

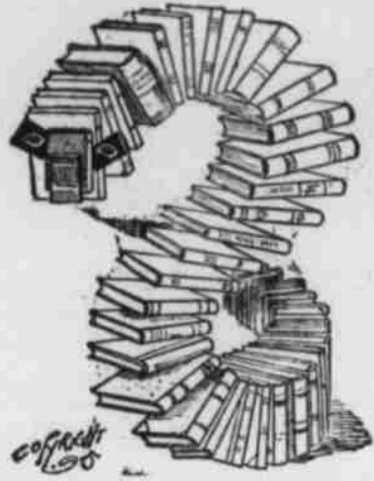
# EVENING VISITOR.

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## A Book Worm

knows more than one usually gives him credit for, and above all things he knows where to buy cheap books. And strange to say, that's one of the few things he didn't learn out of books. Somebody had to tell him. We told several book worms—not only about cheap books, but about writing paper, ink, pens and a few specialties, such as visiting cards and Easter cards. The address of the place is

## ALFRED WILLIAMS & CO.

That's no news to you perhaps—a case of "no news is good news."

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Agents for Imperial Pinned Paper Patterns, Sheets, Fans, etc. Patterns mailed free of postage. Subscriptions received for the "Imperial Monthly Magazine," only 50 cents a year, post paid.

## What Has Been Done

IN HISTORY—HERE ARE PRESENT FACTS.

No watch in the world keeps up with time better than we do with fashions. All of the latest in mermaid silk waists at Swindell's Department Store.

Values that give a good report of themselves are in the lace, edging and embroidery department at Swindell's Cash Store.

You'll find what you want in dress goods, silks, etc., at less than you think, at Swindell's Department Store.

We can suit you in clothing, gents furnishings, etc., when you are indifferent to expense or must count your money carefully. Swindell's Cash Store.

One might as well try to lift himself in a bushel basket as to compete with our styles and prices in shoes. Swindell's Department Store.

The figures in matting, carpets, in fact in any article in house furnishings, are as reasonable as the goods are inviting, at Swindell's Cash Store, 206 Fayetteville street.

Pine and Oak Wood for sale by m11 6t C. O. BALL.

Thomas & Maxwell has just received a large lot of pine fiber mattresses for people suffering with bronchitis! all lung troubles.

## FIRE THIS MORNING.

### A Kitchen Burned—The Companies' Good Work.

In the early morning, at 1:20 o'clock, the fire alarm rang out from box 43, on the corner of Jones and Saunders streets. A drizzling rain was falling at the time; the streets were muddy and the night was very cold. But over on Saunders street a kitchen was burning, the bright glare being readily visible all over the city. The firemen turned out promptly into the damp, cold night. The hose trucks and the engines and the hook and ladder companies got under way. In six minutes after the alarm sounded the street in front of the burning kitchen was filled with the fire fighting apparatus of the Raleigh department.

The kitchen was almost wholly destroyed and ruined, but the house and several out-houses in dangerous proximity to it were saved.

### Mrs. Tate Dead.

At 12:15 o'clock this morning Mrs. Elizabeth Tate died at the residence of her husband, Mr. E. B. Tate, on North Person street. She was 70 years old and was an estimable old lady. She had long been an invalid but since Saturday had been critically ill of heart disease. The funeral services will be held here tomorrow.

### A Little Child's Narrow Escape.

Late yesterday afternoon little Annie Ludlow McGeehee, the baby daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George McGeehee, narrowly escaped serious injury in front of Tucker's store. The nurse had left the little child in its carriage on the sidewalk. In some way the carriage started and rolled off the high curbing. The strong leather strap which held the baby in probably saved the little child's life. The baby was quite badly hurt.

Try our Peanut Brittle—Barbee & Pope. m13 1w

Try our Butter Cups—Barbee & Pope.

Pine and oak wood \$2 and \$2.50 at C. O. Ball's. mh14 6t

### Boarders Wanted.

Mrs. M. J. Ramsey desires to take several persons to board. Light, airy rooms and moderate charges. Excellent table. 412 East Hargett st. 14 3t

### Royster's Brittle

Always the same, Always the best, Always fresh, 20 cents per pound.

Send in your orders for Dugh's best ice cream for tomorrow.

## SEED IRISH POTATOES.

Fine New Orleans Molasses, Old Fashion Country Sorghum.

Evaporated and Home Dried Fruits.

## VIRGINIA HAMS—NORTH CAROLINA

That will please any one.

## "MELROSE."

This celebrated flour guaranteed the best fancy patent.

Old Fashion Buckwheat Flour, Prepared Buckwheat, etc.

We deliver goods promptly.

Telephone No. 125.

## TURNER & WYNNE,

229 Cor. Halifax and Johnson Sts.

## OUT IN THE DAMP.

### WAS WHERE THESE NEWSY ITEMS WERE FOUND.

### Dried Out Thoroughly They are Served in Concise Form.

A prisoner arrived at the penitentiary from Columbus county this afternoon.

Several Y. M. C. A. delegates arrive here tonight. The majority however will come in tomorrow.

