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## NEWS NOTES ABOUT THE CITY.

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

**Spring weather.**  
Mass meeting tonight  
Good weather on fishermen  
Plenty of cotton in town today.  
Work is being pushed on the new depot.  
See change of ad of J. M. Broughton & Co.  
The gripe is loosing ground in these parts.  
The Messrs. Berwanger are putting up a new awning.  
What is the matter with the cattle show? Bring the cattle to the front  
The Mayor's court was rather a dull looking place this morning.  
Two good bed or office rooms for rent. See ad.

Col. W. J. Hicks has qualified as Executor of the late Mrs. Elizabeth I. Wilton.

The board of county Commissioners are in session today, appointing tax listers and assessors.

The North Carolina wagon company has one of the prettiest wagons ever seen on the streets.

Mr. E. V. Denton has bought out the liquor business of Mr. A. W. Fraps.

The dry goods and clothing men look happy; they are doing a rushing business.

The Raleigh Minstrels at Metropolitan Hall tomorrow night. Seats on sale at MacRae's drug store.

A few young ladies will give a masked ball at the capital ball room tonight.

A protracted meeting is in progress at the Baptist Tabernacle, conducted by Rev. Dr. J. J. Hall.

Much preparation is being made for the Fife meetings, which will commence next Sunday at Edenton Street Church.

The people of Durham are to be congratulated. The Pipe case has ended so far as their court is concerned.

Mr. J. Schwartz, the Fayetteville street butcher received twenty head fine beef cattle yesterday; they were beauties.

Mass meeting tonight at the court house; let all Raleigh turn out and hear the report of the committee appointed by last meeting.

We learn that seven hands employed in the laundry at the State Hospital, struck for an increase of pay this morning. New hands will be put in their places.

Rev. Mr. George, of New Berne has decided not to accept the call to the church of the Good Shepherd of this city. He has decided to remain in New Berne.

A very pleasant reception was given by Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Riggan last night complimentary to Miss Temple Betts. A number of ladies and gentlemen were present.

The railroads of the United States are doing the proper thing by making through rates from all points to Raleigh to the Exposition. There will be thousands of people here. Where will they be quartered?

The late Mr. Bennet Holland, of Holly Springs, this county, was buried yesterday afternoon at one o'clock from his late residence. Mr. Holland was one of the oldest citizens of the county being 91 years of age.

The subscribers to the Capital, the unexpired subscriptions of which are being filled by the EVENING VISITOR will please inform us whether they desire the paper continued after the expiration of their time. We will be glad to have the transfer of their patronage to the EVENING VISITOR

### Attention, Merchants

The VISITOR is the best advertising medium in Raleigh. It goes into nearly a thousand homes in this city. If you want to sell goods and make money, secure space in the columns of the VISITOR without delay, as it is going like hot cakes.

### Incurable Insane.

The unfortunate homicide that occurred at the county poor house last Sunday is calculated to produce serious doubts as to the propriety of turning over to the counties what are termed "incurable insane." It would seem that if a person is afflicted with insanity to an extent beyond cure, strict confinement would be the most proper treatment. To turn such a person loose or placed in a position to exercise violence, is to say the least very bad, or we might say dangerous policy. It is a matter for serious consideration.

### Music Committee.

At the meeting held at Edenton street M. E. Church last Sunday afternoon the following gentlemen were chosen to select a choir for the meetings to be held by Evangelist Fife: Presbyterian—W. S. Primrose. Central Methodist—G. P. Jones. Edenton Street Methodist—J. W. Cooper.

Christian Church—McColloughs. Baptist Tabernacle—N. B. Broughton.

First Baptist—W. S. Stallings. The members from the Episcopal church are to be supplied.

It was proposed that a platform be erected for the choir.

### Y. M. C. A. Meeting.

Tonight at 7:30 at the Bible Class Room of Edenton Street Church. All the pastors in the city are requested to meet with the Association tonight in order to complete the arrangements for the Union Services beginning next Sunday, conducted by Mr. Fife. A full attendance of the Association is desired; also members of the committee on music, and the committee of arrangements will do well to be present and have a thorough understanding of their work. The Association wishes a united effort in this work. We hope in a few days to begin Union Prayer meetings.

### Personal Mention.

Mr. C. G. Latta is improving. Mr. C. B. Root is quite sick. Mr. D. S. Waitt is much better. Dr. J. B. Dunn is improving very fast.

