

Local Matters.

The year old infant of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. King died Monday in this city.

An effort is being made to form a band here to be known as the Third Regiment Band.

Mr. G. B. Alford, of Holly Springs, was here yesterday to attend the Memorial day exercises.

Work on the extension of the Cape Fear and Northern Railroad from Apex to Durham is now in progress.

Mr. J. P. Hayes, the photographer, is displaying some fine photo crayon work which he has recently enlarged.

Mr. Hamden Smith, cashier of the Carolina Trust Bank, has gone to New York to undergo treatment for his ear.

Mr. Zeb. Rhodes, aged thirty-seven, died near McCullers Thursday after a long illness. He was a good citizen and leaves a wife and four children.

Mrs. H. B. Greason has returned from a pleasant trip to Henderson, where she visited her daughter, who married a prominent citizen of that town.

Mr. W. F. Utley, of Apex, was here yesterday and took part in Memorial day exercises. He was one of the youngest Confederate soldiers from this county.

Sanitary Officer T. P. Sales reports that there are no more cases of small pox reported. There are now fourteen cases in the pest-house, and they are all doing well.

The Raleigh Light Infantry will carry forty-five men to New Bern as an escort to Governor Glenn on May 18th when he goes to witness the unveiling of the New Jersey monument.

Mr. C. E. Jones, aged thirty-two, died at the residence of his uncle, Mr. G. B. Alford, at Holly Springs, last Thursday. He was injured in a railroad wreck in the West some years ago and had never been in good health since.

Mr. C. M. Bernard has returned from Norfolk, where the suit of United States Deputy Marshal P. A. Mitchell, of Raleigh, against the Norfolk Street Car Company for \$5,000 damages on account of injuries received while getting off a car in 1904, will be heard at an early date.

Mayor Johnson and Chief of Police Mullin say that the city ordinance in regard to keeping the sidewalks clear of merchandise must be enforced. Most of the violations of this law is by merchants on Wilmington Street, and the patrolmen have been given orders to look after this carefully.

Sheriff Page has settled with the State Treasurer. The amount of Wake County's taxes collected was \$172,827.02. The amount deducted for delinquents was 4,671.47. So the sheriff got about 98 per cent of the \$177,498.43 charged against him, which is said to be pretty close tax collecting.

At Creedmoor, Granville County, last Friday, Joseph Roberts, of Durham, shot his cousin, J. L. Roberts four times, inflicting serious wounds. Joe Roberts is in jail at Oxford and J. L. Roberts is in a hospital at Durham. It is understood that domestic difficulties were at the bottom of the trouble, but the true state of affairs has not been made public.

Curator H. H. Brimley, of the State Museum, says he will have the Museum practically in complete order again within the next two weeks. It has taken fully three months to get the exhibits re-arranged since the return of the material from the St. Louis Exposition. There are many new and valuable features, and there has been a general re-arrangement.

Mr. E. N. Firestone, the dry goods merchant on Hargett Street, has put on one of the handsomest delivery wagons in the city. He is constantly making some improvement at his establishment.

The North Carolina section of the American Chemical Society and the North Carolina Academy of Science will meet in Raleigh Friday and Saturday of this week. The sessions will be in Primrose Hall at the A. and M. College. A large and instructive number of papers will be presented representing most every branch of science.

Mr. R. T. Hunter, foreman of the blacksmithing department of the S. A. L. shops in this city, left for a two months visit to England Wednesday night. He will spend most of the time in Liverpool and London visiting friends. Mr. Hunter says he has lived in a number of American cities since he came to this country, but Raleigh is the place of all places, with its nice people and delightful climate.

Mr. W. H. Harward, of Apex, was here Thursday. Mr. Harward is president of the Mechanics and Farmers' Bank, which will open at Apex July 1st. He says that Mr. James R. Cunningham, now cashier of the Southern freight office here, has accepted the position of cashier in the bank. While here Mr. Harward contracted for brick for the building. He says work will begin soon also on the tobacco warehouse at Apex.

EVENT OF INTEREST.

Another Special Sale in Store for the Ladies.

Mr. Walter Woolcott, beginning Monday week, May 15th, will inaugurate a special sale lasting the entire week. There will be many money-savers in the line of dry goods which he will include in this special sale. These special events of this progressive dry goods establishment are always of particular interest to the ladies of Raleigh. His special announcement will be looked forward to with interest.

Seriously Hurt.

Mr. Amos Thompson, a well known farmer, was seriously hurt Saturday evening at the corner of Jones and Wilmington Streets. He was driving a mule to a wagon and he was thrown off the wagon by his mule starting suddenly. The mule ran some distance, dragging Mr. Thompson, whose feet had become entangled in the lines. Mr. Thompson had several cuts and bruises on his face. He was carried to Rex Hospital. Dr. Tucker made a thorough examination and feared at that time that Mr. Thompson was suffering from concussion of the brain.

The Fisher cigars are rapidly becoming popular.

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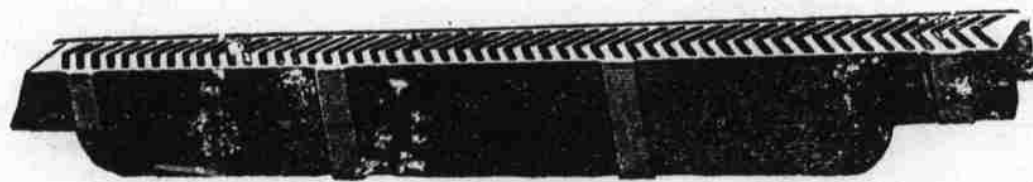
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