

A DAY IN THE CITY.

Freezing weather, with fair weather today, is the Weather Bureau forecast.

The Mission Ten of The King's Daughters will meet tonight at 8 o'clock, at Miss Leah Jones.

Today is George Washington's birthday. If living, the Father of his Country would be 166 years old.

The banks of this city will be closed today, Washington's Birthday, which is observed as a National holiday.

Marshals badges arrived yesterday and are on sale at Bradham's Pharmacy. All Marshals are expected to secure their badges at once.

The Italian Band is in the city and will remain here over the week. They will play at the Fair grounds and at various street fair week.

The maximum temperature, as observed by the Government, yesterday and today was 62 degrees Fahrenheit.

The funeral of Mrs. J. H. Smith was held at Central Avenue Cemetery yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock. Rev. M. J. Johnson conducted the funeral services.

The meat market of Smith & Son on Middle street is being thoroughly renovated and will present an attractive appearance when finished.

The steamer Neuse did not arrive Sunday until 12:40 o'clock, noon, the steamer's late arrival being due to a heavy freight, the Neuse leaving Elizabeth City several hours behind regular schedule time.

The Souvenir Fair badges are now on sale. They are in two designs and make a very pretty remembrance to wear and give to friends. They are for sale at various stores, and the "souvenir boy" will remind you that he has them.

Gilbert Walden, the famous Southern Fiddler, will give his entertainment at the Standly Hall tonight and every one who can should hear him. Seats can be reserved at Mrs. Severy's this morning. The hall will be well warmed. The entertainment is for the benefit of the Atlantic Fire Company.

PERSONAL.

Dr. W. C. Whitfield of Grimsby, Pitt county, is in the city.

Maj. Graham Hayes left yesterday morning to spend some time at Raleigh.

Judge Henry B. Bryan left yesterday for Henderson to hold court.

Sheriff W. E. Daniel, of Weldon, arrived last night to attend court.

Hon. F. M. Simmons of Raleigh, came down last night to attend court.

Mrs. J. W. Hubbs returned last night from Tarboro, where she has been visiting for a few weeks.

Hon. E. C. Pittman's meeting from Beaufort, yesterday morning and stopped over in the city a few hours.

Judge Theo. H. Smith, of Fayetteville, arrived last night to hold Criminal court.

The Amos Weaver family went to Durham to spend the week's vacation.

Messrs. S. B. Lee, of Washington, and Walter Means of Raleigh, are registered at the Midway.

Miss Sara Deane left yesterday morning to take the position of telegraph operator at Dixon.

Mr. J. J. Patterson, of Booth Bay, Me., arrived on the Neuse on Sunday and is the guest of Mr. Walter H. Brax.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. J. Henson, of Virginia, who have been visiting at Mr. C. E. Sawyer's left yesterday morning.

Col. W. A. Bobbitt and Messrs. Arthur Copeland and Hoge Lynn of Kinston, came down last night and will leave this morning for Jacksonville to spend a few days hunting.

Rev. Calvin S. Blackwell arrived too late Sunday to preach at the morning service at the Tabernacle Baptist church, but spoke at Middle Street Baptist at night. Dr. Blackwell left yesterday morning.

Inflammatory Rheumatism Cured in 3 Days.

Morton L. Hill, of Lebanon, Ind., says: "My wife had Inflammatory Rheumatism in every muscle and joint, her suffering was terrible and her body and face were swollen almost beyond recognition; had been in bed for six weeks and had eight physicians but received no benefit until she tried the MYSTIC CURE FOR RHEUMATISM. It gave immediate relief and she was able to walk about in three days. I am sure it saved my life." Sold by Henry's Pharmacy, Juggist New Bern, N. C.

ALL THE RESERVES.

Wilmington, Elizabeth City and Goldsboro Reserves.

The Wilmington Naval Reserve, at a meeting last week, resolved to attend the New Bern Fair in a body. A special train will be run on the day decided upon and most of the friends of the boys will accompany them and make up a merry party.

The Elizabeth City Reserves have formally decided to attend the fair. Arrangements will be made to make it especially pleasant for them during their visit. They expect to come in force and bring their wives with them.

It is expected that the Kinston Reserves will select a day for their visit and will be attended in a body. The Goldsboro Reserves will also be in an organization and will be an attractive feature.

The New Bern Reserves held a meeting last night and accepted the invitation to accompany the Fair parade which will take place on Friday morning.

If all the Reserves could arrange to attend on the same day, a fine display could be made, and a good parade held by all the companies would make a fine showing.

NOTICE, ATTORNEYS.

You are hereby notified to get your uniforms in readiness for the annual parade, Tuesday, March 16. By order of the Association.

CYCLES, NOT?

All bicyclists who will take part in the Fair Parade, next Tuesday, March 15, will please leave their names at W. T. Hill's, at once.

The Man For the Place.

