

CARD FROM MRS. ARRINGTON.

She Gives her Legislative Committee a Raking.

Editor Visitor:—Many have been to me after seeing an article in another paper, to know if the legislative committee was waiting for me, as was stated. I ought to have been surprised, to see the statement, after I had waited patiently from the day the legislature adjourned. How any committee could have made such a statement I cannot see for I have written several letters insisting that the committee return to Raleigh and get to work. My papers have been ready, waiting, and I have tried to say nothing in the way of complaint, thinking the committee would come back and do the work that it was appointed to do, and which it promised to do impartially. After waiting, as I think very patiently, for this length of time and it being only two weeks before the close of the supreme court for this term, I cannot think it out of place to make a public statement. I ask what is the cause of the lengthy delay. I am getting quite old and blind but believe I can see as deep in a millstone as any one. I am one not to be surprised at anything; no, even if the old gentlemen from down below were to come and demand possession I rather think I would be inquisitive enough to ask why he had not been up before as I had been disappointed in his delay and his waste of time. For my life I cannot see the great difference in dealing with demons as I have been obliged to do twenty-four years. I hope now to begin this long dreaded work. I now make a demand and say if those gentlemen intend doing their work they must begin and no longer delay. There is no excuse. They have employed their lawyer and the work must be done.

MRS. PATTIE D. B. ARRINGTON.

A Fourth Less than Cost.

All men's clothing will be sold in suits for one-fourth less than the actual cost of same. And we have a beautiful assortment of men's summer suits and a very large stock to select from. We will not have a clothing department when we move to Norfolk and shall not carry any clothing from here if our low prices will sell it here. For instance, a suit that sold for \$15 cost \$10, and we now sell at \$7.50. So you see this is just half the retail price and a fourth less than cost.

D. T. Swindell's.

Apples, Bananas and Oranges

N. C. corned herrings by the barrel at D. Bell & Co's. Stall No. 12 city market.

Housekeepers,

PLEASE NOTE!

We invite you to inspect our stock of Fancy and Staple Groceries. You may rely on anything you buy of us as we handle nothing but the BEST goods.

We take pleasure in recommending our improved MELROSE Flour which is guaranteed to please the most fastidious.

Our MEATS are carefully cured and of fine flavor.

We boast of our ELGIN PRIZE CREAMERY BUTTER. It is sweet, pure and fresh.

Selected "SILVER BACK" Mackerel, Roe and New N. C. Herring.

MOMAJA, (contains Mocha, Maccabio and Java), Chose & Sanford's Blended Mocha and Java. Both of these coffees are very fine. Arbuckle, Levering's, etc.

Our prices are as low as first class goods can be sold. Call and see for yourself or telephone No. 135.

Respectfully,

Turner & Wynne,

at 12 Cor. Halifax and Johnson sts.

A Bank Robbed.

Sometime between last Saturday afternoon and yesterday morning the Farmers' bank at Roxboro was robbed of all the money on hand. The robbers entered through a window, opened the safe, took the money and closed it as it had been. There is no clue whatever, but the general opinion is the work was done by some expert. Unfortunately the safe did not have a time lock. A special to the Charlotte Observer says the bank has offered \$1,000 reward for the capture of the thief.

Everybody is wondering who is going to get the five dollar hat on Thursday. He is going to give one away. Who will get it? Our variety of eight-cent things will astonish you. Everybody must come and try for the hat. Woolcott & Son.

Fine Table Butter,

D. T. Johnson's.

In the Line.

Tomorrow you be in the line at the special dress goods sale at Swindell's and you will thank your stars. You must save money these hard times. All dress goods tomorrow at cost. Slike the same.

For Sale.

I have for sale some very fine milk cows. Apply to Mrs. Jane Waters, 301 East and Polk streets. ap23

300 pair Pants 48c
200 pair Pants 68c
200 pair Pants 88c
200 pair Pants \$1.00
Woolcott & Son.

Do You Read?

Yes, of course you do. We can supply any book, newspaper, periodical, magazine, fashion book, novel or other publications that can be obtained in America in the shortest possible time and at the lowest possible price. Will take your subscription for any journal published anywhere in the world or at any price.

THE NORTH CAROLINA BOOK CO.,
ap23 41 139 Fayetteville St.

All Dress Goods

at special sale tomorrow at wholesale cost. One day only, at D. T. Swindell's.

