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The King of all Cigarettes. THE LATEST AND BEST.
Sold Wholesale and Retail by J. HAL. BOBBITT.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

Found.
A child's gold ring was found on North Blount street, near the corner of Peace and Blount streets. Owner can get it by calling at this office and paying for this notice.

Harvey's Pure lard,
King's Reliable Hams,
English Cured Shoulders,
N. C. Hams, Sides and Soulders,
Pure Apple Vinegar 4 years old,
"Royal Crown" Fancy Patent Flour,
Dunlap's Water-ground Bolted Meal,
Finest Grade Rockwell Creamery
Butter.

The above are a few of the many
brands of high grade staple groceries
now on sale at D. T. Johnson's. 174

A complete line of ladies' muslin
underwear from 25c a garment at
Woolcott & Son's.

3,000 yds gingham, 5c, former price
10c.
1,000 yds challis 3 3/4c yard.
1,000 yds lawn at 5c yd, at
Woolcott & Son's.

All slippers at reduced prices at
Woolcott & Son's.

63c space for rent on ground floor.
Also large shop in rear. Apply at
120 Fayetteville street. j11

Get your meals at 130 Fayetteville
street.

You can get board by the day, week
or month at Jordan's Dining Hall.

While your family is away this summer
get your meals at Jordan's Dining
Hall. Prices reasonable and every-
thing first class.

Chickens, eggs and country produce
at Turner & Wynne's.

Fresh bread and yeast received every
morning at Turner & Wynne's.

The "great strike" is going on, but
prices are still low at Turner &
Wynne's.

Finest sugar cured hams, breakfast
bacon and beef tongues at Turner &
Wynne's.

Acme—best patent—White Swan
and other flours. Prices the lowest at
Turner & Wynne's.

Easy Prices and Easy Stices for Sum-
mer Weather

Ladies Tan Oxfords	\$1.00
Ladies White Canvas Oxfords	1.50
Ladies Tan Bluchers and Oxfords	2.50
Ladies Oxford Ties 50c 75c and	1.00
Misses White Canvas Oxfords	1.00
Misses Tan Oxfords	1.25
Misses Black Oxfords	1.00
Bay's Tan Bluchers	2.00
Men's Tan Bluchers	2.50
Men's Tan Hats	3.00

W. H. & R. S. Tucker & Co.,
133 and 125 Fayetteville St.

A damage suit for \$6.50 wherein a
cow was defendant and the late Ben
Butler was plaintiff, 35 years ago, is
still ringing in the ears of the profes-
sion. Barring the cow, we have a suit
for \$6.50 that will eclipse any sensa-
tional occurrence up to date.
D. T. Swindell.

"Saved!" cried the buyer as he
clapped the dollar in his pocket-book,
and you can do the same if you buy
your clothing from D. T. Swindell.

If this kind of a day don't make you
think of hot weather clothing, you'll
scarcely need any this side of the
grave.
D. T. Swindell.

Straw hats at your price.
Swindell's Department Store.

In our table linen department we
have put on the counter a "job" in
colored cloths which is worthy of your
attention. Nice for fruit or tea cloths.
Ask to see them. D. T. Swindell.

We have still left a few pounds of
green and black tea at 45c.
D. T. SWINDELL.

In the carpet and matting depart-
ment we have some regular, nice good
things at figures away down yonder.
D. T. Swindell.

Don't overlook the fact that Swin-
dell is still in the clothing business,
and the bargains and values he will
give you in their line are astonishing.

Thomas & Maxwell, the leading fur-
niture dealers, are selling curtain
poles at 20 cents each. j17

Bread, Bread, Bread
Give me your orders for bread. Al-
ways fresh and carefully baked. Re-
member I sell full weight loaves, 14
loaves for 5 cents. Cakes are a spe-
cialty. Ned Jones, the Baker,
corner S. McDowell and W. Lenoir sts.
123-14.

DOTS AND DASHES

MADE ABOUT TODAY'S HAP-
PENINGS.

Intresting Items Gathered in
and Around the City.

John Bethel, colored, a chicken
thief, was brought to jail from Cary
township.

Martha Montague, colored, was sent
to jail today by a magistrate, for
stealing silverware.

Mr. M. F. Rath and family left
Litchinton yesterday for this city,
which is to be their home.

Gen. R. F. Hoke is now at Lincoln-
ton looking after the interests of the
Lincoln lithia water company.

Next week Rev. John Paysaur, a
recent graduate of Wake Forest, will
be ordained a preacher in Lincoln
county.

The Oriole baseball club of Raleigh
will play the Wake Forest team at
Litchinton tomorrow. A close game
may be expected.

It will be finest of the season and
the cheapest only four dollars to
Asheville and return, on July 24th.
Don't get the date mixed.

