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Our sale Pacific prints at 4 1/2¢ has created a spluttering. This is just a sample of what we will do.

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.

NEW FALL DRESS GOODS.—This department has been looked after specially in our purchases for the fall. Nothing has been left undone to make it compare with any dress goods department in the south. In it you will find all desirable stuffs and at prices that will not fail to satisfy the customer.

D. T. Swindell.

BE SURE to walk down town and see the nicest display of fine carpeting ever seen in Raleigh, displayed in the big window of D. T. Swindell, in Armisteads, Moquets, Wilton Velvets, Body Brussels. If you see these you can judge whether you want a carpet from Swindell's. This display is worth walking a mile to see. Rarely ever is so grand a thing in carpets seen in the south; and the dress goods are in keeping. Swindell's will be the place this fall for new stuff. Remember you have eyes and ears to see and hear.

TUCKER'S STORE—THE GREAT CARPET SALE.—This week we continue our great carpet sale at less than free wool prices. Everything marked in plain figures. Here are some of the prices:

Cotton Ingrains at	15¢	30¢
Half wool "	33¢	45¢
Extra super "	43¢	55¢
Tapestry Brussels,	35¢	60¢
Body "	50 and 55¢	\$1 to \$1.25
Velvet carpets,	54¢	75¢
Velvet carpets,	70¢	\$1.00
Moquette carpets,	79¢	\$1 to \$1.25

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

CALVES STRAYED.—Three calves, one light Jersey heifer, one dark bull and the other a red heifer taken up at Capt. Coker's farm, the old Manly place, some two weeks since. The person owning these calves can get them by calling and paying for this notice.

DOTS AND DASHES

MADE ABOUT TODAY'S HAPPENINGS.

Items Gathered in and Around the City.

Peace institute began its fall term today.

Two society weddings are booked for October.

There are now 230 convicts in the penitentiary.

A number of Peace institute pupils arrived today.

Raleigh township's public schools open on the 21st instant.

Chatham county populists meet at Pittsboro tomorrow.

Work is now in progress on only one railway in this state.

A lady's glove, dropped on the sidewalk, is at Davis & Dunston's barber shop.

On the 21st and 22d instant the supreme court will examine applicants for license.

The college boys have ceased passing through and now come the fair schoolgirls.

The road by the insane asylum is very rough here and there and badly needs Mr. McMackin's attention.

One convict was brought to the penitentiary yesterday just in time to save him from lynchers.

The weather prophets argue from today's refreshing coolness that the backbone of summer has at last been broken.

Improvements at the grounds of the insane asylum continue. The fine whiteoaks are being trimmed, and the lawns moved.

There were several professions and much interest manifested in the meeting at the Fayetteville street Baptist church last night.

Recruits for the penitentiary are rapidly coming in. There is due to the many courts which are now in session all over the state.

Miss Bertha and Maggie Knox of Salisbury are here. Miss Bertha will teach and Miss Maggie will be a pupil in Peace institute.

The commissioner of agriculture says that the cotton growers are at last coming around to his views of the crop. He has all the while contended that it was not a great crop.

There are now 53 veterans in the soldiers' home. The present superintendent took charge February 1, 1893, and says that since that date 50 new inmates have been received and that 11 have died.

This morning Jim Trice, a colored boy, while standing in the elevator at the Commercial and Farmers' bank building pulled the rope. Up went the elevator and caught his foot, crushing it badly.

Mingo Upchurch, a colored man, was yesterday committed to jail charged with assault and battery. He was given a preliminary hearing and fined \$8 and costs. As he is unable to pay the fine he must take his turn on the roads.

Another Telephone Exchange.

Mention was made yesterday that a movement was in progress for a new telephone exchange. Late in the afternoon quite a number of business men met to discuss the matter. Mr. T. H. Briggs was made chairman. Mr. A. A. Thompson stated the object of the meeting. It decided that a company be organized for the operation of a new exchange. A committee was appointed to secure a charter and have the company incorporated at once.

Meeting of Democratic Club

On account of repairs in Metropolitan hall the place of meeting of the democratic club is changed to the court house. The club will, therefore, meet in the court house Thursday, Sept. 13, at 8 o'clock. All democrats are requested to attend.

W. E. ARHLEY, Pres't.

W. L. WATSON, Sec'y.

Notice to Magistrates.

The board of magistrates for Raleigh township is requested to meet at the court house tomorrow afternoon at 4 o'clock. J. C. MARCOX, Sec.

THE MARKET HOUSE.

The Contractor Says It Will be Finished by October 1.

The concrete floor of the market has been laid and workmen today began to put on this the smooth finish of cement. In ten days this particular work will be done. Contractor Bivins tells the VISITOR that he expects to finish all the work by October 1. The question of the ceiling of the market is not yet settled. The contract calls for the present cracked ceiling to be whitewashed. But this ought not to be permitted. A wooden ceiling ought to be put up. Otherwise the market will be unsightly. The plastering of the ceiling is cracked and broken. It is hoped there will be a wooden ceiling.

