

## CHAMBER OFFERS TOBACCO PRIZES

To Farmers Selling Leaf on This Market

### FORTY-SEVEN PREMIUMS

Valuable Prizes to Be Given by the Raleigh Chamber of Commerce and The Business Men of the City, Who Have Contributed to the Fund. Value Ranges From \$5 to \$57.

The Raleigh Chamber of Commerce and the business men of Raleigh have united in providing for a series of valuable prizes to be given to farmers who bring their leaf tobacco to this market. There are forty-seven of these prizes, ranging in value from \$5 to \$57, both in money and in all sorts of articles useful for the farmer and members of his family. The list speaks plainer than any words, and farmers will readily see that everything offered is well worth winning.

Raleigh has two well-equipped warehouses this season and special attention has been given to the market. There are buyers representing all the great manufacturing companies, in and out of the state. Competition is lively, tobacco is in great request and prices are well sustained. Sellers may feel sure that all their interests will be carefully looked after here and that there will be comfortable accommodations for them and their teams. There are good roads into Raleigh from every direction and Wake is an important point.

The following is a list of the prizes: To the man selling the largest number of pounds of tobacco grown by himself, during the year, \$50 in cash, one plow worth \$7, given by Crowder & Rand, and a yearly subscription to the daily Times.

To the man selling the second largest number of pounds grown by himself \$25, and to the one selling the third largest \$10.

To the man making the highest average price on his entire crop, \$30 in cash and a yearly subscription to the daily Times. To the one making the second highest average \$20, and to the one making the third highest average \$10.

To the man bringing the largest number of pounds in one load \$15; to the man bringing the second largest load, \$5 cash and one corn shucker and corn knife, worth \$2.50 given by J. P. Wyatt; to the man bringing in the third largest load \$7.50.

To the man coming the longest distance, with a load of not less than 500 pounds \$20; to the one coming the second longest distance, \$12.50.

To the man selling the highest average load, not less than 700 pounds, \$30 cash, and one plow worth \$3, given by Crowder & Rand. To the man selling the second highest average load \$15; to the man selling the third highest average load, \$5 cash and half barrel of flour given by Hunter & Dunn, worth \$2.50.

To the man selling the finest pile of wrappers, not less than 100 pounds, \$25; to the seller of the second finest pile of wrappers as above \$15.

To the man selling the finest pile of wrappers, not less than 50 pounds, \$12.50, an overcoat given by Lee & Broughton. To the seller of the second finest pile as above, plow worth

Any one whose opinion differs radically from mine?

THAT'S A CHUMP!

But everybody's opinion about bread is the same, if it's made of good flour

THAT'S PATAPSCO!

three dollars given by Crowder & Rand and half barrel of flour worth \$2.50 given by M. T. Norris & Co. To the man selling the best pile of cutters, not less than 100 pounds, \$25; to the man selling the second best pile of cutters as above \$15; to the seller of the third best pile of cutters as above a barrel of flour, worth \$2.50 given by Phillips & Penny.

To the man receiving the largest check for a load of tobacco at one time, \$15 cash and a pair of shoes worth \$5 given by Hunter & Brewer; to the man getting the second largest check as above \$10.

To the man receiving the largest check for any quantity of tobacco at one time \$25.

To the smallest man selling a load of tobacco, a King heater worth \$5 given by the Hart-Ward Hardware Co.

To the largest man selling a load of tobacco a barrel of flour worth \$2.50 given by Peckles Bros.

To the tallest man selling a load of tobacco a barrel of flour worth \$2.50 given by E. L. Harris.

To the oldest man selling a load of tobacco a pair of trousers worth \$2.50 given by the Globe Clothing House and a hat worth \$2.50 given by the Klondyke Store.

To the woman selling the largest number of pounds of tobacco raised by herself a \$10 cloak given by Boylston-Pearce Co. To the woman selling the second largest number of pounds as above, a lamp with china top, worth \$5 given by T. H. Briggs & Sons.

To the person selling the largest number of pounds of tobacco raised and hauled to market by an ox, \$2.50 cash and a case of soap worth \$2.50 given by Dewar & Wilber.

