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NEWS NOTES ABOUT THE CITY.

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

This is terrible weather on our farmers.

The steady falling rain kept people indoor today. Very few on the streets.

The State Y. M. C. A. Convention met in Durham today. The Raleigh delegation went up this morning.

The Board of Aldermen meet tonight. Several things of much importance to Raleigh will be disposed of.

The heavy rain of last night has put the streets into another sea of mud.

Judge Thompson today qualified Roy Pool as administrator of Willard J. Pool, deceased.

The Governor's Guard will have a street parade this afternoon at four o'clock. Lookout for the drum corps.

Sheriff J. R. Rodwell, of Warren county brought in two convicts today.

The "Progressive Benefit Order" will hold an important meeting tonight at the usual place.

It is stated that the Rex Hospital fund has now reached about \$26,000, and it is probable the building will be erected before long.

Have your lace curtains done up at the Oak City Steam Laundry in first class style. L. R. Wyatt's special horse and cow food going like hot cakes. A trial will convince you that it is the best on the market. mh19tf

Col. Fuller, Mr. G. Rosenthal and Col. A. B. Andrews who went up to Hillsboro to attend Orange Court in the matter of Turner vs. Rosenthal, returned to the city yesterday. Owing to the sickness of Judge Boykin, the case did not come up.

Mayor Thompson put a small fine on a colored boy this morning for firing a brick at officer Lewellen yesterday. The boy said he was throwing at another person. On the strength of this the mayor was very lenient.

An important meeting of the woman's auxiliary to the board of missions will be held tomorrow (Friday) evening immediately after the noon service in the chapel of Christ church. A full attendance is earnestly requested.

Mr. Riddick, one of the popular clerks in the Register of Deeds office, chased another rat this morning. Mr. rat finally concluded to take refuge up Mr. Riddick's pants leg. Then there was fun in that office for a short while. Mr. Riddick don't chase any more rats.

There is a lethargy in the matter of a new and first class hotel that is perfectly astonishing in view of the fact that we are to have a grand exposition next fall. Surely our people must be alive to the necessity of the scheme, and certainly no time should be lost. We want the hotel, and want it badly. In fact, it is an addition to the city that cannot be much longer delayed with impunity.

A certain young man from the city went robin hunting a few days ago. Some bad boys had been there before him, and finding a dead robbin they sat the little birdie on top of a post. This certain young man having very sharp eyes saw the little innocent birdie on the post, and getting down on his hands and knees he proceeded to crawl over the frozen ground.—When within range he blazed away both barrels, but to no effect. This certain young man had the skin scratched from his hands from crawling over the frozen ground. He clerks on Market square. Trace him up and look at his hands.

A chimney 125 feet in height is to be erected at New Haven, Conn., at a cost of \$7,000.

Havre has 20 cigar factories.

I. O. O. F.

Seaton Gales Lodge, No. 64, I. O. O. F., will meet tonight at 7:30 o'clock sharp.—The second degree will be conferred. Every candidate entitled to the same will be on hand promptly. Matters of great importance will be brought before the lodge which require the presence of every member. Every member is earnestly requested to be on hand.

Sheriffs Settled With the State Treasurer.

D. M. Johnston, of Pender county, paid in \$3,478.57.

Thos. Campen, of Pamlico county, paid in \$1,801.95

Appointments by the Governor.

J. Kemp Bartlett, of Baltimore, commissioner of deeds for North Carolina.

James N. Waters, of Craven county Notary Public.

O. D. Mann, of Nash county, Notary Public.

Buy Him a Hat.

It is a great pity that old man George Washington should have to stand out in all kinds of weather with no hat on. He has stood there and grinned at the sun for years and never complained. The warm summer sun is most here and something should be done; either put a hat on him or put him in the house.

Another Graded School.

The matter of another graded school in this township would seem to be a necessity. We hope the people of Raleigh will take the subject into early and favorable consideration. It is expected that the increased school fund will be sufficient for its maintenance. It is generally conceded that the site should be in the western part of the city.

The Direct Taxes.

Gov. Fowle has received a dispatch from Mr. F. H. Busbee, who is in Washington looking after the direct taxes, to the effect that North Carolina's application was the first that was made under the recent law. He says that the names of taxpayers will be furnished as soon as regulations can be formulated. It is not anticipated that any action will be taken this week.

