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NEWS NOTES ABOUT THE CITY.

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

Some of the trees are budding. There was many a moist eye in Metropolitan Hall last night.

"Tom's Vacation" at Metropolitan Hall tonight.

Wit, humor and fun in great profusion at Metropolitan Hall tonight. Be sure to attend.

Several colored women were before the Mayor this morning, and fined for disorderly conduct.

In addition to other improvements, the walks in Moore square are being much widened.

Some of our merchants are brushing up, getting ready for the spring trade.

A popular post office official will, next Tuesday evening lead to the by menial altar one of our most esteemed young ladies.

There will be a union prayer meeting service of the three Methodist churches held at Central M. E. Church tonight at 7:30 o'clock.

The Republican State Executive Committee were in session today, but its action has not, so far, been made public.

Regular meeting of the Raleigh Typographical Union tonight at 6:30 p. m. Every member requested to be present.

Maj. C. D. Heartt received the following dispatch to day from the manager of the Opera House at Fayetteville:

Boyce Company delighted large audience last night. We heartily commend it.

As might have been expected, the county commissioners found everything all right yesterday at the county Alms house. Superintendent Allen manages matters well.

Several prominent Republicans from different sections of the State are in the city, drawn hither by the meeting of the State Executive Committee

In our yesterday's issue the types made Alex. Harris reduce his \$1 shoe in his Friday sale to 93 cents, but he will do better than that. He will reduce his \$1.40 shoes to 92 cents.

Now that Lieut. Shipp has arrived and is actively engaged in looking after our military affairs, let us hope that the membership of the Governors Guard will soon run up to a hundred men. A fine company of citizen soldiery is an adornment to any town.

Judge Dick, of the Western U. S. District, has appointed Mr. S. L. Trogden, clerk of the Federal Court in place of the late Mr. Jno. W. Payne. This is a capital appointment. Mr. Trogden is a most worthy gentleman and will make a most excellent officer.

The Oak City Manufacturing Company building, which has been purchased by Hope for All Lodge of the Grand United Order of Odd Fellows, numbering about 130 colored men, is being fitted up for two store rooms on the first floor, a large hall on the second and a lodge hall on the third. These colored people deserve praise for their energy and aggressiveness. They have nice property and bought it cheap.

While at Oxford last Monday night Mr. A. W. Dillon, of the Little Lord Fauntleroy Company, received intelligence of the death and burial of his wife at St. Paul, Ind. He was not aware of her illness beyond a slight cold and therefore her death was a sad blow to him. He was the recipient of much sympathy, especially as circumstances were such as he could not suspend his part in the performance of the company.

Beautiful moonlight nights. Lovely weather still continues.

Several thousand dollars of old 6 per cent bonds were exchanged at the treasury today, being converted into 4 per cent consols under the funding act. We learn that about as many bonds have been exchanged since the 1st of January as during the entire of last year.

Several prominent lawyers of Western North Carolina are now in the city for the purpose of presenting the claims of their respective friends for the judgeship rendered vacant by the resignation of Superior Court Judge Merrimon.

Can't a musical aid festival be gotten up for the Soldier's Home in this city. We must think that such a scheme would be sufficiently patronized by our people as to give substantial aid to me of the noblest of charities. We would like to hear from some of our citizens on the subject. The columns of the VISITOR are open.

Mr C. Weikel, so well and favorably known to our people in connection with the merchant tailoring business, has accepted a position with Mr. I. Winetrob in his establishment on Fayetteville street, next to Mr. John S. Peasud's drug store, where he will be pleased to see his friends. Mr. Winetrob is now on a visit to the Western part of the State and will soon return, when he will make arrangements to clean out his old stock and put in a fresh supply of first class goods. In due time he will make his announcement through the VISITOR.

There will be a rare treat for lovers of music and elocution Friday evening, at the residence of Mrs. Kreth, 116 Edenton street, where will be given, under the auspices of "Lend a Hand Circle," a musicale. The programme, rendered by Raleigh's best talent, will be music, vocal and instrumental, recitations and reading. It is given for the benefit of the needy poor of the city, and the circle has been particularly blessed in having the favorite voices of the city and Peace Institute lent for the occasion. Come and help us—"Lend a Hand Circle" of the King's Daughters.

