

DON'T THINK because the price is popular and in keeping with the times that the quality is not right.  
 A trial will convince you they are the equal of any 10 for 5 cent cigarette on the market.

Sold Wholesale and Retail by J. HAL. BOBBITT.

"CITY TALK." 20 for 5 Cents.

### Give the Cars a Push.

Every citizen of Raleigh who desires to see the street cars continue to run owes it to himself, the city and the company to "drop a nickel in the slot" as often as he can. If patronized to the extent of paying operating expenses and wear and tear the cars will keep going; if patronized liberally the service and equipment will be improved in every way. The owners are perhaps willing to wait for dividends on their investment until the city grows and the cars can be made to pay, but they cannot be expected to keep the cars running at a loss for the benefit and pleasure of those who ride only when they have to do so. Take a ride now and then, when you don't really feel compelled to ride, just to help things along. Give the cars a push!

There was a remarkably severe storm at Norfolk Saturday evening. Two men were killed by lightning. One of these was standing with outstretched hand in which was money which he was about to pay. The lightning struck his hand.

### SPECIAL NOTICES.

Torbell's cream cheese at  
 TURNER & WYNNE'S.  
 Bananas 10, 15 and 20c doz at Riggan's.  
 Bananas 10c a dozen at Riggan's.  
 Bananas 15c dozen at Riggan's.

For sweet apple cider, cooking apples, N. C. shoulders and sides, nice butter, tested eggs and all kinds of fresh vegetables, call on J. N. Hubbard, at Prairie building, Wilmington street.

Go see W. B. Mann's stock of meats, large hams, small hams, and all kinds of hams.  
 120 2c.

A big bargain in toilet soaps.  
 At  
 TURNER & WYNNE'S.

The Dress Goods we Can Buy for 5c  
 Per Yard at Tucker's

Printed lawns, aprons and dress gingham, shirting calicoes, Lisbon cloths, white India linen, white check muslin and white striped lawn. All better than you are accustomed to at the price.

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

Moore will take photos in any part of the city.  
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Hand polished curtain poles 20 cts. each at Thomas & Maxwell's.

Office space for rent on ground floor. Also large shop in rear. Apply at 126 Fayetteville street.  
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Extra bargains in furniture at Thomas & Maxwell. Bed lounges with detachable mattresses a specialty.

Fine photographs are now made by Moore at about half the former price.

"MELROSE" flour in barrels, halves, quarters, eighths, and sixteenths, at  
 TURNER & WYNNE'S.

All kinds of curtain poles at Thomas & Maxwell's at 20 cents each.

Indigo blue prints 5c. A new lot just received at Swindell's.

Peaches, full weight, 10c a can at D. T. SWINDELL'S.

Men's negligee shirts 15c to \$1.50 at Swindell's Department Store.

The clearance sales at Swindell's department store are meeting with a greater success than was anticipated; but why should it not be so? The grades and values which he is giving can't help but attract the crowds who are in search of bargains.

Special Sales in Counterpanes.

We have placed in a conspicuous nook in our store a lot of Marseilles and crochet quilts and counterpanes with specially marked prices, in plain figures, for 98c. You can get a good one.  
 D. T. Swindell.

We are having big sales in our wash dress goods. The figures on them are so low customers can't resist buying them.  
 Swindell's Department Store.

Don't overlook our sale of linen table cloths and fruit cloths. You may miss some good things if you don't see them.  
 Swindell's.

"MELROSE" flour just received at TURNER & WYNNE'S.

### DOTS AND DASHES

#### MADE ABOUT TODAY'S HAPPENINGS.

#### Interesting Items Gathered in and Around the City.

In this section there is about as much rain as the crops can stand.

Raleigh merchants expect a fine fall trade. The outlook is exceedingly promising.

The brick work of the front of Mr. Stronach's stables, on South Wilmington street, is completed.

A leading cotton dealer here says the present crop is by far the best he has ever seen and that it is 25 per cent finer than that of last year.

The decision in the injunction to prevent the North Carolina railway's officers from paying taxes may not be filed before August.

The lumber for the street car ties is beginning to arrive and is being unloaded on Fayetteville street. The work of repairing the tracks will now be steadily pushed.