If you want to save money buy your hats of us. Mrs. Sarah King has charge of the millinery department. Woolcott & Son.

INVESTIGATE OUR CLAIMS.

OUR Stock is thorough and complete. No descriptive lecture is necessary. The styles please the eye, the price does the rest.

THE fine Black Serge, No. 7400, is nearly closed. This week we offer the NAVY'S at same price, 30c, worth 50c; No. 906, Henrietta Blk, only at 53c, worth 75c; No. 1415, Serge, blk and blue, 39c; Granite Cloth, blk and colors, 25c. 'Job'.

READY-MADE Skirts and Shirt Waists in profusion of styles; qualities and prices.

BOY'S and Girl's Caps—the greatest variety in the city at the popular prices of 25c and 50c.

GENTLEMEN'S Straw Hats—Fine brands in hats, that jobbed from \$12 to \$18 a dozen by the wholesalers this season, we now offer at retail for \$1 each. Straw Hats, all kinds, as low as 5c.

STYLISH SHOES.—The reputation enjoyed for handling the most approved styles in strictly high class footwear has been more than maintained in this season's productions. High shoes, low shoes or three-quarter cut for tender feet, for all ages and sexes, insure ease and comfort.

IT TAKES no announcement of "special sale" to make our goods go. Satisfied customers are our walking advertisers.

THIS season you get better styles, better quality and lower prices than ever before. We offer them.

C. A. SHERWOOD & CO.

A CASHIER GONE WRONG.

CHARLOTTE NOW HAS A DECIDED SENSATION.

Cashier Holland Has Appropriated \$50,000 of a Bank's Funds.

Saturday night J. R. Holland, cashier of the Merchants' and Farmers' national bank of Charlotte, assigned. He was one of the leading men of the city. The fact that he was a defaulter was brought out by bank examiner John M. Miller, who was making an examination and who discovered that Mr. Holland had been overdrawing his account for perhaps over ten years, making false entries to keep from being detected in his appropriation of the bank's money.

When the bank examiner came and he was required to show so much cash on hand, he would borrow the amount, put it in the bank until the examiner had finished, and then return it to the parties from whom borrowed. C. N. G. Butt, teller, says he always took Holland's statement and figures without questioning him or examining the cash. Up to last night Holland's shortage had reached \$50,000. His salary as cashier was \$2,300. Besides his indebtedness to the bank Holland owes Mr. George E. Wilson, the bank's attorney, \$9,500, and Mrs. Amanda Pritchard, his sister-in-law, \$1,000. His assets are valued at from \$25,000 to \$30,000. Dr. McAden is president of the bank.

United States district attorney Glenn arrived at Charlotte yesterday and was in consultation all day with the officers of the bank and bank examiner Miller. Holland's bond in a guarantee company, and is for \$90,000. Whether or not the company will prosecute him is not yet known.

It is a bad affair, and Charlotte deplores it. Nothing that has ever happened in that city has caused more general expression of sorrow and regret. The Observer says that at the earnest solicitation and repeated requests of the bank officials district attorney Glenn swore out no warrant for Holland yesterday. It is understood that Holland will waive examination when proceedings are commenced. Holland yesterday tendered his resignation as cashier, and C. N. G. Butt is acting temporarily in that capacity.

The Oldest N. C. Town.

While Maj. and Mrs. S. F. Telfair were in the eastern part of the state they visited the old town of Bath, in Pasquot county, sixteen miles from Washington. The Episcopal church, built about 1712, and to which Queen Anne gave a bell, is yet standing. The bell became cracked and the thoughtless people sent it away to be recast. The church is built of bricks brought from England. In it is a pew in which was once used by the governors of North Carolina. It is this pew was a big chair. This has disappeared. The church had a fine and costly communion service, the gift of king George the First, but this too is gone, no one knows where. Bath was founded in 1706, and was then called "Bath Town."

Dughi Up to Date.

Dughi's excellent ice cream is always popular in Raleigh and wherever else people eat it. Now the Raleigh people and the general public will have a better opportunity than ever to enjoy Dughi's delicious ice, for today he made arrangements with all the druggists in the city to keep his ice cream on sale at the soda fountains. This will make a big hit no doubt. Dughi is up to date, as this enterprising scheme clearly shows, and so are the druggists.

The Weather For Tomorrow.

For North Carolina: Showers in western portion today. Wednesday fair.

Local forecast for Raleigh and vicinity: Wednesday fair.

