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LARGEST CITY CIRCULATION.

**Index to New Advertisements.**  
W H & R S Tucker & Co.—The Excitement Continues.

### In and Around the City.

The peach crop not hurt much in this section.

The "Big 4" fishing party are having a jolly time.

Gov. Fowle will attend the 20th of May celebration at Charlotte.

Rev. Sam Jones is at Danville. His meeting commenced on Sunday last at that place.

Green apples will soon be large enough to make the small boy double up.

Rev Dr E A Yates will commence a protracted meeting in his church at Durham next week.

The contract for the Governor's Mansion has been made and will be completed by the first of August next.

Captain S. B. Alexander has sold his stock in the First National Bank of Charlotte and resigned as a director in said bank.

The railroad men are anxious to take part in the memorial exercises, on the 10th, and ask that it be postponed until Monday the 12th.

Mr A. L. Ferrell, the local editor of this paper was called out of the city today, this will be an excuse for all short comings in this issue.

Quite a large number of ladies and gentlemen attended the picnic at Maj Tucker's pond, given by the ladies of Ruth Lodge, I O O F, today.

It is said that when they go to lay off a street in Durham they turn a hog loose, and whichever way the hog goes they run the street. Is this so, Mr Sun?

Evangelist Fife is conducting a very interesting meeting at Gastonia, Gaston county. The attendance is said to be about three thousand persons at each of his meetings.

The Governors Guard last night had a good time at their festival. It will be continued the balance of the week, and everybody are invited to be present.

Charles E McCullers, Esq, of Panther Branch Township, says he has a field of corn which is very fine; his corn is now knee high to a man, the finest we have heard of. Who has any to equal it? Let us hear from you gentlemen.

Mr J C S Lumsden yesterday received from Mebane, N C, a contribution of \$5 for Sergeant Hamilton. This was a purse made up by some citizens of Mebane, and was forwarded by Messrs W H Lashley & Sons.

James T Moore, Esq, has opened a merchandise brokerage business office in the Dodd building, corner of Wilmington and Martin streets, over Jones & Powell's, where he will be pleased to have his friends and the public generally call on him.

Last Saturday night very late, after a big rush of business all day, one of Whiting Bros' popular clerks retired to his room over the establishment and soon was locked in deep slumber. All at once the air was filled with most piercing musical notes like the warblings of two canary birds vying with each other. Then the music would subside into the softest trills and trebles. The bi-kepalic amphibian came to the sleeper's mind and descending the stairs softly to the tank where sure enough in the dim gas light the double heads swayed above the water, their jetty eyes glinting like sapphires. What a bonanza for Whiting Bros! And the thought awakened the sleeper. It was a dream!

## The Oldest Man in North Carolina.

W. G. Allen, Esq, Superintendent of the Wake county poor house, says that the old man Isaac Crowley, an inmate of said institution, say he can remember when Crabtree creek out here near Raleigh, was nothing but a spring branch.

### Supreme Court.

The following cases disposed of today:

Rumborough vs Improvement Company, from Madison; argued by Geo A Shuford, for plaintiff; E C Smith, for defendant.

Wood vs Wheeler et al, from Transylvania; argued by Geo A Shuford, for defendant; no counsel for plaintiff.

Jones et als vs Commissioner of Person county; argued by Graham & Winston, W W Kitchin, J A Long and T C Brooks for plaintiff; W W Fuller, J W Graham, A C Denniston, Hon Jno W Daniels and W A Guthrie for defendant.

### Personal Mention.

From last accounts Mr. P. B. Cox continues to improve, but slowly.

Charlie McDonald, on Oakwood Avenue has a very sick child.

Jordan Womble, Sr, who has been very sick for several weeks, we are glad to say, continues to improve, he is now able to sit up for a short time, his many friends will be glad to see him upon the streets again, as he is one of the oldest and most respected citizens of the city.

Edgar A. Womble we are sorry to learn is quite sick.

M. F. King, Esq., arrived in the city yesterday and will remain for some weeks, the public will hear from him soon in regard to a business enterprise he has in hand.

Col W. R. Richardson is confined to his home with sickness.

Hon S. B. Alexander, of Mecklenburg is in the city.

Mr William Simpson left yesterday, for Washington to attend the Pharmacopoeial Convention.

Dr Jas McKee returned yesterday, from Kansas City, Mo.

Dr F. A. Bobbitt, who has been to Baltimore attending the Maryland College, is in the city, the guest of Mr G. O. Andrews.

