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CARPETS.

Ingrains, Body Brussels, Cotton, Chain, Velvet, Moquette and Tapestry Carpets.

RUGS.

Smyrna, Velvet, Moquette, Daghestan and Fur Rugs.

Oil Cloths Linoleums in all grades.

COCOA MATTINGS.

CHINA MATTINGS.

ART SQUARES, and

RUBBER, CO. OA, and

WIRE DOOR MATS.

In fact everything in our Carpet Department must go to make room for new goods. Special sales in this department for this week. If you need a Carpet you will miss a bargain if you do not examine our stock

T. L. Seigle & CO.

No. 11 W. Trade st. 18 1/2 S. Tryon st

CHARLOTTE, N. C.

IF YOU SMOKE CIGARS

Of course you want to smoke the best you can get for the money. Our Leaders at 5c are

THE RED DRAGON } Good as the
THE PETIT BOUQUET } average ten cent
THE HOWARD } Cigar.

And our Leaders for ten cents are

Good as the } GRANDIOS
average 15 cent } Cigar. } PRINCE ALBERT
 } FLOR DE COMMODORE

Burwell & Dunn,

Druggists.



HOLIDAY BARGAINS



Men's Pants.

We have a very large stock of mens Pants; No trouble about sizes and none whatever about price. We are going to close out many lines less than first cost. If you need Trousers now is the time to buy. Plain Jean Pants 75c. All wool Kentucky Jean Pants 1.25. Mole skin Pants 75c. Big lot of Pants assorted styles at sizes at 1.50, reduced from 2.00 and 2.50. All wool Cassimer and Kersey Pants 2.00 and 2.50. Everything in trousers goes at reduced prices.

Rogers & Co.

Holiday Novelties.

SULLIVAN'S BEST

Chewing Tobacco,

AT

A. B. REESE & CO.

New Advertisements To-Day. Parents—Prof Allman. Carpets—T. L. Seigle & Co. Hosiery—Jas Harrison & Co. Lager Beer—C. Valer, Manager. Sullivan's Best—A. B. Reese & Co. This is a shoe—A. E. Rankin & Bro. Attorneys at Law—Harris & Little. A special January sale—H. Baruch & Bro.

Local Ripples.

—Battery A, of the Naval Battalion will be given a dinner at Gresham's this evening, by Capt. D. E. Allen.

—Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wilkes have rented Dr. Brevard's new cottage on Churchstreet, and will soon move into it.

—Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Turk have rented the Liddell residence, on East Trade street, and are now comfortably installed in their new home.

—Mrs. Wallace Carmichael, of this city, was one of the participants in the Bal Poudre, at the Orton, in Wilmington, New Year's night

—Master Tom Pegram has returned from Greensboro, where he had a New Year's hunt. His party killed six wild turkeys and 150 partridges. The News is thinking of securing Tom's services as pilot for a hunt, soon.

—John Hart, a negro man of Sharou town-ship, was committed to jail today by Esquire S. W. Davis, upon the charge of attempting to assault the little daughter of Mr. Francis Oates.

—The stand formerly occupied by Gray Tools, in Granite Row, opposite the News, is now being re-

CHARLOTTE'S Y. M. C. A.

Election of Officers Held Yesterday Afternoon—Association Items.

At the annual election at the Young Men's Christian Association yesterday afternoon the following gentlemen were chosen to fill the offices indicated: president, Geo. B. Hanna; first vice, E. M. Andrews; second vice, L. W. Durham; recording secretary, J. S. Drakeford; treasurer, Jno. A. McMillan; assistant treasurer, B. W. Barnett; director for one year, J. J. Adams, directors for three years, Walter Brem, Jno. B. Ross, Heriot Clarkson. The popularity of President Hanna was expressed in a rising unanimous vote re-electing him to the presidency. A vote of thanks was returned the Ladies Auxiliary for their kindness in giving the young men such enjoyable receptions on Thanksgiving and New Year's days, and to J. A. Elliott for a blackboard frame, wardrobe hooks, game board and other favors. The report of the Devotional Committee shows more actual results than for any previous year in the history of the Association and is a matter of gratification to the officers. Five new members were elected.