It is probable that Mr. Robert Hancock will be removed from the presidency of the A. & N. C. R. R. Co. His administration of the affairs of the company has been conservative, economical and successful.

Who will take his place? The interests of Craven county demands that a suitable man be selected.

I would suggest to the directors the name of a man admirably well equipped in every respect for the position.

One who having been elected as a civil engineer will bring to the management a technical knowledge of inestimable advantage to the road.

One who has made the survey and all the estimates for the construction of a railroad, gotten out all the material for bridges and other parts of the road, graded, laid the iron, equipped and superintended the running of a railroad.

One who is energetic and untiring in the line of duty, understanding fully the details of accounts, and of excellent judgment in the management of these under his authority, and of a fine fair mind, one who has his political bias as least sight of it, in an agreeable personality.

One not unfamiliar with the affairs of the company, being at present one of its directors.

I refer to Mr. Wm. H. Coad, brother-in-law.

Hope the authorities may give him the presidency of such enterprise, I remain.

Yours Truly,

W. E. HARRIS.

The Discovery of the Day.

Ang. J. Bogal, the leading druggist of Stoneport, Va., says: "Dr. King's New Discovery is the only thing that cured my cough, asthma, and cold. I have tried every other remedy, but nothing has done me any good. Dr. King's New Discovery is all that is needed for a cough, cold, and a sore throat for a cure."

Every one admits them. Since coming south I have received numerous inquiries from northern people for sea shells, and now I am prepared to answer yes. I can send you shells, for I have made quite a collection of lovely shells, both from our own coast, the coral reefs, and some beautiful ones from the West India Islands. I will mail a dozen, no two alike, to any one who sends a stamp for postage.

Yours,

MRS. F. A. WARNER,

Jacksonville, Fla.

Mrs. R. S. Primrose went to Goldsboro yesterday on a short visit.

GOVERNOR NOT COMING.

Will Not Be Able to Open the Fair at New Bern.

The Governor, on February 22, Governor Russell, will not be able to open the Fair at New Bern. Business of official nature will prevent.

The formal announcement to the Secretary of the Fair is not yet been forwarded but it is expected to be sent some time this week. Many expected from the city to expect it to be so.

MAD DOGS.

Two State Bitten by One. Three of the Animals Killed in the Past Week.

On Monday, February 22, a dog named "The Devil" was seen in the streets of New Bern. He was a large, black, and very vicious dog. He was seen to bite a man and a woman, and to kill a dog and a pig.

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FIGHT NEARLY OVER.

Between Governor Russell and Southern Railroad.

A. & N. C. Railroad Likely the Peace Settler, Governor Sued for Old Claim Soldiers' Home Investigation, Why They Quarrelled.

The Governor's position in a special session to discuss the proposition of a bill to the Southern, the Atlantic and North Carolina Railroad. The bill is strongly favored by the Governor. The A. & N. C. R. R. is the Southern. The investigations were at the North R. R. regarding the case of the North Carolina road.

Governor Russell has been sued for \$1,000 by Mr. Allen R. B. of Washington City. Mr. Russell is represented by Judge Russell as one of the counsel in the case of Leckmishy Martin for a seat in the House of Representatives from the 6th district of North Carolina. There was quite a good deal of work done by Mr. Russell, and he was only paid \$25.

Wednesday the 21st inst. Wednesday, the beginning of Lent and so for a time at least there will be no more of the "Mosses," Caldwell and Pearson's, and the Washington today to appear before the U. S. Supreme court in regard to them suing the R. R. commissioners' office. They will be represented by Judges Avery and MacRae. Mr. R. O. Burton represents the two Wilsons.

Rev. Dr. Murdoch of Salisbury, preached the last of the series of sermons on the Apostle Paul's epistle to the church of the Good Shepherd, last night. The subject was on "Prayer." At the Baptist Church, Rev. Dr. G. H. Brantley, preached a sermon on the subject of which was "Christ came to forgive."

Mr. E. A. Brown of Salisbury, one of the members of the Soldiers' Home here, is the man who made complaint, as to the rules governing the old veterans, being too strict. He has been discharged and given his transportation home, but he says he will not leave until an investigation to show the public that he has not been unreasonable. It would seem that with \$30 for the State appropriation for the support of the Home, but that \$100,000 could be made better care for them if it was the law. No one, however, carries more than the private soldier. The command of the officers, a matter how brilliant, could have been of use had they not been intelligently carried out by the privates.

The Mutual Building and Loan Association of Raleigh filed their statement with the state Auditor Saturday. Their capital stock for the year was \$750,000. This beats all other Associations by \$125,000.

It is said that their annual commission at its present session will reduce present rate on all the leading roads in the State to 2 1/2 for 100 and 2 for 100. This is a reduction of 25 per cent. The Governor wanted all this reduction stopped along with the war against the local, so as to reduce the Southern to leave the A. & N. C. R. R. an annual rental of 2 1/2 per cent on capital stock. The Southern has offered that. This would cover the expenses of the war against the local, which is about \$12,000,000. The commission says they have had the rate would be reduced and they must find a way to pay it. Now what pressure the Governor will bring to bear upon them is not known, but his will should will be expressed out at once by Caldwell and Pearson.

