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Purchase Tax.

We have been requested to print the following for the benefit of those who may have forgotten it.

Section 22, Revenue Act of 1891, requires every merchant, jeweller, grocer, druggist, and other dealers, who shall buy and sell goods, wares and merchandise of whatever name and description, shall pay a license tax of one-tenth of one percentum on total amount of purchases in or out of the state. Every such merchant, or dealer, shall deliver to the Register of Deeds within ten days after first days of January and July of each year a sworn statement of such purchases for the proceeding six months.

Every failure to render such a list of purchases, or refusal on demand to exhibit his books to the proper authorities, shall render the persons guilty of a misdemeanor and liable to a fine of \$50.00 imprisonment for thirty days.

Wake Superior Court.

The following cases were disposed of today:

State vs Hawkins Taylor; assault; judgment suspended on payment of costs. State vs Hawkins Taylor; injury to personal property; nol pros. State vs Robert Patterson; a d w pleads guilty; 3 months on roads and costs. State vs Jeff Stanly; l & r; guilty; judgment suspended on payment of costs on recommendation of prosecutor. State vs Randolph Blackhall; and Isaac Alston; affray guilty; judgment suspended on payment of costs.

Very Pretty.

The Raleigh correspondent of the Wilmington Messenger says:

The proof of the cover of the North Carolina Handbook, which the department of Agriculture will issue, has been received. The design is beautiful, representing at the top "Grandfather" mountain, with the clouds below its lofty summit: in the centre the pine tree, wheat, cotton tobacco and at the lower part coast scenes, such as a wharf piled with a great catch of fish and a steam seine boat laying a seine. On the cover are the words, "Handbook of North Carolina." The fruit orchards and vineyards. The forests, mines and manufactories. The colors are slate and crimson.

The Grand Lodge.

The lodge was called to order last evening at 7:30 o'clock. Grand Master Gudger presided and all the grand officers were present. Considerable routine business was disposed of. The committee to draft resolutions relative to the death of D W Bain late secretary, made their report which was adopted. Upon the motion to adopt feeling addresses were delivered by W E Murchison, General Bobt. B Vance, and L A Potter. The address of General Vance was peculiarly impressive. Past Grand Master Smith, Mr. J A Leach and Mr. P M Pearsall added their testimony in behalf of the worth of Mr. Bain.

The election of officers resulted as follows.

For Grand Master, John W Cotton, by a two third vote; for Deputy Grand Master, F M Moye, by a two thirds majority; for Senior Grand Master R J Noble, by a majority of votes cast; for Junior Grand Warden, W E Moore, by a majority of votes cast; for Treasurer, William Simpson, by acclamation; for Grand Secretary, W H Bain, by a majority of votes cast.

The Grand Master announced as the committee upon installation officers: P G M S H Smith, Grand Lecturer, S H Rountree and David Bell.

T A Green was unanimously elected to succeed himself as a trustee of the Oxford Orphan Asylum.

Mr. Thomas Knight who married Miss Helen Fowle, has been appointed assistant attorney for the state of Illinois.

I. O. O. F.

Regular meeting of Seaton Gales Lodge No. 64, I. O. O. F., tomorrow night at 7 o'clock sharp.

Work in the degrees and other important matters will come before the lodge which requires the presence of every member of the lodge. A cordial invitation to all Odd Fellows.

In Needy Circumstances.

We are requested to call attention to the fact that Mrs. Pool, who lives at 116 East Martin street, is in very destitute circumstances. She is a very worthy widow lady and the mother of seven little children, one of them down sick. She needs wood, clothes and something to eat. It is to be hoped that the good people of Raleigh will come to her relief.

Hard Times.

From present indications there is not likely to be any considerable break in the hard weather for some time to come, and Raleigh, like all other cities has its poor to look after. In this connection we cannot too often call the matter to the attention of our charitably disposed people. Our generosity has never been brought into question when it is shown that the objects are just. Let us then, one and all, give what we can of our substance to relieve the unfortunate.

London Sports.

