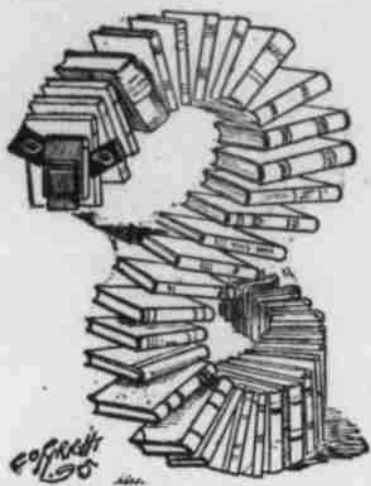


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A Book Worm

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

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H. W. BOWEN, Raleigh, N. C.
DEAR SIR: I arrived this m. after a somewhat tedious trip as the North bound trains were all late. I took lunch and at once repaired to the field of action. My first purchase was a line of Ladies waists, these I have bought in silk, Satteen, Pencil, Battico, and several other very stylish and popular fabrics which I am satisfied are the handsomest, most stylish and cheapest line ever brought to Raleigh. My long experience and thorough acquaintance in New York city in this one instance will result in a saving of many dollars both to myself and our customers, as I have bought these goods at figures that cannot be met by competition, without a great loss. I am going to be very careful in the selection of my Dress goods and silks and shall devote at least one week to picking up the very latest novelties in these lines. I am more thoroughly convinced of the advantage of making my Northern purchases late this season than ever before, as I have within the last hour had goods offered to me from 20 to 30 per cent cheaper than the same goods were sold two weeks ago. If you think we will need any more help you had better secure it at once as the values we will offer this spring can't help but attract.
I hope you will have the store in good condition to receive the new stock. I shall expect to hear from you this week.
With kind regards to yourself and all in the store, I am yours truly,
D. T. SWINDLELL

RALEIGH TO THE FRONT.

The Raleigh branch of the Southern takes pleasure in stating to its 150 members who own \$140,000 worth of stock, and to those who want to become members, that she is now ready to receive application for loans with which to build a home, or to pay for one already built. It matters not how much, from \$300 to \$5,000 or more. Parties having lots for sale, or who have residences for sale, will do well to call at my office and register same as I now have and expect more applications for same. Real estate bought and sold. Stocks and bonds also. Money loaned on building and loan stock (of any reliable association) as I prefer this to real estate loans. I loaned a party \$500 in the Raleigh branch of the Southern. He built him a nice home; only pays us \$8.50 per month. He could not rent the same house for this money. Is he paying any rent? No, but he is paying for his house every month and in about 7 years will not owe a cent. Recollect that the Raleigh branch of the Southern proposes to bring into Raleigh \$5 for every one paid in. We only charge 6 per cent interest. No better or safer investment to be had.
C. C. McDONALD, Sec'y and Treas., Raleigh Branch, Office with Jones & Powell, ml14 t, s, 6c

THE WEATHER

The Conditions and the Forecast.

For North Carolina: Fair and warmer.
Local forecast for Raleigh and vicinity: Sunday fair weather, much warmer.
Local data for 24 hours ending at 8 a. m. today. Maximum temperature 48; minimum temperature 27; rainfall, 0.00.

For Sale.

An Electropoise good as new. Only been used a short time. Price \$20.00 Apply at this office. m6 tf

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A CHAT FOR SUNDAY.

STUFF OF LOCAL INTEREST YOU MAY READ TODAY

And Talk Over in Your Leisure Moments Tomorrow.

The big monument shaft has arrived at the western gate of the capitol, at last.

Box sheet will be opened on Monday morning at W. H. King's drug store for Fast Mail and the U. S. Marine band.

It is stated that extensive improvements are soon to be made at both the Pilot and Caraleigh mills. Raleigh to the front, as a manufacturing centre, as otherwise.

The other two delegates of the Arrington triumvirate have departed to rural scenes again, but Cherokee Campbell is fascinated with city life and still remains here.

Many of the Y. M. C. A. delegates "shook" the meeting this morning and put in the day sight seeing. The state library and the museum were most visiting.

Rev. William Black, evangelist of the synod of North Carolina, will occupy the pulpit of the 1st Presbyterian church tomorrow morning and evening and services will be continued during the week.

