

NOW IS YOUR TIME TO BUY.

We have a nice lot of Perfumery in broken lines which we are offering at bargain prices. These goods are in no way inferior, but are odds and ends of different lines which we wish to dispose of before our fall purchases arrive. Among them are

PIKAUD'S,
SEELY'S,
RICKSECKER'S,
COLGATE'S,
FRENCH'S,
LURN'S, &c.

—AT—

SNELLING & HICKS'
DRUGSTORE.

A LEAK!

On account of a leak in our store we have some soiled goods which will be sold at reduced price—such as Corsets, Handkerchiefs, Hose and Table-covers; also a few Tidies.

The Lyon
Racket
Store.

OUR buyer in New York is now up with a "job" in sun umbrellas; bought them "cheap." They are first class gloria silk, nobby handles. We are going to sell them cheap. We can offer a \$2.50 gloria silk parasol for \$1.50. We guarantee what we say. D. T. Swindell.

IN OUR shoe department we are fixing to do a big business this fall and will carry none but the best makes, and can assure the public that we will be in better condition to serve them in this line of our business than ever before. D. T. Swindell.

FLAT ON THE FLOOR.—You want a carpet of some kind this fall. You may want more than one; but listen to me once in your life. Don't buy the carpets until our new ones come. The tariff bill has passed and carpets are reduced wonderfully. We have been waiting for the passage of this bill so we have not bought any carpets. Most merchants went straight on and bought carpets and had them shipped right out regardless of the tariff and they will try to argue you into believing the tariff don't affect carpets right away. This is not true. In 10 days from day of passage it goes into effect and you can save one quarter of the price of your carpet if you let good sense prevail. We will have a stock of carpets such as you rarely see. Our buyer is to go to New York this week for carpets. Yours truly, D. T. Swindell.

Carpets at Lower Prices than Free Wool Can Give

Commencing Monday, September 3d, we begin to sell between 5,000 and 6,000 yards of carpets of all kinds and suitable for all purposes.

Read our prices. Here are a few of them:

	REG. PRICE	OUR PRICE
Cotton Ingrains at	15c.	30c.
Half wool "	33c.	45c.
Extra super "	43c.	65c.
Tapestry Brussels,	55c.	80c.
Body "	50 and 55c.	\$1 to \$1.25
Velvet carpets,	54c.	75c.
Velvet carpets,	70c.	\$1.00
Moquette carpets,	72c.	\$1 to \$1.25

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

Extra bargains in furniture at Thomas & Maxwell. Bed lounges with detachable mattresses a specialty.

Finest New York State cremery butter at TURNER & WYNN'S.

IN MEMORIAM.

RESOLUTIONS REGARDING THE LATE MAJ. J. B. NEATHERY.

Adopted by William G. Hill
Lodge of Masons.

The inscrutable fate of mortal man, and indeed of all living things upon this terrestrial sphere, is that none escape the icy grasp of death. It shuns neither the palace of the great and powerful, nor the hovel of the most wretched and degraded. It is familiar in the frequented haunts of men, and equally present in the seclusion of the closet, or the solitude of the wilderness. Science with all its vaunted progress has not yet learned the lesson of prolonging the average of life, much less the obliteration of death.

"All who live must die," is the immutable condition upon which existence, as we understand it, is assured. When we consider that the choice of life, or its rejection, upon this condition, is not permitted us, life indeed would be a bitter irony were death the end of all.

To live but to die, and death being "absolute destruction, total annihilation, utter obliteration," were a fate so cruel and relentless as to suggest that the in-furies of injustice and hate presided at its conception, instead of the divine attributes of justice, love and mercy.

The argument proves too much. It leads to conclusions which cause the rejection of its premises. Aside from divine revelation it is at variance with an indefinable something evolved from the inner consciousness, the soul, of man. It is not consonant with what we see in all the universe—the light and beauty, the harmony, law, order, symphony, which pervade all the heavens, which characterize the celestial bodies and direct their movements.

That the infinite power which created man has ordained for him a grander destiny than to live in mortal form only, is an eternal truth whispered in the music of the celestial spheres.

