

## GRIMES REAL ESTATE CO.

We have received from the Grimes Real Estate Company, Washington N. C., their prospectus of "Eastern N. C., as a Home for the Farmer and Investor" descriptive of the section.

This Company is organized to do a general Real Estate and Insurance business. It is what has long been needed and will be an important factor in advertising the great advantages and assisting in developing this highly favored section.

The firm is composed of three brothers (all University men) sons of the late distinguished Maj. Gen. Bryan Grimes.

Col. J. Bryan Grimes, of Grimesland, senior member, is a practical business man, a large and successful farmer, a practical surveyor and a fine judge of land and property values. He is one of the most prominent of the younger men in North Carolina, well known and popular and could have had the democratic congressional nomination last fall if he would have had it.

William Demsie Grimes is a young man of ability, character and enterprise. He has recently commenced the practice of law in Washington and is rapidly advancing in his profession and has a bright future. He is public administrator of Beaufort county and enjoys the confidence and respect of all. He is the business manager of the new firm.

Junius Daniel Grimes is just graduating from the University of North Carolina, where he has taken a high stand, being especially strong in Mathematics and its branches. He is the junior member of the firm.

The firm is splendidly equipped for their work and in North Carolina their name is a sufficient guarantee of good faith and square business.

They are all Pitt county boys and we wish and predict for them great success.

*Greenville N.C.  
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The Gazette Messenger has just issued from its press the prospectus of the Grimes Real Estate Company of this city. The purpose of the company is to transact a general real estate and insurance business, and by extensive advertising bring the great possibilities of Eastern Carolina into notice. The members of the firm need no encomiums from us, they are all the sons of the late lamented Gen. Bryan Grimes, and of their fair dealings the public may be assured. Col. J. Bryan Grimes, the senior member of the firm is one of the largest and most successful farmers in this part of the State, was prominently spoken of as a candidate for Congress before the last campaign and his very name is the synonym of integrity and fair dealings. Mr. W. Demings Grimes who is another member of the firm and who has just located in Washington to practice his profession, is a young lawyer of promise and ability, and will have the immediate oversight of the business. Mr. J. D. Grimes who has just graduated at the University with high honors is still at the University taking a special course in surveying, and on the completion of his course will enter upon the active duties of the firm well equipped for his life work. Altogether the members of the Grimes Real Estate Agency are well equipped for their duties, and we predict their labors will make an epoch in the development of Eastern Carolina.

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*He will graduate in June next  
with the highest honors.*