Yesterday afternoon Mr. S. S. Hines, a Wake Forest student, arrived here with his brother. His brother was taken suddenly ill with grip and last evening suffered a severe attack of rheumatism. They left for their home in Faison this afternoon.

Rev. Mr. Graham of Davidson college will preach tomorrow at 11 a. m. at the Christian; and at 7:30 p. m. Prof. Mims of Trinity college, will conduct the services. The public are cordially invited to attend.

The convicts at the quarters at the penitentiary are perfectly contented with their lot. The other day Mr. McMackin learned that one of them had slipped out at night, paid several visits and then returned of his own accord.

The new telephone instruments which as stated a day or so ago are to be placed here, are of the Multiple Law system, which are the latest and most improved instruments. They are said to possess many advantages over those now in use. They will entirely replace the old instruments here.

In the mayor's court this morning Ben Plummer, the negro man caught with a bag full of chickens night before last, was tried. Circumstantial evidence hemmed Ben in on every side and he was sent on. The "fowls," as one witness said Ben called them, were owned by the mother of Mr. W. E. Bonner, who identified them.

Rev. F. S. Brockman, who preaches at the Edenton St. Methodist church tomorrow at 11 a. m. is one of the leading spirits of the convention. Mr. Brockman is a graduate of Vanderbilt University and, it is learned, is making ready to enter at an early day the foreign mission field of the Southern Methodist church. He will doubtless have a large audience.

Tomorrow at the Edenton Street Methodist church Rev. F. S. Brockman will preach at 11 a. m., and Rev. J. W. Lee will preach at 7:50 p. m.

The Odd Fellows orphan home will get the benefit of the proceeds from the ministers next Tuesday night. Every friend of the order will be expected to attend, its quite the thing to do, besides show Raleigh talent that it is appreciated.

When "Pat" Hughes left here to take charge of the Postal office in Norfolk he was told by his company to select his successor. This was a consideration rarely shown by corporations to their official servants and showed in what high esteem Mr. Hughes was held by his company. That their trust was not misplaced all who know Mr. Crews, clever and efficient "as you make 'em," will know.

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.)

TEMPERANCE WORKERS.

Meeting Today—By-Laws Adopted and Officers Elected.

At 12 o'clock today the Wake county temperance association met in the Y. M. C. A. rooms. A good number of members and sympathizers were present. By-laws for the association were drawn up and officers and an executive committee elected. It was decided to organize temperance societies in every township in Wake county. Those interested propose to make the association a live one and to push the work. Here are the officers:

President, J. M. White, Apex; vice-president, Dr. Bell, of Wakefield; corresponding secretary, E. E. Forsythe, Raleigh; recording secretary, L. N. Rames, Rolesville; treasurer, John Pallen, Raleigh.

Executive committee: Prof. Siler, Holly Springs; Rev. D. H. Tuttle, Raleigh; N. B. Broughton, Raleigh; Prof. W. L. Poteat, Wake Forest; Dr. J. M. Templeton, Cary.

WILL BE ANOTHER FAIR.

But it behooves Raleigh People to Help Out.

A rumor circulated around today that the management of the state fair had abandoned the idea of continuing it. This was undoubtedly occasioned by the fact that the fair is in debt and that the management is cutting down expenses, clerical and otherwise.

Mr. Hal W. Ayer was seen by a Visitor reporter and said that the management had made no such decision and that the fair would in all probability be held again next year. He said though that the fair was in debt and at one time it was thought that it would have to be abandoned.

There is a possibility of such action yet and it certainly rests with the people of this city whether or not there shall be a great fair, such as the last, and one which will bring the state into the front and prosperity to the capital. Do the people of Raleigh realize what effect the stopping of the state fair would have? Apparently not, for if they did it would have only to be hinted that the fair needed support, to make them open their minds and their purses for its aid.

SOME Y. M. C. A. WORK.

An Item Or So From Secretary Cooper's Coming Report.

The following little items, gleaned from the advance sheets of Secretary Cooper's report of Y. M. C. A. work for the past nine months, will prove of interest. They show that the Raleigh association has a hustling, conscientious managing official and that the Y. M. C. A. should by all means be encouraged and maintained.

