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POETRY.

NOW

The venerable Past is past;
'Tis dark, and shines not in the way;
'Twas good, no doubt—'tis gone at last—
There dawns another day.
Why should we sit where ivies creep,
And shroud ourselves in channels deep,
Or the world's yesterdays deplore
Mid crumbling ruins' mossy hoar?
Why should we see with dead men's eyes,
Looking at Was from morn to night,
When the beauteous Now, the divine To Be,
Woo with their charms our living sight?
Why should we hear but echoes dull
When the world of sound, so beautiful,
Will give us music of our own?
Why in the darkness should we grope,
When the sun, in heaven's replendent cope,
Shines as bright as ever it shone?
The present needs us. Every age
Bequeaths the next for heritage
No lazy luxury or delight,
But strenuous labor for the right;
For Now, the child and sire of Time,
Demands the deeds of earnest men
To make it better than the past
And stretch the circle of its ken.
Now is a fact that men deplore,
Though it might bless them evermore;
Would they but fashion it aright,
'Tis ever new, 'tis ever bright.
Time nor Eternity hath seen
A repetition of delight
In all its phases; ne'er hath been
Nor men or angles that which *is*;
And that which *is* hath ceased to be
Ere we have breathed it, and its place
Is lost in the eternity.
But Now is ever good and fair,
Of the Infinitude the heir,
And we of it. So let us live
That from the Past we may receive
Light for the Now—from Now a joy
That Fate nor Time shall e'er destroy.

CHARLES MACKAY.

A Plea from the Cotton Buyers.

At a meeting of the cotton buyers of Newberry Court House, S. C., held on Thursday, the 13th inst., the following preamble and resolutions of the Rome, Ga., cotton buyers and producers were unanimously adopted, and the county papers requested to publish them;

WHEREAS, In our opinion, there exists in the city of New York a combination of men and capital, whose prime object is to depress and bear down the price of cotton in the future; and, whereas, in our opinion, based on facts which have come under our observation, a large amount of cotton has been bought by the citizens of the States for future delivery, an amount in excess of the remainder of the crop now unsold; and, whereas, in our opinion, the cotton buyers have it in their power by a united and determined effort to advance prices very materialy in the next 60 days; therefore,

Resolved, That we earnestly appeal to cotton buyers throughout the country to hold meetings at once in their respective cities, towns and villages, and take such action in the premises as will overthrow and thwart the combination of moneyed men in the city of New York, whose ostensible object is to depress the price of the same.

Resolved, That it is the opinion of this meeting that the best way to defeat said combination of capital is a united and combined effort upon the part of the cotton buyers throughout the entire country, with a fixed and unalterable determination, in every contract of purchase during the present cotton season, to demand the actual delivery of the cotton on said contracts.

Resolved, That if is impossible to secure such unanimity of action as is desired upon the part of all the cotton buyers of futures throughout the United States, and an absolute and unconditional demand of the cotton bought, it will effectually defeat said combination and advance the price of the staple.

Resolved, That we earnestly appeal to cotton buyers of futures throughout the entire country to take immediate action in the premises, and adopt such resolutions as in their judgment will defeat said combination, and publish the same for the benefit of all parties interested.

Resolved, That our city papers, and all newspapers friendly to the advancement of the producing interest of the country, and the protection of the same from the corrupt moneyed monopolies of New York, be requested to copy the proceedings of this meeting.

Humors of the Day.

Mrs. Savery, of Des Moines, Ia., has petitioned Grant to appoint her Consul at Havre. If we were in Grant's place, we should send her as Consul to the Fiji Islands—or to some other islands where cannibalism still rages.

Since the report of the House committee on the Credit Mobilier business a dark cloud has risen upon the political horizon of New Hampshire and Vermont—a cloud

Presaging wrath to Poland and to man
—that wretched man Patterson, of course.

It is said that all the professions are now represented in the Georgia penitentiary except Congressmen. The State ought to import a few Credit Mobilier Congressmen from New England and break down such a disgraceful exception.

There is said to be a woman in Todd county, Kentucky, who, although but thirty-two years of age, has three grandchildren. Give that woman another running start, and there's no telling what she will accomplish by the time she is fifty.

Wittkowsky & Rintels'

CARD

1873. FOR SPRING. 1873.

TO MERCHANTS.