To the colored man selling the largest number of pounds of tobacco raised by himself \$10 cash; to the colored man selling the second largest number of pounds as above, an umbrella worth \$2, given by Zoe Foyville and a pair of shoes worth \$2.50 given by Charles W. Hoover and 25 pounds of sugar given by J. W. Brewer.

To the man making the lowest average on his crop, a hat worth \$2.50 given by Dave Levine and a pair of shoes worth \$2.50 given by Whiting Bros.

To the man making the lowest average on one load of not less than 1,000 pounds, a box of tobacco worth \$4 given by J. G. Ball & Co., and a box of cigars worth \$1.75 given by George Marsh.

To the farmer shipping the largest number of pounds of tobacco to Raleigh \$20 cash.

To the farmer living nearest to any other market who brings a load here of not less than 500 pounds \$15.

To the man selling a load here who

has the largest number of children 30 pounds green coffee worth \$1.50 given by J. B. Green & Co., and one sack of sugar beet given by Carolina Feed Store worth \$1.50.

To the farmer bringing the largest family with him, the same time he brings his tobacco, a lady's hat worth \$2.50 given by William Woodruff, and one trunk by the Sullivan worth \$2.50.

To the boy selling the largest number of pounds raised by himself, the boy not to be over 14 years of age, a suit of clothes worth \$5 given by Cross & Linahan.

To the young man selling the largest number of pounds raised by himself, the boy not to be over 21 years of age, a suit of clothes worth \$10, given by J. Rosengarten.

The woman selling best pile of wrappers a pair of blankets worth \$5 given by Dobbin & Ferrall.

To the oldest bachelor selling a load of tobacco, ham, given by W. B. Mann, worth \$1.75.

To the biggest bidder on the market during the season ten pounds of coffee given by J. F. Farrell & Co., worth \$1.75.

To the oldest maid selling a load of tobacco, 5 pounds of coffee given by T. L. McCallers and one pound given by A. S. Womble.

To the person receiving the most money for one pile of wrappers grown by the seller a set of harness worth \$15 given by J. W. Barber & Co.

To the winners of the 30 principal prizes a yearly subscription to one of the following papers will be given: Raleigh Evening Times, Progressive Farmer, Christian Advocate, Biblical Recorder.

**Subscriptions.**

The following are the subscriptions by business men of the city to the fund to be used in building up the Raleigh Tobacco Market, by inducing tobacco growers to market it here:

T. F. Cheatham \$50, Capital City Warehouse \$50, A. B. Andrews, Jr., \$2, E. P. Maynard \$1.50, F. H. Busbee \$2, Jas. H. Fox \$2, T. H. Womack \$2, W. N. Jones \$2, W. H. Pace \$2, Chas. D. Wildes \$1, Raleigh Furniture Co. 1 trunk worth \$5, Royal & Borden Furniture Co. 1 piece furniture worth \$5, J. W. Barber & Son set buggy harness \$15, Commercial and Farmers Bank \$25 in gold, Citizens National Bank \$25 in gold, Raleigh Banking and Trust Company \$10 in gold, Wake County Savings Bank \$10, Mechanics Dime Savings Bank \$10, J. M. Pace Mule Co. \$10, G. H. Harden \$10, Dave Levine 1 hat \$2.50, Klondyke Clothing Store hat \$2.50, Chas. W. Hoover pair of shoes \$2.50, Zoe Foyville umbrella \$2, Lee & Broughton.

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## IDLE NEGROES WILL NOT WORK

Raleigh People Complain About Vagrants

### MUST DRIVE THEM OUT

Farmers and Contractors Call for Help and Offer Good Wages, But Parasites Smile and Sleep in the Shade—Time for the Police to Get Busy.

There is a general complaint from farmers, contractors and others here about over the shortage of labor, when there would be none whatever if the hundreds of vagrants around Raleigh could be forced to work. Just how the problem may be solved is not exactly clear, but the complaints are many and meanwhile the loafers keep on the shady side of the street—particularly in Wilmington—and smile.