John Bennett Neathery was born in the county of Warren on the twenty-fifth day of December, 1835. In early life his parents moved to Franklin county where he attended the public schools for a few years, and then entered a printing office in the town of Warrenton, where he learned the art of printing. In 1855 he came to Raleigh to follow the calling of his chosen profession, where he resided until the year 1859, when he moved to Chapel Hill, and became the publisher of the university magazine. Upon the breaking out of the war and closing of the university of the state in 1861 he returned to Raleigh; and with the military rank of first lieutenant served in the office of the quartermaster general till the cessation of hostilities in the spring of 1865. Until the first of January, 1866, Bro. Neathery was connected with a literary paper then published in Raleigh, when he became a member of the publishing firm with which he remained for several years, and from which he retired on account of declining health. Later he became the executive clerk of the governor of the state, and on a change of the administration was made the governor's private secretary, which position he filled with distinguished ability until about the first of 1877, when he was appointed treasurer of Wake county, which office he filled until 1885. He then became an active member of the firm of Alfred Williams & Co., of Raleigh, continuing until the time of his death August 29, 1894.

In all the relations of life, as a citizen, a public officer and a Mason, Bro. Neathery has gone through the world with a character unsoiled and a reputation untarnished. As a public man he leaves a long record of useful and honorable service which his state will remember with gratitude, and of which those dearest to him may well be proud. He was a man of high sense of honor, a gentleman in the truest sense of the word. He was courteous to every one with whom he came in contact, the high and the low alike; and in turn commanded the highest respect and deference from everyone. He was free from concealment, from cunning and deception of every kind. He was frank and outspoken, leaving

nothing in doubt as to his true position.

As a husband and a father he was a model of all those fine qualities which go to make home as near perfection as it is possible for human man to make it. To his afflicted widow the death of our brother and her companion is an irreparable loss. She has great consolation in the fact that he leaves nothing behind that could mar the happy reflections on his well spent life and unimpeachable character.

While he sleeps so silent beside his only child, the phenomena of nature will go on in their appointed courses just the same as if he and the hosts who sleep with him had never lived or never died.

The days will continue to come and go in splendor with dawn's red light and sunset's blush. The nights will ever gem the sky with stars; the seasons as in all time, will mantle the earth with bloom and verdure, will deck the fields with harvests or shroud them with snow.

And as the hours and days and seasons come and go, by a kind provision for our happiness, time will dull, as it ever does, the keen edge of grief. In years that are to come it may be, it must be a consolation to his relatives and friends, and especially to her who has been left to go down the path alone without the companion with whom she "climbed the hill together"—it must be some solace to them to feel that the priceless heritage of a name honored, esteemed and beloved, is theirs.

Bro. Neathery was initiated into Hiram lodge, No. 40, on the — of —, 18—. On his removal to Chapel Hill he was elected master of the lodge at that place, from the floor, and under a special dispensation of the grand master of the state was installed into office. When Wm. G. Hill lodge, No. 218, was established in 1864 he was made its first master.

From that time until the day of his death he has been an active and faithful member, having filled almost every office, from time to time, that could be conferred on him. It was in the mystic circle that those finer qualities with which he was so abundantly blessed shone most brightly. He was the life of our social meetings, full of good nature, genial and entertaining. He possessed a fund of humor that enlivened our meetings and drove away the monotony and dullness that too often characterizes our lodge communications.

Brother Neathery was a masonic student, and was perhaps the highest authority on the ritual in North Carolina. Possessed of a fine memory, the command of elegant language, and with patience and talent for the teaching, he did much towards correcting many of the errors and inconsistencies that had crept into the unwritten ceremonies of the order.

His journey is ended. From time to time the pilgrimage of life is over. The weary feet and brain are at rest. Another of our brothers, one who was strong in mind and purpose, with an intellect of superior brightness, with a wealth of honors, blessed with the love of home and friends, has passed through the portal of the unknown. Helpless we stand at the dark gateway and vainly ask the dead to tell us of the shadowy real to which we also hasten.

As a further expression of our sincere sorrow the following is offered. Resolved, That the lodge has heard with profound sorrow of the death of Bro. John B. Neathery, past master of this lodge.

Resolved, That in his demise this community has suffered the loss of a valuable citizen; this lodge one of its most faithful and beloved members; the fraternity at large one of its brightest lights and most learned in our mystic rites and his family a devoted father and husband.

Resolved, That this lodge will attend in a body the funeral of our deceased brother.

Resolved, That as a further testimony of our sorrow the charter of this lodge be draped in mourning for the period of sixty days.

Resolved, That the foregoing be inserted in a memorial volume and forwarded to the widow of our deceased brother.

R. H. BRADLEY,
WM. SIMPSON,
D. E. EVERITT,
Committee.

DOTS AND DASHES

MADE ABOUT TODAY'S HAPPENINGS.

Interesting Items Gathered in and Around the City.

Rev. T. H. Pritchard is New York. Cotton is rusting badly on sandy lands.

Robert Strong, Esq., left this morning on a trip to Oxford.

Mr. C. K. Shaw left today for his home, to take a few days rest.