THE great aim of our House, since its establishment, has been to make Charlotte a wholesale Mart, and ours THE HOUSE, and to conduct our business so as to outgrow the alleged and even accepted opinion of some that there is a kind of obloquy attached to them for buying in Charlotte; and having, by the very great increase of our business, (since we removed to our new and elegant Store,) been convinced that we have partially succeeded in our cherished plan, we have concluded to endeavor to still further eradicate the erroneous idea, by presenting, this coming season to the Trade, a still Larger and better assorted Stock than even we ever offered before, so that Country Merchants will be able to find in our house not only all he needs but a very large stock to select from; thereby being enabled to operate with a much smaller capital than he can by buying in different houses North, where he must necessarily buy more goods than he actually needs in order to have an assortment.

In view of the foregoing, Mr. Rintels left on the 27th January, (much earlier than usual,) for Northern Markets and Manufacturing places, where he will remain two months in making our purchases, buying everything from first hands on the same terms as any Jobbing House in Baltimore, Philadelphia or New York; and the assortment when thus completed will foot up in amount to upwards of Two Hundred Thousand Dollars.

The expenses attached to carrying on a business here being much less than it would be in Northern Cities, and having a lower rate of freight than smaller shippers here, brings the fact patent that, we are in a position to successfully compete with any Jobbing House in the United States, and to the inspection of which we invite the Trade.

We are pleased to state to those unacquainted with our House, that we keep complete lines of Dry Goods, Groceries, Hardware, Clothing, Boots and Shoes, Notions, and even Millinery.

Our Retail Department is complete, with the latest Novelties, and in bulk second to none in the City.

Our Millinery Department will be carried on as usual. Very Respectfully,

WITTKOWSKY & RINTELS.

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FURNITURE
—AND—
UNDERTAKING.

F. M. SHELTON

HAVING greatly increased his Stock of FURNITURE which consists in part of

Parlor Suits, Black, Walnut Painted Chamber Suits, French and Cottage Bedsteads, Spring Beds, Bureaus, Washstands, Teapoys, Folding Tables, Ladies Work Tables, Extension and Centre Tables, Whatnots Safes,

Excelsior and Cotton Mattresses, Chairs and Stools of various styles and many other things not necessary to mention.

The Undertakers Department is complete from the cheapest Poplar Coffin to The Finest Hexigan Head and Foot Walnut Casket Half Glass Top, finished and trimmed in the most approved style, will be kept constantly ready for use, all of which will be sold at a most reasonable price.

Returning many thanks for past favors I most respectfully ask the citizens of Charlotte and surrounding country, who have need for anything in my line to give me a call before purchasing elsewhere.

South Trade Street opposite the Market House, Charlotte, N. C.

jan 1st 1873-1y F. M. SHELTON.

FOR SALE.

A Lot of fine HORSES and MULES, in splendid order. At DAVIDSON'S LIVERY STABLES. Horses and Mules for sale are kept on han l constantly.

nov 16-tf

Oats.

FIFTEEN Hundred Bushels Mountain Seed Oats, for sale by
STENHOUSE, MACAULAY & CO.

ANOTHER Lot of those fine repellants for waterproof Cloaks, &c., just receiv ed at MRS. QUERY'S.

jan 28

J. T. SUGGS,

(Successor to Coit and Suggs,)

Trade St., next door below Merchants' & Farmers' National Bank.

—DEALER IN—

GROCERIES & LIQUORS,

WHOLESALE & RETAIL.

KEEPS constantly on hand a large and well selected stock of BACON, LARD, MACKEREL, FLOUR, MOLASSES, SUGAR, COFFEE, TEAS, SPICES, CANDIES, SODA, SOAPS, CANDLES, SEGARS, TOBACCO, &c., &c. ALSO, Corn, Wheat, Rye, Oats, &c., bought and sold on commission.

jan 14-6m

CLOSING out a Large stock of fine Hosiery for Ladies, Misses and Children at cost, at MRS. QUERY'S.

jan 28

THOSE large Yam Potatoes have arrived and will be open this morning. They are most excellent. B. N. SMITH.

mar 18

FINE SALT.

100 Sacks Factory filled SALT on hand and for sale by
STENHOUSE, MACAULAY & CO.

nov 27

The Change.

HAVING notified our friends and customers some time since, that our business would change January 1st, 1873, we are pleased to say that the change has taken place, and it is to be strictly CASH or 30 DAYS CREDIT. Those who do not pay promptly need not expect any favors. If you are in arrears—don't ask for credit, save us the unpleasant duty of denying you.

To our many friends and patrons we return thanks, and ask a continuance of their favors—believing that by a strict application of the above rules, we will be able to sell goods cheaper than those who credit.

All bills are due and payable on the 1st day of each and every month.

GRIER & ALEXANDER.

jan 1, 1873, 1y

SIMONTON HOUSE.

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STATESVILLE, N. C.