The Pullen and Leazer Literary Societies of the A. and M. College will give a public entertainment on Friday evening, Feb. 19th, at 8 o'clock. The subject for debate for the evening will be: "Will the United States fall as other nations have fallen?" The Pullen Society takes the affirmative, with W. J. Mathews, of Asheville, and O. C. Bostic, of Shelby, N. C., to sustain it while the Leazer society takes the negative, with R. W. Allen, of Wadesboro, and H. E. Bonitz, of Wilmington, N. C., to refute it. We return thanks for an invitation to be present and shall do so if practicable.

Ray L. Royce.

A good musical director with a musical comedy company is a very essential feature as so much depends on his work to have all the specialties given go smoothly, and in appreciation of this fact, Ray L. Royce, who shows tonight, carries with him one of the best directors in the person of Kenyon Jones, who is not only a fine soloist, but a composer and arranger of music and has written over three hundred selections for the music loving people of this country.

Little Lord Fauntleroy.

One of the largest and most appreciative audiences that has attended Metropolitan Hall this season, last night witnessed the performance of "Little Lord Fauntleroy." Rarely, if ever, has there been so much delight manifested, and never has a Raleigh audience enjoyed a more perfect rendition. Miss Mabel Walsh, in the leading role just simply carried the hearts of all and won unbounded admiration. The play, in all its parts, was a most complete success and the company has won golden opinions which we heartily commend to the public wherever they may appear.

January Weather.

We have been furnished by Prof. Von Herrmann with the following report of the weather for last month:

Mean temperature 39.6 degrees; highest on the 25th, 68, lowest on the 27th, 16. Rain and snow fall 6.87 inches. Rain fall 4.12. On four days the temperature was 30 degrees, and on 18 days it was below freezing point.

Synopsis of the Weather at 8 P. M. Yesterday.

The storm has moved eastward to the New England coast and is disappearing in the ocean. No rain has fallen except in the northern states. In the west a high pressure area and cool wave covers the Mississippi. It will move east to the Atlantic coast today and tomorrow, bringing continued fine weather, but cooler.

Local forecast for Raleigh and vicinity, continued fair weather, cooler tonight and tomorrow.

Pounded.

Last night a large delegation of Edenton Street M. E. Church handsomely pounded their new pastor, Rev. Jno. N. Cole, who moved into the parsonage yesterday. It was a surprise to the pastor and his family who were the recipients of a large quantity of the good things of life. After a short time spent in conversation, Rev. F. L. Reid, D. D., offered prayer and Rev. Mr. Cole expressed thanks for the kindness rendered himself and family.

Married.

This afternoon at 4:30 o'clock, B. C. Beckwith, Esq., Secretary of the Democratic State Executive Committee was united in marriage to Mrs. Iola Gates. The ceremony took place at Edenton Street M. E. Church, and was performed by Rev. J. B. Hurlay, of Central M. E. Church, a classmate of Mr. Beckwith at college. The marriage was witnessed by a large number of the friends and acquaintances of the contracting parties. May the choicest blessings of life attend them.

A Young Tar Heel

Although North Carolina has many of her citizens now scattered over the world doing well, we are proverbially too modest to give them prominence. Our boys, too, make their marks occasionally when chance offers. The Durhams Sun says:

We guess it will be news to many of our readers to know that a Durham boy is one of the crew of the naval ship Baltimore, and was at Valparaiso, Chili, when the occurrence took place which has given rise to so much war talk.

Yet such is the fact.

The young man's name is William Barbee, a son of Squire G. A. Barbee. He is now with his ship at San Francisco. He has been in the navy nearly two years, and his time will expire next July. He has written home that he will enlist again, as he desires to go with the captain the next cruise he makes.

He says he did not go on shore the day the Chilians assaulted the American sailors. It wasn't exactly his day "off."

Pasteur germ proof water filter is for sale by W. H. Hughes. fe2 8t

Furniture repaired by S. P. Haslett at W. S. Uzzle's music house, No. 12 Hargett street. fe8 6t

The Anti-Grippe Pills act gently on the liver, kidneys and bowels and give the skin a fresh, live color. Get a box and try them. They will please you. Address, D. J. Ellis, Raleigh, N. C. fe8 2t

For Rent.