Local data for 24 hours ending at 8 a. m. today: Maximum temperature 85; minimum temperature 58; rainfall 0.30.

We are dispensing all kinds of sherbets and cold drinks. Our chocolate is "Just lovely."

Hicks & Rogers, Prescription Druggists.

THE SUPERIOR COURT.

Shaffer Wins the Noted Suit Against Bledsoe.

In the superior court this afternoon there was a verdict in the noted case of A. W. Shaffer against Moses A. Bledsoe, in a suit involving the ownership of 90 acres of land lying immediately south of the city, including what is known as Bledsoe's grove. Argument in this case occupied all the session of the court today. The verdict of the jury is in favor of Shaffer on all points. The attorney for the plaintiff was T. R. Purnell, Esq., and for the defendant J. C. L. Harris, Esq. The streets surveyed through this land take up some space and there are about 65 acres of building lots. It is said that some improvements are to be made there and that Bledsoe's grove will be converted into a park and summer resort, athletic grounds, etc. Col. Shaffer was asked as to this matter, but declined to say anything just now.

The case of W. S. Barnes, secretary and treasurer of the Farmers' Alliance, against ex-congressman W. T. Crawford, of Haywood county, for \$5,000 for alleged libel is set for hearing tomorrow.

The case of E. D. Stanford, of Yadkin county, against J. C. Ellington, involving the office of state librarian, is set for hearing next Tuesday in the superior court. Stanford's counsel are T. R. Purnell, Spier Whitaker, J. C. MacRae and W. H. Day, while Bledsoe and Shepherd appear for Ellington.

WEATHER AND CROPS.

The Third Weekly Weather Crop Bulletin.

The bulletin for the week ending yesterday says the weather conditions were unfavorable. The temperature was below normal until the 20th, only the last three days, Saturday, Sunday and yesterday, being warm, bright days. Tuesday and Wednesday cold northeast winds and rain prevailed over nearly the entire state, rainfall was very heavy and resulted in further delay in farm work. In the eastern district frosts two mornings last week did no damage worth mentioning. Very little progress can be reported. Little cotton has been planted. Less guano is being bought than usual. Tobacco plants are generally reported as looking well, but at some places seeds failed to come up and plants are scarce. One station reports damage by cut worms. Sweet potatoes are being bedded. Freshets on the Cape Fear river have prevented rice farmers from plowing and planting, and that crop is backward. Cold weather has retarded the growth of truck without otherwise doing any damage.

REMNANTS.

The history of the last legislature is to appear May 1.

Last night while traveling on a train near Polkton, sheriff Wall, of Anson, was hit on the head by a stone thrown through a window and was painfully hurt.

Cap. C. B. Denson has obtained from the widow of Gen. W. H. C. Whiting, of Wilmington, and from Col. Lamb, of Norfolk, a mass of valuable material for his memorial address here May 10, on Gen. Whiting.

As yet the attorneys in the penitentiary dispute have not agreed as to whether the case shall be heard at this term of superior court or shall take the regular course. If the latter is done it will be six months before the matter comes up.

Mr. and Mrs. Aldrich, who last winter came here from Flint, Mich., and who have made many warm friends during their residence in Raleigh, will next week go to Detroit, which will be their home. The change is by reason of Mr. Aldrich's business arrangements.

The township school committee says it is not responsible for the broken down fences at the Centennial school, but the responsibility is on the school committee of the board of aldermen, and that the attention of the latter committee has been called to the matter, but that nothing is done. This is a sharp hit at the board's committee.

DOTS AND DASHES.

PICKED UP IN RALEIGH AND VICINITY.

The Happenings of a Day Told in Little Space.

Mrs. Van Fleming is visiting Mrs. C. S. Allen.

The republic city primaries will be held this evening.

The largest income tax returned by any one person in this revenue district is \$7,000.

Plans for the new main building of the Odd Fellows orphanage at Goldsboro are accepted.

Among today's arrivals at the Yarbboro are W. A. Bobbit, of Oxford, and James H. Merrimon of Asheville.

Judge W. S. O'R. Robinson was here today on his way to his home at Goldsboro from Cleveland superior court.

Rev. William Brown, colored, of Richmond, Va., who is a bank president, will lecture at Metropolitan hall this evening.

Rev. Dr. W. S. Black, so well known and so greatly esteemed here, is to be married next month to a lady whose home is at Woodleaf.