There are many who have friends; some in Norfolk, some in Washington and Baltimore. The big excursion July 25th gives you a three day's trip for \$2.50 to Norfolk.

The fourth term of Prof. W. L. Smith's school of penmanship for ladies and girls will open tomorrow afternoon at 5 o'clock at the Yarbboro house.

The inmates of the soldiers' home are revelling in the abundance of watermelons and canteloupes. The latter were never better or more plentiful than they are this season.

Six of the students at the agricultural and mechanical college remain during the vacation in order to build a residence for Prof. Irby. They are making good progress and are doing the work well.

Big excursion has secured rates to Washington from Norfolk July 25th for 25, \$3.00; for 50 or more \$2.75. This train leaves union depot at 8 a. m. next Wednesday morning.

In the political world there is just now much heat. The attacks on candidates are extremely bitter. At present it appears that the campaign will be a personal one, though of course not in the South Carolina style.

Don't throw your money away going where you can't see anything; go to Norfolk on July 25th with the big excursion; only \$2.50. That gives you plenty of time to visit Washington or Baltimore. You go on Wednesday and return Friday.

Saturday evening about 9 o'clock a negro man layd another on Fayetteville street, by hiding in the Pullen building and springing out upon his victim whom he gave a fearful blow on the head, using a heavy club.

Mr. Meade Lambeth is now at the general delivery window at the post-office, vice Mr. Thomas G. Jenkins, displaced. Wiley Hunter, colored, who was assistant mailing clerk, has also left the service and Mr. Guy L. Bunch succeeds him.

About half the families occupying the operatives' houses at Caraleigh have moved. The houses will be fumigated and disinfected. The fever epidemic there is abating, it is a pleasure to state. The authorities say that the waterworks pond will be drained and that the channel of Walnut creek down to Ratman's old pond will be deepened.

The only roads in the late Richmond terminal system yet remaining unsold are the Georgia Pacific, to be sold Aug. 18; the Louisville & Southern, Aug. 16; the Western North Carolina and the Northwestern North Carolina, Aug. 21, and the Oxford & Clarksville and Clarksville & North Carolina, Aug. 22. It is expected that the reorganization will be complete by Sept. 1, and that the new securities will be ready for exchange.

Finest New York State creamery butter at  
 TURNER & WYNNE'S.

### WAKE HUMANE SOCIETY

#### Mass Meeting this Evening for Permanent Organization.

For some weeks the temporary officers of the Wake county humane society have been at work perfecting plans for the permanent organization of this much needed association. Messrs. J. D. Wait, J. E. Pogue, P. C. Ennis, W. C. McMackin and Joseph Blake, the committee appointed to prepare the charter, constitution, by-laws and all matters preliminary, having completed the work, call a meeting for permanent organization this evening at 8.30 o'clock at Metropolitan hall. It is specially desired that a large number of citizens be present, as the selection of proper officers and giving the association a good start is very important. The following persons have signed this call: "We, the undersigned citizens of Raleigh, are in favor of the organization of a society for the prevention of cruelty to animals, and agree to become members and give it our hearty support." R. S. Tucker, Julius Lewis, S. W. Brewer, J. E. Pogue, W. C. McMackin, P. C. Ennis, S. D. Wait, N. B. Broughton, E. W. Moye, S. A. Ashe, B. R. Lacy, John T. Pullen, W. F. Massey, Jesse A. Jones, Millard Mial, C. G. Latta, B. F. Montague, M. T. Leach, A. P. Bryan, H. C. Brown, Alf. A. Thompson, Thos. R. Purnell, Job P. Wyatt, Jas. H. Ennis, Jas. L. Foster, R. L. Ellington, W. H. Worth, W. N. Snelling, D. T. Johnson, O. L. Betts, D. H. Allen, Geo. D. Meares, L. P. Duncan, W. H. Dodd, D. G. Holt, P. W. Dowd, C. B. Edwards, W. H. Martin, E. S. Cheek, R. G. Dunn, T. J. Bashford, C. G. Whiting, F. M. Lampkin, A. E. S. Lindsay, Phil A. Andrews, R. W. Merritt, H. L. Watson, T. W. Blake, A. M. Powell, E. B. Thomas, Jno. W. Thompson, M. W. Page, J. C. Brewster, L. H. Royster, W. H. Lancaster, J. S. Wynne, T. B. Crowder, A. Dughi, J. N. Cooper, G. J. Maynard, W. R. Blake, C. E. Crawford, W. R. Crawford, Ruffin Roles, W. A. Upchurch, Jno. B. Stronach, Robert Burkhead, T. Ivey, Alex. B. Stronach, Jno. B. Burwell, J. Schwartz, Thomas Donaldson, R. F. Lewis, W. A. Nixon, Thos. Pence, John S. Jones, John R. Terrell and others. These and all other citizens interested in this humane undertaking are earnestly and cordially invited to be present this evening.

