

## NEWS NOTES ABOUT THE CITY.

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

Cool weather for the time of year. Rev. Charles J. Tucker, father of Mrs. Wayne Allcott, died at his home in Norwich, N. Y. yesterday morning.

The recent sale of real estate near Raleigh is but the beginning of a big boom that is certain to come to Raleigh, in the near future.

Let everybody who can, help out the Soldiers Home. There is no better cause to which a helping hand could be extended.

A sale of tobacco took place at Jones' warehouse yesterday. Some of the plant was raised in South Carolina.

See notice of the executors of Samuel Utley, deceased, by Messrs. F. A. Whitaker and T. A. Council, to be found in this issue.

We most sincerely hope that the commissioners of the different counties will not overlook the matter of preparing for the Inter State Exposition. It is an important matter and one that should most earnestly commend itself to the consideration of all our people.

Mr. M. A. Murray, Wilmington, Del. writes: "I had one of my severe headaches and was persuaded to try your valuable (Bradyrotine) medicine. I never had anything to do me so much good." jys 6t.

We are pleased to learn that there is a considerable improvement in the condition of Grand Sire Busbee today. This will be good news to thousands in North Carolina and through out the country generally.

The management of the matter of the direct taxes by Governor Holt, Treasurer Bain, and P. H. Andrews has been excellent. The maxim "be sure you are right, and then go ahead" has been strictly adhered to.

All honor to Mr. F. H. Busbee for the faithful manner in which he has represented the State in the matter of obtaining the \$26,000 difference in the direct taxes. He found the error and kept on the trail until he had it adjusted.

Although the Virginia authorities were promptly notified of the arrest of Mr. Clarence Busbee, no official has yet arrived to take him in charge. This is something like an unreasonable delay and we believe that if no officer should arrive here to day, the Chief of Police will be justified in releasing him. We believe he will do so.

**15 Cents a Yard. This is Astonishing.**

Our whole stock of 25 and 35 cent zephyr gingham and wool challies. A beautiful bargain. McGee & Moseley.

### Personal Mention.

Mr. W. A. Lancaster, who has been quite sick, is out again.

Col. and Mrs. A. B. Andrews, accompanied by Miss Janie Andrews and Miss Inder Tucker, have gone to Cleveland Springs.

### An Enjoyable Time.

The excursion to Littleton yesterday, by the Relief Society of the Raleigh and Gaston railroad, was a most enjoyable and a most successful occasion. We learn that a tremendous crowd was in attendance, all of whom had a splendid time. Nothing happened to mar the occasion in the least. The excursionists returned to the city last night at 9:30.

### 15 Cents a Yard.

Entire stock of zephyr, gingham and several wool challies; they were 25 and 30 cents heretofore, but we must unload. McGee & Moseley.

The Penn Hardware Works strike at Reading is off.

## NOW, FOR THE MONEY.

### GOVERNOR HOLT DECIDES TO COMMENCE THE PAYMENT OF DIRECT TAX CLAIMS.

Mr. F. H. Busbee, the Attorney for the State in the collection of the direct taxes, has just returned from Washington, and is receiving many congratulations upon his success in securing the payment of the balance due the State, of over \$26,000. The error was discovered by him upon an examination of the record, and he has been pressing the claim vigorously ever since.

Today Governor Holt received the following telegram from Senator Ransom:

"I have, this moment, seen the Secretary of the Treasury and the Comptroller. The order has been made to pay the money."

On the receipt of the above, Governor Holt decided to commence payment of claims AT ONCE.

### Merchants Purchase Tax.

The time in which the law requires this tax to be given in expires today, and still there are many business men who have failed to list. It is presumable, of course, that this is the result of oversight, but still it should not be so. The law is plain and imperative and should be strictly adhered to. The fact that there is, or will be, a suit to test its constitutionality does not excuse or mend the matter. A law should be obeyed as long as it is on the statute books, or declared unconstitutional. We hope the merchants of Raleigh and Wake county, will look into the matter in a proper light. In order to be as accommodating as the circumstances will admit, the Register of Deeds will keep the list open a few days longer. Let all, who are required to do so, attend to the matter. It is an important duty.

