui, I suffered so much from womanly trouble, I was so weak that I was down on my back nearly all the time. Cardui has done me more good than any medicine I ever took in my life. You need not be afraid to take Cardui. It is no new experiment. Composed of gentle-acting, herb ingredients, it has been found to safely relieve headache, backache and similar female troubles. Try it for your troubles."

The Dominant Note.
Philadelphia Record.
"The late John G. Carlisle," said a member of the club, "was very fond of music, and it annoyed him inexpressibly at the opera to see the inattention of the fashionable part of the audience."
"One night I found him snoring here and asked him where he'd been."
"I've been to the opera," he replied.
"What did you hear," said I.
"I heard," said Mr. Carlisle, "that the Van Vans are going to get a divorce, young Knickerbocker-Smith has married a London barmaid and Mrs. J. W. Hard up is gradually pawning her jewelry."

Stopped Those Pains.
Timberville, Miss.—Miss Gertrude Gutlin of Timberville writes: "I did not know anything could stop those womanly pains, from which I suffered for two years, until I tried Cardui. I had been troubled with various female ailments, but they were cured in a little while, thanks to Cardui." Cardui is especially adapted for use by ailing women. It relieves headache, backache, dragging feeling, irregularity, nervousness, misery and womanly weakness. It is safe. It is reliable. It does the work. Will you try it? Please do.

Terrible Picture of Suffering
Clinton, Ky.—Mrs. M. C. McElroy, in a letter from Clinton, writes: "For six years, I was a sufferer from female troubles. I could not eat, and could not stand on my feet, without suffering great pain. I had lost hope. After using Cardui a week, I began to improve. Now I feel better than in six years." Fifty years of success in actual practice, is positive proof, furnished by those who have used it, that Cardui can always be relied on for relieving female weakness and disease. Try Cardui, today, now!

Taft's Increasing Influence.
[Philadelphia Inquirer]
The demagogic style is the most immediately effective, but experience shows and observation attests that the impression which it creates is not enduring. Mr. Bryan spoke to immense crowds wherever he went and what he said was invariably applauded. Yet he was repudiated at the polls. Henry Clay and James Gillespie Blaine were among the most popular men and ablest orators of their day, yet they never attained the presidency, and it needed only a single reverse materially to impair, almost to destroy, the incomparable prestige of Theodore Roosevelt. But President Taft, with his consistent appeal to reason rather than sentiment, is growing in strength every day, and his public utterances command a constantly increasing tribute of influence, admiration and respect. His calm judicial, argumentative addresses not elicit the kind of response by which a different kind of oratory is customarily attended, but they satisfy and convince the consideration which they invite, and persuasively illuminate and elucidate the subject which they discuss.

He has spoken three times on his president trip, on currency reform, on international arbitration and on Canadian reciprocity, and no one with an open mind can have read his remarks on these several occasions without being impressed with their poise, their pertinence, their dignity and their force. The President is not an emotional speaker, but he is what is better, a lucid and logically convincing one, and there can be no question whatever that the qualities of leadership with which he is endowed are commanding among the American people an ever-swelling volume of appreciation.

Of Great Importance to the South.

Knoxville, Tenn., July 5.—The Southern Railway will make an attractive exhibit showing the agricultural, forest, and mineral resources and manufactured products of the Southeast at the Appalachian Exposition to be held at Knoxville, September 11 to October 1, 1911. This exhibit will contain handsome displays of cereals, cotton, tobacco, legumes, vegetables, and fruits and special attention will be given to forest products and manufactured specimens of woods. The exhibit will show in a comprehensive way the possibilities and advantages of the Southeastern states and should prove a powerful advertisement for the section as large numbers of visitors from points outside the Southeast are expected at the exposition.