#### A Queer Political Complication.

There is a queer state of political affairs at Wilmington among the democrats. The county committee of the party ordered that primaries be held, these to be held all day with regular pollholders on duty. This aroused opposition and democrats who termed themselves "reformers" antagonized the primaries, contending that the old plan of holding primaries (as in Raleigh, for instance) was the only proper way. The men who favored the primaries are called "regulars." Chairman Simmons of the state committee was asked whether the all-day primaries were proper and said they were not. They were held. Apparently the regulars carried the day, but upon a showing of hands the reformers were found to have won. The regulars represent the "ins," the office holders. The reformers represent the "outs." The contest has caused a great deal of feeling and at the primaries there were some fights.

#### The Weather Report.

For North Carolina: Showers, warmer Tuesday in central portion. Local forecast: Tuesday fair, slightly warmer. Local data for 24 hours ending 8 a. m. today: Maximum temperature 86; Minimum temperature 69; rainfall 1.08.

A part of the storm of yesterday remains central over Virginia. The heaviest rains were 2.00 inches at Norfolk 1.08 at Raleigh and Montgomery. Threatening weather with rain continues along the Atlantic coast. A high area is central over New England. The weather is fair in the central Mississippi valley.

### PERSONAL POINTS.

#### ABOUT PROMINENT NORTH CAROLINIANS.

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

Mr. R. B. Raney left for Boston this morning.

Mr. John H. Winder returned from Morehead City this afternoon.

Mrs. Geo. V. Strong is very ill at her home on North Blount street.

Gov. Carr is greatly pleased with the recent encampment at Morehead City.

Mr. Walter Woolcott left today for New York to make purchases of fall stock.

Clerk N. J. Riddick, of the United States court, is visiting relatives in Gates county.

Mr. Charles M. Busbee and Lt. and Mrs. W. E. Shipp left today for Buffalo Springs.

Mrs. Ed. V. Denton and little Edwin left for Eagle Rock yesterday, to visit their parents.

Prof. Holt, of Oak Ridge institute, who has been here for several days, returned this morning.

Mr. James S. West is critically ill at the residence of his brother, Mr. N. W. West, on Hillsboro street.

Dr. J. L. Brooks, presiding elder of the Shelby district, arrived this morning, Mrs. Brooks accompanying him.

Mr. John C. Scarborough left this afternoon for the state university where he this evening delivers an address before the summer school.

Mr. S. L. Adams, canvassing agent for that admirable newspaper, the Charlotte Observer, is here making a canvass of this city.

Miss Mary Haywood Fowle, who has been attending school at Waterman Hall, near Chicago, is visiting Miss Mattie Pace.

Deputy collector J. F. Pickard reports to collector Simmons the seizure of an illicit distillery near Hillsboro, Orange county. The capacity of the still was 125 gallons.

Judge T. C. Fuller and Hon. C. M. Cooke left today for Fayetteville on business connected with the Ed. Fuller murder trial, which is after all not to be tried at this term of court and will probably be removed to another county from Cumberland.

#### The Jarvis-Ransom Contest

Yesterday's Charlotte Observer contained the following editorial: "The vigorous article of our vigorous correspondent, Bohemian, which appears this morning, may be taken as the beginning of a warfare on senator Jarvis which will not be the better for him or for the democratic party, unless the indecent war on senator Ransom, inside the party, is stopped. This gentleman and his friends have borne contumely and aspersion with great patience, and forbearance has very nearly ceased to be a virtue. Presently, unless the unfair warfare on him is stopped, his friends will go to making reprisals in earnest."