Charlotte's Cotton.

The receipts of cotton by wagon, at Charlotte on January 1, 1892, show a shortage of 7,636 bales, compared with the receipts on January 1, 1891. The receipts at that date were 19,245; receipts January 1, 1892, 11,609 bales.

Sudden Death of John Cathey.

Mr. John Cathey died very suddenly at his home in Paw Creek township, at 11 o'clock this morning. His death was caused by heart disease. Mr. Cathey was about 55 years of age, and leaves a family.

All Reap the Benefit.

By special order of a city advertiser, THE NEWS last Friday printed and mailed 1,000 extra copies. It now has an order for 500 extra copies daily, for 30 days from date. All our advertisers get the benefit of this extra large circulation.

New Law Firm.

In THE NEWS' advertising columns to-day will be seen the law card of Messrs. Harris & Little. Mr. Hugh Harris, who has practiced law in Charlotte for some years past, has formed a partnership with Mr. Wm. M. Little, of Richmond county. Mr. Little is a brother of Mr. Julian Little, of Charlotte, and is a first honor graduate of the State University.

The Weather.

Following is a synopsis of weather prevailing at 8 A. M., to-day: The lowest temperatures of the season prevail over this section. 33 degrees is reported from Tampa, Fla., and the first light frost of the season occurred there last night. To the west, however, warmer weather obtains, and its influences will be lightly felt to-day, and more noticeably to-morrow. A low pressure extends from Maine to the Dakotas, and more than half way to the gulf. A high barometer is central in Florida.

A Good Weekly Paper.

The Henderson of Gold Leaf, one of THE NEWS' most valued exchanges has entered its 11th year, and looks healthy and prosperous. Its editor, Mr. Thad R. Manning is a hard worker and intelligent writer, and has given the people of Henderson one of the best things a town could desire, viz: a good weekly paper. THE NEWS hopes that the color of the Gold Leaf will never fade.

and make comfortable your home by any elegant Carpets at cost. A few Fur Sets are especially anxious to turn them into cash. Muffs in hare, monkey, Astrakan, etc., from 50c up.

ALDERMEN GO WET.

THE CITY GRANTS LICENSES TO SALOONS.

Six to Four for Valer's Application, and Six to Five for the Others. The historic board of commissioners of Mecklenburg county convened in regular monthly session this morning, but each member of the board seemed to be cool, calm and collected, for they understood that for today, at least, they would not be called upon by anybody wanting license to sell liquors in Charlotte. They breathed easier and went about the regular county business. They want to get everything out of the way though, before 1 o'clock tomorrow, for it is understood that the pestiferous bar keeper will again bow down before their feet at that time.

Everything now awaits the action of the board of aldermen. The board meets this afternoon, when applications for license will be passed upon. The News learns that the advocates of license claim seven votes, certain, and in that event, and provided there is a quorum this afternoon, the licenses will be granted. Alderman Asbury is put down on the dry side. Alderman Sifford is claimed as a license voter. Alderman Ward, one of the dries, is sick at home and cannot attend the meeting.

The board of aldermen met at 4 o'clock this afternoon and a good deal of discussion was indulged in before the business was proceeded with. Then the applications for license were brought up. The Portner Brewing Co., was granted a license by a vote of 6 to 4. Joe Lindy and Rudolph Arndt and others were granted license by a vote of 6 to 5.

The Richmond Terminal.

At a meeting of the Richmond Terminal held in New York Saturday afternoon, action was taken in the matter of the directors of the Central Railroad company of Georgia. It was decided to leave off John C. Calhoun of New York, and Patrick Calhoun of Atlanta. The latter was the attorney of the road and he had already resigned that position. No one as yet has been selected to fill the vacancies, but the probabilities are that two men from Savannah, Ga., will be selected.

