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Special Sale.

- 5c Tuesday, June 11th. 5c Tuesday, June 11th. 5c Tuesday, June 11th. 5c French Flowered Organdies. 5c French Flowered Organdies. 5c French Flowered Organdies.

Fresh Snaps, Cucumbers

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Large stock of all kind of goods in

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I have any quantity of all sorts of plants and also fresh vegetables for sale at my store, corner West Jones and North Dawson streets.

R. M. UTMAN.

Trade Invigorators!

The glowing heat of June, offset by the light, airy and fluffy materials for midsummer wear. Loveliness and beauty concentrated in the designs, prints and colorings of our immense display of Piques, Dimities, Japonettes, Organdies, Tisse de Lux and Lawns. Various qualities at the lowest prices ever named.

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Piques, Ducks, Percales, Prints, &c., all at reduced prices.

SUMMER UNDERWEAR.

Ladies' Fancy Ribbed Vests, Gaze Lids, head, pure Egyptian and Swiss Ribbed at 5, 10, 15, 25, 40 and 60c

Gloria Silk Umbrellas.

24, 26 and 28 inches, at 75c, \$1 and \$1.25.

For Traveling Costumes.

Light Woolen Serges and Novelty Mixtures, blue, black and colors. Just right for seaside breezes or mountain airings. Prices down

Our Annual Stock Taking

occurs in July, and in order to reduce stock the matter of cost will figure small to all cash purchasers. Such qualities at such prices will be very interesting to those who "value a dollar." We invite you to improve the opportunity.

C. A. SHERWOOD.



AFTER THE STOVE PEDDLERS

Treasurer Worth Issues an Order to Sheriffs.

The following letter was sent out today by the state treasurer: "It has come to my knowledge that certain persons, residents of other states, have recently come into North Carolina, and claiming to be protected by the U. S. laws relative to inter-state commerce, are peddling ranges from house to house in wagons, without peddlers license, in open violation and defiance of law.

"Their mode of doing business is this: The manufacturer in another state ships to his agents by railroad to a certain railroad point in this state, his ranges in car-load lots and establishes in this state a local supply depot or place of storage for his ranges in bulk, and then through his agents sends out first a wagon with what is called a 'sample range,' to be followed up when he gets an order by another agent who delivers at the house of the purchaser by retail trade, a similar range taken from the local supply depot or headquarters established by the manufacturer in this state beforehand for peddling purposes. In other words, the non-resident manufacturer for purposes of sale on his own account, ships his goods into North Carolina in car-load lots by wholesale and afterwards breaks bulk and retails or peddles them out in wagons from house to house to purchasers, under a claim of exemption from our license tax, as carrying on inter-state commerce.

"The sample wagon dodge is a merchandise or subterfuge, to try to evade the peddler's tax and break down the business of our own merchants, who could not themselves as residents of our state do the same business without a peddler's license. Watch out for peddlers who go in wagons as well as for him who carries a pack on his back. And if you find a peddler of any sort doing peddler's business in your county without a license, go to a justice of the peace who has final jurisdiction of such offense, under section 37, schedule B, and have him punished for a misdemeanor, and also take out a warrant before the justice of the peace for the \$50 penalty for the benefit of the school fund. Remember, too, that each act of peddling without license is a distinct and separate offense."

Died

At his home near Morrisville, N. C., this morning, William Barbee in his 79th year. A pure Christian life has gone out.

Spectacles Lost.

Half glass, gold frame to hook over ears. Finder will please at Lumsden's store and be suitably rewarded. J. C. S. LUMSDEN.

Bananas, full ripe, only 50 cents a bunch, at Dughi's.

THE STATE UNIVERSITY.

THE CENTENNIAL EXERCISES HELD TODAY.

It is the Hundredth Birthday of a Grand Institution.

UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA. CHAPEL HILL, N. C., June 5

The centennial of the opening of the state university was celebrated here today in very handsome style. Despite the intensely hot weather there is a large assemblage here, and the interest and enthusiasm are marked. Today was given up to the alumni, who in recent years have had a "day" at commencements and whose interest in the university has thereby been deepened. The day's programme was attractive. The great area of the campus, with its grand trees and buildings and its acres of bright green lawn, was dotted with people by 10 o'clock and half an hour later the exercises began.

First a procession formed in front of the old "south building," which was constructed in 1795, and this procession, made up of alumni old and young, made its way across the campus to the monument over the grave of Dr. Joseph Caldwell, the university's first president. The procession marched around the monument and also around the "big poplar," the most notable tree in all the campus, and then went to memorial hall.

In this stately and unique structure a great audience was assembled. The exercises then were opened with prayer, and then all present united in singing the centennial hymn, specially written by that devoted friend of the university, Mrs. Cornelia Phillips Spencer. The singing was led by the university glee club, with accompaniment by the band of the first Virginia regiment which had also headed the procession. The airs was the good old one of "Rosa, the Bean," and the words were as follows:

Come forth with your garlands and roses, Ratined with the laurel and bay, All that fair Carolina encloses Be ours this festival day. All hail! to our glorious old mother, H-century's crown is complete, With loyalty do to no other, Our homage we lay at her feet.

