

RALEIGH IN BRIEF.

LOCAL HAPPENINGS IN AND AROUND THE CAPITAL.

Short Items of News Gathered on the Fly by the Chronicle's Reporters.

It is said that all the inmates of the Soldiers' Home are bachelors. Eight marriage licenses have been issued by the register of deeds during the past two days. All sorts of business seems to be booming.

The Raleigh Business College is on a prosperous march. Prof. J. E. Matheny is winning the confidence and approval of the people at a rapid rate.

Immense quantities of cotton are passing through the city, and as much stock here as the cotton compress can pack by running both day and night.

Let all those who wish to spend a pleasant hour and aid the church, attend the entertainment to be given by the ladies of the Raleigh Christian church, Friday evening, Oct. 24th, at the residence of Rev. J. P. Barrett.

"Bright Jewels," a very bright little monthly paper, was issued from the printing house of Edwards & Broughton yesterday. The paper is the organ of the "Bright Jewels" societies of the N. C. Conference, and is edited by Mrs. Rev. W. S. Black.

Wonder if, in view of the fact that two great trunk railroad lines are pretty well assured for Raleigh, the railroad companies will feel disposed to put up a union depot will do honor to the roads and the city, and be such a structure as can be a pride for years to come?

The Governor has authorized an exchange of courts between Judge McKee and Judge Graves, by which Judge McKee will hold Cumberland county court beginning Nov. 10th, and Judge Graves will hold Person and Caswell counties—Person beginning November 10th and Caswell November 17.

Capt. B. H. Bunn and Mr. N. B. Roughton will speak at Burlington to-night, and they will also fill other appointments in Alamance county. They are conducting a vigorous Congressional campaign and will win it. The prospects are that Mr. Bunn will poll a largely increased vote in every county in the district.

The Young Women's and Girls' Union Bible reading will hold its regular weekly meeting in the session room of the First Presbyterian church at 4:30 o'clock Friday evening. Since the commencement of these meetings in September they have been largely attended by ladies of all denominations. It is hoped that this number will steadily increase.

A gentleman who is connected with one of the biggest industries here said yesterday that he rode five miles in an attempt to find a vacant two room house for some employees who had come here to work. He didn't succeed in getting a house, and finally he was compelled to lodge the people out in the country. Houses are need here. Some of them were empty two or three years ago and yet the population was more than 13,000. Now by a count of the census enumerators, when every house in the city is full, the population does not amount to 13,000. How is that?

AN IMMENSE ELK'S HEAD

Presented to the Citizens' Bank by President Hawkins--And Put up in the Bank Building Yesterday.

On yesterday, Dr. J. W. Hawkins, President of the Citizens' National Bank, presented the bank with an immense elk's head, and had it put up in the bank building. It is the head of what must have been one of the most superb and magnificent members of the elk family that ever lived.

The animal was killed on the Olympic mountains, in Washington Territory, and the head was sent to Dr. Hawkins, by his nephew, Mr. E. K. Hawkins. It was mounted here by Mr. H. H. Brimley, the well known taxidermist.

The antlers are simply immense. They measure over eight feet in length. One of them has seven prongs, and the other eight. They are eleven inches apart at the base and spread over eight feet. The length of the brow prongs is nineteen inches. The elk to which this head belonged was eight years old and weighed eight hundred pounds.

A Great Musical Attraction Coming.

Arrangements were made yesterday for the appearance here of Innes' Famous Thirteenth Regiment band of New York. The band is composed of forty-five pieces, and there are two famous lady vocalists, and also two gentleman vocalists of international repute. The band will be here on November 20th. Its appearance will be by far the grandest musical event that Raleigh has ever known. It has been induced to come here at great expense. Reserved seats will be \$1.50. Admission to the gallery 75 cents.

An Impostor.

Ed. B. Rogers, representing himself as Sylvester F. Bailey, attempted on yesterday to borrow money from Messrs. Peele & Maynard on the lands of Mr. Bailey. Being caught and told of his attempted fraud as to the land, and after some further lying and insisting that his name was Bailey, he was compelled to admit in the presence of Mr. George H. Jackson, that he was trying to get money under false pretenses. His attempted fraud was nipped in the bud.