"I had occasion the other day to seek help on a contracting job," said a citizen today whose word cannot be questioned, "and it made me sick to find that after one hundred negroes had been consulted not more than three would accept. Any day they may be located in the heart of the city. Good wages were offered, but they simply did not want to work at any price. Many farmers have come to me with the same story. The cotton must be picked, but it is falling, because there is no labor, certainly not enough for present demands. Contractors and farmers alike have the same difficulty, and it appears to me that it is about time for the city authorities to make war on these worthless vagabonds.

"The best colored men in the city will give the utmost support to the movement. They realize the situation and they will not defend the vagrants because the vagrants are colored. They understand, too, that idleness leads to crime, particularly stealing, for if the idler has no one to work for him he must steal to keep hunger away. If we could put them into the fields it would be a god-send, just as it would rid the community of a class of people who are a dead load and a greater burden.

"There is ample law to handle them. I believe the police can easily arrest them and I am certain that they will be sent to the roads. The movement will show the loafers that they must do something and they will hustle."

**A HELPING HAND.**

Is Gladly Extended by a Raleigh Citizen.


There are many enthusiastic citizens in Raleigh prepared to tell their experience for the public good. Testimony from such a source is the best of evidence, and will prove a "helping hand" to scores of readers. Read the following statement:

W. B. Johnson merchant tailor of 111 South Wilmington street, place of residence South Swain street, says: "I obtained the greatest relief from Doan's Kidney Pills obtained from Bobbitt-Wynne Drug Company's store. My son-in-law, Charles Beal, also suffered from backache very badly and Doan's Kidney Pills proved most effective in relieving it. We have also used Doan's Ointment in our family for a breaking out on the skin of the neck and two applications dried up the affliction. Everybody should know of these should know of these two remedies. You can use my name and welcome as one who highly endorses the claims made for them."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

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## The Choicest

American Barley-Malt obtainable—thoroly ripe, healthy grain—and the finest Bohemian Hops are the foundation, the principal essentials for true Imperial Pilsener. Each essential is carefully selected for its especial fitness—its goodness.

This is one "reason-why" Pilsener is so good for you—for your health!

Imperial Pilsener is a light beer of highest quality, perfect in strength, purity, age. Imperial Pilsener's rare flavor excites the admiration of connoisseurs.

"Fine for home use."

Let's have a  
**"Chatt."**

On sale at Raleigh Dispensary. Call for "Chatt."—the seal of excellence is branded on every cap.

"Our beers are pure liquid gold!"

**Chattanooga Brewing Company**

### SUMMER EYE TROUBLES.

That soreness, smarting and burning of the eye lids may be the result of merely temporary irritation, due to the summer's heat, dust and glare, or it may indicate the presence of some latent trouble which has been aggravated by the above-named causes.

If you will let us examine your eyes we can determine the exact nature of your eye trouble and tell you just what is needed to remedy it.

An accurate examination is assured here—without charge.

**H. MAHLERS' SONS**  
Jewelers - - Raleigh, N. C.

### NEW SHIPMENTS ARRIVING DAILY.

HAND-PAINTED CHINA, PUFF BOXES, BONBONS, CHAFING DISHES, CHRISTY PICTURES.

**The WILLIAMS-NOWLAN CO.**  
127 Fayetteville St., RALEIGH, N. C.

## THE OAK CITY'S WORK EASILY DETECTED

It doesn't take the best eyes to detect our work—it's so much better—a blind person can almost see the difference. We acknowledge no competition when it comes to high-grade laundering.

### OAK CITY STEAM LAUNDRY.

## WILLIAM WOOLLCOTT

311 and 313 Fayetteville Street

### NEW ARRIVALS.

Children's Caps, Toques, Tamoshanters and Hats.  
Misses' and Ladies' Ready-to-Wear Hats.  
Country Merchants should see our prices before purchasing.

**William Woolcott.**

## CRINKLEY'S DEPARTMENT STORE

326, 328, 330, 332, 334, Fayetteville Street.

**RALEIGH, N. C.**

## Millinery Announcement.

Our new line of Ladies' ready-to-wear and Dress Hats, including the latest craze, the Vesta Tilly Hat will be open next week.