Mrs. Josephus Harward died yesterday at her home near this city.

Prof. and Mrs. E. A. Alderman have returned to Chapel Hill from a trip to Canada.

Mrs. M. T. Norris, who has been suffering from bronchitis, is now convalescing.

Mrs. Hubert Jackson has returned from Tarboro, where she had been visiting some time.

Mr. Arthur Kirkland walked here yesterday from Chapel Hill, where he had been visiting.

Mr. Sam Berwanger arrived yesterday at New York from Germany. He is expected here next week.

Will Wynne appears to be doing satisfactory work in pitching for the Washington baseball team.

Miss Hill, of Portsmouth, who has been visiting Miss Mamie Cowper, returned home this morning.

Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock, Mr. C. M. Bushee will speak to men only in the parlor of the Y. M. C. A.

Master Herbert Thompson has returned from Washington, where he held a position as congressional page.

Gov. Carr returned this afternoon from a tour of inspection of the penitentiary farms. He spent yesterday at Warrenton.

Last year 12 gold fish were placed in the fountain at Pullen park. They increased rapidly, for yesterday 900 were taken out.

Day after tomorrow the cotton oil mill here will start up, and will crush 200 tons of old seed. The regular season will hardly begin before Oct. 1.

All the curves on the street car line to Brookside park are being repaired. The work is done at night, so as not to interfere with the running of the cars.

Hon. Oliver H. Dockery has been nominated for congress by the republicans of the sixth district. It was said a few days ago that he would not be a candidate.

This afternoon at Lee's stables Ben Curtis and Jim Hawkins, both colored, fought. Curtis was hit on the back of the head with an axe. The injury is not serious. Both were arrested.

Several hack drivers were summoned before mayor Badger this morning for standing too close to the sidewalks at the union depot. For lack of evidence the hearing was postponed.

Dr. Chas. E. Taylor, president of Wake Forest college, was here today, returning from a trip north in the interest of the college. He says Wake Forest will this year have more students than can be comfortably accommodated.

Deputy collector Pickard reports the seizure and destruction of a 100 gallon whiskey distillery near South Lowell, Durham county. About 1,000 gallons of "beer" were turned to waste. The owner is William Terry.

Jessie, infant daughter of Mr. E. C. Owen, died at noon today at his home, corner South Salisbury and West Martin streets, aged 5 months, after a month's sickness. The funeral was held from the home at 5 o'clock this afternoon, Rev. A. M. Slams officiating.

The Durham Sun says: "The remains of Mrs. Minnie Wilkerson Moseley, wife of Mr. T. B. Moseley, of Raleigh, arrived here Thursday afternoon and were laid to rest by the side of her mother and father. Revs. Cole and Simms, who conducted the funeral services in Raleigh, and quite a party of friends came up to the burial services and were met at the station by a large crowd of Durham friends. The pall bearers were Messrs. L. G. Cole, W. H. Muse, J. B. Walker, J. M. Whitted, E. J. Parrish and T. L. Pesy."

THE CITY'S HEALTH.

A Fine Report is that for August.

Sanitary officer Sale furnishes the health report for August. There were only 22 deaths in Raleigh during the month. Of these 5 occurred in first ward, 5 in the second, 2 in the third, 4 in the fourth and 6 in the fifth. Ten were of white and 12 of colored persons. Burial permits were issued for four persons who died outside the city. Of the deaths 5 were of children under 5 years of age. The causes of death were as follows: Mania 1, enteric colitis 1, heart disease 2, malarial fever 1, consumption 1, hanged 1, alcoholism 1, uterine hemorrhage 1, fever (exhaustion) 1, bronchitis 1, paralysis 1, congestive chill 1, typhoid fever 2, cholera infantum 1, apoplexy 1, dysentery 1, not stated 1. Contagious and infectious diseases were reported as follows: Scarlet fever 1, typhoid fever 3. The burials were, in Oakwood 7, city cemetery 4, Mt. Hope 9, elsewhere 6. There were 19 births, of which 8 were white, 11 colored. The ratio of deaths to population 1 in 681. Officer Sale reports many inspections of premises during the month. He says the city is very clean. Physicians say it was never more healthful at this season.

A Pair of Light Weights.

Several days ago Mr. William M. Russ and Mr. Chandler, of Nebraska, were talking together at the depot. As is probably known, neither is a featherweight although Mr. Chandler now overreaches Mr. Russ on the beam. A friend stepped up and suggested that they get on the scales together. The penny-in-the-slot machine was resorted to and as the pair stepped on the scales the needle fairly hummed around until it came to 550 pounds, its highest capacity. Mr. Chandler was compelled to take a train, so their combined weight could not be ascertained. The hot weather has pulled Mr. Russ down a good deal, but when he mounted the scales his weight was found to be 318 pounds. Mr. Chandler says she weighs 337.

