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CRAYON PORTRAITS.  
Call and see how Fine and Cheap they can be had.  
FRAMES  
I have the largest and best assortment of Frame Mouldings in the State. Canvas and Crayon Stretches made to order.  
VAN NESS,  
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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.  
SEABOARD AIR-LINE.  
PORTSMOUTH, VA., April 8, '89.  
Following passenger rates will cover this line to Portsmouth return on account of the North Carolina Medical Society, which convenes at Elizabeth City, N. C., on April 10th.  
Raleigh . . . \$ 7.55  
Maxton . . . 12.00  
Sanford . . . 8.80  
Charlotte . . . 14.00  
Lincolnton . . . 15.60  
Shelby . . . 16.40  
Rutherfordton . . . 17.25  
Seats on sale from April 10th to 15th inclusive. Good to return until April 22d, inclusive.  
E. W. CLARK, G. P. A.

KEPHALINE.  
Neuralgia yields to Kephaline.—  
John M. Houck, Caldwell Co., N. C., says: "I have used Kephaline for neuralgia, and also in my family, and believe it to be the most effective remedy I have ever used."  
For sale in Charlotte by Penrose & Co., 225 West Trade street near Academy of Music, where you buy postage stamps and everything pertaining to the Drug line.

MILK BOTTLES.  
During March my business increased about 33 per cent. over February. As I have at present only a small supply of bottles it is necessary to have each bottle sent in at its own turn. My customers will be very much benefited by having empty bottles ready when the wagon calls. I will most cordially, everybody who uses my dairy, examine my cattle, and investigate fully my mode of delivery.  
Respectfully,  
C. C. MOORE.

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.  
The eighth Annual Meeting of Shareholders of the Mutual Building and Loan Association will be held at the May Court room Tuesday evening, April 9th, at 8 o'clock.  
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HARDY & WALKER  
COMMISSION BROKERS.  
Charlotte, N. C.  
Buy and sell on commission, Stocks, Bonds, Oil and Cotton, Grain and Provisions, outright or on margin. We have a special private wire in their office that they get continuous quotations of the New York and Chicago markets. They place deals in a few minutes and make cash settlements. All deals are closed.  
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THE JEWELER.  
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## LOCAL RIPPLES.

—Mecklenburg Presbytery will meet at Matthew's Station, this week, beginning on Wednesday, 10th.

—A slight change in the schedule of passenger trains on the Carolina Central road, will go into effect next Monday.

—The Seaboard Air Line passenger rates for the North Carolina State Medical convention, are published elsewhere.

—Bock beer is a little late, but C. Valer advertises that it will be here to-morrow, and he will be ready to fill all orders.

—A called meeting of the Charlotte Chamber of Commerce will be held to-night. All the members are requested to attend.

—Attention is called to the notice published elsewhere, of the meeting of the stockholders of the Mutual Building & Loan Association.

—Our people sympathize with Mr. Rudolph Arndt in the death of another of his little children, which occurred last Saturday afternoon.

—Rufus Reed and Jim Petbel had a set-to in front of the Charlotte hotel this morning. They were arrested and arraigned before the mayor, who fined each one \$5.

—It was pretty cool hereabouts on Saturday and Sunday nights, but the thermometer did not fall lower than 37 degrees. There was no frost and the fruit crop is still safe.

—The wires between Danville and Washington that were wrecked in Saturday's storm, are still down today, and no telegraphic market reports have been received.

—Mr. Chas. Eddins arrived home yesterday from Washington and reports all quiet and serene. The Charlotte postoffice matter, he says, has been indefinitely postponed.

—Maj. J. M. Robinson, President of the Seaboard Air Line, Maj. Winder, general manager, and Col. L. C. Jones, superintendent, passed through Charlotte today, on a tour of inspection of the road.

—A meeting of the officers of the First and Second Presbyterian churches will be held at the Y. M. C. A. hall to-night, to hear reports in regard to the proposed Third Presbyterian church.

—Dr. A. W. Miller, pastor of the First Presbyterian church of this city, has been invited to preach to an Atlanta congregation next Sunday. He has accepted the invitation. Mr. Jesse Siler will occupy his pulpit here.