At the same time the exhibit will serve the very useful purpose of calling the attention of the people of the South to the great opportunities which exist in their own country. This is a feature which the management of the Southern Railway considers of the highest importance as nothing can have a more powerful effect in discouraging emigration from the South to less favored sections than a thorough knowledge of the South and the many reasons which make this the best section of the country in which to live and prosper.

Split, Quit, Fit.
Hines, Ala.—In a letter from this place, Mrs. Eula Mae Bradley says: "I used to spit up all I ate. I was tired and sleepy all the time. My head ached, and I could hardly drag around. Since taking Cardui, this has entirely quit, and now I feel quite fit." Mrs. Bradley suffered from nervous indigestion. Cardui builds up the nervous system, and strengthens the womanly constitution. That's why Cardui helped Mrs. Bradley and why it will help you. Try it.

Progressive Counties Take Up the Fight.
The opening this week of three dispensaries and one hospital for the free examination and treatment for hookworm disease marks a new development in the campaign against hookworm disease. Even though 21,000 victims of the disease have already been treated it has been found that many sufferers who have the disease fail for one cause or another to seek treatment. As the expulsion of the worms and the cures which follow treatment afford the best means for dispelling such apathy, the need of temporary dispensaries for the free examination and treatment of the disease has been great. Having reached the limit of funds available for North Carolina, the Hookworm Commission of the State Board of Health laid the situation before the officials of several counties. Though a large number of the counties asked for the dispensaries offering to provide the financial aid, they begin in only four counties, as only four physicians to direct the county campaigns are available. The four counties securing the first dispensaries are Robeson, Sampson, Columbus, and Halifax.

It's not so hard to be reasonably sick if you don't have to be nursed by any of your relatives.

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Ellis Machine & Music Company.
Burlington, : : : North Carolina.

Campaign Against Hookworm Disease.

The North Carolina Campaign against hookworm disease is making steady progress. The number of cases of the disease reported as treated by physicians has grown during the past twelve months from 3,250 to 21,000; the number of doctors treating the disease from 183 to 597; and the number of people microscopically examined for it in the State Laboratory of Hygiene from 500 to 23,312. Seven thousand two hundred and seventy-six of the latter number were found to have hookworm infection, and 2543 showed others of the eight intestinal parasites. Though some of these were found quite frequently the hookworm infections were found three times as frequently as all the others combined. Thirty-one per cent. of the 23,312 examined showed hookworm infection. Of the number examined, 1,000 were State troops, 1,000 were orphans, 1,000 children in the State schools for the blind, deaf and dumb, and the reformatory. Nearly 1,000 insanes have been examined. The other 19,000 are largely made up of public school children taken at random.

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LAST CALL.

We have spent two weeks soliciting subscriptions for \$20,000.00 of the Guaranteed Stock of the Holt Engine Co. with a result of \$8,000.00 subscribed.

The people of Burlington want new industries, but want the other fellow to do the sowing, with the reaping left to them. The Merchants of Burlington who will receive the largest reward have taken eight shares. Very encouraging indeed to stay and continue the canvass.

Real property has depreciated 40 per cent in selling price. How do you expect Mr. Property owner to regain this loss unless you increase the demand by bringing in new citizens.

We will start with about 25 experienced machinists and increase the number with the increase of the demand for the products of the plant. If you will invest with absolute security and assist in reclaiming our town, by taking stock, call on us at once and get all the details.

This is the last song and dance. You can help yourself by keeping us. If this amount is not taken here the plant will be located elsewhere where gifts are freely tendered us.

Very Truly,
Holt Engine Company.,
2nd floor of the First National Bank Building.
Burlington, : : : N. C.

The North Carolina College of Agriculture and Mechanic Arts
The State's Industrial College
Four-year courses in Agriculture; in Civil, Electrical, and Mechanical Engineering; in Industrial Chemistry; in Cotton Manufacturing and Dyeing. Two years courses in Mechanic Arts and Textile Art. One-year course in Agriculture. These courses are both practical and scientific. Examinations for admission are held at all county seats on July 13. For Catalog address THE REGISTRAR, West Raleigh, N. C.