### Tariff League.

The following gentlemen have been elected by the Protective Tariff League, of this city, as delegates and alternates to the State Convention in Asheville, July 22, 1891:

DELEGATES.	ALTERNATES.
M Bowes,	W. G. Martin,
Ohas A Cook,	J C Brewster,
A C Lehman,	Dr R B Ellis,
T R Purnell,	John Porter,
T P Devereux,	J R Rodgers,
Joshua B Hill,	W H Martin,
A W Shaffer,	W W Wyne,
C H Beine,	T Keuster,
M W Woodward,	J O L Harris,
F M Sorrel,	J D Newsom.

### Railroad Meeting.

The annual meeting of the North Carolina Railroad was held in Greensboro, yesterday. There were 6,924 shares of stock represented. President Kornegay's report shows the company's liabilities to be \$137,869, which includes \$120,000 semi-annual dividend due next September. To meet this there is cash on hand \$12,354.79 and \$130,000 due July 1st, for lease of road, which after paying all liabilities will leave a balance in the treasury of \$4,485.69.

The State reappointed the same directors: A. Burwell, J. L. Morehead, of Charlotte, Theo. F. Klutz of Salisbury, R. W. Thomas of Thomasville, M. A. Angier, of Durham, R. F. Heke and W. H. Pace of Raleigh, Donald McRae of Wilmington.

The stockholders elected the following directors: W. F. Kornegay of Greensboro, H. W. Fries of Salem, B. Cameron of Stagville, James H. Holt of Burlington. W. F. Kornegay was elected President and Maj. P. B. Ruffin Secretary and Treasurer. The next meeting will be held on the 2nd, Thursday in July 1892.

The will of the late Robert Sloan, of Gwynedd, bequeaths \$4,000 to charities.

### The Big Sale.

The sale of real estate at Idlewild was continued yesterday afternoon. There were about a dozen lots offered and sold, ranging from \$450 down. The total sales amounted to \$2,675, which makes the total for the two days \$26,000.

The following were the purchasers and amounts paid:

C. G. Latta, \$450; A. M. Powell, 295; J. N. Holding, 250, 270; Frank Stronach, 140; C. G. Latta, 135; Earnest Haywood, 220; W. W. Wynn, 160; George F. Kennedy, 200; C. G. Latta, 155, Woodall and Procter, 200; F. B. Wilkinson, 200.

### To be Distributed.

We are completely overstocked with white goods of all kinds, and we are determined to distribute this line of goods among our customers at prices that will please you. One lot of white stripe satine and plain white, which was 20c. per yard, and now you can buy any of this at 10c. We mean business. Then we have other lots, embracing most every style, and we mark them down so you will buy them if you see them. We are determined to move as little of our present stock as possible to our new store. Now there is no danger of your misfortune by availing yourself of Swindell's closing out sale. We will move August 10, and will be happy to see you there at 206 Fayetteville street.

Truly yours,  
D. T. SWINDELL.

Say, sir! Dat is good. Where did you gets 'em from? What you mean? Dese Sunday perambulators? Dat is what I said. Dey come from Norris' dry goods store. Dey tell me dey is selling out de stuff mighty cheap ober dere. Well, all ob 'em claims to do dat, but let me gib you a pinter right here. Dem folks means business. I tells my friends to buy whar dey pleases dat concerns em best, but on dis pair of shoes I saved de great American coin—de big Silver Dollar—hab already made de 'gagements to walk wid my best girl to de baptizing on Sunday; and wid dis Dollar I purposes to set her up to a lorious water million. Arter dat performance, to stand around de soda fountain de balance of de day.

**Big White Quilt Sale Monday.** No reserve! No limit! All must go at cheap prices. McGee & Moseley.

While descending a hill at Chambersburg the harness broke and Sheriff Gerbig's horse ran away, smashing the wagon and injuring the Sheriff.