Death of Mr. John Y. Phifer.

Intelligence was received here yesterday too late for our paper, announcing the death in Salem, Va., on Tuesday afternoon of the above named gentleman, caused from typhoid pneumonia.

Mr. Phifer was for some years a most efficient clerk in the establishment of Messrs W. H. & R. S. Tucker & Co., and had a host of friends here who will deeply regret his loss. He was a member of the First Presbyterian Church of this city, and also of Phalanx Lodge, No. 84, K. of P. He was in the 36th year of his age.

Personal Mention.

Chief of Police J. A. Woodall, of Durham, was in the city yesterday. Jake is as good looking as ever, and is one of the best officers to be found in the State.

Sheriff J. R. Rodwell, of Warren county is in the city.

Mr. W. T. Prior, of Fayetteville, is at the Yarboro.

M. McKay, Esq., of Littleton, is stopping at the Yarboro.

Mr. W. H. Howard, of Apex, is in the city.

Mr. W. M. Barnett and wife, of Kings Mountain are stopping at the Yarboro.

We regret to state that Mr. Phil. H. Andrews is sick with the grippe on North Blount street.

Mr. V. O. Willis, of Mount Airy, is in the city.

At the Yarboro: Geo. Home, Richmond; Will Lee, Detroit; W. T. McKay, Cheraw, S. C.; Chas. Murphy, Knoxville; Jas. Hays, Baltimore; P. M. Courtney, J. Shellon and J. S. Harper, Richmond.

Glad to see Mr. Lee S. Overman in the city.

Dr. J. B. Dunn continues very low.

Normal and Industrial School — If Raleigh Desires, it Our People Should be up and Doing.

Maj. S. M. Finger, President of the directors of the proposed Normal and Industrial School for girls as provided by the recent General Assembly has issued a circular asking for bids by the first of June next. The institution will have an annual State appropriation of \$10,000, and besides the directors are assured of liberal aid from the "Peabody fund." In the act special provision is made for any city or town to appropriate out of its public funds money for the purpose, or to hold an election for the purpose of voting sufficient means to furnish the buildings, etc. No place can secure the location without furnishing to the State the necessary buildings.

According to the provisions of the act it will be necessary for any community bidding for the school to make it appear that board can be had at moderate rates in good families and that a large number of girls can be accommodated. In addition to this the general fitness of a community must be set forth.

In view of the fact that Raleigh has lost the Deaf and Dumb Asylum, we most sincerely hope that our people will make most strenuous efforts to secure the School.

There is no place in North Carolina better suited for the purpose in every point of view. The location, surroundings, health, etc., are unsurpassed in North Carolina. Let us not delay the matter; it may be detrimental to our interests.

Funerals.

The funeral services of the late Mr. M. Grauman took place from the residence on Fayetteville street, this morning at 10 o'clock. There was a large crowd of relatives and friends present. The exercises were conducted, according to the ritual of the Hebrew persuasion, by Rabbi Dr. Mendelsohn, of Wilmington. The interment was made in the Hebrew burial grounds next to the Confederate cemetery. The following gentlemen acted as pall bearers: Messrs. T. B. Crowder, James Boylan, N. S. Moseley, M. Bowes G. Rosenthal and C. D. Christophers.

The funeral of Mr. Nat. J. Cheek was held yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock from the residence of the son of the deceased, Mr. E. S. Cheek, the funeral of whose little infant son, Cornelius S. Cheek, who died night before last, was held at the same time. Rev. Dr. J. H. Cordon officiated and the remains of both were interred in the old city cemetery.

The pall bearers who bore the remains of Mr. Cheek were Messrs. N. B. Broughton, B. F. Parks, J. N. McRary, W. W. Briggs, James Carroll and James Lewis.

The pall bearers who bore the casket of the infant were Messrs. C. G. Koonce, T. O. Fancett, O. Sadler and Benj. Young.

Nominate the Mayor at the Primary.

The suggestion made by "Democrat" in the VISITOR yesterday seems to meet the approval of all the people. We have not heard a dissenting expression yet, though we have asked for a free and full discussion. The holding of a mass meeting of democrats, which could indicate their will in the matter, it strikes us will be a relief to the Aldermen-elect. We do not think that there can be secured any uniform action in the matter, except through the matured plans of a caucus of the citizens. Is a caucus desired? Will you have one? Who will call it? Our columns are open.