**NU ARRIVALS.**

**Carpet Department.**

Speshul 9x12 feet Axminster Art Square, \$20.00.  
9x12 Mixt Smyrna, \$9.00.  
7 1-2x10 1-2 Mixt Smyrna, \$6.75  
Nis. lot Wool and Granite Art Squares.  
Rugs 25c. to \$20.00.  
Heavy China Mattings, 15 and 26c.  
Floor Oilcloth, 25c.  
Coco Door Mats, 43c.  
Carpets, 10c. to 60c. yard.

**NU FALL UNDERWEAR.**

**SHOES AN RUBBERS.**

**FURNITURE DEPARTMENT.**

Do a sleep well. Try the Ostermoor Mattress, \$15.00 in your home.  
5 pc. Top Parlor Suit, \$22.00.  
Imitation Leather Couches, \$8.00 and \$10.50.  
Nu lot Iron Beds, \$2.25, \$2.50, \$3.25, \$4.75, \$6.00, \$7.50, \$9.00 and \$10.00.  
Iron Cribs, \$4.00 to \$7.00.  
Let us say u \$ on ur next purchase. Trunks and Bags.  
Duffel vas Lamps, 75, 90c., 1.10, \$1.20, \$1.50, \$2.40, \$3.00 and \$4.00.

**MUSIC DEPARTMENT.**

Hear the new Victor Baby, \$10.00  
New lot Victor Records, Victor Machines, \$10.00, \$17.00, \$22.00, \$30.00, \$40.00 to \$100. Other talking machines \$150.00, \$200.00, "Our Special."  
Autoharp, \$2.00, \$3.00 \$5.00.  
Accordions, \$1.25, \$2.00, \$2.50, \$3.00, \$2.40, \$2.65, \$3.25, \$5, \$7.  
Banjos, \$1, \$1.00, \$2.00, \$5.  
Mandolins, \$1.00, \$3, \$5.  
Violas, \$1.00, \$1.00, \$3.25.  
Cases, Strings, Etc.

**CROCKERY DEPARTMENT.**

Special decorated Toilet Set, 10 pieces, \$2.25.

**STOVE DEPARTMENT.**

A little early to talk Heaters, but we have just received fifty to be ready for the first frosty morning, \$1.25 to \$10.00.  
Cook Stoves, \$5.50 to \$20.00.  
Steel Ranges, \$18 to \$30.  
Oil Stoves, 40c., 80c.  
Preserve Kettles.

**HUNTING TIME.**

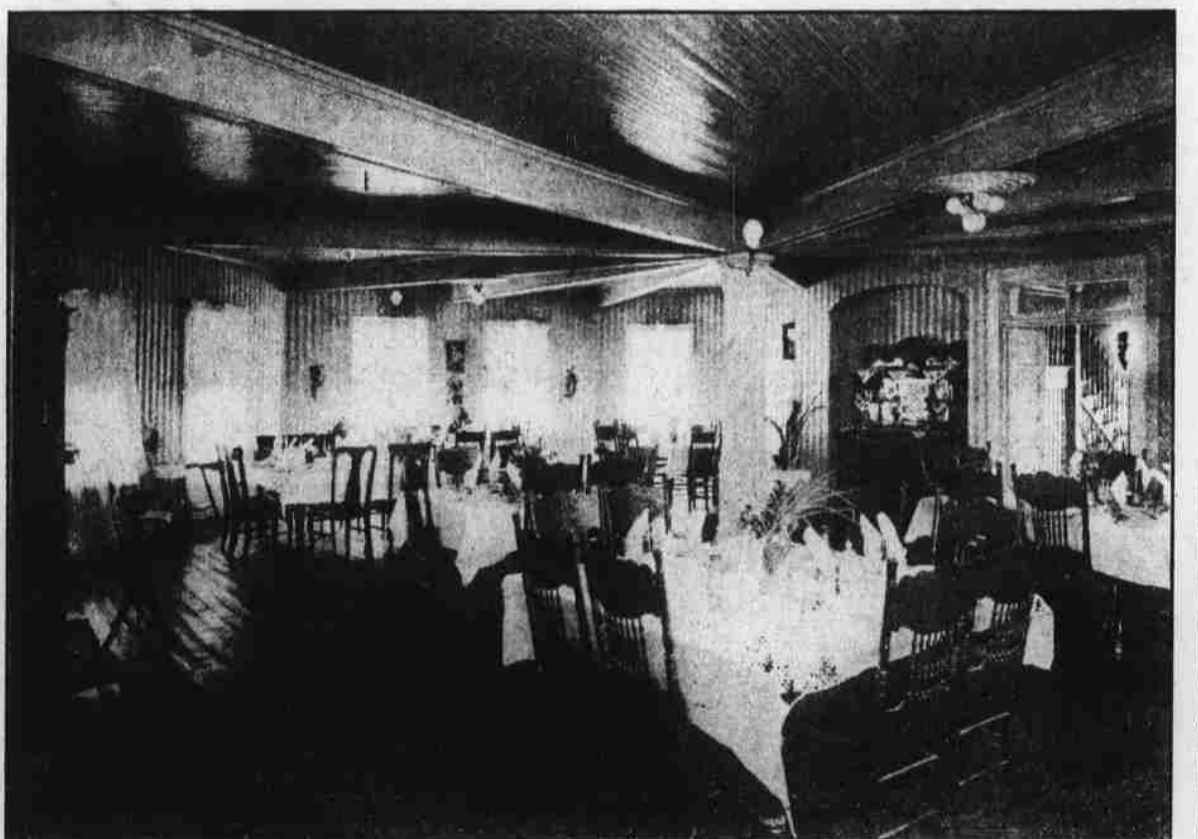
Double barrel Guns, \$8.50, \$9.50.  
Single Barrel Guns, \$3.65, \$3.90.  
Rifles, \$2.75, \$2.00.  
Air Rifles, 65c., \$1.50.  
Wagon and Velocipedes.