This splendid burlesque company will exhibit at Metropolitan hall next Monday night. The Minneapolis Times says:

The London Sports burlesque company opened at the Pence last night to a crowded house. It is one of the best, neatest and cleverest burlesque companies Manager Ed Hilton has yet presented to his patrons, and they should do a large week's business. The opening first part, is new and attractive. The olio is a strong one, not a bad act anywhere. Hits were made by Manning and Wolley, two of the hardest workers in the song and dance line seen here, and the great Harsey, who is really a magnificent dancer. The burlesque called Ali Baba Baby is full of fun and very pretty girls dressed in Oriental costumes. It's a howler.

Our Building at Chicago.

All persons in Raleigh who contributed to the fund raised to erect a N. C. building at Chicago, are requested to communicate, at once, with Mrs. John Burwell, secretary, Raleigh world's fair auxiliary, stating whether they desire their money returned or are willing to donate it to the Virginia Dare memorial association, to aid in establishing a memorial to the first white American woman.

The money will be held for thirty days. Those who wish it returned have only to express their wishes. Silence will be construed as consent for the money to be transferred to the Virginia Dare association, which will be done after thirty days.

All who have contributed one dollar and more will receive certificates of stock in the association for the amount contributed. This stock is sold at one dollar per share. All who contributed less than one dollar can secure a certificate of stock by increasing their subscription to this amount.

It is due to the dignity of the state of North Carolina that the Executive mansion should be well furnished. Much of the furniture now in use was purchased by Gov. Holt. We hope proper action will be at once taken in the premises.

A petition is being circulated today in favor of the appointment of Major W. M. Robbins as Minister to Mexico. It was numerously signed by members of both houses, officials and reporters of the press.

The spring term of Littleton Female college will commence on the 15th inst. It is in a most flourishing condition.

Installed.

The following officers have been installed by Centre Lodge, No. 6 K. of P.:

P. C.—Sherwood Haywood.
O. C.—James Carroll.
V. C.—J. R. Gattis.
P.—J. H. Barber.
K. of R and S.—W. W. Willson.
M. of A.—C. L. Woodell.
M. of E.—Wayne Allcott.
M. of F.—Henry Perry.
I. G.—T. P. Sale.
O. G.—P. E. Card.

Inauguration Notes.

The committee held a meeting yesterday afternoon and passed a resolution requesting the legislative committee to arrange to have a reception at the governor's mansion so that those who do not desire to attend the ball can pay their respects to the governor. The request should, of course, be granted.

Yesterday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock there was a meeting of the joint legislative committee in the senate chamber, at which it was decided to ask the general assembly to appropriate \$500 for expenses of the inauguration. A special legislative committee will go to Tarboro to meet Governor Carr and escort him to this city.

At the citizen's meeting held yesterday Messrs Geo. C. Heck, Frank Stronach and W. W. Parish were appointed to arrange a place for the reception in Stronach's auditorium.

The Weather.

For North Carolina: Clearing on Thursday, fair and colder on Friday. Local forecast made at station for this vicinity:

On Friday: Fair, colder.
Local data for 24 hours ending 8 a. m. today:
Maximum temperature, 84; minimum temperature 25; rainfall, 0.20.

Brother Fairbrother is hustling around among the members hugely, fixing for his biographical sketches. He will be pretty sure to get these "all right."

It is reported unofficially, that Mr. C. L. Hinton of this county, will be executive clerk under the administration of Gov. Carr.

There is only one Columbian coin for every 18 inhabitants of this county.

To Sell Real Estate.

Some very desirable real estate for sale by D. T. Swindell.

N. C. apples cheap by the barrel or measure at D. T. Johnson's.

Bananas.

50c to 75c bunch to close out consignment at D. T. Johnson's.

Are You Taking

advantage of Swindell's closing out sale? If not, why aren't you? You must gain by it and you certainly can lose nothing by it. All goods at cost. D. T. Swindell.

Want to Sell Cheap.

Two big millinery show cases, ten counter show cases two horses, a carriage, two wagons, one set mohair parlor furniture. D. T. Swindell.

If a Man Offered

you a ten dollar bill for seven dollars you would buy at once. Yes, you would. Well, that is just what Swindell is doing. All goods at cost, and that means ten dollars for seven. D. T. Swindell.