Tho' dimly her morning unfolded, And tempests oft darkened her sky, Still, to all the true hearts she has moulded, Her colors in radiance fly. Still she welcomes her sons to her portals, Her cloisters re-echo their tread, While a witnessing cloud of immortals Drop honor and strength on her head.

All the dove that religion has taught us, All that freedom and culture bestow, All renown that our heroes have brought us, To her century's vigil we owe, Fond memory recalls her gray Teachers Intent on their labor of love, Her poets, her statesmen, her Preachers In temple, and forum, and grove.

Ye sons of fair science still cherish A spark from the spirit divine, Ne'er a hope for our country shall perish Wherever His watch-fires shine. For oft as a noble endeavor Points out where our brothers have trod, To His altars we trace the fair river That gladdens the city of God.

Long, long may this fountain be flowing, Carolina be honored and blest, The lights on this hill-top be glowing, While centuries pass to their rest. Then hail! to our glorious old mother, Allegiance we pledge her anew, With homage we pay to no other, All hail! to the White and the Blue.

The first oration of the day was then delivered. It was by Hon. Alfred Moore Waddell, whose oration at Raleigh, May 20, at the unveiling of the confederate monument, was so widely praised. His theme was "The old university, 1795-1895," and he well sustained his high reputation as a speaker. After the singing of the centennial ode, written by James D. Lynch, Adolphus H. Eller, of Winston, delivered the second oration, his subject being "The new university, 1875-1895." His speech was full of information and showed cleverly the

high character of the work the university is doing. The centennial sonnet, by Jerome Stockard, well-known as a writer of verse, was next heard.

In the afternoon the alumni gathered by classes at the gymnasium and there sat down to the centennial alumni banquet. Hundreds were present and the interior of the building was beautiful with the "blue and white" of the university's colors. There were both formal and informal toasts and many speakers. The affair did not end until 6 o'clock.

The university trustees confer honorary degrees of doctor of laws on Richard B. Battle, W. T. Faircloth, D. M. Furches, Thomas M. Holt, W. A. Montgomery, Alfred M. Waddell and Mrs. Cornelia Phillips Spencer. The doctor of divinity on A. D. Betts, J. S. Davis, A. L. Phillips and Robert Strange.

H. Horne and F. L. Carr won the highest honors in the graduating class. The oldest class representative is H. C. McCauley, of class of 1838.

Hinton James, the great grandson of Hinton James, who entered the university in 1795, was introduced to the audience by president Winston.

The audience sang "Old Hundred" and Rev. A. D. Betts prayed.

At 8 o'clock this evening in the memorial hall there will be another great audience to hear the addresses by Henry A. London on "The university during the war," and by Dr. Stephen B. Weeks on "The university alumni in the war." The reunions of the classes follow these addresses, the roll of each to be called and the members present to go on the platform in a body. Each class was allotted a few minutes, and in some cases considerable time, in order to carry out the special programmes.

NEWS NOTES.

The Little Events of a Day in the Capital City. Miss S. H. Devreux of Petersburg, Va., is here visiting relatives.

The N. C. Industrial association last evening, elected Hon. Thomas B. Reed of Maletobbe the orator at the colored agricultural fair next October. If he accepts it will be a drawing card for the fair.

Mrs. Amy J. Dail, of Newbern, has issued invitations to the marriage of her daughter Miss Hattie Lee Dail to Mr. Roscoe Nunn of this city, Thursday morning, June 18, at 8 o'clock, at Centenary church, Newberns.

Mr. Leszar, penitentiary superintendent, says there are exactly 1,000 convicts on the penitentiary farms. The improvement in the crops on these farms in the past eight days is, he says, phenomenal. The cotton is now in fair condition.

A Suggestion.

A lady who was born and raised in Raleigh and who is devoted to her native state, has come here on a visit and she, as well as every one else is delighted with the beautiful monument. But she makes a suggestion and which it seems would meet the approval of every one.

Just at the end of the battle of Appomattox when Lee saw no other alternative but to surrender, a brilliant charge was made, and he turning, asked who it was that had made it, "Gen. Grimes' N. C. division" was the answer. Then the grand R. E. Lee taking off his hat saluted the division and said "God bless old North Carolina, she is always where we want her."

Now the suggestion is this: There is room around the base of this monument for "God bless old North Carolina, she is always where we want her—R. E. Lee"—to be carved and it is earnestly hoped that the testimony of Gen. Lee, to the valor and bravery of North Carolina soldiers, will be perpetuated in granite to all eternity.

The Raleigh Male Academy.