Mrs. M. B. Barbee is much better today.

Mr. H. G. Holding, of Coal Creek, Tenn., brother of our townsman, Mr. J. N. Holding, is in the city.

Mrs. Alvin Betts is very low. Her two sons will arrive in the city this afternoon.

The following are at the Yarbors: R. D. Apple, Richmond; E. Greene, Grand Rapids, Mich.; J. A. Adams, Baltimore; H. F. Finlayson, Goldsboro; E. W. Pott, Smithfield; O. L. Taylor, Baltimore; J. F. Wilkes, Charlotte; A. W. Smith, Baltimore; Mrs. Alex Wadsworth, Elizabeth City; H. H. Lines, Durham; Mrs. C. L. Kingsbury, Boston; Mrs. E. Jones, Spencer, Mass.; E. S. Habel, New York; Lindsay Davis, Cincinnati; F. K. Curtis, New York; Mike Bradshaw, Ashboro, N. C.; J. L. C. Bird, Marion, N. C.; H. C. Brown, Mount Airy.

Governor Fowle has appointed Capt. John B. Burwell director of the North Carolina Hospital at Raleigh to succeed Capt. Octavius Coke, who resigned to become Secretary of State.

Mr. W. S. Uzzle received today two new sewing machine wagons. They will be put on the road loaded with the famous New Home Sewing Machines.

Sixteen pounds of standard fine granulated sugar for \$1 at D. T. JOHNSON'S.

### Manteo Lodge, No. 8, I. O. O. F.

Will meet in regular session tonight at 7:30 o'clock; will confer the first degree. Candidates for this degree will please be present at 7:45 o'clock. The election of representative to the Grand Lodge will take place as well as other important business. A full attendance is earnestly desired.

GEO. L. TONNOFFSKI, Rec.

P. T. Barnum III.

BRIDGEPORT, CONN., April 6—It is stated that P. T. Barnum the veteran showman who has been ill for several days, has suffered a relapse. It is feared he can't live but a little longer.

### The Gripe in Pittsburg.

In Pittsburg it is stated that one fourth of the population were sick with the Gripe last week, and in that city the death rate was more than double a normal health condition, the latter being about one hundred deaths for a week, while the number of deaths were 213 last week. The Pittsburg Leader made canvass and estimates that the number suffering this terrible scourge was 75,000 in Pittsburg and 35,000 in Alleghany which is about one fourth of the entire population.

### A Fine Point.

The late Charles Spencer was pretty quick witted at times in seeing a point for a client. On one occasion in a trial for burglary he cross examined the policeman who had been stationed inside of the house to watch in anticipation of a burglary, and the policeman admitted that when he heard the burglar fumbling with the lock he quietly adjusted the door so that it could easily open. Quick as a flash Spencer shouted, "Why, your honor, the policeman is the real burglar, for he opened the door." The result was that the prisoner was convicted only of an attempt at burglary.—San Francisco Argonaut.

### A Plant That Never Goes to Seed.

A peculiarity of the sisal plant is that it seldom or never sets a seed. The flowers fall, carrying the ovary with them; then on the ends of the branches young plants develop, so that the pole presents a rather odd appearance, with the plants growing out in the places usually occupied by the flowers. When these young plants have attained a height of from three to four inches they fall to the ground and take root. The old plants also reproduce themselves by means of suckers, and hence, when old and neglected, are often seen surrounded by numerous smaller ones, as in the common house leak (sempervivum).—John I. Northrop, in Popular Science Monthly.

Cut-plug smoking tobacco at D. T. JOHNSON'S

Choice lot of Florida oranges at BARBEE & POPE'S.

Does your machine need repairs? Send to UZZLE'S, 12 E. Hargett.

Best base ball bats in town for the money. BARBEE & POPE.

Fresh fish daily at 5 p. m. Order of D. T. JOHNSON, phone 28.

They are delicious—our capital chocolate drops. BARBEE & POPE.

"New Home" the lightest running machine. Fry it. W. S. UZZLE, 12 E. Hargett street.

New crop Cuba molasses 40 cents per gallon at D. T. JOHNSON'S.

The "New Home" is not a shingle or a thrashing machine, but a genuine ladies sewing machine. W. S. UZZLE, 12 E. Hargett.

### SPECIAL NOTICES.

#### Wanted.

A 4 room house in northern or western part of the city not to exceed \$10. Apply to 224 Fayetteville street. a7 4t

It will pay to examine the baby carriages at Hughes' before you buy.