Just one week from next Tuesday
is the big excursion to Asheville, and
the cheapest—four dollars. See pos-
ters for full particulars.

Mr. J. S. Wynne has done a very
kind thing in buying 150 tickets for
the Litchinton excursion tomorrow
and giving one of these to each employ-
ee in the hosiery yarn mills.

The fireman at Peckleson & Parme-
lea's lumber mills, at Jacksonville,
Onslow county, permitted the water
to get too low in the 100 horse-power
boiler. As a result it "let-go," and
part of it was blown 500 yards. Three
quoplyes were killed and another
fatally injured.

It's going to be a Jim Dandy, so ev-
erybody says who went with Daniels
and Pippin last year to Asheville; and
only four dollars. Train leaves the
24th of July and returns on the 28th,
and leaves at such a nice hour, one
o'clock in the morning. Are'nt you
going? You can get your tickets now
at J. Y. MacRae's.

The Visitor yesterday mentioned
the fire at the cotton storage ware-
house at Goldsboro. T. D. Gully, pro-
prietor of the North State cotton
mills there, who owned 240 bales of
the 340, suffers a loss of nearly \$5,-
000; no insurance. The storage com-
pany's 100 bales foot up a loss of
\$2,000; insured. The damage to the
warehouse amounts to \$1,000; covered
by insurance.

The assessed value of railway prop-
erty in Wake county, as fixed by the
railway commission, is as follows:
Durham and Northern, \$4,442; Ral-
eigh and Gaston, \$333,249; Raleigh
and Augusta, \$159,002; Southern rail-
way, one-third interest in the union
passenger station here, \$10,000. No
valuation is put on the North Caro-
lina railway pending the decision of
the injunction matter.

The state board of medical examiners
met at Morehead City today for the
purpose of examining applicants
for license to practice medicine in this
state. The members of the board are
Dr. W. H. Whitehead, Rocky Mount,
president; Dr. L. J. Picot, Littleton,
secretary; Dr. G. W. Long, Graham;
Dr. J. M. Baker, Tarboro; Dr. H. B.
Weaver, Asheville; Dr. J. M. Hayes,
Greensboro; Dr. T. S. Burbank, Wil-
mington.

Be sure to attend the entertainment
at the residence of Mr. D. J. Mood, 321
West Jones street. Refreshments
served from 6 to 11 p. m. All the
flowers will be present and decide as
to who shall be their queen. The
quarrel ends in a peaceable manner,
as all agree that one of the number may
truly be crowned "Queen of the Flow-
ers." Come and see which one it will
be. Everybody invited. Exercises
begin promptly at 8.15.

Off for Canada.

The following left here today at
11:45 a. m. on the special personally
conducted trip to Canada over the S.
A. L.: Mr. and Mrs. Alf. A. Thomp-
son and daughter Mary, Rev. Dr. M.
M. Marshall, Rev. Dr. Bennett Smedley,
Mr. Edgar A. Womble, Mr. Charles E.
Johnson and son, Mr. A. R. D. John-
son and sister, Mr. Irwin Jones. The
tickets are good until July 31. Mr. A.
J. Cooke accompanied the party.

A Delightful Excursion.

The annual excursion of the Raleigh
and Gaston railway relief association
will go to Littleton tomorrow. The
price of tickets, round trip, is only \$1.
The special train will leave the John-
son street station at 6:45 a. m. The
relief association is a most worthy one.
It has for years done a great work.
Its annual excursions are always ad-
mirably managed and there are no
more pleasant ones anywhere. The
Visitor hopes the one tomorrow will
be a success.

News Notes from Camp Vance.

Governor Carr and the staff officers
of the Third and Fourth regiments,
and the ladies at the Atlantic hotel,
were taken out to sea yesterday by
Capt. Gabrielson, commanding the
steamer Colfax. The party left at 11
o'clock and returned at 3. There
were about 300. An elegant lunch
was served on board. The trip was
very delightful except to those who
had a slight attack of seasickness. A
special to the Charlotte Observer says
music was furnished by the Third
regiment band.

Sale of the News and Observer.

At 7 o'clock last evening the sale of
the News and Observer, which at 5
o'clock had been adjourned for two
hours at the request of some of the
bidders, was resumed. Mr. J. N.
Holding was the buyer. It was com-
mon talk that the purchase was made
for Edwards & Broughton, but Mr.
Holding says that this is not the fact;
that he bought the paper himself.
He had a judgment against it for
\$2,800. The price he paid was \$6,810.
There is ten days time before the date
of confirmation of the sale and during
that time any one has the privilege
of raising Mr. Hodin's bid.

Political News.