—Millsville is to have a new broad and handsome street opening directly into South Tryon street, the committee having made a trade with Col. J. L. Morehead for the opening of the street through his property. Millsville's boom will now be renewed.

—The music at the Second Presbyterian church last night was of an unusually high order, and good music is always a feature at the Second. There were two cornetists in the choir, Prof. Baker, of Charlotte, and Mr. Nelson, of Monroe, and these assisted the double male quartette in the offertory.

—Mr. Wm. Hinson, one of the oldest and most respected citizens of Lincoln county, died one day last week. He was about 75 years old. A few months ago one of his eye-balls had been successfully extracted by Dr. Geo. W. Graham, of this city, and he had since been in excellent health until attacked by pneumonia, which carried him off.

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## NERWIS RAMPANT.

HE DEFIED THE OFFICERS, BUT IS JUGGED.

Varying the Monotony by Spitting into the Face of the Chief of Police—This Morning's Ripple in Police Circles and What it was About.

The police had hold of a wild cat this morning. It was Otto Nerwis, who keeps a book store in Dr. Gibbon's building, nearly opposite the Second Presbyterian church, on North Tryon street. It all grew out of Nerwis' impudent refusal to recognize the sanitary laws of the city.

About 9 o'clock this morning, sanitary policeman, B. M. Presson, called at Nerwis' store to notify him that he must clean up his premises. Nerwis is a foreigner, and to make matters plain to him, officer Presson carried a copy of the Code of Charlotte, with the particular ordinance which Nerwis was violating marked around, so as to explain the matter to him. When the officer entered the store, Nerwis flew into a rage, and ordered him to depart at once. Nerwis is assisted in his store by two females, one evidently about 25 years of age, and the other about 16. They stood by with frightened looks at the scenes which ensued.

Policeman Presson was not to be frightened by the belligerent attitude of Nerwis, and stepping forward he handed Nerwis the copy of the code. Nerwis snatched the book from the officer's hand and threw it violently aside, exclaiming as he did so: "D—n your law. Get out of my house. I defy you and the mayor and all the officers to arrest me!" He fairly danced about with rage, and started for officer Presson with an upraised chair, but the officer clinched with him and wrenched the chair from his grasp. About this time Rev. E. A. Osborne stepped in and said: "I command the peace."

Nerwis' rage broke out afresh and he let loose a perfect torrent of abuse. Officer Presson went to police headquarters and reported the case, when Chief Griffith and sergeant Jetton repaired to the scene. As they entered Nerwis was as defiant as ever. The warrant for his arrest was handed him, when he snatched it from the hands of the officers and defied them to arrest him. The chief and the sergeant closed in on him and escorted him to the guard house. All along the route from Nerwis' store to the guard house, Nerwis uttered loud and obscene language, and would vary the monotony by spitting into the face of the chief of police. He spit hard, and every shot struck its mark, but with commendable forbearance, the chief did not resist the assault. When Nerwis was finally landed behind the bolts and bars, however, the chief went to a basin and scrubbed his face with soap and water to prevent hydrophobia, as well as to cleanse himself.

Nerwis is one of the toughest cases the police here ever handled. He came to Charlotte last August, accompanied by the two girls mentioned, and opened out a stock of books in Dr. Gibbons' building. The trio were always very exclusive, but day by day all three could be seen busily engaged in marking and arranging books, and otherwise employing themselves in the store. Nothing is known of them. They never attend church and frequently either keep their store open on Sundays, or are seen busily at work through the unshaded windows. Dr. Gibbons says they have always been good tenants and are prompt to pay their rent. Their book store is in the front part of the room, and they eat and sleep in the rear part. Nerwis is a skilled bicycle rider, and of late has made excursions into the country on his wily steed, selling books. Nerwis talks but little, but it is known that he is a foreigner.

Two cases are preferred against him, one for violating the sanitary ordinance, and the other for resisting arrest. The mayor placed him under a bond of \$50 in each case. He will be tried before the mayor at

9 o'clock in the morning. The mayor has the power to fine him as high as \$150 on the combined cases, and as his offence is of a most aggravated character he will scarcely get off on a light fine.