STATE ROAD CONGRESS

It Met at Charlotte Today and Discussed the Road Question.

The road congress met at Charlotte this afternoon. It discussed the Mecklenburg roads and road law. Hon. S. B. Alexander, Capt. W. E. Ardrey, S. H. Hilton and J. W. Wadsworth addressed the meeting on the subject. At 8:30 papers will be read and discussed; one "The Convicts on Public Roads," the other, "The Advantages of Good Roads for Country Doctors," and there will be a stereopticon exhibition of the famous roads of Europe and America and landscape scenery in North Carolina where good roads should, be given by Prof. Holmes.

The Chamber of Commerce.

At last evening's meeting the committee on newspapers was requested to ask the influence and co-operation of the press in interesting the citizens in the matter of the gift to the cruiser Raleigh. A resolution was offered by Mr. R. H. Battle that a committee of be appointed to assist the authorities of the state agricultural society by urging upon the business men and influential citizens of Raleigh to contribute in such manner as they can to the success of the state fair by making exhibits, attending in person and otherwise, and also to aid in the entertainment of the large attendance.

Barlow Bros.' Minstrels.

These minstrels appear here day after tomorrow evening, at Metropolitan hall. Here is what the Portsmouth, Ohio, Press says of the company: "Barlow Bros.' minstrels played to an elegant audience at the Ashland last night, and from the rise to the fall of the curtain those in attendance were delightfully entertained. We have had several minstrel troupes here the past few years but none to compare with this organization of thirty stars. Every feature of the entertainment was bright and up to date."

Held for Burglary.

"Dolly" Jones, who, as stated in the VISITOR Monday, stands charged with burglary, was given a hearing before mayor Badger yesterday afternoon. The evidence was sufficient to bind him over to court and "Dolly" still rests in jail.

Belle Boyd.

Several ex-confederate veterans who have heard Belle Boyd, who during the war was a confederate spy, write here as to the advisability of having her give an entertainment here for the benefit of the soldiers. A committee will arrange for a lecture if possible. She has lectured at Newbern and Goldsboro this week.

END OF THE ASHLAND CAMPAIGN

A Hoary-Headed Man Says Breckinridge Must Be Defeated.

LEXINGTON, Ky., Sept. 11.—The last barbecue of the campaign was given yesterday in support of Mr. Owens. A conservative estimate places the number of people at 15,000. Seated on the speakers' stand were many of the most prominent men in central Kentucky. Many ladies occupied seats. W. E. Simms, 72 years of age, told of the deep disgrace and humiliation that would come to this proud people if they returned Breckinridge to congress. It seemed, he said, "as if the whole world is looking upon us and thousands and thousands of men are looking up to God, protesting to Him against the return of this man."

The Standard is the highest grade sewing machine manufactured.

PERSONAL POINTS.

ABOUT PROMINENT NORTH CAROLINA PEOPLE.

Here And Elsewhere in the State.

Mr. Cecil Stone is quite ill with bilious fever.

R. H. Battle, Esq., left for Wilmington today.

Miss Marion Walker returned to the city today.

Editor H. A. London, of the Pittsboro Record, is here.

Dr. T. D. Martin is very sick at his home near the city.

Mr. P. W. McGowan is visiting friends at Portsmouth.

Mr. T. T. Hay left for Fayetteville this afternoon.

Miss Madge Morehead, of Durham, was here today.

Mr. William Andrews has returned from Wilmington, Delaware.

Mrs. Badger and daughter Miss Mildred left today for Baltimore.

Senator Jarvis returned this afternoon from Burgaw where he spoke yesterday.

Mr. George Gales left this afternoon to report the sanitary meeting at Salisbury.

Miss Mattie F. Womble, who has been visiting relatives here, returned to Norfolk today.

Ex-judge H. G. Connor, of Wilson, passed through this afternoon on his way to Greensboro.

Miss Annie Watts, of Durham, is visiting Mrs. R. H. Jones, corner of Hillsboro and Dawson streets.

Mr. and Mrs. Van Fleming, who have been here for some time, left for Charlotte this afternoon.

Dr. R. H. Lewis and Dr. H. B. Battle left this afternoon for Salisbury where they go to attend the sanitary meeting.

Dr. George Gillett Thomas, of Wilmington, was here today on his way to the sanitary meeting of the state board of health at Salisbury.

Mr. A. Dughi is improving slowly. It is found that one of his ribs was broken. He suffers much pain and breathes with difficulty. Little Tony is getting on very nicely.

Mr. Walter Parrish and daughter, who have been very sick on East Jones street, are now improving. Mrs. Joseph Wiggins and her little daughter, who lives on the same street, have typhoid fever.