Mrs. R. J. Foushee, mother of Mrs. D. T. Johnson, is seriously ill at the home of Mrs. Johnson on Hillsboro street.

Mr. W. A. Fuleher steps to the front with the first peach blossom of the season. It was found on a tree in his garden this morning.

Farmers are mad clean through. They wanted to get to ploughing soon but the rain has knocked their plans into the proverbial "cocked hat."

What has Raleigh done to weatherman Von Herrman to merit such punishment as he is now sending upon her. And the weather looked so clear and innocent, too.

Judge Meares, of Wilmington, has written Governor Carr and accepted the commission tendered him as judge of the new criminal court circuit recently created by the legislature.

The Southern railroad train that should have arrived here at 2:55 o'clock was an hour and fifty minutes late this afternoon. The delay was caused by defective connections.

Vice president St. John and family, of the S. A. L., are here in their private car. The car is at the Union depot. None of the party ventured out today. A private car is a convenience such days as this.

Mr. T. C. Harris, whose kitchen was burned last evening, desires to express his sincere thanks to the members of the various fire companies who worked so zealously and successfully in the attempt to save his property.

Special attention is called to Levering's coffee. It is not glazed and consequently you get the pure, unadulterated coffee. It is sold by most of the merchants and you will do well to try a package.

Robert Millikin, a colored man, went into a store last evening and commenced to be boisterous. He ripped and roared until a policeman came and arrested him. This morning he was fined \$10 by mayor Badger.

Mr. A. H. Wilkinson, who has so long been the efficient operator for the associated press at the News and Observer office, has resigned his position with the big news company. He has many friends here who hope he will continue to reside in Raleigh.

Some time ago Mr. John Wishart suffered a severe cut on the head. Dr. Rogers attended him and made sixteen stitches in his scalp. Then blood poisoning set in and Mr. Wishart was in a very bad way for awhile. He is much improved today, the first time such a condition has been noted.

The Arrington committee was to hold a meeting here today but for some reason the members got mixed up and it did not come off. Mr. Chas. Cook, of Louisburg, against whom Mrs. Arrington has made charges is here, ready to appear before the committee.

Governor Campbell and Hanging Dog's silk hat came down Fayetteville street as usual this morning. The governor made a bluff at protecting the hat with a piece of umbrella but unfortunately for the hat, nothing but the ruins of the rain catcher hung over it.

### Thousands for Whiskey.

Deputy collector Woods came here this morning from Murphy to report to collector Simmons the sale of the property recently seized from the Cluster Springs distilling company, a registered distillery that had been running in violation of the revenue laws.

The sale was the largest and more money was realized from it than has ever before been the case in this district. Eighty-four barrels of whiskey, which were sold, brought the neat little sum, in cash money, of \$4,640.

## JUST A CORPORAL'S GUARD

### Of People Had the Timidity to Brave Today's Storm.

Mr. H. T. Patterson, of Greensboro, arrived here this morning.

Mr. M. W. Bosworth, of Greensboro, is in the city this morning.

Mr. James E. Bryan arrived here from Moncure today.

Mr. George W. Davis, of Wake Forest a former representative, is here today.

Mr. J. E. Malloy, of Sanford, was among the few passengers the noon train landed here in the wet today.

Mrs. D. M. Laws and Miss Arlena Cates, of Hillsboro, are visiting Mrs. S. T. Smith on Jones street.

Mrs. Bettie Miller, of Newbern who was called to attend the bed-side of her mother, Mrs. Crowder, who died this morning, is here.

Messrs. Demie Grimes, of Grimesland, George M. Graham, of Hillsboro, and Murry Borden, of Goldsboro, who have been visiting here, returned to Chapel Hill this afternoon.

Mrs. Mary Muller daughter of W. J. W. Crowder arrived this afternoon from Oaslow county to attend the funeral of her mother.

### DEATH OF MRS. CROWDER.

She Died Early This Morning, at 6 O'clock.

Mrs. W. J. W. Crowder, the wife of Rev. Crowder, died this morning at 6 o'clock at her home on West Jones street in the 73rd year of her age. She was a well beloved Christian lady and leaves a husband and several children.

For years she has been an invalid and death came to her at last more as a relief from suffering than as the dark, cruel angel he is usually looked upon. But to the bereaved family and many, many friends his coming in this instance is a cruel blow. They may take consolation in the thought that never was death met more cheerfully and never did any one fear his coming less than that long-suffering patient, Christian lady.

The funeral services will be held tomorrow afternoon at 5 o'clock from Edenton street M. E. church, the church of which Mrs. Crowder had so long been a faithful and devoted member. Rev. J. N. Cole will conduct the services.

### The Raleigh Minstrels.

The Raleigh minstrels will on next Tuesday March 26th, give an entertainment at Metropolitan hall, under the management of Manteo and Capital lodges I. O. O. F., of this city, for the benefit of the Odd Fellows Orphan Home to be erected at Goldsboro. The main building of the home is to cost \$10,000 and will be completed in the fall. The committee on management from Manteo and Capital lodges assure the friends of the order that the entertainment will be a first class one. The ladies are expected to attend and a good house is sure to greet the boys as the object is one of the most worthy that could be brought before the people.