Chairman Eaves having declined to
call the republican state executive
committee to meet before the republi-
can state convention, it has been re-
quested by one of its members, Mr. H.
L. Grant, of Wayne, to meet at Ral-
eigh July 30. Those who want a com-
mittee meeting before the convention
are those who want to make a fusion
arrangement with the populists. The
fusion idea, as the Charlotte Observer
has heard it from those who should
know, is to elect a composite legisla-
ture and have it elect Messrs. J. C.
Pritchard and Marion Butler United
States senators.

A Boy in the Pulpit.

Jimmie Cook, who is known as the
"boy preacher," is here. He is 16
years old, and was born in Carrollton,
Ga. He tells the Visitor he has been
preaching four years, and has preach-
ed in fifteen states. He has been in
North Carolina a little over a month.
Jimmie is the smallest preacher ever
seen in this part of the country. He
says he has regular license from the
Alabama Methodist conference. He is
an orphan and says his purpose in
preaching is to raise money with which
to educate himself and his sister, who
is 13 years of age. Some of the state
papers have "roasted" Jimmie, while
others speak most kindly of his work
in the pulpit. He says there is noth-
ing sensational about his preaching.
He will preach at Metropolitan hall at
8:30 this evening. Admission free.

The News and Observer-Chronicle
sold for \$6,810.00. Not every body
can pay that amount but all can
buy a ticket on the big excursion to
Norfolk, July 25th for \$2.50.

Wednesday week big excursion to
Norfolk; get ready. They are going
they said so, only \$2.50.

PERSONAL POINTS.

ABOUT PROMINENT NORTH
CAROLINIANS.

People Who Come, People Who
go and People You Know.

Capt. W. K. Davis, of Louisburg, is
here.

State chemist H. B. Battle is at
Chapel Hill.
Herbert Norris, Esq., of Apex, came
in this morning.

Mr. Hal M. Worth, of Randolph, is
here for a few days.

Mrs. Thomas L. Eberhardt left for
Norfolk this morning.

Mrs. Mary Turner returned today
after a pleasant visit to Louisburg.

Mr. Frank Stronach went to More-
head City today, as did also Mr. Ed.
Chambers Smith.

Mr. Frank P. Haywood, Jr., has
returned from a pleasant visit to
Worthville, Randolph county.

Mr. Henry E. Knox, hydraulic en-
gineer, has returned to Charlotte
from Raleigh, having made the survey
for the water supply for the agricul-
tural and mechanical college. He
will return later and complete it.

OBSERVATIONS.

Tomorrow will be "Governor's day"
at Camp Vance.

Mention was made of a cotton fire
yesterday. It was at Clayton and not at
Selma.

There will be another Japanese stu-
dent at the university. His name is
Teisaku Sugistretu.

The rainfall last night was just the
thing needed. At the state experiment
farm one and a half inches fell.

The sheriff of Warren county
brought one convict to the peniten-
tary today, and one convict, a female,
arrived from Orange.

Mr. James W. Rumble, son of Rev.
Jethro Rumble, of Salisbury, was
drowned yesterday near Shendum,
Va., while bathing in the Shenandoah
river. His age was 34 years.

Two of the most artistic photographs
ever seen here are in a window of
Watson's art store. They are of
Richland creek and of the Swannanoa
river near Asheville.

The 25th annual session of the
North Carolina Methodist local
preachers' conference meets at Ruther-
ford college, a mile from Connelly's
springs, tomorrow. Rev. Dr. Levi
Branson will attend.

Yesterday a five year old son of Mr.
Gaston Stafford, who is superintend-
ent of the fair grounds, was badly
hurt while playing on some lumber.
He stepped on a nail, which went
through his foot.

The battery of the Second U. S. ar-
tillery which lost some men by the
explosion of a caisson at Chicago was
for some time stationed here. It was
commanded by captain and brevet Col.
Carle A. Woodruff who is now pro-
moted major and is stationed at New
York. Lt. Gayle is one of the officials.

Sunday was a day of storms. One
at Wadesboro came up after a
slight shower, and did considerable
damage, tearing up trees and wreck-
ing a colored Baptist church in which
there were some twenty-five persons.
Several were hurt, but not seriously.

The Washington correspondent of
the Charlotte Observer says today:
"While the general impression is that
Hon. Charles M. Cooke has the call
for the congressional nomination, one
of the nearest of representative Bunn's
friends said today: 'It is thirty days
to the nominating convention.'"

The Durham Sun says that Dr. and
Mrs. Kemp P. Battle gave a most de-
lightful whist party at their beautiful
home at Chapel Hill last Saturday
evening. About fifty guests were
present. Miss Yarborough, of Louis-
burg, won the prize, a handsome silver
spoon, with the date of the occasion
engraved upon it.

ROAD IMPROVEMENT.

A Conference at Chapel Hill
Next Week.

