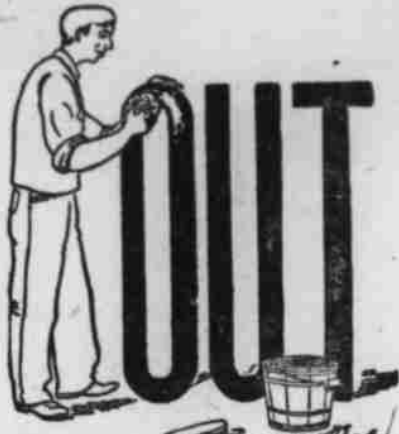


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For the New Year.

We are not cleaning out a lot of old books and shopworn stationery, but we are cleaning out some of the most readable books, in stylish bindings, you ever saw. Some of the finest stationery that pen or pencil ever traveled over.

When you learn that we are selling the famous standard books for 25% we know you will be surprised. What a pleasure to read such books at such prices.

The best of ink and the best of pens help the fingers to help the brain to do some good work.

We have just stocked upon Blank Books, Day Books, Ledgers, Pass Books and everything a business man wants to begin a new year's work. Prices lower than you have ever bought before.

ALFRED WILLIAMS & CO.

WHITE GOODS!

Just received a beautiful line of INDIA LINENS from 8 to 24c.

NAINSOOKS from 5c to 14c; cheap at 10c and 25c.

LONSDALE CAMBRIC, good quality at 9c, worth 12 1/2c.

BLEACH DOMESTIC, 1 yd wide, 5c., worth 7c anywhere.

Hamburgs and Laces.

A nice line of light calico at 4c. A new feature added to our business—Glassware—cheaper than ever. Come and get our prices. We feel sure you will buy.

LYON RACKET STORE.

COAL! COAL!! COAL!!! Large cargo of Egg, Nut and Stove Anthracite, and 20 cars Bituminous coal of all kinds now being unloaded.

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Pine fiber mattresses at Thomas & Maxwell's.

THREE POINTS OF SUCCESS:

GOOD GOODS.

HONEST VALUE.

PROMPT DELIVERY.

TEMPERANCE BILL.

It Goes to the Committee Tomorrow. An Amendment Submitted to.

Rev. D. H. Tuttle, who is working in the interests of the temperance bill that was introduced in the house was seen by a Visitor reporter this morning in regard to the chances of the bill becoming a law. Mr. Tuttle was sanguine and expressed his belief that the bill would pass and said that he was almost certain that it would be favorably reported by the committee on propositions and grievances before which the bill comes up tomorrow.

The bill was first introduced in the house but was taken from there to the senate, as the sentiment in its favor is stronger in that body than the house. On the recommendation of congressman Linney, who wants the bill to pass and believes that it will do so, an amendment has been made in the body of the bill. The amendment is that the county commissioners "shall," after a favorable election for license, grant the license. Before the bill left the supreme power in the hands of the commissioners after an election. This amendment will make the bill purely a "local option" one. The whole matter will be placed in the hands of the people and the amendment will gain the bill many supporters in the legislature who would not otherwise have voted for it.

As the people understand the bill more thoroughly the more they favor it. As now amended it is a good bill and deserves, at least, to pass.

The street cars were greatly impeded today by the thick coating of ice that formed on the trolley wire. The trolley wheel slipped often. At times flashes of flame would dart from under the trolley wheel to a distance apparently, of 14 inches from the wire.

Mr. Yaw did a graceful thing Wednesday evening in admitting, free, a number of the pupils of the blind asylum. They enjoyed the concert immensely, as they were bound to. The members of the company proved by their short stay here that they were perfect, whole-souled ladies and gentlemen. It is pleasant for such people to visit here.

It don't make any difference how much it freezes, Dughi has freshysters all the time.

Fresh raisins, 10, 15 and 20 cents per pound at Dughi's.

I guarantee all goods to please or they may be returned without expense to the customer.

I guarantee prices as low as any house in the trade, quality considered.

