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RALEIGH, TUESDAY, AUGUST 4, 1891:

NEWS NOTES ABOUT THE CITY

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

This month has five Saturdays five Sundays and five Mondays.

We will lose 58 minutes of daylight this month.

Several of our prominent business men have gone down to Morehead to attend the Tobacco Convention.

Several of our business men went down to near Garner today to a bar

Several of the arc lights in different parts of the city are not giving light. They should be attended to.

In accordance with an order form the County Commissioners. Sheriff Page is calling on the merchants for their taxes under schedule "B."

The State Treasurer's office is now one of the most tasty and convenient ly arranged places of business in the

We hear that work will soon commence in arranging the Adams building for the new Farmers and Commercial Bank.

Among a cart load of watermelons purchased by Messrs. Jones & Powell this morning, there was one, two feet five inches long

Are you ready for the trip to Rich mond tomorrow morning? Don't fail to be on hand. It will be a delightful occasion and no mistake.

A look into the Mayor's office these days, will convince almost anyone that Raleigh is the most quiet town in North Carolina. Not even a riffle of excitement.

The Louisburg Times says it was well done and adds a great deal to the looks of the edifice. Raleigh workmon in any line are hard to heat

The annex to the Yarboro House will soon be completed. This, with the Central and other hotels, will aid the matter much in the way of taking care of the crowd at the exposition.

The high water and the fact that the crops are much in the grass has operated some against the water melon trade. There are not so many being brought to market as is usual at this season.

The reserved seat car used last year will be with the excursion that leaves here tomorrow morning. The train will leave the depot promptly at 8:05 o'clock. Returning will'leave Richmond at 10.30 o'clock on the 7th. Don't fail to be on hand.

Mr. A. B. Laforme, Boston, Mass., says: I ordered and distributed one dozen large bottles of Bradycrotine among my friends afflicted with head ache, and in every case it has afforded almost instantaneous relief. Aug 4 6t

If we can't get an auditorium, we ought at least, to have a new station house. That could be put under the head of a necessity for the city. Don't you see?

This is a most admirable time to be looking after the sidewalks. In many places, they are ladly out of repair. They should be fixed up before the fall, so that when winter sets in the usual amount of grumbling will be dispensed with. .

The city ordinance against throwing rinds and other garbage on the streets should be rigidly observed by our people, and those who have so little regard for the health of the city as to violate this ordinance should be punished to the extent of the law. It is essential to health that the city be kept clean.

A nice coat of paint on the market house building would be the most refreshing sight we know of. The Board of Aldermen will meet next Friday night, and we hope they will take the matter under consideration. Don't be "penny wise and pound foolish" gentlemen. We doubt not you have appropriated money on several occasions where less necessity

It is said that the Tabernacle church sunday school room will be ready for occupation by the first Sanday in September. The church will be finished by November. It will be a beauty.

Attention is called to the advertisement of Mrs. H. V. Waitt who calls attention to the stock of clothing &c., now being offered to the public at the old stand of D. S. Waitt. Call and make your selections.

When the new depot is finished we evident truth.

The increase in the State tax derived from the Railroads at the rate of 28 cents per \$100 will be about \$14,000. It will also be of much ben efit to the counties through which the roads run.

The work of decorating the southern inter-state exposition building will soon commence under the supervision of Mr. Leroy Mittelderfer, of Richmond, Va. He is said to be one of the best designers and decorators in the South.

Messrs. Wynne and Spence when ing were dressed in the height of bicycle riders fashion. They looked like they meant business.

The County Commissioners went out to the Poor house to day. To morrow the case of the Raleigh and Gaston Railroad vs. the Commission ers will come up. Col. Hinsdale is counsel for the road. The commissioners will be represented by Mr. Armistead Jones.

The new well house in the capitol square is about finished and adds much beauty to the place. Now let the old arsenel he torn down and we will have one of the prettiest parks in the State

We saw a farmer today who said he had a good crop. That is he said he had firstrate corn and peas, but little cotton. He said he was satisfied-and he didn't have a lock of hair in his hand either.