The Womans Shop
No. 107 Davis St. Burlington,
Everything Up-to-Date in women's wear and Haberdashery, Suits and Gowns.
Fabrics by the Piece or Yard, Hosiery, Slippers Shoes, Children's Outfits.
Before you buy see our Silk Drop Skirts, Voile and Panama Skirts and Kimonos.
Yours to Serve
E. L. BOLAND,
Burlington N. C.

Another Solid Car-Load of Furniture.

We have unloaded another solid Car-Load of furniture this week and now have the most complete stock ever shown in Graham.

We can give you almost any thing in the furniture or house furnishing line and will make you prices that will surprise you.

You dont have to wait until a special sale day to get bargains from us for we are giving bargains all the time.

Cash or easy payment plan.
Phone 251--L.
Green & McClure Furniture Co
Graham, N. C.

The Dispatch \$1 a year. Try it.

PROGRAM.

Women's and Farmers' Institute, Mebane, July 25; Elon College, July 26

MORNING SESSION OPENS AT 10 A. M.
 Soil Improvement - C. L. Newman
 Commercial Fertilizer - H. F. Parker
 Poultry on the Farm - W. S. Jeffries
 General Discussion

AFTERNOON
 The Farmer - Yesterday and To-day - C. F. Crowson
 Farm Management - T. B. Parker
 Special corps - C. L. Newman
 Opening of question boxes and general discussion.

WOMEN INSTITUTE.

MORNING SESSION OPENS AT 10 A. M.
 The Influence of the women on the homes - Mrs. Sue V. Hollowell
 Health hints on the principles of cooking - Miss Katherine Parker
 General Discussion.

AFTERNOON.
 The care of infants - Mrs. Sue V. Hollowell
 Bread making - Miss Katherine Parker
 The ladies will have a demonstration car.

FARMERS' INSTITUTES

FARMERS' INSTITUTES WILL BE HELD AT
Mebane, Tuesday, July 25th
Elon College, Wednesday, July 26th
Friendship H. School, Wed. Aug. 23

Women's Institutes

At the same places and dates will also be held Institutes for Women by Mrs. Sue V. Hollowell and others. The objects of these Institutes are to bring together the women from the farm homes, that they may become better acquainted and talk over among themselves subjects tending to the betterment of conditions in rural homes, such as better and more economical foods and better methods of preparing them, home sanitation, home fruit and vegetable gardening, farm dairying, poultry-raising, the beautifying of the home and home surroundings, etc. Let the wives and daughters come out to these meetings in large numbers.

Interesting Programs Have Been Prepared for These Meetings.

- A premium of \$1 will be given for the best loaf of bread baked and exhibited by a girl or woman living on the farm.
- A premium of \$1 will be given for the best five ears of pure-bred corn.
- A premium of \$1 will be given for the best pure-bred pig between 8 and 12 weeks old exhibited by a man or boy living on the farm.
- The Institute will be conducted by Prof. C. L. Newman, Professor of Agriculture, North Carolina College of Agriculture and Mechanic Arts, with competent assistants, who will discuss questions of interest to farmers.
- A question box will be opened in the afternoon, and a full discussion of the subjects presented will be given.
- All farmers and their wives, sons and daughters, and all others interested in farming and the betterment of the farm homes, are urged to attend these meetings and join in the discussions. Morning sessions will open at 10 o'clock afternoon sessions at 1:30. Bring a book and pencil to take notes.

The Boys are Especially Invited to Attend the Institutes.

These institutes are conducted under the direction of W. A. Graham, Commissioner of Agriculture and T. B. Parker, Director of Farmers' Institutes.
 The Farmers' Institute of Alamance County will offer premiums on the best yield of wheat on one acre, and the best average yield on an entire crop of not less than ten acres. Rules and conditions to be announced at the County institute. Awards to be announced at the 1912 institute. Contest open to those who attend our county institutes.