Funeral at Wake Forest.

The funeral services of Mrs. Prof. Greene took place at Wake Forest college on Thursday. Drs. Bailey, Skinner and Hall of this city, were in attendance. Rev. Mr. Gwaltney conducted the services, assisted by Dr. Skinner and Dr. Hall. Mrs. Greene was a estimable Christian lady, a devoted wife and mother. Prof. Greene has the sympathy of many friends in his sad bereavement.

Mrs. Scarborough of Wake Forest, also a most excellent Christian, lady was buried at the same hour.

NORRIS' DRY GOODS STORE.

We received to-day Armenian Serges, Victoria Twills, Gold Seal Percaloes, Dress Gingham, Standard Prints, and many other wash fabrics in late novelties and fast dyes.

NORRIS' DRY GOODS STORE.

COMING AND GOING.

Some of The Folks You Know and Their Doings

Genl. W. R. Cox is here. Thos. Winston, Esq., of Oxford, is in the city.

Mrs. Geo. T. Winston is visiting at Mrs. Bagley's.

Mr. Wm. Brockwell is here on a visit to friends.

Mr. Joe Newman, of Wilmington, is at the Yarboro.

Mr. R. P. Hatch of Youngsville was here yesterday.

Hon. T. J. Jarvis was registered at the Yarboro yesterday.

Mr. T. E. Kelley, of the Rural Home and Sentinel, is in the city.

Mrs. J. A. Holmes, of Chapel Mill, is visiting Mrs. Josephus Daniels.

Miss Irene McKay of Harnett county is visiting at Capt. J. M. Fleming's.

Capt. Nat. Atkinson, who was here yesterday, says that Crawford will defeat Ewart—and no mistake.

Associate Justice Avery went down to Wilmington yesterday to attend the Synod of his church which is now in session. He is a great man in church and State.

Cards are out for the marriage of Miss Gretchen Parr, formerly of this city, to Mr. Orville Clifton Bell. The marriage will occur in St. John's church, Bedford City, Va., on November 30th.

Rev. Dr. C. T. Bailey, Rev. Dr. Thos. E. Skinner and Rev. Dr. J. J. Hall went to Wake Forest yesterday morning to attend the funeral ceremonies of the late Mrs. Prof. Geo. W. Greene.

Mrs. Josephus Daniels and Misses Emie McVea, Mittie Dowd and Mary Kerr Bingham returned yesterday from Tarboro where they had been to witness the Jackson-Phillips nuptials. The bride and groom will be absent on a Northern bridal tour two weeks.

Hon. Chas. M. Cooke and Mr. N. B. Broughton went up to Alamance yesterday to preach the gospel of Democracy to the good people of that good county. They will give it to them "straight" and make converts, if all the good folks in Alamance are not already Democrats, as they ought to be.

Hon. Wharton J. Green was in the city yesterday. Some fellow who didn't know the Colonel wrote some days ago and asked Col. Green to run as an independent candidate for Congress. Col. Green replied in the Fayetteville Observer, scorning independents and independentism, and preaching as good a Democratic sermon as any man ought to want to read. He thinks that if Hill tries to down "Uncle Grover" it will be the worse for David Bennett.

SUPREME COURT.

Denmark vs. Railroad, argued by Aycock for plaintiff, and W. W. Clark for defendant.

Smith vs. Summerfield, dismissed for failure to file the proper number of printed copies of the record.

Pate vs. Hazell, argued by W. S. O'B. Robinson for plaintiff.

Baker vs. Garris, continued.

Bunn vs. Todd, argued by W. N. Jones for plaintiff, and J. H. Fleming for defendant.

Blake vs. Broughton, argued by Devoreux for plaintiff, and Holding for defendant.

Reid vs. Boushall, leave to submit case on printed briefs.

A Valuable Issue.