A Rare Chance for a Library.

A new set complete of the Encyclopedia Britanica. A reprint of the 9th Edinburgh edition at low figures. This is an opportunity that comes once in a life time. The Britanica comes nearer handling and treating exhaustively every subject within the range of information and of thought than any other publication known, and you can get it at a low figure at the Bee Hive, H. J. Dowell, Manager, No 128 South Wilmington street.

Also the life of Hon Jefferson Davis by Mrs Davis, complete in two volumes. Price \$5. We offer the set at \$3. Other rare books for sale at the Bee Hive, H. J. Dowell, Manager, No 128 South Wilmington street.

50 lbs new geese feathers at D. T. Johnson's.

I wish board for myself and wife, where there are no other boarders. Home comforts. Must be in a good and quiet locality.

Address Mrs. R. Youg, Care of Dr. Moran, Jan 10 St 171 South Fayetteville St.

For Sale.

Five room house on Dawson street, in few steps of new union depot; house good as new; lot from Dawson street 56 1/2 ft, runs back about 150 ft. Price \$1600. Terms easy; \$750 cash, balance one and two years if wanted by purchaser. Apply to J. A. SPENCK.

To the members of the legislature: We have everything you find in a first class dr. goods and clothing store. All our goods are marked in plain figures and one price only. Woolcott & Sons.

Cold Weather - Warm Furs.

This is the kind of weather for furs, and we have got the kind of furs you want. If you wish to buy a fur cape, fur muff, or fur collar, come now and we will make the price right. W. H. & R. S. TUCKER & CO.

For Rent

One four room house, kitchen and wood house attached. Also good garden and well water convenient; on East Hargett street opposite residence W. P. Womble. For terms apply to Mrs. Susan Womble, 636 East Hargett street. Jan 11

This is the time of the year that inducements are held out on all winter goods, and many unreasonable statements are sometimes made in order to sell them. We make prices that insure sales on all materials of a winter character and while our stock is small, yet it is entirely too large to be ignored if you are in pursuit of clean, fresh goods and good values. We do not buy the highest priced nor the lowest but that medium for which there is always a healthy demand and in sufficient quantity to please the majority. C. A. Sherwood & Co.

800 pairs all wool pants \$1.50 and \$2 a pair, reduced from \$3 and \$2.50. Women's and men's rubbers, all prices and sizes. Don't forget our remnant sale. Woolcott & Sons.

Roses and Other Handsome

Out Flowers Bouquets, Baskets and Floral Designs. Telephone 113. Jan 11 H. STRINMETZ Florist.

WE'LL NOT Set the World AFIRE

Nor mislead by "bankrupt sales," "heat on earth," "closing out at less than cost," or promises to give you something for nothing, but on all winter stuffs we'll make prices that you will at once recognize as a bargain.

The entire stock of Ladies' Coats, Misses and Children's Long Cloaks and Short Jackets have all been

MARKED DOWN. Close prices are made on all Winter Dress Goods and Heavy Footwear for ladies, misses and children.

A large lot of Rubber Shoes just received. Heels and spring heels for everybody.

C. A. Sherwood & Co

New Arrivals.

We have just received a nice line of Men's Shoes and will save you 35 per cent on every pair you buy.

Brogans from \$1 to \$1.47.
Dress Shoes \$1.24 to \$2.99.
Rubbers from 38c to 49c.
Men's Crush Hats 47c to \$1.28.
Stiff Hats 83c to \$2.
Silk Hats \$1.98, Men's Scarfs 10 to 49c.
Undershirts 38c to \$1.21.
Working Shirts 21c to \$1.44.
Dress Shirts 44c to \$1.44. Bed Blankets \$1 to \$5.47. Horse Blankets \$1.24 to \$2.
Hair Ruggy Robes \$6 to \$7, worth \$10 anywhere. Ladies Shoes from 97c to \$2.48.
Misses Shoes from 67c to \$1.97. Ladies Rubbers 20c to 39c. Chenille Curtains \$4.78, worth \$8.

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