Chas. F. Cates, Ch'm,
 Alamance Co. Farmers' Inst. Com.
E. C. Turner,
 Sec. and Treas.

Read the Program and attend the Farmers' Institute.

RURAL CARRIER ITEMS

R. F. N. No. 7.

Fred Holt has accepted a position in High Point.
 Miss Lorena Garrett, of Graham is visiting at Esq. Lewis Harts.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter L. Cates of Burlington visited Mrs. Cates parents Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Rauhut Sunday.
 Mr. John Carden and little son of Greensboro spent Friday night on No. 7. John is one of our old acquaintances and we are glad to know he will move to his farm that he recently bought from W. L. Spoon Sr. and become a patron of No. 7 next spring.

D. M. Sharpe the handsome rural carrier on route No. 3 from Ashboro, and family are spending this week with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Wm. B. Sharpe on No. 7. We were glad to see Daniel and hope he will enjoy his outing very much.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Sharpe of Columbus Ga. also came in last week for a two weeks visit to his parents Mr. and Mrs. Wm. B. Sharpe. George has not been home in about two years and we know he and his people will enjoy the visit fine. We hope it won't "break loose" in Georgia while George is away.

The series of meetings will begin at Antioch on Saturday night July 29th, and continue over the 1st Sunday in August. The Rev. G. R. Mines and wife of Burlington will have charge of the services. Every body invited to attend.

In last weeks items we challenged the genuineness of a double cotton sent in by Mr. Andrew Beal of No. 4, and we desire to say that we were sincere, but mistaken in what we said. When we were in the cotton business each square had one bloom but it seems the plant has been improved to such an extent that it bears bloom and bolls in clusters now. We cheerfully give Mr. Beal the credit for producing the 1st cotton bloom in Alamance this year. Our only aim was to keep "history straight" and from the proof placed before us we can not do other wise and we desire to congratulate Mr. Beal and No. 4 for their timely assistance and tireless energy in producing the proof and aiding us to reach a correct decision in the matter. Some few disparaging adjectives and adverbs were bandied about during the controversy but we are sure no ill will will be entertained by any one and if No. 4 will deliver the bale at our house we will take our time and try to consume it as best we can. It may be a slow process but we guarantee that the bale will disappear sooner or later. Mr. Beale is an expatron of No 7 and he has 7 acres of extra fine cotton and we feel that he will make a success anywhere and are glad to claim him as our friend, even if he did beat Mr. Tinnin to it by about 12 hours.

R. F. N. No. 8.

Miss Danily, of Greensboro, is visiting at G. A. Danily's.
 Mrs. S. H. Reger, of Staunton, Va., is visiting her daughter, Mrs. S. W. Muler.

Misses Ida and Fay Simpson are visiting relatives in Greensboro and Danville, Va.
 Thanks to our good friends for nice vegetables this last week.
 Chas. F. Barnette is on the sick list this week. He has fever.
 No. 7 and No. 4 are not the only ones who raise cotton. Dan Thomas has a fine patch and had some blooms real early, but we were afraid to say anything about it for fear someone would say they were not cotton blooms, claiming them "Johnny Jump-ups" or "Holly hocks," but we had them all the same.

Ed. Hodge was cut on No. 8 picking berries last week. Must be dry times on No. 6.
 A lot of No. 8 folks went to Sartain's Mill the 4th, and report a fine time. We don't know about the fish, for we had no "invite" or fish either.

Mrs. Roger Ross is spending a week at G. A. Simpson's.
 We extend our sympathy to our friend, John N. Sutton, in the loss of his child. May the good Father comfort the saddened hearts, and may they realize that there is another tie to bind them to the line beyond.

R. W. McCulloch is at home for a month. We are glad to have our friend Will back with us.
 Mrs. W. N. Tate, of Tenn., is visiting her relatives on No. 8.
 Mrs. Elizabeth Somers is visiting her son, J. W. Somers.