SKELETONS IN A CAVE.

A Mysterious Charnel House Discovered in Virginia.

Bristol, Tenn., Sept. 11.—Charles Rector and a boy named Morris in exploring a cave near this place yesterday discovered skeletons, 40 feet below the surface. The cave had long been known, but no one had ever entered to explore it because of its great depth. The Morris boy was let down by a rope. When the find was reported a party of citizens went to the cave to investigate further.

In all ten skeletons were taken out and were adjudged to be the bones of men. Old citizens say many years ago there was an inn kept near this cave by a man named Allen and occasionally people who stopped there mysteriously disappeared and were never again heard of. The supposition is that they were killed in this inn, robbed of their valuables and then consigned to the cave. Some of the skeletons discovered were partially buried under stones and many of the bones were broken.

Wake County Prohibitionists.

The Wake county prohibition executive committee met in Raleigh, today and elected J. M. Templeton chairman. The county convention to nominate a straight prohibition ticket is called to meet here September 26th.

Attention, Rescue Fire Co.

A test of Rescue steamer will be made tomorrow evening. All members are requested to be present at 7:30 o'clock. R. E. LUMSDEN, foreman.

BLINDED IN AN INSTANT.

A Boy Strangely Stricken while Gazing in a Stream.

READING, Pa., Sept. 11.—Totally blinded in an instant, was the terrible calamity that befell Charles Sweisher today in a strange manner. He is a 14 year old boy. With several companions he stood upon the bank of a small stream gazing at his image as reflected by the surface of the water. Suddenly he gave a cry of terror and fell unconscious. His companions carried him home, where the usual remedies for fainting were applied. The lad soon recovered consciousness and then it was learned that he was stone blind. His forehead began to swell to such an extent that the skin broke in a number of places and a watery substance oozed through the pores. The physicians are of the opinion that the boy was stung by some poisonous insect. A member of the family, who was with him at the time, insists that nothing of the kind occurred. The doctors are unable to say whether the boy will ever recover his sight.

BURNED ALIVE.

Moonshiners Perpetrate a Horrible Crime.

OPELKA, Ala., Sept. 11.—Matthew Whately has been roasted alive by moonshiners in Randolph county. The moonshiners had banded themselves together for vengeance. The organization is oath-bound, and goes under the name of the home protectors' band. Some months ago Whately testified against some of the men. He received several warning letters threatening him with death unless he desisted. Whately continued to run down the gang.

Several days ago he confided to friends the fact that he had about succeeded. Soon after nightfall Whately was startled by a volley of shots poured into his home. This was followed by a demand for him to surrender. He failed to appear and his house was set on fire. Then he sent his wife and young children outdoors, but, strange to say, they were not molested. He secured his rifle. While he was waiting for some of the mob to appear one of them crept up to a window, which commanded a view of his position, and fired a load of buckshot into his body. He fell to the floor badly wounded. Then fresh fuel was added to the fire, and the man was burned alive. His agonizing cries were plainly heard by people who were coming to his assistance, but when they got there the mob had fled.

The Weather Report.

For North Carolina: Showers, preceded by fair in eastern portion. Cooler Thursday morning on the coast. Local forecast: Thursday, fair. Local data for 24 hours ending 8 a. m. today: Maximum temperature 84; minimum temperature 65; rainfall T.

The barometer has risen rapidly in the north and middle Atlantic states. The center of high pressure is over New England, where the barometer reads 30.40 inches. There is a small area of low pressure over Mississippi. It is raining at Vicksburg, with barometer at 30.00 inches. This distribution of pressure—i. e., high over New England and low over Mississippi, causes northerly winds and generally cloudy weather throughout the northern and middle states and as far south as Georgia. The cool wave has spread eastward to the Atlantic. The barometer has fallen in the west and a "low" is central over the Dakotas. The temperature is several degrees higher in the northwest.

A Wake County Still Seized.

Deputy collectors Vanderford and Jones left last night for the western part of Wake county in search of moonshiners. They did not catch the distillers but captured and cut up a 70-gallon copper still and turned loose a lot of moonshine beer. They have another still spotted and left today to investigate it.

A German Club.

There will be a meeting of a number of young men tomorrow evening for the purpose of organizing a german club. The organization will take place of the old german club which ceased to exist last spring.

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5,000 " 4-4 A Domestic 6¢, " 5¢

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Free Wool PRICES.

Everything marked in Plain Figures.

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Yard wide Cotton Ingrains at 15¢. Regular price 20¢.
Yard wide Ingrains at 17¢. Regular price 25¢.
Yard wide one-half Wool Ingrains 33¢. Regular price 25¢.
Yard wide extra super Ingrains, 43¢. Regular price 65¢.

TAPESTRY BRUSSELS.

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

BODY BRUSSELS.

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

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