During the past nine months, the association has been visited by 16,223 persons, who have registered; the attendance at the Sunday meetings has been 2,042; the secretary has paid 248 visits to the sick; 740 letters have been received and answered from visitors; employment has been obtained for 25 persons; 16 strangers have been directed to good boarding houses; 83 new members have been enrolled; 96 persons have been assisted in various ways.

This is anything but a bad showing. It dispels the idea that some people have that the association work is not active. It could be made more active, more helpful, if it were more encouraged and aided.

A laughable incident occurred on Wilmington street last evening. A countryman, a good deal under the influence of met a negro who was carrying a bunch of lightwood. "Shay, wat devil ye got dare?" said he. "None of your business," said the negro. The white man straightened himself up proudly and looked scornfully at the negro, "you tend to your business, I tends to mine." He seemed entirely ignorant of the fact that he had started the controversy.

Rev. Oaks to Speak.

Rev. E. W. Oaks, known as the Bible evangelist, is in the city and will preach tomorrow morning and evening at the Baptist tabernacle. Mr. Oaks will remain over during next week and conduct services at the tabernacle every morning from 10 to 11, and evening at 8 o'clock. The public are cordially invited to attend.

CAUGHT IN THE ACT.

THESE PEOPLE WALKED IN TO THE VISITOR.

Wherever or Whenever They Move They are Captured.

Mr. F. Jones, one of Charlotte's citizens, arrived here this morning.

Rev. G. W. Rollins, a cosmopolitan Baptist divine, is in the city today.

Mr. Sam Harper, a well-known Fayetteville man, is in Raleigh today.

Dr. L. A. Carr, of Durham, arrived here this morning and is at the Yarboro.

Capt. E. T. Mason, of Manchester, is in the city today.

Rev. Baylus Cade left the city again this afternoon.

Mr. Collins Hawkins and Miss Lizzie Taylor left for Baltimore today.

Mr. Leon Humphrey, of Goldsboro, is in the city today.

Mr. Theo. A. Pool, of Salisbury, is in the city today.

Mr. Walters Durham, of Wake Forest college, was in the city this morning.

Mr. G. M. Harding, Jr., a horse-loving Durhamite, arrived this morning.

Col. John Robinson, so long commissioner of agriculture, arrived this morning.

Mrs. D. C. Murray, who has been very ill of pneumonia is now greatly improved, the Visitor is glad to learn.

Mr. Meekin, manager of the Wake Forest baseball team, was here today arranging for the appearance of his team. He returned to Wake Forest at noon today.

COMING THEATRICALS.

Sensation and Music Both "On Tap" At the Academy.

The famous United States Marine band of Washington will appear at the academy on March 29th. Will give matinee and an evening entertainment. The band is so well known that its superiority cannot be questioned.

Under the masterly direction of Prof. Fanciulli, the United States Marine band stands today the best military musical organization in the country, and is justly deserving of the title of "The band of the Nation."

Miss Carrie Roma, prima donna, will be a feature of the program. Mr. Jager, flute soloist, is an exceptionally fine artist.

On Wednesday evening next, the doors of the academy will swing wide open for the great scenic production of Lincoln J. Carter's "Fast Mail."

The railway has often been used by the dramatist, but never before to such an extent as in Carter's famous play, "The Fast Mail." A freight train with fourteen cars, lighted caboose and a full-sized locomotive, with engineer and fireman crosses the stage in most realistic and noisy manner. While later in the play a great Mississippi river steamboat moves in and explodes with terrific force. A great scene is also given of Niagara in real tumbling waters.

From far away Florida comes an invitation to the wedding of Miss Sarah Elma Strange to Mr. Charles Edward Wilson at 8 o'clock a. m. on the morning of Wednesday, March 27th, at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Thomas, McIntosh, Florida. Miss Strange formerly lived here and is pleasantly remembered by many friends who will wish her a happy and prosperous wedded life. Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Wilson, at home after March 27th, at Augustine, Fla.

Raleigh will be right "in it" in baseball in April. The University and Lafayette teams play here on the second and Wake Forest college and the famous Baltimore "Orioles" on the third of that month.

Rufus Whitaker, the colored preacher who has been under arrest for breaking up church meetings, has appealed to the superior court.

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

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