The Farina Roller Mills.

A charter was today issued by the secretary of state for the Farina roller flouring mills company. The first meeting of the stockholders for organization, &c., will be held at the office of R. T. Gray, Esq., at 4 o'clock p. m., Wednesday, Sept. 5.

Cyrene, who has been the rage at Wilmington and Charlotte, is to be here for one week, beginning Sept. 10, at the academy of music. She is supported by a company of ten. Her engagement here will no doubt be a great success. Cyrene is known all over the country as a dancer.

Yesterday Mr. G. E. Leach sold to the trustees of Central M. E. church a lot 60x60 feet on East Morgan street immediately west of that church. The consideration is \$1,200. The parsonage will be built on the lot.

There are complaints extremely bad odors in various parts of the city at night. There are also complaints that melon rinds, &c., are permitted to remain for several days on some streets.

This is for You.

If you are a subscriber to the Visitor and are in arrears, pay up. In order for you to get the paper in future you must settle up. Be ready for the collector when he calls and whack up. If you fail to get your paper in future it will be your fault—you have not paid up.

Specials for Monday, September 3. 15c. Towels at 10c., Linen 8 1-2c., Canton Flannel 6 1-2c., Bleaching at 7 1-2c., worth 10c., 500 dozen Napkins at 25c. per doz. Woolcott & Son.

Best line 10c. Hose for misses and ladies in the state can be found at Woolcott & Son's.

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

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

Have you bought a pair of our ladies Dongola button shoes for \$1.50? If not please try a pair and see how good they are. We keep them in opera toe, common sense and patent leather tips. Woolcott & Son.

THESE ARE

BARGAINS

ONLY A FEW LEFT.

FRESH NEW GOODS

—AT—

Exactly Cost,

To make room for other goods.

AT \$6 05 \$6 50 \$6 75 \$6 85

\$8 00 \$8 50 \$9 25

THOS. H. BRIGGS & SONS,
RALEIGH, N. C.

GOODS

AT A

PRICE!

A Generally Conceded Fact.

Our regular stock consists of staples of a high grade, durable, worthy and meritorious, having a tendency to counteract the craze for cheapness and degradation of quality. We can pacify the incoherent and submit the following antidote:

A New Price List.

Elipsing Competition Totally:
Challies; former price 5c, now 3c
Lawn, " " 5c, " 3c
AA Domestic, " " 6c, " 4 3-4c
Ginghams, " " 7 1-2, " 4 3-4c
Standard Prints, " 7c, " 5c
Irish and Persian Lawns, 12c " 7c
Black Ribbed Hose, 15c " 10c

The above are samples of our reduced reductions.

C. A. SHERWOOD & CO.

OUR GREAT CARPET SALE

Regulated by the tariff clock at Low Prices, and on a lower basis than

FREE WOOL.

Commencing Monday, September 3, we begin to sell between 5,000 and 6,000 yards of Carpets of all kinds and suitable for all purposes. Bed-Rooms, Chambers, Dining-rooms, Halls, Stairs, Parlors and Sitting-rooms.

A great many of these Carpets are from our own Carpet department; patterns that we will not buy again, but the most of them were bought for Quick Cash from manufacturers who were obliged to sell them for ready money.

These are some of our prices. Haven't space here to tell all. Yard wide Cotton Ingrains at 15c., Regular price 20c. Yard wide Ingrains at 17c., Regular price 25c. Yard wide one-half Wool Ingrains 33c., Regular price 45c. Yard wide extra super Ingrains, 43c., Regular price 65c.

TAPESTRY BRUSSELS.

At 35c., Regular price 60c.
At 45c., " " 65c.
At 50c., " " 75c.
At 58c., " " 85c.

BODY BRUSSELS.

At 50c. and 55c., Former price \$1.00 to \$1.25
At 65c. and 75c., Former price \$1.00 to \$1.25
At 85c. and 90c., Former price \$1.25 to \$1.35
At 54c. Velvet Carpets, regular price 75c.
At 70c. Velvet Carpets, regular price \$1.00.
At 72c. Moquette Carpets, regular price \$1.00 and \$2.00.

W. H. & R. S.

TUCKER & CO.

Our fall stock is complete and we are showing a great variety of Dress Goods, Print Ginghams, Ladies Underwear in cotton and wool. Woolcott & Son.

Hosiery, Hosiery, Hosiery; buy it from Woolcott & Son.