Sermon to the Battalion.

The services at St. Peter's Episcopal church, Sunday night, were of quite an interesting nature, the occasion being the first annual sermon to the Charlotte Naval Battalion, by the chaplain, Rev. Joseph B. Cheshire. The members of the battalion attended in full uniform and there was a large congregation. Dr. Cheshire's remarks were appropriate and well chosen and were listened to with deep attention and interest.

Superior to the Ordinary Run.

A "Social Session," which is to be presented at the opera house on the evening of the 6th, is said to be a really good and wholesome play. One of our exchanges says of it: The Social Session Company appeared to a good house at the Metropolitan Theatre last night. It is farce-comedy, character acting, burlesque and musical excellences that are brought to the fore by "A Social Session." This is to be said, it is perfectly clean. There is not the slightest leaning toward the broad suggestive or vulgar. The company appear to be correct people, and the spectator at once classes them as superior to the "ordinary run."

—Frank Stafford and Sam Wilson, students at the Agricultural College at Raleigh, returned to their homes today, after having spent the holidays at home.

A GOOD MAN DEAD.

Mr. William T. Shipp Dies at His Home Near Mt. Holly.

Mr. William T. Shipp, one of the most prominent men of Gaston county and a man well known throughout this section of the State, died at his home near Mt. Holly, yesterday morning. His body was buried at Goshen Methodist church this afternoon.

Mr. Shipp was about 74 years of age. He was the father of Mr. Robert Shipp, of Newton, N. C., and of Mrs. Henry Wisor, of Dublin, Va.; was first cousin to the late Judge William Shipp, and brother-in-law of Col. William Johnston, of Charlotte, and was the brother of Rev. Dr. Alvin Shipp, former president of Wofford College, and professor in Vanderbilt College. He has two surviving sons, Mr. Will Shipp, who lives in Gaston county, and Mr. A. E. Shipp, who lives in Virginia.

The deceased was a good man in all the walks of life, and was justly regarded as one of the most influential men of this section of the State. He was a kind father, useful to his fellow men, and a pure and good christian gentleman.

An Oyster Supper To-Morrow Night.

The Charlotte Odd Fellows will have a merry good time to-morrow night. Officers for the ensuing year, of Mecklenburg Declaration Lodge, will be installed and speeches will be made by prominent visiting brethren, after which all will partake of an elaborate oyster supper. All Odd Fellows cordially invited.

Nothing Suggestive of Spring Today.

The cold wave, for which signals were displayed last Saturday, came along on Schedule time, and since Saturday night, the town has been frozen up tight. The mercury last night dropped to 18 degrees, and it stood at 20 degrees at 8 o'clock this morning. Regular old winter weather has prevailed today, and if the sun made any efforts to thaw things out, the result has not yet been apparent.

The Central's New Annex.

The Hotel Gazette, of New York, of January 2, has this in reference to Charlotte Hotels that may be interesting to Charlotte people: "Messrs. Eccles & Bryan, proprietors of the Central Hotel, will have their new annex, the Belmont, ready to receive guests in a few days. It is furnished in the very best style, with solid walnut and cherry furniture, velvet carpets, etc. The Belmont replaces the structure which was destroyed by fire last-February, and is owned by Mr. H. C. Eccles, who will reside in it, and will give it the full benefit of his managerial ability."

A Good Idea.

When it comes to business, Charlotte's cautious and energetic wholesale merchant, Mr. S. Wittkowsky, is found solid on all points. The latest instance has just come to light. Across the face of all his bill paper Mr. Wittkowsky has printed in bold letters: "Are You Insured?" The country merchant sees the significance of that at once. THE NEWS last week recorded a destructive fire in Lenoir, among the firms burned out being Deal & Deal. A day or two ago, Mr. Wittkowsky received a letter from Deal & Deal telling of their loss, and thanking him for the suggestion they found on his bill paper. It was that which had saved them. This idea of Mr. Wittkowsky's has doubtless been the salvation of many another merchant.