The next issue of the Wake Forest Student will contain the very able address of Hon. J. J. Davis, LL. D., before the Alumni Association of Wake Forest College, "A Vindication of North Carolina."

This valuable contribution to the State's historical literature may be had by inclosing twenty cents (price of magazine) with name and address to S. M. BRINSON, Business Manager, Wake Forest, N. C.

Independent Colored Republican Club

We are requested to state that there will be a meeting of the Colored Independent Republican Club at the Court House to-night at 8 o'clock. It is stated that a number of the most respectable colored men in Wake county will be there to speak in advocacy of the candidacy of David P. Lane (col), the Independent Republican candidate for Clerk of the Superior Court of Wake county.

The North Carolina's Soldiers' Home.

RALEIGH, N. C., Oct. 23, 1890. This is to give notice that the Soldiers' Home is now open for the reception of needy Confederate veterans. Only a limited number, however, can as yet be accommodated; but applications for admission will be received and considered. All applications should be addressed to W. C. STRONACH, Secretary, Raleigh, N. C.

Persons having money for the use of the Home will please send it forward now. W. C. STRONACH, Secretary and Treasurer. All papers in North Carolina will please publish the above notice.

Weather Report.

Raleigh yesterday: Maximum temperature 64; minimum temperature 50; rainfall, 1.33 inches.

Local forecast for Raleigh and vicinity to-day: Clearing weather; cooler to-morrow morning.

For North Carolina: Fair weather, preceded by showers in eastern portion; stationary temperature in eastern portion, except in the vicinity of Wilmington, slightly cooler; westerly winds.

A Fiendish Scheme Discovered.

[By United Press.]

TROY, N. Y., Oct. 23.—Great indignation exists here over the alleged discovery of an organized scheme to debauch little girls. Tuesday a member of the police force named Bell was dismissed for being implicated, and last evening Thomas W. Patterson was arrested on a like charge. Patterson is a married man, well known in business and church circles. He was held in a \$5,000 bond for examination October 29th. Several children accuse him.

A MISSTATEMENT CORRECTED

With Reference to the Capture of a "Still" in Johnson County.

A few days ago the CHRONICLE printed a report of the capture of a still in Johnson County. The report was given the CHRONICLE by a thoroughly reliable gentleman, but it appears that he was misinformed, and the report therefore, was very erroneous.

Below are the facts and circumstances in connection with the matter officially stated.

I notice an article in your issue of the 21st inst. headed, "A Tragedy in Johnson," relative to the capture of Herring Crech, an illicit distiller, which, in the interest of truth and justice, demands correction.

The facts are these: Having received information of an illicit distillery running near Four Oaks, together with Deputy U. S. Marshall Jno. R. Upchurch, D. L. Flowers, G. H. Roberts and H. M. Barnes, I went on 21 of September last in search of same, and found it just before day.

We secreted ourselves, and just before sunrise, Herring Crech came to the distillery and we captured him. Soon afterwards we saw two men coming towards the distillery, who proved to be R. A. Johnson and (one) Lawhon. They came up in about 75 yards of the still and saw us. They stopped and turned back. We called to them to stop, when they ran at full speed, passing through Crech's yard. Deputy Marshall Upchurch and Roberts pursued them a short distance. As the fugitives passed Crech's house, Mrs. Crech commenced crying and seemed to be very much excited. We all, together with Crech, then went up to the house. Mrs. Crech was sitting down in the yard, crying. I told her not to be alarmed, that we were not going to hurt her husband; that we must take him to Smithfield, before E. W. Pon, United States Commissioner, but that he should come back to her that night.

Not a harsh or unkind word was spoken to Mrs. Crech by any one of the party; but all that was said was in the way of kindness and in effort to console her. We left her quiet and apparently composed, and have never heard, before the publication of your article, of any trouble to her on account of an accidental meeting with her.

She has since, as I am reliably informed, given birth to a child, and at this writing, is living and doing well.

We put Crech in charge of H. M. Barnes to be carried before the commissioner at Smithfield. The others of us went in search of another still.