I make every effort to deliver goods as soon as purchased.

JESSE G. BALL,

TELEPHONE 77.



SCALPED!

We do not want to be sensational but we can't help being the cause of sensations when we sell a nice all wool suit of clothes worth \$12.50 for \$7.75, and as fine a suit as you can buy anywhere for \$18. Our price \$9.75.

A very pleasant sensation, we presume, to sell James Banister's, Saler, Levin & Co.'s and L. M. Reynolds's \$5 home-made shoes for \$3.85, and Earl & Wilson's collars for 19c., when every other dealer charges you 25c. We also carry other brands of collars and cuffs and as fine line of gents' furnishings as you can find anywhere.

A sensation among the ladies is due to the extremely low prices we are offering our new receipts in all of the latest novelties in laces, edgings, embroideries, etc.

Scalped prices apply to our entire stock of carpets, rugs and, in fact, any and all heavy weight woolsens.

If you do not want to be provoked with yourself don't buy your ladies', misses, youth's or children's shoes until you have examined and priced my line.

Respectfully, D. T. SWINDELL, 103 Fayetteville st., Raleigh, N. C.

WHAT'S THE NEWS

HAVE YOU ASKED THAT QUESTION TODAY?

Here You Have It—Today's Local Doings in Brief.

No work, of course, was accomplished on the monument today.

The Epworth literary circle will not meet this evening on account of the severe weather.

Many people got out their skates in anticipation of fine ice yesterday, but the high winds spoiled their plans.

This evening the pupils of Peace institute will give a reception complimentary to the members of the legislature.

One United States prisoner, a moonshiner, who was trembling with something besides cold, was brought here for trial today.

In the senate today the bill to amend the charter of Raleigh was introduced. It has been already outlined in the Visitor.

At Tucker's pond today ice cutting was going on merrily and many would be skaters were disappointed. The ice was six inches thick.

That great decorator "Jack Frost" has gotten in a deal of his fancy work on the store windows. The effect, in many instances, is charming.

Last night was a pretty bad one for a person to get drunk in and go to sleep on the streets. Yet that was what one unfortunate man did.

Deputy collector Gibson, reports to collector Simmons the seizure, at Chadborne, of a 40-gallon illicit distillery, owned by Lewis Nowbles.

Miss Lily Devereux Blake had a cold time for her lecture, which took place at 4 o'clock this afternoon. It is hoped that her reception was not as cold as the weather.

There is many a good old confederate soldier in the present legislature. They passed favorably without hesitation upon the bill to loan the confederate monument association money from the direct-tax fund.

Several committees were going the rounds of the public offices today, and private offices too, soliciting subscriptions for the poor of Raleigh. Wood is most needed. The condition of a large percentage of the city's poor is pitiable.

The temperature at the ground level this morning was 2 degrees below zero. At the station, 60 feet up, it was 3.2 degrees above. The temperature at the ground level and the station usually ranges 5 degrees in difference.

There was a meeting here today of the stockholders of the N. C. home insurance company. The old officers of the company and the old board of directors were re-elected. The showing made the past year is very gratifying to the officers.

Deputy collector J. H. Vanderford reports to collector Simmons the seizure and destruction of a 70 gallon illicit copper distillery and outfit with 1000 gallons of moonshine beer. The still was situated at Lonely, Moore county and was owned by J. H. Smith.

A poor, remorseful, weary countryman visited the mayor's office today and reported that, while taking the town while drunk last night, he had been robbed of \$20. As he could remember next to nothing about his actions nothing could be done for him.

Chairman of the agricultural committee Lineback said today that he was heartily in favor of North Carolina making an exhibit at the Atlanta cotton states exposition. "I am first a North Carolinian; then a republican," said he, "I am in favor of anything to advance the state's interests."

"Heads of families should be careful in this weather as to what they eat down town at night and should not go home and set the clock an hour too fast, thereby arousing their families at daybreak," said a gentleman whose pater, having made the above mistake, hustled him up at an unearthly hour this morning.

