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TO THE PUBLIC.

The Raleigh Weekly Visitor.

The undersigned will, in addition to the DAILY EVENING VISITOR, issue the first number of a Weekly Thursday, March 5th.

THE RALEIGH WEEKLY VISITOR, like the Daily, will be independent in matters of politics and religious denominations. It will not hesitate, however, to assail the wrong wherever found, when there is a reasonable probability of correcting it.

In the publication of the WEEKLY VISITOR, as in the Daily, we shall seek to furnish a journal that will be acceptable in the home circle of the refined. The Weekly will advocate the interests of North Carolina, in whatever department of thought and action such interests may appear; whether in the school, on the farm, at the dairy, in the factory, or down in the mine.

The price, per annum, for a single copy, is 75 cents in advance. In clubs of five copies or more 50 cents per copy in advance. Advertising rates will be furnished on application.

Believing that by issuing the RALEIGH WEEKLY VISITOR as a non-partisan secular newspaper from the capital of the State, we fill a place that needs to be occupied; we respectfully solicit the patronage of a generous public.

T. C. WILLIAMS, Editor.

BROWN & WILLIAMS, Owners and Publishers.

NEWS NOTES ABOUT THE CITY.

What Our Reporters See and Hear Worth Giving to Our Readers—News in Brief.

Judge John W. Thompson's office is in the hands of the painters.

Don't fail to read the new ads in today's VISITOR.

Good bye to congress, today winds you up.

Raleigh Typographical Union No. 54 meets this afternoon at 6:5.

The sunshine today brought out the ladies in full force.

One marriage license was issued this morning by Register Mial.

The Legislature has settled right down to work. Bills are being hustled through at a rapid rate.

Judge Winston not having put in an appearance, there was no court today.

Sheriff N. McPhaul of Columbus county settled, with the State Treasurer this morning, paying in \$1,793 42.

Today is pension day in Judge Thompson's office. The Judge has signed numbers of them today.

The prize drill of the Governors Guard will come off tomorrow night at their armory. It will be an interesting sight; go up and see the boys.

Sheriff John A. Cook, of Guilford county, turned over four convicts to the penitentiary authorities yesterday.

Messrs. B. P. Williamson and L. O. Lougee have been appointed by the county commissioners a committee to advertise the funding of the old county bonds. Twenty five thousand dollars in new ones are to be issued at a lower rate of interest.

The wreck of an old delivery wagon has been lying on Wilmington street just north of the capitol for sometime, cumbering up the street and looking ugly generally; will somebody remove it? If the owner will not, the city should, at once.

Now that we are to have the great exposition, we hope the unsightly bridge over the railroad on Hillsboro street may be replaced by a neat iron structure. It is on the direct route to the exposition grounds, and will give strangers an unfavorable opinion of us. Tear it down, and put up a better one.

The drum and fife of Messrs. Yancey & Stronach's horse brigade created a great deal of amusement this morning. They had a number of mules, horses, cattle, &c. In fact, it looked as if the cattle show was on hand. Stokes Crump was chief marshal with ten assistants. They made a dandy turn out. Frank knows how to advertise. He uses printers ink.

The bill requiring the solicitors of the several districts to be voted for by the people of the entire State, passed the House of Representatives last night on its 2d reading.

Messrs. J. A. Spence & Bro. announce today in our columns that they are the agents at this place for the new, high arm, vertical feed Davis sewing machines. They have them in Hungarian, antique oak and ash woods. They will mail you circulars and price list on application. Read their ad.

The Wake County State Sunday School Association will meet in Raleigh, March 14th at 11 a. m. Every Sunday School of whatever denomination is earnestly requested to send delegates. Delegates to the State Sunday School Association which meets in Fayetteville, N. C., March 24th, 25th and 26th, and officers for the current year are to be elected. Ministers and Superintendents are requested to see that delegates are appointed from their schools. Place of meeting made known later.

I. O. O. F.

Regular meeting of Seaton Gales Lodge tomorrow night at 7:30 o'clock sharp. Work in the initiatory degree. Candidates required to be on hand promptly at that time. Members of the order fraternally invited.

The Odd Fellow.

Is a fresh new journal, published in Raleigh, for the entertainment of the fraternity (and whoever else may desire it), at the moderate price of one dollar per annum in advance. It is a neat attractive sheet, published by T. H. Collins & Co. We predict for it a liberal patronage.