A twelve year-old son of Thomas Nicholas, of Allentown, died on Tuesday night from the effects of a fall sustained while playing baseball.

Charles Keller, a Pennsylvania Railroad brakeman, fell from his train near Delano yesterday, and had both legs and arms severed.

A number of Reading families have been attacked by fever and nose-bleeding, owing to a stagnant pool of water in the vicinity.

The electric car tracks were laid across the Reading's tracks at Lebanon yesterday without the fight that was expected.

The District Conference of the A. M. E. Church of the Philadelphia district, held an all-day session at Chester yesterday.

Rev. Frank F. Fry, of Bethlehem, has declined a call to assist his father in the Trinity Lutheran Church of Reading.

The Pennsylvania German-Swiss Society's Executive Committee held a business meeting at Harrisburg yesterday.

The new Registry law will reduce the number of voters in Lancaster about 1200, as compared with last year.

### \$10,000,000 Treasury Error.

WASHINGTON, D. C. July 7.—The 10,000,000 blunder of a clerk in footing a short column of figures last Friday has made the lives of the Treasury magnates a burden to day. Somebody in the Treasurer's office had circulated a rumor that, in accordance with the general policy of the Secretary of the Treasury of making no distinction which could be avoided between the different classes of Government assets, the silver dollars and the bullion accumulated under the Silver Act of 1878, and those accumulated under the Act of 1890, and the bullion made from redeemed trade dollars, were to be treated as one common fund thereafter. Accordingly, the clerk who had charge of making out the statement for the close of business on July 1st added the amounts of the three items together, making a total, as he figured it, of \$369,802,570. Thus it was given out to the press associations on Friday morning, July 3.

Unhappily, the addition of the three lines of figures was done so carelessly that, by an omission to "carry one" in a certain place, the total was made \$10,000,000 too small. This failure to "carry one" was what made all the trouble when the mistake was discovered.

Postmaster Thompson, of Carlisle, is charged with "offensive partisanship," and a special Washington examiner is investigating the matter.

### SPECIAL NOTICES.

All trimmed millinery to be closed out for cost and less, at  
MISS MAGGIE REESE'S,  
jy7tf] 209 Fayetteville St.

### Special for Monday.

Our entire stock of white quilts placed on the bargain counter at greatly reduced prices. McGee & Moseley.

Celery plants and Sugar Maple Trees, at reduced rates. Celery plants at \$1 per hundred. Trees at various prices. W. R. GUNTER, 106 N. East St.

Store for rent—No. 11 East Hargett street, lately occupied by C. O. Ball & Co., grocers.

W. R. & O. G. WOMBLE,  
jun24tf] Executors.

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 tf

### Ice Cellar.

Ice in any quantity, also fresh fish daily, at my cellar No 223, S. Wilmington Street. Orders filled promptly. T. E. SORRELL. je8 tf.

Big bargains in all kinds of summer millinery at  
MISS MAGGIE REESE'S,  
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### Ice.

Ice may be had at our cellar under Barbee & Pope's confectionery store, near Savings Bank, tomorrow and every day hereafter. Those wishing it sent out in quantities will please send orders to JONES & POWELL.

### Remnants Straw Mattings.

We have taken from the regular stock, up stairs, all the short lengths of straw mattings, marked the number of yards upon each, and placed them just at the Wilmington street entrance, where our customers can find them during this week. Some of these remnants contain enough for a small sized room, while others have only a few yards. Prices have been marked in plain figures, and so low as to be quite interesting for our patrons. These remnants represent some of the best grades we have shown.  
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- MASON'S
- PORCELAIN AND
- GLASS TOP
- FRUIT
- JARS.
- STEP
- LADDERS
- FLY TRAPS.
- FLY FANS.
- WHITE
- MOUNTAIN
- ICE CREAM
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Ladies' Bright Dongola, both opera and common sense lasts.

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