A small family can rent three nice rooms, convenient to business and in a good neighborhood by applying at this office.

In April Next we Leave You.

Before we leave Raleigh we want to sell as near out all of our stock of goods as possible, and to do so we are selling everything at actually what we paid for the goods. We have many store fixtures which we want to sell before we leave. One large iron safe (right new), many show cases, store tables, stoves, office furniture, lounges, mirrors, horses, carriages, wagon and buggy. We are also desirous to sell our store and residence. Will sell the residence ready furnished. In our store are many thousands of dollars worth of goods such as you must need and must have shortly and you will save big money by buying these things at our sale. Carpets, dress goods, shoes, clothing, gents furnishing goods in hats, collars and cuffs, shirts, scarfs, ties and jewelry. Ladies' furnishing goods of all kinds. Millinery goods of all kinds. Notions of all kinds. Blankets and quilts. Some of our stock we are selling for less money than we paid for it.

Yours truly,

D. T. SWINDELL

Special Sale.

On Friday next, Feb. 5th, we will place on our counters "a special bargain" in ladies grain shoes.

The shoes we now sell for \$1.40 will on that day go at 92 cents.

We will also sell a lot of ladies Dongola kid button boots for \$1.18 that would be a bargain for \$1.50.

Remember that Friday, ONLY, we will offer these goods at less than manufacturers prices.

ALEX. HARRIS,
205 Fayetteville Street.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

Horses for Sale.

Three (3) good, kind, gentle, family and brood mares. One of this number is Jno. Gatling's driving mare. Terms easy. Can be seen at Robt. E. Parham's stables. ja20 1t

V. E. MOORE, G'd'n.

Ladies Fine Shoes, \$1.50 to \$2.50, Less Than Regular Price.

We are "stock taking," and find that we have bought a few too many of some of Laird, Scober & Mitchell's fine shoes, so we have put them upon tables in the shoe department and they will be offered from \$1.50 to \$2.50 per pair, less than regular prices. These are some of our finest goods, and we cut the prices, not because they are shop worn, but because we have too many. At \$3.50 cloth top, kid button, with and without patent leather tips, worth \$5. At \$4.50 fine kid button, hand sewed, worth \$6.50. At \$5, gray and tan cloth top, patent leather vamps worth \$7.50. Of course when these are sold, we can't supply more at the same price.

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For Rent.

A six room house with water, large lot with feed room and stable, smoke house, large garden and good shade. East Lenoir street. Apply to ja19 1t

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Just opened a beautiful line of French, German and American Dress Goods, in stylish mixtures, plaids, stripes, &c., and today place them on our counters at only

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This is positively the greatest bargain we have ever offered in our dress goods department. They are richly worth, and are sold elsewhere at 75 cents.

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A GOOD RAZOR.

We offer razors that are good; we have just received a large stock. Our name is stamped on the razor, and every one is

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All untrimmed felt hats

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All fancy feathers, birds &c., to be closed out regardless of cost,

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A nice line of slightly soiled stamped Linens, Dollies, Tea Tray, Bouffe and Bureau Covers, Carving Sets &c., very cheap.

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Our Shoe Department is a store complete within itself, for we carry at all times as complete line of footwear suitable for men, women and children, forgetting no one but providing carefully for everybody.

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Gents Pliant Calf, Goodyear welt, smooth innersole, the best shoe for the money shown by any house.

AT \$3 50 Gents Calf Shoes, Congress and \$4, \$4 50 Bals, wide, medium and pointed AND \$5. toes.

AT \$6 50 Gents Cordovan in Congress and Bals, London, French, Memphis and St Louis Toes, Gents Patent Leather, Congress and Bals.

Ladies' Fine Shoes.

Ladies' Kid Button, Comm on Sens; and Opera Toes, with ant. without; Patent Leather Tips.

AT \$3 00 As large and varied assortment as \$3 50, \$4, ever shown in Raleigh, and our \$4 50 and prices much more reasonable for same shoes than "city prices"

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Children's School Shoes at \$1, \$1 25 and \$1 50. Children's fine kid button with and without patent leather tips. Complete lines of Infant's soft kid shoes.

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