Thanks to Mrs. J. R. Gates for our first and only mess of nice apples.

R. F. N. No. 2.

The old time wheat threshing has come back on No. 2, and the dinners that are a consequence came with them, to our delight.
 Wheat yields are very good. S. T. Roster threshed 776 bushels. What route will beat that crop? S. E. Story had more than 200, and other good yields are yet to come.

Good rains on No. 2 Tuesday P. M. are making things "Hump" Few sections have been so well blessed with rain as ours.
 L. H. Aldridge was a visitor in town Monday night.

Miss Georgia Garrison is again at her post with Misses Morrow, Eason and Green, after a few weeks vacation at home.
 Dr. C. M. Walters has gone to Baltimore on professional business, while Dr. J. C. Wilkins makes the bread pills for those in need of them.

Messrs. W. J. Graham, J. M. Show, S. T. Foster and W. J. Cantrell are out with their threshers and report crops fairly good.
 Misses Ruth Wicker and Mary Lee Garrison are visiting on No. 2.

Master Vincent Garrison who has been sick for several weeks is improving.

Snow Lamp Items.

Gurney Dixon, of New York City, is spending a few days with relatives and friends here.
 Gilbert and Finley, who left here several years ago and went to Texas, where they still reside, are now visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Malon Dixon.

Miss Izetta Stuart has just returned from a week's visit with relatives at Hawfields.
 Miss Rosa Williams, of Burlington, is spending a few days at her home here.

J. C. Wright and family, of Liberty, R. 3, visited at J. R. Stuarts last Sunday.
 Mrs. Alleen Moody has been right sick.
 Mr. J. H. Fogleman and wife attended preaching on the first Sunday.

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75 beautiful Trimmed Hats was sold up to \$7.00 will be cleaned out for \$1.50. 25 Small Street Hats was sold for \$3.00 will be cleaned out for 75c. 35 Street hats former sold for \$1.25 will be cleaned out for 48c. A big line of Childrens Hats will be cleaned out for 19c. Some Hats for everybodys use for Men Boys and Girls will be cleaned out for 9c. each.

MUSLINE UNDERWEAR

25 c. Corset covers will be cleaned out for 15 c. 39c. Corset covers will go for 23 c. 75 Corset covers will be cleaned out for 49 cents. 75 cent Nightgowns will be cleaned out for 39 cents. \$1.75 Nightgowns will be cleaned out for 95 cents. 75 cent Petticoats will go for 49 cents. \$1.75 Petticoats will be cleaned out for 98 cents. 125 Petticoats will go for 69 cents.

LADIES DRESSES

White Dress for Ladies made of fine quality lingerie all fancy trimmed in Embroidery and Lace positively worth \$5.00 will be cleaned out for \$1.90. 9 Ladies Linnen Tailored made Suits White and Blue only, value \$4.50 our clean sweep sale price \$1.00. A big line of skirts such as Panama, Voil and Serges in all colors will be sold at way down prices. A big and up to date line of Dry Goods such as fancy and white lawns india linnen silk or beautiful english repp goods will be cleaned out regardless the cost.

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Also a big reduction in our Mens Department we want to move them too. All Mens fine Straw Hats values up to \$2.00 our clean sweep sale price 98c. 42 Durby hats all samples worth up to \$3.00 our clean sweep price \$1.00. A big line of Men's topshirts will go for 35 cents. 10 Suits will go for \$3.75. 14 Suits will go for \$4.75 22 Suits will go for \$5.90. 47 Suits a surplus of a big Baltimore Manufacture there is not one suit in the lot that is worth less than \$12.00 our clean sweep sale price \$7.75. A big line of Mens ties value 35 and 50 cents will go for 17 c. Mens Ladies and Childrens Oxfords will be sold at cost prices.

We need the room worse than the Summer Stock then you take the advantage of all cut prices and come right here.

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