Hon John W. Daniel, U. S. Senator from Virginia is in the city in attendance upon the Supreme Court. W. A. Guthrie, W. W. Fuller and J. A. Long from Durham; A. W. Graham and R. W. Winston from Oxford; W. W. Kitchin and T. C. Brooks from Hillsboro, and A. C. Denniston from Philadelphia is also in attendance on the Supreme Court, and appears as counsel in the case of Jones vs commissioners, which involves the constitutionality of the issuing of bonds by Holloway township of Person county, for the purpose of building the Lynchburg & Durham railroad. Jones represents the tax payers of said township, and this is a test case, while there is only \$6,000 represented in this case, yet, there are \$54,000 more bonds voted by other townships of Person county, the legality of which will depend upon the decision of the Supreme Court in this case.

### Fishing Excursion Heard From

SMITHFIELD, N C, May 5, 2:20 p m.  
DEAR SIR:—Let sail at 1:30 reached here at 2 o'clock; boat works like a charm; we make about 8 miles an hour; expect to get to Goldsboro tomorrow by 12 o'clock where we will look for you.

"BIG 4."

Neal got snake bitten, but a free use of the usual remedy brought him round all right in a short time. The trip is perfectly delightful.

Be careful what you eat at this season of the year.

## Postponement of the Memorial Day.

### Correspondence EVENING VISITOR.

As others are discussing the postponement of the memorial exercises, I think it only fair that the school boys should have a voice in the matter. I speak for them in favor of the delay so that they can have the holiday which is due them and of which they will be deprived if the services are held on Saturday.

Respectfully,  
SCHOOL BOY.

### His Trust in the Bible.

NEW YORK, May 4.—In his sermon today Rev Dr Talmage use these words.

"And yesterday my beloved friend, James B Beck, senator of the United States, dropped dead in the Washington depot, one of the most magnificent souls I ever knew. At times in eloquence Demosthenes, the foe of all wrong, the terror of all political corruption and the friend of God.

"How I enjoyed his hospitalities in Kentucky when he took me and showed me all the classic spots around beautiful Lexington, and talked of things pertaining to our beloved country. 'Oh my, Talmage,' he said, 'sometimes we public men get worldly and perhaps do not attend to our religious duties as we might, but still the Bible is true, and the only hope for this world is the Gospel of Jesus Christ. I was brought up under Henry Duncan, of Rothwell, Scotland, and felt the power of his ministry, and have felt it all the way through.'"

### The World's Big Bridges.

The Tay bridge is 10,620 feet long, and its greatest span is 245 feet.

The London bridge is 928 feet long, and its greatest span is 152 feet.

The London bridge is 1,700 feet long, and its greatest span is 110 feet.

The Niagara bridge is 808 feet long, and its greatest span is 808 feet.

The Forth bridge is 8,091 feet long, and its greatest span is 1,710 feet.

The Crumlin bridge is 1,800 feet long, and its greatest span is 150 feet.

The Britannia bridge is 1,511 feet long, and its greatest span is 460 feet.

The Brookline bridge is 5,862 feet long, and its greatest span is 1,600 feet.

The Susquehanna railway bridge is 3,500 feet long, and its greatest span is 250 feet.

The Brooklyn bridge is 3,475 feet long, and it has a clear span of 1,595 feet over the East river.

The Ohio river suspension bridge at Cincinnati is 2,220 feet long, and it has a clear span of 1,057 feet.

The length of the proposed Hudson river bridge will be over 5 1/2 miles. Total cost, \$40,000,000. Length of the greatest span, 2,350 feet.

The largest iron arch bridge is the Southwork bridge over the Thames. It consists of three arches 240 feet in span and with a rise of 24 feet.

The Victoria railway bridge over the St Lawrence, at Montreal, is two miles long, cost over \$5,000,000 and contains 3,000,000 cubic feet of masonry.

### Miss Winnie Davis.

It has been announced that the marriage of Miss Winnie Davis, daughter of ex-President Jefferson Davis of the Confederacy, and Mr Alfred Wilkinson, of Syracuse, will take place early in June, at the home of the Davis family, in Mississippi. Mr Wilkinson and a party of Syracuse friends will go to Mississippi in a private car. Mr Wilkinson will meet Miss Davis at New York on her return from Europe, whence she sails on May 20. Miss Davis has purchased her trousseau in Paris.

## SPECIAL NOTICES.

Big lot of eggs and fresh country butter at A. E. Jordan's today.

### Two Notable Bargains.

Printed India silks in the new department of bargains and undervalues commence at 41c per yard. They are worth fully 50c, and nothing we have offered for a long time has met with such success. In our regular stock printed India silks are again plentiful. The line begins as low as 50c for goods worth 75c anywhere.  
W. H. & R. S. Tucker & Co.