The closing exercises of the Raleigh male academy, Messrs. Moreton & Denison, principals, will take place at 11 a. m. on Friday, 7th inst. The examination in progress for the past ten days were concluded today, and distinctions conferred. Patrons of the academy and all friends of education are cordially invited to attend.

DELEGATES TO MEMPHIS.

THE POPULIST EX. COM. APPROVES THE SILVER CONFERENCE.

Income Tax Resolutions Declaring for a Constitutional Amendment.

The populist state executive committee of the people's party met here Monday night to take action toward the settlement of the great question of the day—national finance. They will send delegates to the national conference at Memphis June 12th and 13th.

The committee adopted the following resolutions: That while it does not surrender any of the other principles of the people's party as expressed in the Omaha platform, it reiterates the former declarations of the party that the financial question towers above all others, and therefore sends delegates to Memphis conference to assist in advancing this principle and to urge the necessity for uniting all elements of the old parties who favor the free and unlimited 16 to 1, bimetallic coinage.

Income tax resolutions were also adopted requesting senator Butler and the people's party members of the United States house of representatives, to procure and introduce the passage by congress at its next session a constitutional amendment on the subject of United States graduated income tax.

ANDREWS' OPERA COMPANY.

Shall we Have a Week of High Class Opera or Not?

That is the question which is agitating the Raleigh musical circles just at this time, and well it may. Two delightful operas selected from such gems as "The Pretty Persian," "Fra Diavolo," "Martha," "Faika," "Iolanthe," "Tro vatore," etc., would indeed be a rich treat for our music-lovers, and why not have it? Other cities no larger than Raleigh have their opera season or music festival regularly every year. Yet it is doubtful if any city of this size in the country can boast of so high a degree of musical culture as can Raleigh. This is manager Meares' initial attempt at an opera season and here's hoping that he will succeed.

Our people can have it if they want it—not only this season but every succeeding season. We hope everyone who feels an interest in these matters will take the question up personally and leave his name for a commutation book. On this plan the cost of the entire season will be merely nominal.

Weather for Tomorrow.

For North Carolina: Showers, followed by fair in western portion.

Local forecast for Raleigh and vicinity: Showers (thunderstorm) tonight. Thursday, fair considerably cooler.

Local data for 24 hours ending 8 a. m.: Maximum temperature, 98; minimum temperature, 70; rainfall 0.00.

Death of Rev. C. T. Bailey.

Rev. Dr. C. T. Bailey died this morning at his residence on North Blount street between 8 and 9 o'clock. He was 62 years old, a native of Virginia, and his first charge was the Baptist church at Edenton. Afterwards he served the church at Warrenton. For 20 years he has been editor of the Biblical Recorder. Three years ago he had a stroke of paralysis but his present attack is inflammation of the brain.

Summer complaint and bowel troubles quickly relieved by Hicks' Astrengent Blackberry Cordial, 25c a bottle. Only at Hicks & Rogers' drug store.

For Sale.

A handsome walnut folding bed cost \$85.00, very little used. Upper part a book case with glass door and ornamented top. Also til-ester top mahogany bedstead posts, elegantly covered and a Chickering piano with rose-wood case. Apply to Southern Express office.

NO REASON

why any one should use a

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that is not accurate. The only reason we can think of is that a stock of

Tested Thermometers

has never been kept in the city. We have bought a good stock of accurate ones and sell at reasonable prices.

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RALEIGH, N. C.

Advertisement for IMPERIAL PAPER PATTERNS. Includes text: "SOLE AGENCY FOR IMPERIAL PAPER PATTERNS", "MISS M. A. G. TIE RHEINISH", "MILLINERY AND FANCY GOODS", "209 Fayetteville, Raleigh, N. C.", "Agency for Imperial Pinned Paper Patterns, Sheetfree, Patterns mailed free of postage. Subscriptions received for the 'Imperial Monthly Magazine,' only 50 cents a year, post paid."

DOUBLE SALE

-OF-

DRESS GOODS.

Our stock has been thoroughly overhauled and re-marked for this important sale, coming as it does right now when these goods will be in demand, instead of waiting until later in the season to mark them down.

1st - About 50 pieces of high class novelties, Tricotines, Wool Moires, Crapon effects and Dresden designs, which have been selling from \$1 to \$1.50, now marked at 69c.

20 - About 30 pieces of Wool Suitings, in small plaids, checks and mixtures, stylish and serviceable materials, now selling from 30c to 50c, now all marked at 29c. Both these assortments upon special tables.

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



Alas for You

If you are in need of anything in the way, shape or manner of dry goods and don't know about us. Here we are this week offering a limited number of trunks at \$5 and \$6 each. Quite unusual. Now see: Ten dozen shirt waists down at 45, 60 and 95c during this coming week. Quite startling, but good for you. Each week something new takes a drop. Each day we have some new bargain. Come early in the day before the best bargains go. D. T. Swindell.