A well known journalist of experience believes the time will come when the evening paper will be the great journal of the day. His experience has shown him that "four-fifths of the startling news of the world is first published in the evening papers." In these active times people cannot spare the time to read the papers during the busy hours of the day. They now generally merely glance over them at home before starting to their places of business, or read them hurriedly in the train on the way down town to get an outline of the news. But they take the evening papers home with them to read leisurely and carefully, after the day's work is done. The only advantage that the morning journals have in the matter of news is in reporting meetings, lectures, noticing the amusements, and giving the police news of the night up to one or two o'clock. Most all other news, as a rule, occurs after the morning journals go to press and before the afternoon journals issue their last editions.

A Boony Trade Mark.  
One of the most attractive trade marks in use by the Southern Mills, is that adopted sometime ago for the McAden plaids, turned out at the mills at Lowell. The trade mark represents a group of well known young Charlotte people. The central figure in the group is Miss Mamie McAden in a swing. Miss Mamie Wadsworth (now Mrs. A. Reese) is leaning against a tree, Miss Belle Atkins is seated at the foot of the tree, and Mr. Giles McAden is reposing in the foreground. All are dressed in plaids made by the McAden mills, and it is certainly a unique and most appropriate trade mark. The late R. Y. McAden used to wear summer suits made from the plaids of these mills.

A Breakman Loses an Arm.  
Last Saturday afternoon, at three o'clock, Mr. Wm. A. Roach, a train hand, was badly injured by being caught between the bumpers of freight cars at the Air-Line Junction. In attempting to couple cars his left arm was caught and crushed so badly that the arm had to be amputated near the shoulder. The operation was performed by Dr. Gibbon, and the injured man was sent to the Home and Hospital. He was resting well this morning. Mr. Roach lives in Reidsville.

A Sample "Block of Fives."  
Sheriff A. Nixon passed through the city this morning with five prisoners sentenced to the penitentiary by Judge Clark, at the recent term of Lincoln court. This "block of fives" consisted of John Beaver, white, convicted of an assault and sentenced to 15 years; Cam Baumgarten, white, larceny, 3 years; John Robertson, colored, embezzlement, 2 years and 6 months; John Jones, colored, larceny, 2 years; Alf Kines, colored, larceny, 2 years.

An Engineer Desperately Sick.  
Mr. G. K. Sledge, locomotive engineer on the A., T. & O. railroad, pulled the passenger train from Charlotte to Taylorsville last Saturday evening, and on arriving there, he went to bed a desperately sick man. His recovery was not expected, this morning. Mr. Sledge had been sick for some time, but a few days ago resumed his run, and had made four trips when he was again taken down.

A New Lawyer.  
Mr. Owen Brown is a new lawyer at the Charlotte bar. He has hung out his shingle at No. 13, Low-Building.

Mr. Brown is a son of Mr. J. D. Brown, of Davidson College, and was a well known member of the Phi Kappa Psi chapter at that institution. He is a good stock and real estate man, and has been in the city since his arrival at Charlotte.

Hands Wanted.  
A quantity of white muslin, for sale at Charlotte, by the following firm:  
J. H. SCHULTZ  
JOHN & LOCKWOOD.