#### For Rent.

Two good offices or bed rooms on Fayetteville street. Address "W." care of VISITOR. a7 1f

#### Strayed

Setter dog, brown and white, brown spots on legs. Please return to N. W. West. a7 2t

A beautiful line of meerschaum and French briar pipes at a7 5t KING & MCGEE'S.

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. mh19 1f

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

GENTLEMEN—For a new hat, see the fashionable shapes we have—we have Dunlaps, but if you would like something at a little less price, then we can suit you; all you will have to do is come and let us show you. Our scarfs for gents at 25 and 50 cents are beauties, the nicest for the price to be had, and the greatest variety.

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

### Norris' Dry Goods Store.

Our spring style dress goods are handsome and effective, unique in design and elaborate in patterns; true novelties pleasing to the fancy and indulgent as to prices. Handsomest suits at very, very moderate quotations. Our solid colors for variety are unexcelled, quiet shades and subdued tones in greatest abundance. Our print gingham and domestic department literally team with bargains. Our white goods, flouncings and embroideries are conspicuous for their excellent values. Black goods with us is a specialty, and our prices vie with the largest concerns in this country. For shoes of any kind, we claim to be able to supply your wants at more satisfactory rates than can be had elsewhere.

NORRIS' DRY GOODS STORE.

### Luck is a Fool, Pluck a Hero.

Thus sayeth the preacher, and according to our standard there was never a truer saying. The fellow who sits down to wait for luck will likely live in poverty, but the fellow who rolls up his sleeves and is chuck full of pluck, makes his own luck, and in all probabilities will not live in poverty. The same rules hold good in all things in life. Be a man, make your own decisions, be not dumb driven cattle. When you are going to spend your money look for the best place, find the store that will give you the most value for a dollar. Don't sound the old insane wheeze—"that I will continue in the same old way, will trade where I have always been trading." Try Swindell once for a suit of clothes, or a dress pattern, or a nice trimmed hat, or a pair of shoes. On all of these things Swindell claims to be able to save you money; and for a carpet be sure and go to Swindell's. From five to ten dollars can be saved on a carpet at SWINDELL'S.

### Spring Novelties.

The greatest variety of spring goods in all the newest designs is just what purchasers desire to see, especially the ladies. In the establishment of Mr. W. G. Separk, can be seen such a stock as has rarely been seen in our city. In the bargain line, Separk cannot, and will not be undersold. He assures the ladies that a visit to his emporium will reveal such an opportunity for bargains as has never been seen in this city. He makes no idle boast, but simply asks that people can decide for themselves by calling. Ladies nice shoes of first class make only \$2; unlaundried shirts 50¢ and 75 cents; laundried \$1. Call and examine for yourselves at W. G. SEPAK'S, 12 East Martin St.

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### Hardware, &c.

## SOLID STEEL!!

Nickel Plated, will not rust,

## Keen Cutters,

Best make,

## Scissors and Shears.

See that the stamp,

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SOLD ONLY BY US.

Sent by Mail or Express.

THOMAS H. BRIGGS & SONS,

RALEIGH, N. C.

## Easy

## Chairs.

New, fresh, clean stock, just arrived. Prices beat "M" all.

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WINDOW SHADES,

## Picture Frames.

## Fred. A. Watson's

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## ART STORE,

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### Dry Goods, Notions, &c.

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

## One-Week - Ago

We began telling our patrons what nice Dress Goods we had from 10c to 25c. Now we will mention some a little better, and if you wish to see these and a great many other lovely things besides, just call and we will take great pleasure in showing them all.

30c | Our line Wool Henriettas, 36 inches wide, in the spring shades. 40c.

40c | Henriettas, full 36 inches wide, in all the new spring colorings. This is a lovely material at this price. 50c.

50c | Cheviot Mixtures, 36 inches wide. See these goods and compare with some at \$1 a yard, and you will likely take those at 50c. 50c.

50c | Imported Serges and Henriettas, 40 inches wide, in all the popular colors. 50c.

50c | A line of Dress Plaids, 44 inches wide, lovely patterns. 65c.

65c | Fancy Serges, in blue, fawn, tan and grey effects. We could get 75c for this line of goods, but we wish to give something unusually nice for the price, so only ask 65c.

If you wish a new dress of any kind, come and see what we can show. No matter how cheap you wish one. We can suit you.

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

123 and 125 Fayetteville St.