#### Congressman Alexander Withdraws.

Dr. George W. Graham, of Charlotte, publishes in yesterday's Charlotte Observer the following letter: "Last Thursday I received a letter from Hon. S. B. Alexander requesting that his name be withdrawn from the congressional contest in this district. It was not done, however, and today a second communication came, insisting that his wishes be complied with. So please announce in your paper that he will not be a candidate before the convention at Lumberton. Had the last notice been received in time it would have been read to the county convention Saturday."

A second hand Singer sewing machine can be had cheap by applying at this office.

### OBSERVATIONS.

The Visitor regrets to state that Mrs. T. B. Moseley is very ill.

A new church is being built at the pretty little village of Garner.

The old farmers declare that the crops are the best in their recollection.

The work of remodeling the interior of the institution for the white blind will begin in a few days.

Orange Page could with difficulty write when he was first placed in jail. Now he writes quite well. He also draws with some facility.

The largest democratic primaries ever held in Randolph county were those of Saturday. Mr. Bannear carried the county by a good majority.

It is said that the encampment of the first and second regiments next year may be either at Wrightsville or Asheville.

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

Don't forget it. Next Tuesday is the big excursion to Asheville, and the cheapest—four dollars. See posters for full particulars.

A crazy negro, Jim Blake, was brought here today by D. S. Allen. He was put in jail before leaving for the Goldsboro asylum tomorrow.

The shipments of grapes from here begin next week. The crop of Delaware is a fine one in this section. The early varieties of grapes are now in market.

Great war ships and steamers that carry 10,000 bales of cotton at once are to be seen at Norfolk. The big excursion will take you there on July 25th for \$2.50. You can visit Washington and Baltimore.

The following are the new officers of the Methodist ministers' conference: Rev. W. P. Williams, president; Rev. Levi Branson, secretary; Revs. Kaylor Abernethy and Kirkman vice presidents.

It's going to be a Jim Dandy, so everybody 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, ten o'clock in the morning. Aren't you going? You can get your tickets now at J. Y. MacRae's.

Saturday evening John Dughi was thrown from his father's delivery wagon and fell on his head on the pavement. The horse had run away. It was at first thought that John was very seriously hurt. He was for a considerable time unconscious. Today he has improved and is able to talk. His mind is still blank as to his injury. There is general pleasure at his improvement.

#### A Queen of Excursions.

The Masonic excursion to Wrightsville August 16th will be a grand affair. The Raleigh Masons will go, as will also very many members of the order from towns near here and from country lodges. The trip will have many delightful features. The special train will run directly to the ocean and will remain there until time to return. There will be an oyster roast on the beach. There are spacious pavilions, and bath houses, hotels and restaurants. Special rates at the Island Beach hotel have been secured. The singing-class of the Oxford orphan asylum has been specially invited to accompany the Masons. The trains will go via Goldsboro and the seaside will be quickly reached. This excursion will be one of the finest of the season. The price of tickets is extremely low.

The bodies of Cal and Tom Coley (the two murderers who were hanged at Louisburg) were taken to Nash county and buried. Several hundred people were present at the burial, and the coffins were opened to allow all who desired to see the bodies.

### 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 values that, "when compared, convince," gives us no reason to creak 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 prosperity, 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 pleasing. 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.

### A LIVELY DOLLAR.

If you have a dollar to spend it will do more for you now than ever before. Here are the goods that makes a dollar go a long ways.

### WHITE DOTTED SWISS

Easy value at 25c. To close now the balance at 14c.

### PRINTED PERCALES.

The best yet, always 10c., but now 8c.

### GRASS LINENS.

Were 10 cents, now 7 1/2 cents.

### PRINTED LAWN

3 cents and 5 cents. 3 cents and 5 cents.

These are like you have been paying 5 and 7 1/2 cents, but now they are 3 and 5 cts. per yd.

W. H. & R. S.  
 TUCKER & CO.