—:O:—

THE Proprietor of the above named Hotel respectfully invites the people of Charlotte and the public generally to call on him when they visit Statesville. He will spare neither pains nor money to make the SIMONTON HOUSE *a first class* HOTEL, and worthy of public patronage.

T. A. PRICE,
nov 25-tf Proprietor.

F. SCARR,

Druggist and Chemist.

CHARLOTTE, N. C.

Prescriptions prepared at all hours of the Day and night.

Choice Green and Black Tea.

Selected especially for Family and Invalids, at SCARR'S
june 20 Drug Store.

FRESH SPICES.

Just received a lot of select Spices for Pickles, Preserves, &c., at F. SCARR'S
june 20 Drug Store.

Pure Salad Oil.

Finest article in Market,
at F. SCARR'S
june 29 Drug Store.

Illustrated Beautiful Snow.

BEAUTIFUL SNOW.

BEAUTIFUL Snow and Other Poems. New Illustrated Edition. By J. W. Watson, author of "The Outcast." Beautifully Illustrated, from Original Designs by Edward L. Henry. This is a book that every Lady and Gentleman should read, and own a copy of. It is complete in one large octavo volume, in uniform style with "The Outcast and Other Poems," by J. W. Watson, being printed on the finest tinted plate paper, and bound in green morocco cloth, with gilt top, gilt sides, and beveled boards, price Two Dollars, or bound in maroon morocco cloth, with full gilt sides, full gilt edges, full gilt back, and beveled boards, price Three Dollars.

*** Above Book is for sale by all Booksellers, or copies of it will be sent, post-paid to any one, per return of mail, on any one remitting the price of it to the publishers,

T. B. PETERSON & BROS,
306 Chestnut St., Phila., Pa.

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FRESH Arrivals. 800 lbs Mountain Cabbage, Fine Large Mountain Potatoes, Dried Apples and Peaches, Green Apples, Bologna Sausage, Mackerel and Seed Oats. B N SMITH.

feb 15

R. & D. RAILROAD CO.,

OFFICE OF ENGINEER & SUP'DENT,
March 2nd, 1872.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given to consignees, that in consequence of the heavy pressure of freight at this time, it is impossible for this Company to furnish storage room at its depots, either in its warehouses or cars, for more than twenty-fours after the arrival of such freight at its destination.

Consignees must remove their freights promptly after arrival, and unless it is removed within twenty-four hours the Agents or the Company will impose and collect a charge for storage according to the following schedule of rates:

Hay, per car load,	$3 00	per day,
Corn, " "	3 00	"
Peas, " "	3 00	"
Cotton, per bale,	25c	"
Guano, per ton,	40c	"
Molasses, per car load,	3 00	"
Salt, " "	3 00	"

Consignees will hereafter be required to receive each consignmen entire, and no part of a consignment will be delivered until the whole has been receipted for, after which it will be at the risk of the consignee, and the Company will not undertake to protect it, unless by special contract.

This Company does not undertake to notify consignees of the arrival of their goods, they must therefore rely upon consignor for their information.

T. M. R. TALCOTT,
Engineer & Superintendent.

mar 6

NEW FURNITURE.

GOOD FURNITURE! CHEAP FURNITURE!!

—ARRIVING DAILY AT—

DAVIDSON'S FURNITURE ROOMS,

TRADE ST., OPPOSITE BREM, BROWN & Co's DRY GOODS STORE.

WHERE WILL BE FOUND EVERYTHING KEPT IN A

FIRST CLASS

FURNITURE HOUSE.

EMBRACING: Chairs, Tables, Bedsteads, Bureaus, Dressing Cases, Wardrobes, Sideboards, Book Cases, Desks, Hat Racks, Etageres, What Nots, Cradles, Cribs, Safes, Tete-a-Tetes, Sofas, Lounges, Mirrors, Glass Plate, &c., &c.

—ALSO A—

FINE STOCK of Parlor Furniture, Dining Room Furniture and Chamber Suits, all varieties of style and finish. This House also keeps a full stock of Spring Beds and Mattresses, and a Large Assortment of

METALLIC BURIAL CASES

And Caskets of all sizes and styles of finish, together with Mahogany, Rosewood, Walnut, Poplar and Pine Coffins, from the plainest and cheapest to the finest Octagon Cases and Caskets, with full glass tops, trimmed in the most elaborate style, furnished with heavy Silver Mountings. Special attention given to furnishing Dwellings, Hotels and Colleges at a small advance on MANUFACTURERS' RATES.

CALL, SEE AND PRICE BEFORE BUYING.