Oh! Those quail on toast at Dughi's are so good.

THE SUBSIDIZED PRESS

The Visitor and News and Observer Representatives Could not Stand Major Page's Denunciation.

There was an interesting and amusing little side light of the speaking in Metropolitan hall yesterday which it was not possible to print yesterday afternoon.

The incident occurred during the speech of major Mann Page and those in the audience who noticed it smiled—almost audibly. In the box on the left of the stage was a table at which were seated the representatives of the Visitor and the News and Observer. The curtains were pulled back so that the newspaper men had a good view of the speaker and he, of course, of them but to the greater part of the audience they were invisible.

Major Page had been speaking for some time and gradually worked round, as the up-to-date public speaker almost invariably does, to matters financial and the terrible power for evil of centralized capital. When he reached this point he grew eloquent. With awful earnestness he portrayed the power of this great evil. He told of how it had laid its greedy grasp on everything within its reach; how it controlled industries, held down prices, oppressed the poor; how it crept like a viper into legislative halls.

Just then his eye fell on the two reporters who were already squirming under the power of his fierce invectives. "yes," he exclaimed, approaching nearer and nearer to the reporters and shaking his fingers ominously, "this awful monster, this greedy, selfish, soulless money power has even dared, gentlemen even dar-r-red to influence and subsidi-z-z-e the enlightened p-p-ress." As he said this his finger was drawing gradually nearer and as he reached his grand finale it switched defiantly within a foot of the Visitor man's nose.

It was too much. The News and Observer man had already yielded to the attack of a guilty conscience and fled. As the speaker delivered himself of one awful fact after another, the Visitor man quailed. He knew that were it not for the gold bags given the Visitor by the money powers for purposes of subsidy he would be unable to exist. But the pang of conscience smote him. First his eyes dropped; then he blushed and turned his head but with that awful finger shaking accusingly in his face, it was too much. He also fled.

THE WEATHER

The Conditions and the Forecast.

For North Carolina: Fair, slightly warmer Saturday afternoon.

Local forecast for Raleigh and vicinity: Fair, continued cold. Temperature below zero tonight.

Local data for 24 hours ending at 8 a. m. today. Maximum temperature 30; minimum temperature 4; rainfall, 0.25.

The cold wave, accompanied by clear weather and westerly winds, has spread over the entire south. The temperature at Jacksonville, Fla., is 16 degrees, at Jupiter 20. Snowing at Tampa, temperature 24. It is 6 below zero at Nashville and Knoxville, 12 below at Cincinnati, zero at Atlanta. Below zero 10 to 30 degrees in the west and northwest. The storm is now central over the New York coast, where it is snowing.

Patterson and Pierce Assign.

At 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon Patterson and Pierce, colored men, grocers made an assignment. The assignment was made to J. C. L. Harris. The first preferred creditors are R. M. Jones & Co., of Baltimore, \$150.17; Stanton milling company, \$62.51; Pool and Moring, \$68.73. The second preferred creditors were homesteads for both Patterson & Pierce; commissions to J. C. L. Harris for collections per rata of remainder.

The assignment was caused by various creditors, suspecting an assignment, levying on the firm.

Your Garden Claims Your Attention Now.

We have new seeds; Peas and Onions just arrived. HICKS & ROGERS, Successors to SWILLINE & HICKS, Druggists. Jan 13 ly

LIFE'S BUSY TIDE.

PEOPLE HURRIED ALONG IN THE CURRENT.

Some Important Attaches to Each One's Movements.

Mr. F. W. Rice, of Wilmington, is in the city.

Mr. Thomas Newland, of Charlotte, arrived this morning.

Mr. R. M. Norment, of Louisburg, arrived this morning.

Ex-justice James C. MacRae left for Weldon this afternoon.

Mr. A. J. Burton, who hails from Reidsville, is in the city.

Mr. C. L. Lindsay, one of Chapel Hill's leading merchants, is here.

Mr. Rogers, of Hicks & Rogers, who has been quite ill, was better today.