Died.

In this city yesterday, at 12:40 p. m., at the residence of his brother in law, Mr. W. A. Taylor, Mr. B. B. Rogers, in the 30th year of his age. Mr. Rogers leaves a widowed mother, two brothers and two sisters and numerous relatives and friends. The funeral was held this afternoon at 4 o'clock from his late residence 109 Johnson street, and was conducted by Rev. J. W. Carter, of the First Baptist church.

After All.

Raleigh gets the new Deaf and Dumb Asylum over all opposition. The minority report recommended Raleigh and Raleigh got it by a vote of 75 to 29 on third reading in the House. The business men of Raleigh saw that they couldn't afford to lose this institution and they settled down to business. Result—we captured the prize. When you get the business men of Raleigh stirred up something is bound to move, and "Eli gets there after all."

The Hitch.

We have been frequently asked concerning the "hitch" or supposed "hitch" in the matter of the construction of the new street railway system. We must answer that we are unable to give any definite answer, other than the assurance confidently made that the line will surely be built and in operation at an early day. There are, we learn, good reasons for the temporary delay. There need be no fears. Raleigh is to surely have a first class system of electric railway.

The McGibeny Family.

The McGibeny Family, who are to appear here on the night of the 10th, will, no doubt, be one of the best musical concerts ever in Raleigh. The press of the country speak in glowing terms of them. They will play here for the benefit of St. John's hospital. This alone is enough to insure a crowded house. See what the Lexington (Ky.) Press says of them. "It was our pleasure to listen to this highly gifted family last night. Without fear of successful contradiction, we venture the assertion that they are the most remarkable musical geniuses, as a family, the world can produce. Their versatility is astonishing."

Best Agricultural Grasses for North Carolina.

The pamphlet on this subject, issued by the North Carolina Agricultural department is a valuable bulletin, and the department is doing it self much credit by furnishing valuable information on all such subjects. We have not had time to examine it closely but sufficient for us to call special attention to it as a valuable publication in its line.

Mayor's Court.

On yesterday afternoon Silas Burnett was before his honor Mayor Thompson for taking a box of cigars from Messrs. Giersch & Stonebank. Silas was sent to jail to await the next term of court.

This morning a hack driver was pulled for running his vehicle on the sidewalk. His excuse was that the mud was so deep he was afraid of breaking down. He paid for driving on the sidewalk at any rate.

Another party took one short too many and drove a poor old blind mule into a ditch six feet deep. When officer McCullers found him, mule, man and wagon were in confusion. Only imagine a blind mule, a man drunk on short whiskey and an old wagon in a ditch six feet deep. There being no light and a very dark place where this man trap is located, the mayor very kindly let the man off.

The morning docket was finished by breaking up a disorderly house and fining several parties for fighting.

Personal Mention.

Mrs. L. O. B. Branch, has returned to the city.

Mr. W. A. B. Branch and family are visiting the family of Armistead Jones, Esq.

Messrs. F. I. Osborne, W. U. Phifer and A. J. Brevard, of Charlotte, are in the city.

Hon. H. A. Gudger, of Asheville, is in the city.

Messrs. H. E. Whitaker, W. R. Wiggins, G. A. Foote and J. S. Battle, of Warrenton, are registered at the Yartoro.

Messrs. W. E. Best and Luby Harper, of Snow Hill, are in the city. Mr. F. W. Parker, of Clayton, is in the city.

Messrs. W. Y. Swain, of Henderson and G. W. Collins of Hillsboro, are at the Yartoro.

Messrs. J. W. Grainger, of Kinston, and Jno. R. Smith, of Goldsboro, are in the city.

We are pleased to see Col. R. M. Douglas, of Greensboro, in the city.

Maj. Jno. C. Winder, General Manager of the Seaboard Air Line System, left yesterday for the south on a tour of inspection.

Rev. S. A. Jones, of Salisbury, is in the city shaking hands with his old friends. He is here in attendance up on the Sunday School Convention.

Mrs. Isaac W. Rogers is quite sick at her residence 212 East Lenoir street.

Hon. David Schenck, of Greensboro, is in the city.

Rev. Thos. H. Pritchard, of Wilmington, is in the city.