The Chicago Republican City Convention Saturday nominated Hempstead Washburne, son of the late E. B. Washburne, Minister to France, for Mayor.

W. H. & R. S. Tucker & Co.

LADIES' SHIRTS AND COATS.—The new styles in ladies' linen shirts. The novelty is solid black, though we show them in plain white, white grounds with small dots or figures, puff bosoms, &c. Pretty to use with these are the light colors in the new spring coats. The coats this season are brought out in various shades of tans, greys and small checks.

W. H. & R. S. TUCKER & Co.

Special Drives

Are the order of the day, and we can now announce one of utmost importance to the public generally. Think of it: nice ladies' shoes of first class make only \$2; unlaundried shirts 50 and 75 cents; laundered \$1. These are first class bargains. Spring goods arriving in endless variety of all shades and latest styles. The ladies should make a rush for them, as no such tempting offers have been made in Raleigh for a long time. Separk has determined not to be outdone in the bargain line, as will readily be shown by a visit to his establishment. This is no idle boast; it is right down solid fact. For variety and style, Separk is unsurpassed.

W. G. SEPARK,
12 East Martin St.

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Special Announcement.

We take great pleasure in announcing that our spring stock is the largest and rarest assortment that it has ever been our pleasure to produce, and it far eclipses any of our former efforts, in style and beauty; and the most important feature about our large selection of spring goods, is—we have more big bargains to offer you this season than ever before. In ladies nice dress goods we have every variety and quality. We can give you the all wool and silk finish in plaids, stripes and solids; also a big lot of sateens, ginghams, challies, calicoes and lawns; in figured and solids, all pretty and new designs. We have a beautiful and large assortment of trimmings to match all dress goods. In regard to shoes, we will say that we have any style that you may want, and every pair is solid leather, and a real bargain; in this line we guarantee to suit you in quality and price. It will be to your interest to look at our new spring goods before buying if you want to save money.

SWINDELL'S.

Chalk Talk.

Under the auspices of the W. C. T. U. Mrs. Maud L. Green will give one of her entertaining chalk talks to the children of this community at Edenton Street S. S. Room, Friday evening, the 20th inst., at 8 o'clock.

Pictures drawn rapidly with different colored crayons in the presence of the children always to illustrate some truth worth remembering.

"Mrs. Green is specially gifted not only with the artists pencil, but in the delightful manner in which she tells the story that the crayon illustrates."

"One could hardly realize that there were hundreds of children present, so still was the large audience as they followed rapid strokes of the crayon, and then a quiet subdued laugh broke into a hearty one as the unexpected lesson was made clear. Many parents and friends enjoying the hour as intensely as did the children."

Children's admission fee 5 cents
Parents and friends wishing to enjoy the treat with the children, 15c.

Roanoke to Issue Bonds.

ROANOKE, Va., March 17.—The free holders today voted to bond the city for \$426,000—for public improvements \$300,000; streets and sewers, \$75,000; public schools, \$21,000; fire department and miscellaneous, \$30,000. The Norfolk and Western road will in addition spend \$400,000 to improve streets and property.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

Go to W. B. Mann & Co's., for new crop Cuba molasses by the quart or barrel. M. 18 4t.

Piano.

A fine rosewood Piano for sale at low figures. Apply at this office. Mar 7 1w

CABBAGE PLANTS AND GRAPE VINES For sale. Apply to March 14—Imp'd, GEORGE SHELLEM,

Norris' Dry Goods Store.

Now is the best time of the year to secure the greatest possible advantages in purchasing any kind of goods that pertain to winter. You can buy from us, with reasonable judgment, goods at your own prices thereby saving to yourself considerable money. Our selections for the spring trade surpass our former efforts. New goods are constantly arriving. "Novelties" in the leading fabrics are daily displayed. Shoes at popular prices is a prominent feature. The prices we fix on our goods arrest attention, creates an earnest, interested look, and makes for us a well satisfied customer. It is our purpose to sell on a small margin, and our reputation for such is already established. An early visit of inspection is solicited.

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The neatest, best Air Rifle made. A Magazine Rifle holding 65 shot.

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