January 21st, 1873. ROBT. F. DAVIDSON.

ACARD.

To Our Friends and Acquaintances.

WE the Undersigned beg leave to thank our friends and acquaintances for their liberal patronage bestowed upon our Employer, Mr. E. Shrier for the past year, and most respectfully ask a continuance of the same as we are still at the Temple of Fashion. Respectfully,

J. A. YOUNG, Jr.,
A. H. TATE.

jan 9

BOARDING.

MRS. A. W. MILLER is prepared to accommodate Boarders with room and meals, or with meals only, as the Boarder may desire. The building, Gray's, on the corner of Trade and Church streets, is a new one; the rooms are cleanly, comfortably, neatly furnished, and well attended. The table is as good as the market will afford.

Terms most liberal, to suit clerks who are working for moderate salaries.

jan 1-tf

EXCELSIOR!!

THE BEST IS THE CHEAPEST!!!

TO PLANTERS.

WE Offer the following Fertilizers: Patapsco Guano, Chesapeake Guano and Watson & Clarke's Super-Phosphate.

We have pleasure in again tendering to our Farmers the above first-class Fertilizers.

To those who have used them so many years we need only say that they are guaranteed to be fully up to their previous high standard.

And to such as have not yet used them one trial will convince them that they are superior to all others; so make sure of a supply and please hand in your orders early, as the consumption exceeds the manufacturing power.

For sale in any quantity, by
STENHOUSE, MACAULAY & CO.
jan 19

For Sale.

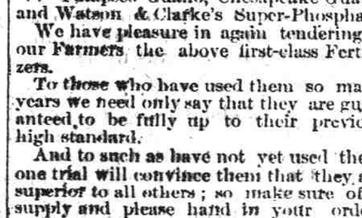
TWO Acres of land adjoining the City of Charlotte, very finely situated in a rapidly improving neighborhood. Will be sold entire, or in lots to suit purchasers, at a very reasonable rate. Apply to

JOHN T. BUTLER,
oct 22 Opposite Mansion House.

New Orleans Sugar and Molasses.

5 Hogsheads Bright New Orleans Sugar.
10 Barrels Choice " " Molasses,
Also 2 Hogsheads Demerara Sugar,
2 " " Molasses in store and for sale at prices to suit the times by STENHOUSE, MACAULAY & CO.
dec 17

FOR SALE.



J. W. WADSWORTH has at his Livery and Sale Stable, opposite the City Clock, HORSES and MULES for sale and kept constanly on hand.

nov 30

DOOLEY'S YEAST POWDER

Is rapidly superseding all other preparations for producing Elegant, Sweet and Wholesome Rolls, Biscuits, Bread, Buckwheat and other Griddle Cakes. Perfectly Pure and Reliable, and always ready for immediate use. The Cheapest Baking Powder in the World, and it will keep on Land or Sea, in any climate, for years. It is well adapted to the use of Housekeepers, Miners, Mariners, Emigrants, &c., and is in fact, in every respect, the Best Yeast Powder made "for the Kitchen, the Camp, the Galley."

SOLD by GROCERS & DEALERS EVERYWHERE.

Manufactured by
DOOLEY & BROTHER,
69 New Street, New York.

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CHOICE Odd French Brandy for Medicinal purposes, at F. SCARR'S.

jan 3

JUST RECEIVED AT
SCARR'S DRUG STORE,

TAPIOCA,—

MACARONI ITALIAN,

SAGO,—

POW'D BL'K PEPPER,

FRESH SAGE.

jan 31

J. Y. BRYCE,

General Commission Merchant,

CHARLOTTE, N. C.

Particular attention paid to selling all kinds of Produce, Cotton and Tobacco.

Highest cash price paid for Cotton.

All orders from a distance promptly attended to. J. Y. BRYCE,

dec 21 '72.

Writing Paper.

MERCHANTS visiting Charlotte, will find Writing Paper and Envelopes very cheap, at PUREFOY'S.

jan 4

OVIDE DUPRE,

(Lately of Raleigh, North Carolina.)

Attorney & Counsellor at Law,

No. 6, Wall Street,

NEW YORK CITY.

WILL attend promptly to all professional business entrusted to him. Refers to the Chief Justice and Associate Justices of the Supreme Court of North Carolina, and to the whole North Carolina Bar.

feb 18-1y

SIXTY Gross Steel Pens, 30 Reams Writing Paper, 15 dozen Copy and Writing Books. Wholesale and Retail at PUREFOY'S.

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TO THE LADIES.