**HUNTING TIME?**  
Try our Yankee \$ Watch.

**INGERSOLL WATCHES.**

New Stem  
Wind Yankee  
\$1.00; Ed'p'e  
\$1.50; Midget  
Ladies' Size  
\$2.00.

**Crinkley's**



DINING ROOM.

Here historic banquets have been held and great men have sat to the good cheer of southern hospitality. The illustration shows the dining hall of Blanwood, now occupied as the Keesley Institute at Greensboro, N. C.

Aside from those who have visited the place, probably few people know that this institution maintains all the appointments, equipment and conveniences of a thoroughly modern hotel. In connection with the dining hall is an up-to-date kitchen, butler's pantry and storage room. Good cooking and liberal variety are the watchwords of the cuisine managers, and a competent corps of waiters provides excellent service. The tables are supplied with the very best the markets afford: pure milk and butter—bought at special country dairies—meats, vegetables, fruits—nothing is lacking in the bill of fare. The foods are selected and cooked with a view to building up the patient, and after the treatment has progressed a few days eating becomes a pleasure. Probably no sanitarium in the South, and possibly few in the United States have a more complete and up-to-date hotel service for the accommodation of their patients while under treatment; and the fact that the patients almost invariably leave showing an increase in weight speaks for itself.

At this sanitarium, patients can secure apartments with private bath, steam heat and electric lights. They enjoy the privilege of extensive and well shaded grounds, thus affording all the privacy and seclusion which may be desired, and being at the same time within five minutes' walk of the principal business thoroughfare of the city. Altogether it forms a rare combination: that of city and resort life; and the pleasures of both can be thoroughly enjoyed while undergoing treatment for the liquor or drug addictions, the tobacco habit or nerve exhaustion.

## SLAIN INFANT LONG IN WELL

(Special to The Evening Times.)  
Lexington, N. C., Sept. 22.—This morning a white infant was found in a well in the Nokomis cotton mill section of the town. The child had apparently been killed at its birth and had been in the water about two weeks. During this time six families had been using the water from the well.

As yet no one is suspected of the crime. An inquest will be held at once.

**Dr. Long Will Preach Tomorrow.**  
Dr. D. A. Long arrived in the city this morning, and will preach at the Christian church tomorrow, both morning and evening. Dr. Long was for some time pastor of the church here, and his many friends will welcome him back again. It is probable that he will serve the church here until a permanent pastor can be secured.

"Had dyspepsia or indigestion for years. No appetite, and what I did eat distressed me terribly. Burdock Blood Bitters cured me."—J. H. Walker, Sunbury, Ohio.