## SPRING ANNOUNCEMENT.

WE congratulate our customers and friends upon the return of the genial Spring Season. It is always a pleasant relief to exchange the heavier and more sombre apparel of winter for the lighter, and never less fashion set her seal upon goods for the season so attractive and tasteful as they are at the present time. The very best advertisement of our goods would be the goods themselves, could they be sent around for general inspection. As this is impossible we fall back on the faithful types to assist us to describe in some measure the chief feature of our Spring Stock. By way of preliminary we may say that we have brought our long business experience and knowledge of local tastes, to the selection of the goods we offer—and with a result which we hope will be as gratifying to our customers as to ourselves. The extent of our stock is unusually large and the variety offered in styles and the materials are so wide that we think we can scarcely fail of satisfying every intending purchaser. In every department our stock will be found to be complete; nothing having been neglected in our effort to make it the most complete assortment of goods ever offered to the trading public of this locality. In making our selection we have realized that to the quality of the goods sold we must look for the building up of that confidence between buyer and seller so essential to a commercial success and permanence. Our customers will find that in respect to quality our stock has no superior, if any rival, our policy being to sacrifice a margin of our profits rather than sacrifice the confidence of our customers in the goods we sell. Some rather unusual opportunities have been offered to watchful buyers to secure bargains in some of the desirable standard lines. These we have taken advantage of and customers will find that our prices are unusually low, relative to the value of the goods we offer. We aim to satisfy all classes of buyers, and our stock therefore includes the variety of grades which have correspondingly varied prices. We desire to be known for cheapness, but we handle no cheap goods, that is to say, we give even in low price grades the very best article the market affords for the money. It is a shortsighted policy for any merchant to make a reputation for low priced goods at the expense of his reputation for values. No article is really CHEAP which will not return the buyer the full value of the money expended in its purchase. Our steady aim is to satisfy buyers, not only by alluring bargains, but by the satisfaction that comes in goods that wear and stand the test of actual use. In the matter of Novelties we think our stock will leave nothing to be desired. By being early in the market we secured the early choice of styles and patterns which always gives the buyer the advantage of picking up such reasonable novelties as are soon exhausted, if they prove desirable to purchasers. We commend to our customers our own method, that of early selection, as it follows in cases that the patterns which are most fancied are the soonest exhausted. We speak with conviction when we say that we do not think any previous season has seen a more inviting display of goods than those to which we direct attention, and of which we invite your inspection. And we are sure that it will be a matter of general surprise and congratulation among buyers that we are able to offer so large a choice, and such excellent quality for prices that are remarkable for their moderation.

Respectfully,  
**W. KAUFMAN & CO.,**  
LEADING CLOTHIERS AND GENT'S FURNISHERS,  
Corner Central Hotel, Charlotte, N. C.

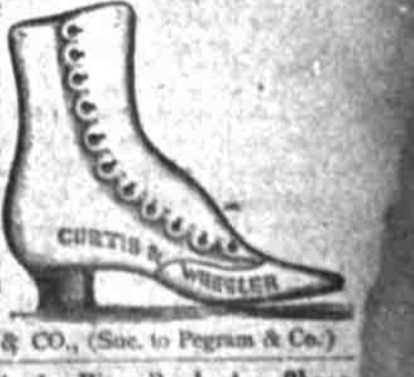
## GRAND SALE OF Cane Mattings and Carpets.

We have just received an immense stock of Cane Mattings and we desire to give them a good start. In order to do this we propose to have them all marked at very close figures and rush many of them out. The choice patterns and sterling qualities will speak for themselves, once they start. Be sure and give this sale your attention, as it will mean a neat little saving to you. Carpets go the same way this week. Rugs also share the same fate. Housekeepers, now's your chance. Take advantage of it. It is only this week that extra inducements are held out to you.

**T. L. SEIGLE & CO.**

## LADIES' FINE SHOES.

We have received a large shipment of the celebrated Rochester Shoes, made in all styles, sizes and widths. These shoes are much handsomer and better than any previous lots. We have them in the Goodyear welt-sewed and hand-sewed turn, finest Vienna Kid, price \$3.50, by mail 20c. extra. Every lady will do well to examine these elegant shoes. Our spring stock is now complete and embraces everything needed in the shoe line. The best makes and lowest prices. Call and see.  
16 S. Tryon St. GILREATH & CO., (Succ. to Pogram & Co.)



## Bolton's Fine Rochester Shoes.

We received today a large shipment of this celebrated line of LADIES' FINE SHOES, which are so well known in almost every household in Charlotte, and are today the leading shoe in many of the largest cities in the U. S., where durability, style and comfort are considered. Prices always reasonable. COME AND SEE US.  
19 EAST TRADE ST. GRAY & CO.



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Popular because the best. Try it and compare it with any 5c Cigar.

## Fine Meerschaum Goods.

Brian P. C. Smoking Tobacco and all the popular brands of chewing. Gravely, Chas. Star, Fager Head, etc. Also Cigars and Smokers' Articles.  
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