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SOME NEW STYLE

HATS,

JUST RECEIVED

—BY—

EXPRESS THIS MORNING

—AT—

MRS. QUERY'S.

nov 30

QUAKENBOS' HISTORY of the United States,
McDuffey's 1st, 2nd and 3rd Readers,
National Readers 1st, 2nd and 3rd,
Cornell's Geography,
Harvey's Grammars,
Barley's Universal History,
Bullions' & Morris' Latin Grammar,
Towne's Spellers,
Eureka Slates (Ruber Corners.
Just Received at PUREFOY'S.
feb 18

Flour, Flour.

THREE Hundred Sacks Extra and Family Flour in store and for sale by
STENHOUSE, MACAULAY & CO.
feb 18

SELLING Millinery Trimmings, and all our fancy and hair goods at greatly reduced prices to make room for spring, at
jan 28 MRS. QUERY'S.

Seed Potatoes.

A Supply of the following selection of Seed Potatoes on hand, to wit:
Pearless,
Early Rose,
Early Goodrich,
Peach Blows,
Chili Reds,
For sale by
STENHOUSE, MACAULAY & CO.
feb 18

Clover Seed.

A Supply of Pennsylvania Red Top Clover Seed, at
STENHOUSE, MACAULAY & CO.
jan 9

BACKGAMMON BOARDS,

—AND—

CHECKER MEN.

—AT—

PUREFOY'S.

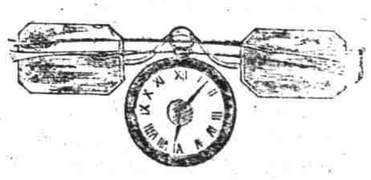
jan 25

THE CHARLOTTE FAIR

AT

J. T. BUTLER'S!!

NEW GOODS.



Watches, Clocks, Jewelry, Diamonds, Silver and Plated Ware, Spectacles, &c.

MUSIC BOXES

AND MANY

OTHER ARTICLES

TOO NUMEROUS

TO MENTION.

—AT—

J. T. BUTLER'S

OPPOSITE THE MANSION HOUSE.

October 22

THE BANK OF MECKLENBURG,

CHARLOTTE, N. C.

Authorized Capital $500,000.

JAS. TURNER TATE, President.
THOS. W. DEWEY, Cashier,
F. H. DEWEY, Asst. Cashier.

AT THE BANKING HOUSE OF

TATE & DEWEY.

This Bank Chartered Under Act of the General Assembly and duly organized under Laws of the State of North Carolina, with ample means is prepared to transact

General Banking Business.

and furnish accommodations to all its Customers on Liberal Terms.

The bank will receive Deposits subject to Check, and will Allow Interest According to Agreement on all Deposits left on time, or issue Certificates of Deposit bearing interest at the rate of

Eight per cent per Annum

on all sums lying undrawn over thirty days.

Gold and Silver Coin, Bullion and old Bank Notes Bought and Sold.

THOS. W. DEWEY,
jan. 1 1873. Cashier.

CITY RESIDENCES,

VACANT LOTS,

—AND—

DESIRABLE FARMING LANDS,

IMPROVED and UNIMPROVED.

PARTIES wishing to invest in such property on reasonable terms would do well to call at our office in the Court House.

Further assignments and correspondence solicited. GRAHAM & NASH,
Attorneys,
jan 21-3m Charlotte, N. C.

Special Notice to the Public.

AS a great many changes have taken place this year, I respectfully beg to inform the citizens of Charlotte and the public in general that no change has taken place at my establishment. I am still at my old stand, No. 24 Tryon Street, David Parks' building, with a large and well selected stock of the finest and latest styles of custom-made clothing for Men, Youths and Boys wear, also on hand a fine stock of Gents' Furnishing Goods, Shirts, of Ballou's make, the best fitting shirt in the world. The very latest styles of Hats, Scarfs, Bows and Ties, Umbrellas, &c., &c., and I will still sell them at prices to defy competition.

I expect to leave for New York City in a short time to lay in my stock of Clothing and Piece Goods, for my Tailoring Establishment and will also bring with me a experienced Cutter and Tailor, and will be ready by Spring to cut and make to order at my own establishment and under my own supervision and at lower prices than the same quality of goods can be made up in this or any other city, this side of Baltimore.

Being thankful to the citizens of Charlotte and the public in general for the liberal patronage heretofore bestowed upon me, I most respectfully ask a continuance of the same. Respectfully,

jan 9 E. SHRIER.

Home and Democrat copy.

100 Dozen PAPER SHADES, assorted, 60 dozen FIRE SCREENS, assorted, TRANSOM PAPER, in great variety, at TIDDY'S.

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