At Four Oaks, while Barnes, with his prisoner, was waiting for the train, Crech made his escape and is still at large. So it is Crech, instead of Flowers, that is "wanting." It also appears, from reports since, that Crech is the "desperate kind of a character," having beaten Wright Baker, of Four Oaks, nearly to death, and is reported to have shot Lloyd West while standing in his door. Lloyd West is an old man and has only one arm. These acts of violence by Crech are supposed to have been done under suspicion that Baker and West reported him as an illicit distiller. In fact, neither of them gave any information whatever.

These are the facts, and they are respectfully submitted to you for publication. P. T. MASSEY, Deputy Collector. SMITHFIELD, N. C., Oct. 23, 1890.

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

Gents' Hats.

"Stetsons" soft hats, and complete lines of stiff and soft hats of other reliable makers. Sole agents in Raleigh for "Dunlap's" hats, his new shapes both soft and stiff.

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

THE COLORED FAIR.

A Large Crowd--An Exciting Horse Race.

There was a large crowd of colored people in the Industrial Fair grounds yesterday. They came in considerable numbers on all the trains, and many came in from the surrounding country representing all types of the race as it is to-day. They evidently enjoyed their visit.

The chief feature of the day was a running horse race, which occurred about three o'clock in the afternoon. The run was eight times around the track. Four horses entered, and at the signal they tore off like wild fire. After going once around the track one of the horses shied out through an open gap, but the rider kept right on around the track. He was not looking for such a trick from his steed and wasn't ready to go with him through the gap. So he involuntarily left that horse and shot right on around the track on his stomach for several rods. The refractory horse joined the spectators in looking to see how the other horses were getting on.

Two more rounds were made and then a big bay horse struck one foot against another and he turned a summersault or two, but managed to stay on the track. The rider left his saddle and flew on a few yards ahead, but he didn't want to beat the other horses by himself. He ran back and got on the fallen steed just as he was getting up, and then both got down to business in dead earnest, and in spite of the fall they won the race amid intense excitement and enthusiasm.

Programme For To-Day.

The programme to-day will consist of an address by Prof. Smith, of the Theological Department, Shaw University; the usual parade, headed by Hayward's brass band, races and other attractions.

Grand Illumination To-Night.

Owing to rain, which prevented many from attending yesterday, a general request has been made for the opening of the halls and grounds to-night. The executive committee have complied with the request and invite the attendance of all citizens, white and colored. Hayward's string band has been engaged for the occasion. Floral Hall will be brilliantly illuminated. The admission price for to-day and to-night has been fixed at 25 cents each occasion.

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

Gents' Underwear.

Sole agents for "Dr. Jaeger's Sanitary" underwear. We have never made a better showing in this department than we have this season. The line is wonderful in its completion.

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

REGISTER.

There is only one more day now before Registration closes. Let every Democrat register and see that his neighbor does likewise.

WAKE COUNTY CANVASS

The Appointments Made for Speakers. The Democratic and Republican candidates for the Legislature, and the county officers will address the people of Wake county at the following times and places. Let all the people be present and hear the issues discussed: Smith's—Friday, Oct. 24. Garner's—Saturday, Oct. 25.

Married.

In Wilson, yesterday Mr. Taylor Young, to Miss Lula Gay, daughter of Mr. Thos. D. Gay. Rev. D. H. Tuttle officiating. They took a northern bridal tour.

At Columbia, S. C., Oct. 22nd, at the residence of Hon. John S. Vernon, State Comptroller, Dr. R. D. Jewett, of Wilmington, N. C., to Miss Susie Phillips, daughter of the late Dr. Charles Phillips, of the N. C. University, Rev. S. M. Smith, D. D., officiating.

Quite an event in the social circles of Leasburg, was the marriage yesterday at the Methodist Church in that town, of Miss Hattie Ivy to Mr. James Honston White, of Statesville, N. C. Miss Ivy is a daughter of Rev. Mr. Ivy, of Leasburg, and is a charming and accomplished young lady, and had made many warm friends in that county.