Faithful "old Tom," the porter at the S. A. L. office, who was recently discharged, has by order of general manager Winder been put on duty again.

The National baseball club, colored, of this city, which in the past two years has not lost a game, will play at Athletic park on the 30th instant with a club from Chapel Hill.

Mr. Charles Smedes is visiting Raleigh on sick leave from the dead letter office, and will resign his position in the postoffice department and go to Colorado to reside for his health.

A letter to Mr. T. K. Bruner from Dr. Capohart, owner of the great fishery at Avoca, Bertie county, says that last Friday at one haul of his seine 1,700 shad and 400,000 herring were taken.

Manager Meares is making arrangements for the appearance at the academy of music late in May, two or three evenings, of the well known Andrews opera company, which presents both grand and comic operas.

Dr. T. D. Hogg has completed an attractive eight room residence at the corner of West North and North Wilton streets. Mr. B. S. Jerman will occupy it. Mr. Jerman is to be married next month to Miss Montgomery, a charming young lady of Concord.

At the Centennial school the assembly hall roll of honor for week ending April 19 was as follows: Ivey Lewis, Wingate Boushall, Eugene Parker, Sam Hanf, Frank Simpson, Talcott Brewer, Lonnie Alford, Lester Reddie, Arthur Dieks and Witherspoon Daniel.

The drinking fountain near the Centennial school is half overturned. It ought to be looked after. The ground near it ought to be paved. As it is now and has been for a long time it is like a mud hole. It must be somebody's business to look after the fountain, but nobody seems to pay any attention to it.

Tide Runs Your Way.

Tomorrow all dress goods and silks at wholesale cost. One day only at Swindell's.

Attend our eighteen cent sale Thursday. We will give you lots of bargains and somebody is going to get a five dollar hat free.

Woolcott & Son.

Special Sale.

We will sell satine crepons, beautiful dress styles, on Thursday next, at 81-2c—eight and a half cents—yard. These are all colors and all manner of figures and black grounds. Also evening shades. Think of it. Crepons at 81-2c; others want 12 1-2c; some ask 15c, but we do the grand Thursday by giving these at 81-2c—eight and a half cents. One day only, at D. T. Swindell's.

All Dress Goods.

Special sale of all dress goods in Swindell's big store at wholesale cost tomorrow and one day only.

IN STOCK:

Specials, \$50
Crescents, \$75
Ramblers, \$100

BICYCLES

We have in stock a

A NEW EAGLE

18 1/4 model. If you want a bargain call and see it.

Full line of

BABY CARRIAGES.

We have the goods. We have the right price.

THOS. H. BRIGGS & SONS.

MISS M. A. G. ILLIPIRRESE

MILLINERY AND FANCY GOODS.

Agency for Imperial Plumed Paper Patterns, Sheetfree, patterns mailed free of postage. Subscriptions received for the "Imperial Monthly Magazine," only 50 cents a year, post paid.

Housekeeping Furniture.

We took advantage of the rain weather last Wednesday to go through the various lines of housekeeping furniture and take out a number of pieces which we will close out. We have laced this furniture upon our large carpet room floor and marked every piece in plain figures. We make the price now JUST ONE HALF—50c IN THE DOLLAR.

We do not believe we could get together a collection of articles that could be of more interest to housekeepers than these we are showing for this particular sale.

We haven't the space here to name the articles included in this sale, but each piece is a creditable one and at half price. Every housekeeper should be interested.

W. H. & R. S. TUCKER & CO.

Our Sale of Housekeeping Furniture.

At 50 cents on the dollar we are closing out certain pieces of housekeeping furniture. There are some of the articles. We haven't the space here to name all. Iron bedsteads, banquet and piano lamps, Japanese tables, reel rockers, gentlemen's easy chairs, ladies' writing desks, odd pieces of parlor furniture, oak buffets, children's cribs, beds, etc. Everything marked in plain figures and your choice from this lot at 50 cents on the dollar.

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

Once More.

TOMORROW we will again offer all dress goods and silks at special sale, when no profit will be asked. This is a grand offering and no lady should neglect to profit by this sale. You surely need spring dress goods and cannot buy them as cheap by one-fourth as we sell on these special sales. Our object is to reduce the stock before moving to Norfolk. Remember tomorrow, 24th. All dress goods and silks at wholesale cost at D. T. Swindell's.



BEST RESERVE CAN CORN,

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

15 Cents Can.

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

JESSE G. BALL.

TELEPHONE 77.