### Situation Wanted.

A youth wishes a situation as clerk in an office; can use the Typewriter; with good reference. Address "VISITOR." m5 f

Go to D S Waitt's for bargains in new spring clothing and gent's furnishing goods, the stock must be sold.  
J S WYNNE, Trustee.

### Notice to Teachers.

An examination of candidates to fill vacancies in the Raleigh Graded Schools will be held in the Murphy school on Wednesday, May 21, 1890, at 9 a m. By order of the committee.  
MAY 31 D S WAITT, Sec'y.

We are showing this week some 1500 imported light weight suits at only \$6.50, also a beautiful collection of French serges, camel's hair suitings, light colored henriettas, etc, at two third what they will cost you elsewhere. White cream and light blue cashmeres and albatrases at a saving of 10 to 25 cts on each yard; \$1.50 to \$3 saved on each suit. Noble stiff hats at only \$1, cost you elsewhere \$2.50 to \$3.50; straw hats at 50 cts on the dollar; shoes at less than wholesale prices. Everything else in proportion at  
NORRIS & CARTER'S

### Ladies Are Objects of Admiration,

and especially are they admired and loved if they are nicely dressed. Now then, all ladies are not rich, and a great many of them have a fine sense of economy. Yet they will all have stylish dress goods, and to know where to get them and save the most money, is welcome knowledge. It makes no difference whether the store from whence the dress goods comes is on the corner of Martin and Wilmington streets, or whether it is on Fayetteville street, the idea is to get the dress goods, not the store, nor the man who keeps the store, if you can save \$3 or \$4 by going to Swindell's for dress goods you will go; and if you can save \$3 or \$4 by not going to Swindell's you will not go. But unless you go to Swindell's and price their dress goods you will not know whether you can save \$3 or \$4. By going to Swindell's and passing through the store and not asking the price, nor looking at the dress goods, will not let you into the light of buying dress goods cheap at Swindell's. You will find at Swindell's all kinds of dress goods that are now worn, and to secure the trade we know we must sell dress goods much cheaper than any one else in Raleigh. Do not fail to see the dress goods at  
SWINDELL'S.

Rev. Sam Jones used the same figure of speech in connection with two subjects as given in the "State" yesterday. He said his ideal of a man was "John the Baptist, who jumped on a man and stamped the very feathers out of him." Then, in his Charlotte, N. C., sermon he pitched into the Philadelphia people for misleading him about the Mecklenburg declaration of independence, and said when he got back to that city he "would stamp the feathers out of these Philadelphia people." This is a new way of making the fur fly. Mr Jones had pitched into N. C. in connection with the Mecklenburg Centennial, and he had to apologize for hasty charges. This shows that a preacher should be sure of facts before he proceeds to stamp the feathers out of people.—Rich. State.

## Hardware, &c.

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THEY combine natural minerals with hard drying liquids.

THEY are finely ground and thoroughly mixed.

THEY cover well and dry hard in twelve hours.

THEY stand exposure to weather and the wear of washing, hence, are especially applicable for piazza and kitchen floors.

The following colors in stock: Light Red, Dark Yellow Stone, Light Yellow, Slate and Light Brown.

All kinds of PAINTS in small Cans. Stains of different colors, and Hard Oil Finish to varnish with.

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Raleigh, N. C.

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### White Goods.

We can promise our patrons some bargains in white goods this week that in point of good value have never been surpassed by us in our efforts to tempt the people of Raleigh by cheap goods.

French Lawns, Mulls, Persian Lawns, Dimity Piques, Thread Cambrics, Linen Lawns, Soft Finished Nainsook, Linon De'Inde, Plaids, Checks and Striped Muslin.

### Embroideries

In ladies Skirting Embroideries our collection embraces every kind and every price, from the very cheapest, say 25c yard, to the very handsomest. In misses and children's Flouncings we are fixed. We have a nice line of those delicate sweet patterns that in former years only the wealthy could buy. This season they have been reduced and we can suit the poor and rich alike.

Come and see them, you will be repaid.

129 and 131 Fayetteville St.

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Department.

A walk through this section of our house will be found interesting and profitable.

GINGHAM AND } Handsome styl-  
SEERSUCKERS } ish patterns at 5c  
per yard.

PRINTED } New and choice pat-  
INDIA } terns & beautiful print-  
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We cannot replace these silks when the lot is sold.

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BEIGE } stripes, for combination,  
SUITINGS } at 5c.

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CASHMERE } 36 inch wide, 20c to  
CASHMERE } 35c per yard.

Black Goods } In this department  
Black Goods } will be found also some  
Black Goods } of the most exception-  
Black Goods } al bargains in Black  
Black Goods } Dress Goods. All wool  
Black Goods } fabrics which we have  
Black Goods } secured at a very low  
Black Goods } price—under the mar-  
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