Take your wives and children to Richmond on the excursion which leaves for Richmond tomorrow morning; you will never regret it. A splen did chance to see the sights of the trifling sum.

to United States pensioners to be forwarded to Wm. Rule, Knoxville, Tenn., the pension agent. About Brotherhood of Locomotive Engin thirty applications were made this eers of the Savannah, Florida & Wes

It was indeed a great oversight that the drawback in the shape of an appropriation for an auditorium was not looked into before the last Legislature adjourned. It could be built in our opinion without costing the people a single cent provided there was no constitutional hitch. And some think, yet, it can be done, but just how, we are not financiers enough te know. Can't some of the legal luminaries of Raleigh put their heads together and get us out of the dilemma.

Raleigh Work.

The contract to paint the Baptist church, in Louisburg, was awarded recently to our fellow citizen Mr. S. V. House, who sent Messrs. Bullock to do the work.

Right.

The Tomahawk says: "What are we going to do for the Exposition? We must do something, and for that something to be effective it should be done now."

Right, brother; whatever is to be done should be done quickly. No time to lose.

Hughes' which will be closed out at Raleigh. In addition to business, great reduction to make room for there will be any amount of fun such fore going. They can save money by fall grods.

Rescue Fire Company.

We learn that this most admirable and time honored Company are de sirous of procuring new uniforms, and wish to raise fifty dollars, or more if necessary for the purpose. They will soon have out a soliciting committee to call upon their present active and honorary members, with a view to contributions. This company is one of the oldest in North Carolina, having been organized in 1870, and will have another clock. and then has seen a great deal of active service. when the town clock runs down or We hear that they have never regets wrong for two or three days we ceived any pecuniary aid from the will not be so bad off. This is a self city, and this is the first occasion in which they have made a direct appeal for help. We sincerely hope that they may succeed in their enterprise. Let all give them a helping hand.

A Handsome Compliment.

The Greensboro North State alluding to the completion of the Western N. C. Railroad to Murphy, takes occasion to pay our esteemed fellow citizen, Col. A. B. Andrews the following compliment:

The man who accomplishes this result should never be forgotten by the people of North Carolina. Collect together all the politicians in the they started out on the trip this morn. State over whom the people have fussed and fumed for twenty five years past and the sum total of their labors in behalf of their constituents would not make a shadow when compared with the benefits of North Carolina and her people to be derived from the construction of the W. N. C R. R. by Col. Andrews.

> North Carolina may well be proud of such a citizen. Col. Andrews deserves the plaudits of the people, and succeeding years will sing his praises when they look at the result of his work, the greatest achievemeni in the Southern States of money, skill, brains and energy.

A Raleigh Boy Honored.

Mr. C. M. Weathers, the popular engineer of the Savannah, Florida and Western Railway, is in the city visiting his parents and relatives and company with his brother, Mr. Kim W. Weathers and a party of friends, he will visit the Northern summer re-

"Lum" has with him one of the handsomest pins we have seen in a long time, it is a "B of L. E" pin capital of the Old Dominion for a beautifully engraved and studded with diamonds and is extremely attractive The Clerk of the Superior Court, to in its appearance. Lum appreciates day was engaged in giving certificates and values it very much, as it was voted to him over several competitors at a grand pic nic given by the tern Railway, and the Central Railway of Georgia at Tybee Island Ga., July 23rd, and is especially prized by him as showing the warm fellowship that exists between him and his brow ther "Knights of the throttle" in his adopted home.

The End is Near

Each hour, each tick of the clock brings the time nearer and nearer. A few more days, a few more transactions and the big RACKET STORE will be moved to No 206, Fayette ville street, and be transformed into the Great New Racket Store This new store will be known as Swin dell's Dry Goods Emporium, where all manner of dress goods in the newest productions, newest things in trimmings; newest things in carpets, and Perry, two of our best painters newest things in clothing and the place of all places where shoes will hold high carnival. We expect to surpass anything in Raleigh in la dies and gents fine shoes. Don't forget this. We will do it. Respectfully,

D. T. SWINDELL.

The Tobacco Convention will be held at Morehead City next Wednes day, the 5th instant. It is a matter of utmost importance, and we hope A few refrigerators still in stock at there will be a large attendance from 1t. as fishing, boating &c.