The improvement of the public
roads at the least possible cost is a
problem of such great importance in
relation to the welfare of the people
of the state that the State university
invites persons of all professions in-
terested in the subject to meet in con-
ference at Chapel Hill next week for
the purpose of discussing the road
problem from every standpoint.

These discussions will relate espe-
cially to the improvement of the pre-
sent dirt roads by changing their loca-
tion, drainage and grading, the build-
ing of macadam and other modern
roads, the best way to use county con-
viets, the best form of road law, and
the modern methods of working and
building roads practiced in other
states. A set of road machinery will
be operated at Chapel Hill during the
week and the meetings of the con-
ference will be addressed by persons
prominently connected with the work
of road improvement, including Gov.
Carr, the instructors in road engineer-
ing at the university, Mr. McMackin,
of Raleigh, the State geologist, and
others. A portion of each day will be
devoted to examining the road ma-
chinery and its work, and surveying
roads with a view to changing their
location so as to get around steep hills,
swampy places, etc. Reduced rates
for board have been secured for all
persons who attend, and reduced rates
will be given by the railroads for those
who are able to visit Durham Thurs-
day, July 26th, and Raleigh Friday,
27th, for the purpose of examining
the road building now being carried
on at these places. It is especially de-
sired that the county commissioners,
magistrates, road supervisors and
road overseers from the several coun-
ties attend the conference, so that
they can discuss among themselves the
best methods of road improvement.
Everything possible will be done to
make the work instructive.

The Wake Forest Alumni.

Correspondence: In regard to the
resolution relative to state aid to the
University and the opposition to can-
didates for office who favor the state
appropriation, I will say that it will
be introduced at the next meeting of
the Wakes Forest alumni association,
even if I have to do it, although un-
alterably opposed to it. As to whether
or not it will be discussed depends
upon whether the chairman's knowl-
edge of parliamentary law and usage
is as limited as his knowledge of what
a gentleman is due his equal. This may
not seem "sane" or "reasonable," but
I submit that it is just as sane and
reasonable as it is honorable for a
number of men to get together in the
name of quickening interest in their
alma mater and devising methods for
the increase of her endowment, when
their real object is to make an under-
handed attack on a state institution.
The statement that the association has
nothing to do with such matters will
not fool anybody. The voting public
were not born yesterday, and neither
are they a set of ninies or nincom-
poops. Beloved, why not fight openly
and above board.

T. C. BAILEY, JR.

Norfolk the place, Wednesday, July
25th, the time, \$2.50 the price. Dur-
ham via Raleigh, Selma, Rocky Mount
the route. Your part of programme
go and get your friend to go.

This morning two special Pullman
cars attached to the S. A. L. vestibule
train passed here having on board 55
persons, mainly from South Carolina,
on their way to Canada, on the spe-
cial personally conducted excursion
to Canada.

A wild and fierce looking steer ran
away and created a good deal of ex-
citement on South Wilmington street
this afternoon. The spirited animal
was finally captured before he did any
damage.

Hand polished curtain poles 20 cts.
each at Thomas & Maxwell's.

EAGLE - ALTAIR.



FINEST ON EARTH

They are not tested in
a hall.
The 24 lb wheel has
been tested on the
roughest roads
For Over a Year
and have

Stood the Test

If you want the best you
should buy this wheel.
THOS. H. BRIGGS & SONS,
RALEIGH, N. C.

NOT LIKELY TO BE DULL.

A magnificent stock of stylish
and reasonable goods at prices
that tell their own story of val-
ues that, "when compared, con-
vince," gives us no reason to
crank about hard times.
Meat in the smoke house, fine
stock in the stables, fine crops,
fine prospects which our people
enjoy to a greater extent than
ever before, indicate prosper-
ity, coupled with the low prices
we make on all kinds of
Dry Goods,
Shoes, Hats, Trunks
and Domestic of all kinds, are
also favorable and conducive to
happiness. The great array of
kinds, styles and qualities we
offer are gratifying and pleas-
ing. The purchasing value of
your dollar today is greater with
us than elsewhere. Our expenses
are lighter and we make it so.
Try us before you buy.

C. A.
Sherwood & Co.

Wash Goods

—FOR—
HOT SUMMER
WEATHER.

3c and 5c
Per Yd

We have just placed on sale
one case, 3,600 yards, of Print-
ed Lawns, white, black and
navy blue grounds, at the
very low price of 3c per yd,
really worth 5c per yard.

Also, one case, 3,100 yds,
of Figured Lawns, new print-
ings, in Dresden, Organdy
and Dimity effects, at only 5c
per yd; would be very cheap
at 7 1/2c.

These are in new colorings,
dainty designs and wholly
unlike any goods ever shown
in the city before at 5c per
yard.

W. H. & R. S.
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