### A Long Delayed Wedding.

This afternoon at 3 o'clock Mr. Frank Bedford, of Rolesville, and Miss Mattie Partin, of Raleigh, were happily married here. Both are well known and popular here. The Visitor extends congratulations.

Back of this happy marriage is a little touch of romance. For fifteen years the couple have been engaged. And now they are married. May their after life be many times as long as their long courtship, is the wish of their large number of friends.

## THE WEATHER

### The Conditions and the Forecast.

For North Carolina: Rain followed by fair Thursday. Probably severe local storms this evening. Slightly colder in southwest portion.

Local forecast for Raleigh and vicinity: Rain, clearing by Thursday night. Decidedly colder.

Local data for 24 hours ending at 8 a. m. today. Maximum temperature 65; minimum temperature 43; rainfall, 0.95.

## A STAB IN THE BACK.

### THE ABSURD BILL SNEAKED THROUGH BY BAGWELL.

To Make Wake's Constable Raleigh Township's Tax Collector.

Out of the Chaos created by the late legislature pops up a bill that is a blow aimed directly at Sheriff Page and one that was evidently sneaked through near the close of the session. It was a veritable stab in the back, and the man who aimed the blow, who introduced the bill is representative Bagwell. It is an act to provide for the appointment by the board of county commissioners of a special township collector for each township in Wake county with the proviso that the tax collectors so appointed shall be the constables for the various townships. The bill, in addition to being an act, aimed out of special spite at the sheriff of Wake county, is an absolutely absurd one. The bond of the township collectors is fixed at the same figure as that required of the constables. A moment's thought will show the folly of this when it is stated that the taxes in Raleigh township amount to \$60,000 from which the commissions for collection will amount to \$3,000, and that the bond of the man appointed to collect these taxes will be the pitifully small sum of \$500. But it is a plain case. A special grudge against sheriff Page is the reason the bill was introduced.

But in addition to this the bill's passage was not an honorable one. At least that is what various legislators think and say. It was sneaked through near the close of the session. Here is the history: The bill was first introduced in the house by Bagwell and the house, taking this fact as a cue that it was of little importance, passed it. Some one called Jim Young's attention to it and he explained the bill and moved to reconsider it and refer to the finance committee. This was done. There was no more heard of it in the house, although it came up in and passed the senate. And yet a few days after the legislature adjourned up pops this bill, having passed three readings in each house and having been duly ratified on March 9.

There is doubt, however, as to whether the bill is legal. A decision, in King vs Hunter, in 65 N. C. Reports, says that such an act is unconstitutional as the emoluments of office are private property and can not be taken away by the legislature. Judge Bynum handed down this opinion.

### THE DIME SAVINGS BANK.

### Subscription Books Were Opened Today—Much Stock Taken.

This morning the subscription books of the new Mechanic's Savings Bank were opened and the committee to solicit stock subscriptions started to work. That they were successful, beyond their expectations even, goes without saying.

This bank, which was only recently incorporated by the legislature, is designed to do a great work in helping people to help themselves. That the bank will be a success cannot be doubted for it is the very thing which the people have all along wanted. No matter how small may be a person's means he or she will be encouraged by this institution to save something. As its name implies deposits will be received from ten cents upward.

A feature will be, it is understood, the keeping of the bank open at night, on Saturday evenings, in order that the weekly wage earner may have a chance to put by something from his wages, "for a rainy day." The bank is a good thing and deserves success. The committee who are soliciting subscriptions are W. N. Jones, B. R. Lacy, D. M. King, N. B. Broughton, J. A. Mills, J. S. Wynne and John B. Kenney. It is thought best to have the stock diversified. Therefore one person may take only a limited number of shares.

We have just received a large line of sponges and Chamois skins which we bought at very reasonable prices and we are selling them correspondingly low.

Hicks & Rogers, Druggists, (Successors to Snelling & Hicks.)

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.

## THOS. H. BRIGGS & SONS,

RALEIGH, N. C.

## 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 SHERWOOD'S

## METHODS WINS.

## Fixed Figures AND Low Prices

Combined with big values, bring the business.

We might quote prices, but you can't tell anything about the values until you see the goods.

The "great price cutters" and "big bargain givers" make significant failures in catching the trade after our goods have been seen and the prices heard.

## Now for Easter Dresses

Complete assortment of early spring woolsens have just been received with an elegant line of trimmings to match. Full line of the best fitting Corsets on the market.

## DRESSY SHOES For DRESSY PEOPLE.

Right goods at right prices, backed by a warrant of full satisfaction, or no pay does the work for us.

Examine our stock to your heart's content. You are not urged to buy.

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the "leavings over" from last fall. Original prices \$2.25 to \$4.50 and some \$5, your choice for

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the finest corn on the market. Has been sold to the best trade in Raleigh for the past three years. I have reduced this corn to

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the price generally asked for inferior grades. Try a can.

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