Governor Russell is reported to have sent for employes Simmons and Avery as attorneys. Hancock told him that Russell had employed Democrats in the railroad case. Russell said that was his business, while Hancock's case was patriotic and would put leading Democrats in possession of the secrets of his administration.

There are said to be local prospects for the building of a first-class theatre here. The N. C. Society, the order of the Cincinnati meets here tomorrow. Major Charles J. Davis, U. S. A. of Asheville has already come to attend.

Judge T. C. Fuller of that court of Land Ours has returned home from Santa Fe, New Mexico.

Passenger Rates Made by the Railway Commission Yesterday Free Passes.

Special to Journal. Raleigh, February 21. Railway Commission makes rate first-class fare on leading roads in the State 2 1/2 a mile, second class 2 a mile. This rate does not apply to Atlantic & North Carolina Railroad.

The Commission also filed free pass or free mileage transportation to all editor's staff, correspondents and employees of newspapers in the State.

Northers Short of Funds. New Bedford, Mass., February 20. The fifth week of the big cotton mill strike has ended, and apparently there is no settlement in sight.

The prevailing opinion is that the operatives will be forced back to work within two weeks.

Robbed the Grave. A startling incident of which Mr. John Oliver, of Philadelphia, was the subject, is narrated by him as follows: "I was in a most dreadful condition. My skin was almost yellow, eyes sunken, tongue coated, pain continually in back and side, no appetite, gradually growing weaker day by day. Three physicians had given me up. Fortunately a friend advised trying 'Becher's Bitters,' and to my great joy and surprise, the first bottle made a decided improvement. I continued their use for three weeks, and am now a well man. I know they saved my life, and robbed the grave of another victim." No one should fail to try them. Only 50 cents per bottle at F. B. Duffy's drug store.

You can get Violins, Banjos, Mandolins, Guitars and Autoharps and Strings for, show instruments from Baxter, the Jeweler.

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Syrup of Figs is for sale in 50 cent bottles by all leading druggists. Any reliable druggist who may not have it on hand will procure it promptly for any one who wishes to try it. Do not accept any substitute.

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THE TOBACCO INTERESTS.

Largely Attended Stockholders' Meeting of New Bern Warehouse Company, New Tobacco Warehouse.

The called meeting of the stockholders of the New Bern Tobacco Warehouse Company, held last night at the city hall, was the most largely attended of any previous meeting.

The attendance showed the interest taken in the tobacco warehouse business, and the fact was predicted and all for including New Bern's opportunity as a tobacco market.

In the absence of President Street, Vice-President K. E. Jones, presided.

The resignation of Dr. N. H. Street, as President of the company was read and his resignation was accepted.

In a single night, the company there were a number of complimentary remarks made concerning Dr. Street's work in the company. It was noted that the tobacco warehouse had made in making New Bern a tobacco market.

The fact that Dr. Street was resigning a new tobacco warehouse in the city of the heavy consumption of every month in the city, and would be certain to promote and increase the tobacco trade in this city.

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HOT BUCKWHEAT CAKES For Breakfast With Maple Syrup.



These Cold Morning, are something to what the Appetite and Satisfaction at the same time. Try some of our FRESH HOT BUCKWHEAT and our GENUINE MAPLE SYRUP, and you will enjoy a delicious meal. We also have Prepared Buckwheat, Prepared Goodie Cake Flour, and everything necessary to get you prepared for the duties of the day, and then retire.

Dry Goods Department. See Our Expensive Display. Compare our Values. In proof our Stock. We can Show a Large and Varied Assortment with Varied Assortment with Representative Lines of Every Ware and Every Fabric.

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We have secured the agency for New Bern for the American Tailors of Cincinnati, popular price tailors "to the trade."

This is one of the most creditable establishments of its character in this country, and no one can make first-class goods at prices more reasonable than they.

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A fit is guaranteed and work delivered free of express charges.

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We Want Your Trade and will guarantee Prices and First-Class Work. NOT CHEAP PRINTING BUT PRINTING CHEAP.

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SEASON TICKETS For The Fair! Are now on sale and can be procured at Davis' Pharmacy, Henry's Pharmacy, A. E. Hibbard's Jewelry Emporium, or from George Green, Secretary of the Association.

Don't put off getting your tickets. If purchased before the Fair they are \$1.50; during the Fair they are \$2.00; Children's Season Tickets, of course, during the Fair \$1.00.

NEED IRISH POTATOES. For Sale 100 Barrels First-Class Seed Irish Potatoes, white Bliss, tall grown. Will be delivered at Aurora, N. C. Four barrels, double headed, if desired. Correspondents answered promptly. O. K. MALLIBON, Feb. 11, 1904. MaMa, N. C.