At the residence of her mother, Mrs. Maria A. Williams, in Warren county, yesterday morning at 9 o'clock, Mr. Peter L. Ray, of Asheville, and Miss Willie Williams were happily united in matrimony, Rev. J. N. Jenkins, of the Ridge way circuit, officiating. The following were the bridesmaids and bridegrooms: John C. Miller, of Goldsboro, and Miss Affie Williams; T. A. Williams, Jr., and Miss Fannie G. Lassiter; Peter Arrington and Miss Venie Ballard; Karmey Williams and Miss Minna Williams. The bride and groom are deaf mutes. The groom is foreman of the Randolph-Kerr Publishing Company, of Asheville, N. C.

Died.

Mrs. Scarborough, widow of the late Mr. Mose Scarborough, of Wake Forest college, died in that place yesterday morning. The funeral will be held to-day.

New Advertisements.

Woolcott & Son.—General Goods. See adv. of Valuable Property for Sale. 118 Wilmington Street—A Card to the Public and Word to the Ladies Especially.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

D. T. Swindell wants to buy a good saddle pony. Call on him.

Wanted.

A bright, active boy—one who can read and write. Apply at this office.

Wanted.

A first-class cook at the Mosley House. oct8 ff.

NORRIS' DRY GOODS STORE.

We opened yesterday another line of those double width dress flannels. They are beyond a doubt the cheapest line of dress goods ever shown in this market—would be cheap at 40 cents.

Wanted.

An honest negro boy about 18 years old. One who has had some experience in printing office. Apply at CHRONICLE office.

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

Shoulder Capes.

These we are showing in great variety. Badger, Monkey, Gray Krimmer, Persianna, Astrachan, Wool, Seal, &c. Many of these in various combinations. W. H. & R. S. TUCKER & CO.

A Nice Boarding Place.

The Misses Miller, who have recently opened a first-class boarding house at the Presbyterian parsonage, corner Hargett and Dawson streets, have room for a few more gentlemen. They can also accommodate a small family. For terms, &c., apply at the house.

Then and Now.

Last season was not a big success with us in dress goods and we don't think it was with any one. We sold as many as any one, but none of us sold as many as we wanted to. Well, this season has already more than paid up for last in this line. We have at this date sold more dress goods, and much finer goods, than we sold last season. In the first place every one has more money this season than last. Then we have a larger stock and a finer class of goods, and our prices are just as low as they ever were, and you know that our prices on everything are always the very lowest to be found anywhere for good, reliable goods. We do not ask you to buy. All we ask is for you to see our goods, then if you need anything and don't buy, we won't say one word at

SWINDELL'S.

Coffee.

The buying of coffee already roasted has become so common that more than half the people in every large town use them. It saves a lot of trouble, and is fully as economical. We give special attention to roasted coffees, to have them always fresh and of perfect quality. Java, Maracibo, Arabuck's Arrosa, &c., &c., always in stock. Also a full line of green coffees, from Rio to Mocha. EBERHARDT & PESCHD.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

THE BEST SALVE in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Child's Corns, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by John Y. MacRae.

THE WORLD'S COMMERCE.

New York, October 23.—Messrs. Hubbard, Price & Company, in their cotton circular to-night say: "The Liverpool market opened at last night's prices, but the closing was steady, with an evident inclination toward improvement apparent in a partial advance of 1 1/4. Spot sales 10,000 bales. This market was steady during the forenoon, but at about one o'clock, the news of a decline of about eight points in the New Orleans market, there was a decline of some four points here. At the close this was, to a great extent, recovered." Receipts at the ports estimated at 44,000 bales, against 41,740 bales last week, and 39,426 bales last year. The spot market quiet at unchanged prices; middling uplands 10 1/4; sales 325 bales.

Transactions in futures to-day were 75,000 bales.

Futures closed irregular as follows: October 9 89-90 November 9 90-92 December 9 97-98 January 10 06-07 February 10 13-14 March 10 26-27 April 10 34-35 May 10 41-42 June 10 47-48 July 10 51-52 August 10 51-52

Cotton.