Mr. E. B. Englehard, who as reported has an attack of pneumonia, is better.

Rev. Dr. and Mrs. M. M. Marshall are in southern Florida and may go to Cuba.

Governor Carr returned this afternoon from a trip to the eastern part of the state.

Mr. A. W. McAlister, of Greensboro, arrived this morning and put up at the Park hotel.

Miss Mary Gregory, of Oxford, who has been visiting here, returned home this afternoon.

Mr. Bruce Cotten, who has been visiting Mrs. Julian Timberlake, left for Cottendale this afternoon.

Mr. O. H. Foster, who has been suffering severely from an attack of "grip," was better today.

F. S. Spruill, Esq., of Louisburg, who has been visiting the city, returned home this afternoon.

Mr. J. M. Milliken, who was the straight republican congressional candidate for this district, arrived this morning.

Mr. C. M. Bernard, about whose contest for solicitorship, so great a "racket" was raised a month ago, arrived here today.

Mrs. W. R. Crawford is critically ill at her home in West Raleigh. Her death is only a question of days the Visitor is sorry to learn.

TERRIBLE SUFFERING

Among Poor People Right Here in Raleigh.

With the thermometer hanging around the zero point, with strong, icy blasts of cutting wind whistling around their heads and streaming through every crevice in their pitiable cold houses, with no wood, no provisions and scanty clothing the condition of hundreds of poor people in Raleigh is miserable and pitiable in the extreme.

With faces and hands blue with cold, with bodies thinly clothed in miserable rags and enfeebled by exposure and lack of nourishment many of them have gone to Mr. Pullen, to Mrs. Hayes and to other benevolent people seeking aid, not for themselves, even while suffering the pangs of cold and hunger, but their children, poor, helpless, freezing beings, huddled in bed at home to keep from dying outright. And while these good people are working with might and main and while they have relieved and made happy many suffering people, they have not the means to aid all.

The thing most needed is wood. A cord of wood comes cheap at \$1.50 when it may save a fellow being's life. People of Raleigh you are urged, beseeched, implored to aid. Send the money to Mr. Pullen or Mrs. Hayes. It will fall in good hands, it will be distributed wisely and properly, charity at a time like this is necessary.

Nice yellow bananas, at Dughi's.

California pears, at Dughi's.

Looks funny, but Dughi will sell you nice dates at 10 cents per pound.

Fine figs, at Dughi's.

Fries, stews and raw, the best you ever saw, 25 cents each, at Dughi's

We Warrant Every One We Sell.

"Eagle" Bicycles,

\$100

"Crescents"

BOYS AND GIRLS. LADIES. MEN'S. \$40 \$50 \$75

WOOD RIMS UP TO DATE 1895 BICYCLES, 28 INCH WHEELS, \$50.

Factory crowded with orders SPECIAL in stock; orders out for others. Expect soon. Don't buy until you see them.

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MILLINERY! MISS MAGGIE REESE.

Winter Millinery: OF ALL KINDS.

FULL LINE OF

CHILDREN'S CAPS AT ALL PRICES.

NOVELTIES IN INFANCY GOODS.

Zephyr, 7 cents. Wool, 18 cents.

GIPPER SOLES 25cts., at

Miss Maggie Reese's.



SHERWOOD'S SOLID SERVICE SHOES.

For Gentlemen, Ladies, Misses and Children

HAVE NO EQUAL

FOR STYLE, COMFORT AND WEAR.

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ODD LOTS AFTER INVENTORY.

We have just finished "taking stock" and find, as must necessarily be, accumulations in many departments goods that have not sold as well as they should—some shop worn. These we have placed on special tables and marked down to such prices as will make them sell.

The departments mentioned all contribute something of special interest.

Men's Outings, Black Dress Goods, Shoes and Carpets, Cotton Dress Goods, Foreign Dress Goods, Ladies' Furnishings, Linens, White Goods.

First shoppers always get the best from these odd lots.

W. H. & R. S. Tucker & Co