Mr. J. N. Hubbard is confined to his home with sickness.

The Judge and the Lawyer.

The other day an attorney came in to Judge Cuffey's court guiding a very unsteady client. The room was a trifle small for him, but he managed to get into a chair somewhere. When the case was called the chippy attorney got up and said: "Your honor, I don't see the attorney on the opposite side present, but I'm on deck."

"Yes" said Judge Coffey, looking over to the client who had fallen off his chair, "and your client seems to be overboard."—San Francisco Chronicle.

Cabbage plants, tender headed lettuce, evergreens, magnolias, choice pansy and other flower seeds White and yellow potato onion sets and fresh garden seeds. Choice cut flowers, bouquets, baskets and floral designs. H. STEINMETZ, Raleigh, N. C.

Y. M. C. A.

An Organization Completed and the Good Work to Go On.

A meeting was held last night in the lecture room of the First Presbyterian Church for the purpose of forming a Young Men's Christian Association. Much interest was manifested in the matter and the association was organized by the selection of the following officers:

Rev. J. L. Foster—President
Wade Hampton—Vice-President.

R. L. Barkhead—Treasurer
W. S. Stallings—Secretary

Five churches were represented, and it was decided to hold meetings every Tuesday night commencing on that night of next week at the Christian Church. Among other things done was an invitation to the Rev. W. P. Fife, the evangelist to hold a meeting here the latter part of May, which it is thought will be accepted.

The VISITOR most earnestly hopes that this great Christian cause may be most successfully established in our midst, and that it will meet with the most hearty co operation of all our people.

Wet Hair in Winter.

Pittsburg Dispatch. "What a foolish habit some men have of putting water on the hair in this kind of weather," remarked one of the Duquesne barbers. "Why put water on the hair at all? It is done, to be sure, to make the hair lie down, but it is more of a habit than anything else. The hair can be brushed dry as well as wet.

"You see men go out of barber shops with the water running from behind their ears. In a few minutes it is changed into icicles. The next day they complain of earache, neuralgia, or pain in the back of the head. Do you wonder why? The cause is not deeply hidden. It is not water on the brain this time, but ice on the hair."

An Iron and Steel Plant to go South.

POTTSTOWN, March 2.—The iron and steel firm of Ellis & Lessig announced that they have favorably considered the offer of \$100,000 and forty acres of land made by the citizens of Salem, Va., if they would remove their plant there. They employ 700 men in their nail factory, puddle and plate mills, and say that as soon as the present stock is worked up and other matters arranged they will move their machinery to Salem. Facilities for manufacturing iron are cheaper in the South is their reason for removal.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

Everybody Knows

that far seeing merchants rather than to carry stock from one season to another, are willing to make serious sacrifices. We have certain dress goods in dark shades, a few, not many on which we will make slaughtering prices, quite impossible in ordinary condition of affairs. We cannot afford to hold them, so we turn them loose at a price within the reach of many who could not afford to pay regular prices for high class dress goods. Early spring goods are arriving every day and Easter Dresses may be selected with a great deal of taste from our imported stock from New York.

NORRIS' DRY GOODS STORE.

Seventy-five Dozen Wet Undershirts.

We have on hand a big lot of men's knit undershirts which are damaged by water; some are wet and some are not. These goods cannot stay in our store; hence we have placed a price on them which will move them all out today and tomorrow. Twenty cents is all you are required to pay for them—20 cents each.

D. T. SWINDELL.

A Novel Sentence.

Philadelphia Record.

A novel sentence has been pronounced by a Justice at Huntingdon, in this State. A wife had kissed "another man;" her husband had chastised her with corporal punishment, and Justice Kelly, supplying the third act in a drama unhappily played with too much frequency in all our courts, gave a verdict "that the wife retire to her usual place of abode and lock the doors so that no strangers can be admitted for a period of six days; that the husband for the same length of time board with his next door neighbor and sleep in the barn, and that each party pay half the costs and stand committed until the sentence is complied with." Of the efficacy of such an original judgment there cannot be much doubt, although a question might be raised on the constitutional ground of its being cruel and unusual punishment—at least for the next door neighbor.

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Virgoe, Middleton & Co.'s collars are the best in the world—\$2 per doz, \$1 for 6 50c for 3, and no less than three sold at these prices. When this lot is sold no more can be had at these prices.

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