Table with columns: City, Sale, Tons, Mkt, Ret, Ex. Rows include Galveston, Norfolk, Baltimore, Boston, Philadelphia, Savannah, New Orleans, Mobile, Memphis, Anqueta, Louisville, St. Louis.

In Liverpool spot cotton closed steady; middling uplands 5 1/4; sales 10,000 bales.

Futures closed steady as follows: October 5 40-41 October and November 5 26-37 November and December 5 35-36 December and January 5 35-36 February and March 5 36-37

The City Cotton Market.

Raleigh, N. C., October 23-5 P. M. Good Middling 9 1/2 Strict Middling 9 1/4 Middling 9 1/4 Strict Low Middling 9 1/4

Baltimore Produce Market.

COTTON—Closed quiet. Middling uplands 10 1/4. FLOUR—Firm, unchanged; Howard Street and Western superfine 3 00@3 50; do. extra 3 75@4 00; do. do. family 4 75@5 25; city white Rio brands extra 5 10@5 25; winter wheat patent 5 25@5 50; spring do. 5 75@6 00.

WHEAT—Southern closed steady; Fall 2 96 @3 07; Longberry 3 00@3 10; No. 2 Western 3 00; No. 2 red winter spot and October 1 01 1/2@1 01 3/4. CORN—Southern strong; white 60@65; yellow 60@65; Western steady; mixed spot and October 5 1/2.

OATS—Closed firm; ungraded Southern and Pennsylvania 4 1/2@5 00; do. Western white 4 1/2@5 00; do. do. mixed 4 1/2@5 00; graded No. 2 white 5 1/2@5 2.

RYE—Closed steady; prime to choice 75@78.

PROVISIONS—Closed firm; mess pork, old 11 50; new 12 00; lard, mess, loose shoulders 6 1/2; long clear and clear rib sides 6 1/2; sugar pickled shoulders 7; sugar cured smoked shoulders 8; hams, small 12 1/2; large 1 1/2.

LARD—Refined 7 1/2. COFFEE—Closed steady; fair Rio cargoes 20.

SUGAR—Closed firm; granulated 6 1/2. WHISKEY—Very active at \$1 20.

Baltimore Bond Market.

BALTIMORE, Md., October 23.—Virginia threes 67@68 1/2.

New York Money Market.

New York, October 22.—Money closed at 3 per cent. Exchange closed steady; posted rates 4 82@4 87; actual rates 4 86 @4 91 for 60 days' bills, and 4 86@4 91 for demand. Governments closed steady; currency 68 1/2 bid; 4s coup. 124 1/2 bid; 4 1/2s coupons 104 1/2 bid.

New York Produce Market.

FLOUR—Closed firm; fine grades of spring 2 75@3 25; extra No. 1 spring 4 25@5 00; city mills extra firm at 5 10. Southern flour closed steady; trade and family extras 4 15@4 35.

WHEAT—Closed unsettled; spot sales No. 2 red winter 1 07 1/2@1 08; do. November 1 02 1/2 @1 03 1/2.

CORN—Closed weaker; spot sales No. 2 mixed 5 1/2@5 3/4; do. October 5 1/2.

OATS—Closed lower; No. 1 mixed 5 1/4; No. 2 mixed 5 1/2@5 3/4.

PORK—Closed dull; mess 11 50@12 00.

LARD—Closed quiet; November 6 56@6 57; December 6 67@6 69.

SUGAR—Refined steady; powdered 6 1/2 granulated 6 1/2; cubes 6 1/2.

COFFEE—Closed steady; fair Rio cargoes 20 1/2.

Chicago Produce Market.

CHICAGO Ill., October 23.—Wheat opened weak. Corn opened steady. Oats opened heavy. Provisions opened weak.

WHEAT—October 1 01 1/2; December 1 04; May 1 08.

CORN—December 50 1/2; May 53 1/2.

OATS—May 47 1/2.

PORK—December 10 40; May 12 80@12 82 1/2.

LARD—December 6 42 1/2; May 6 97 1/2@7 00.