Wait for the grand excursion to run Aug. 12 by Hope for All Lodge, 2645, Grand United Order of Odd Fellows. to Richmond and returning 14th over

the Raleigh and Gaston Railroad. Fair for round trip \$2:50.

Special arrangements will be made for ladies and children. Special cars for white people and special cars for colored people. Those who went to Rich. mond last August on the excursion run by the Odd Fellows, will remember the nice time and are earnestly requested to wait for Aug 12, as this promises to be equally as good if not

For further particulars apply to Maurice Watts and Warren A. Alston, Raleigh, N. C.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

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

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.

Notice.

Mr. I Winetrob having assigned to me for the benefit of his creditors, this is to give notice to all parties indebted to him to call and settle at M. ROSENTHAL, Trustee.

Celery Plants.

White Plume, Golden, Self Blanch ing. Large, white, solid, strong plants -50c per 100. H. STEINMETZ, jy20 2w Florist.

To the Public.

This is to announse that I am again on the turf, somewhat reduced but still as spry as a young Morgan. Call and look at my stock of North Carolina Hams, Shoulders, Ribs, fresh egg and chickens, &c., &c.

Respectfully. LYNN ADAMS.

ton Street.

Board.

Four or five gentlemen can obtain board, with or without rooms, by applying at 227, South McDowell street. will remain until Aug. 14th, when in Situation convenient. Charges reasonable. Accommodations good. Raleigh, July 25th, 1891.—6t.

> 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

Wood and Shingles for Sale. I have a nice lot of dry pine wood, all sawed and split ready for stoves. Also best heart shingles at mill, west end of Hargett street, on railroad. jy23 80d L. H. ADAMS.

Ice Cellar.

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

Preparations for the Exposition.

Are you going to take boarders, or will you simply have some friends to entertain during the exposition? In either event, you will likely require some housefurnishings, carpets, sheetings, pillow cottons, counterpanes, table damasks, napkins, towels, &c. Our buyer is just back from the Northern markets, and we have just in, bran new stock in this linebought for cash during the dull season in New York, and those who will buy now can save money. If you will have to buy a carpet, buy it nowhave it put down and let the trouble be over. We have a lot of passed patterns which we will sell less than it cost to make them, aand besides these we have a magnificent line of new carpets at lower prices than later

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

Big bargains in all kinds of summer millinery at MISS MAGGIE REESE'S, 209 Fayetteville St.

Persons contemplating a trip to Wrightsville or Hammocks would do well to call at the VISITOR office be-

so doing.

Hardware, &c.

ATER COOLERS.

Galvanized and Porcelain Linea

- PRESERVING. KETTLES.
- PORCELAIN LINED PRESERVING KETTLES.
- MASON'S PORCELAIN AND
- GLASS TOP FRUIT
- JARS. STEP
- LADDERS
- FLY TRAPS. WHITE
- MOUNTAIN ICE CREAM FREEZERS.

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In chiffon and other trimming materials; jy29 6t flowers in profusion, so very natural you fume.

Infant's fine crepe de chene and muslin caps

HAIR GOODS.

Rushings, a beautiful line of all kinds of Ties. All the new hair ornaments, bracelets, jewelry, &c., &c. Stamped linens, embroidery materials, wools and zephyrs. Prices reasonable and

satisfaction guaranteed.

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This Week.

Continuation of our

SPECIAL SALE OF

Skirtings.

URING THIS WEEKwe will continue the Special Sale of Embroidered Skirtings, which began last Monday, and since that day we have sold a number of the

HE WET WEATHER ___ has been somewhat against the sale of fine white goods, and not wishing to carry over a single piece, we are now offering them at lower prices than ever before.

E HAVE PLACED THESE-Skirtings upon counters just at the Fayetteville street door, and we wish every lady in Raleigh who appreciates a rare bargain to examine what we

offer in this line. EMEMBER-* that there has never been such an opportunity offered in this city to buy fine Embroidered Skirting at such low