W. Kaufman & Co.

Sensible Holiday Presents.

WHAT ARE YOU GOING TO BUY?

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What are you going to buy as a Christmas present? And where are you going to buy it? What will you select for Mama, for Papa, for Brother, for Sister, Niece, Nephew and for yourself and friends? It is easy to ask this question. It is not easy to answer it. You want to give something; you want to buy it where you can do the best. Perhaps we are better able to serve you than any house in the city. We have goods that make useful and sensible presents. Are not they better than something trivial? For instance we have, Mens Suits, Boys Suits,

Childrens Suits,

Childrens Kilt and Jersey Suits, Mens Overcoats, Childrens Cape Overcoats. We have good things in Underwear, in Hosiery, in Gloves, in Neckwear, in Handkerchiefs. We have good things in Hats, Umbrellas, etc. You will do as well by making your selection here as you will do any where; perhaps you will do better. We have the right goods, they are reasonable in price, and in buying from us you are buying from a responsible house.

This is much to consider in christmas shopping.

W. KAUFMAN & CO

LEADING CLOTHIERS, FURNISHERS AND HATTERS

CHARLOTTE, N. C.

MAIL ORDERS RECEIVE OUR PROMPT AND CAREFUL ATTENTION.

Rubber Boots and Shoes.

Our stock of Rubber Goods is complete the year round but more especially so just now. We always buy the best to be had, they are always the cheapest, as every pair is guaranteed. For men we have all the styles and different weights; Imitation Sandals, retracting, light or heavy, and extra low cut. Alaskas, Arctics, or Foot Holders.

For the Ladies we call especial attention to our light weight, glove fitting Rubbers both in medium and extra low cuts; The Storm Protector is a great protection against rain or cold; Ladies and Misses spring heel in all sizes. We also have some that will fit the baby that can just walk; all at popular prices.

We carry a line of cheap rubbers that we sell as low as the lowest.

GRAY & BARNHARDT.

19 East Trade Street, CHARLOTTE, N. C.

Prompt attention given to all Mail Orders.

BOYS' SHOES.

In the regular course of our business we make a special study of the boys needs. Parents will find the Boys' Foot Ball Shoes, as sold by us, the best and nicest Shoe at \$1.50 ever offered. We will guarantee that for double the money you cannot get a better. Will not wear through on the toes as do others; Of more than four hundred pairs we have sold the past season not one complaint has been entered against them. We do equally as well for the girls as we do for the boys, and every Shoe in our shelves will be found to represent a value equal to the price, and often more.

GILREATH & CO.

Open every evening till 8:00; Saturday till 11:00.

CHRISTMAS PRESENTS.

Ordered Especially for the SEASON'S TRADE.

BEAUTIFUL 13th CENTURY PLYTH ROCKERS, SIXTEENTH CENTURY RATTAN ROCKERS, SIXTEENTH CENTURY TABLES. ALL ARE OF EXCEEDINGLY HANDSOME PATTERNS, THE VERY LATEST THINGS OUT, AND THERE ARE NO MORE TASTY PRESENTS TO BE FOUND ANYWHERE. CALL AND SEE.

BURGESS NICHOLS. Furniture Dealer.

R. S. Sloan, UNDERTAKER. Night call, Room No. 6, Bryan building, over Rogers & Co's

Remnants! Remnants!

Found in every department at stock taking. Useful lengths of all kinds of good fine dress materials; Black silks in faille, gross Armine etc., best of goods and at such prices that you positively cannot pass them; Ribbons, Chiffon and other new laces on this great counter. The prices will drive them from our room; they are irresistible.

Come to the great Remnant Sale.

Our domestic department deserves special mention. It was never so fully stocked with Cambrie muslins, Wamsutta, Pride of West, N Y twills, Fruit Loom, Whitesville, Pabody, Ulice or Peppered, is your favorite brand in this list.

Alexander's Co.