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CHARLOTTE, N C., Nov. 7, 6 P. M. Market closes steady at 111 to 1 for Low New York closes steady for spots at same

quotations as yesterday.

LOCAL AFFAIRS:

108. P. CALDWELL, Local Editor.

LOCAL DOTS. The scarcity of money is now the prin-

cipal topic of conversation in all quarters. Dr. Columbus Mills, President of the Fair of the Carolinas, was one of the judges of stock at the Greenville Fair.

The city bill-posters were at work yesterday, pesting for the performance at Miller's Hall to-night. Our editor was promoted while at the

Greenville Fair by the papers of that place, and returned to Charlotte a fullfledged "Colonel." The annual meeting of the stock-

holders of the Charlotte, Columbia & Augusta Railroad Company, will be held in Columbia on next Tuesday, the 11th inst.

Married, November 6th, 1873, in the city of Charlotte, N. C., by Rev. L. S. Burkhead, D. D., Charles W. Rodgers, of Warrenton, N. C., to Miss Mary J. Asbury, of Charlotte, N. C.

Christian Neighbor and Warrenton Gazette

Express Train on the North Carolina Railroad, running between Charlotte and Company Shops. Coming south, the train will, after yesterday evening, arrive in lotte at 8:15 a. m., as before.

Personal.-We had pleasant calls yesterday from our friends John C. Syme, of the Raleigh News, and Thos. C. Evans, late of the Richmond Enquirer, who will soon begin publishing a paper of his own in Raleigh. We are always pleased to have an opportunity of holding sweet counsel with the brethren, especially when they happen to be such genial fellows as these.

Franklin Steam Washer-A Correction.-In the Premium List of the State Fair, P. S. Smith receives a diploma for the best "Steam Washer." Mr. Smith was acting as Agent, merely, and the dipwas acting as Agent, inercity, and the diploma was granted to the new celebrated
"Franklin Steam Washer," of which
Mesers, Barrow & Pleasants, of Louisburg,
are the proprietors. This "washer" is
gaining its way rapidly in popular favor,
and it richly deserves to do, for it is unrivaled.—Raleigh Sentinel.

"The C. M. I."-Under this head the Greenville Enterprise and Mountaineer says

"Among the visitors to the Fair, we observe Col. J. P. Thomas, Supt. of the Carolina Military Institute, who is "wearing of the grey." We are pleased to learn that the C. M. I. is fully organized and in successful operation. Greenville is already represented in the Institute. The object of Col. Thomas, is, to get additional recruits. As an affair of the two Carolinas, the Institute merits a liberal support. It is a Military College with a Preparatory Department? Department.

The Dance Club met last evening at the room of Mr J. H. Wilson, Jr. We deem it proper to refer to one resolution passed by the Club, which was to the effect, that those young gentlemen in the city, who are not members of the Club, and who desire to participate in its festivities during the Fair week, when a series of brilliant hops will be given, are requested to hand in their names to some member of the Club for membership, as no young man in the city will be admitted to the hops who is not a member of the Club. A meeting will be held on next Monday night to vote upon new candidates for admission. Of course the membership does not conclude with Fair week, but will be permanent. will all to a light of

Fire in Shelby .- A disastrous fire visited Shelby on Thursday night -the first fire the town ever had. We have been shown a letter received yesterday from a gentleman of Shelby by one of our business firms. money upon which to operate. From it we get the following particulars: D. W. Durham's dwelling, next to W.P. Love's brick store, caught fire and was burnt down. The fire communicated from this house to McAuthur's bar-room, and from this to T. Dickson's store house. From Dickson's store it extended to his dwelling and all were consumed. W. P. Love's large brick store caught several times but was saved.

D. W. Durham lost all of his house furniture, together with wearing apparel, bedding &c. He saved nothing except the goods in the store .-Mr. Harris had a confectionery in the Dickson building, and also lived

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No 1,458

Funeral Notice.—The friends and acquaintances of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Gailman, operations of the "Franklin Steam Washare requested and invited to attend the er" at the late State Fair, and we have reafuneral of their son Freddy, at their residence on South Church street, this morning at 10 o'clock.

Union Times please copy.

Miller's Hall To-Night.-The people of Charlotte will not forget that Ford's Combination will present Wilkie Collins' "New Magdalen" at Miller's Hall this evening. Our theatre-going people will rejoice that an opportunity is given them of attending a play given under the auspices of one of the celebrated theatrical managers in the country, and by a company which has evoked the praises of the press and people wherever it has been this season. We do not deem it necessary to do more than refer to the performance, feeling sure that the appreciative people to for accumulating money was never ofing sure that the appreciative people of Charlotte will turn out in numbers to the entertainment. Seats can be secured at Tiddy's for the play to-night, without extra charge. The price of admission is \$1. See advertisement.

Mayor's Court .- The entertainment given at the Mayor's office yesterday morning was quite numerously attended by sable ones. The first case called was that of Emma Johnston, Cherry Smith and Emma The Inpress Train .- A slight change Williams. They were charged with has taken place in the schedule of the having engaged in a general fight at the Second Exchange; and said charge having been sustained by several witnesses, they had to dance to Charlotte at 9 p. m., instead of at 8:15, as the music as follows: Emma Johnheretofore. Going north, it leaves Charlaton, \$2.50 and costs; Cherry Smith, \$5; Emma Williams, \$7,50 and costs. From the indications presented in court yesterday morning, it was evident that there had been a considerble pulling of wool during the fracas.

> The second case was against Margaret Barber, colored, for disorderly conduct and a disturbance of that part of the city known as "Canaan." The offender was fined \$1 and costs. Third case was against Gadeden Earle, col., for stabbing Joe Brown, also colored, mention of which was made in the OBSERVER yesterday morning. He paid the costs and was bound over to Court.

Meeting of the Ice Company .- A meeting of some of the stockholders of the Charlotte Ice Company was held in the Court House yesterday afternoon. P S Whisnant was called to the Chair, and Arch'd D Graham appointed Secretary. It was found that 35 shares of stock were represented, and, by request, Dr C J Fox, President of the Company, made a statement of the causes which had delayed the Board of Directors in the manufacture of ice. This statement was, in effect, the same as published in the OBSERVER last week, over the signature of Dr Fox, viz that Capt Wilkes, who had the contract for the machinery, had failed to come up to the terms of that contract, and that the machine would not hold ether; hence, no ice could be made. The failure of the machine to hold ether might be chargeable to the fact, that the metal of which the castings were made, was inferior; to the fact that the machinery had been badly constructed, or to both causes.

Dr Fox being asked to which cause he thought the failure to hold ether was due, said, he thought to the inferiority of material, and went on to speak of the trifling cost of getting new articles for that part of the machine which had been shown to be useless, or, by a certain process, to make it answer the purposes for which it was purchased. Dr Fox being here asked, gave several reasons why the machinery had not been taken from under the control of Capt Wilkes. He referred, also, to the fact, that a large number of the stockholders had failed to pay up their subscriptions, and, that the Company now had no

In the first part of Dr Fox's remarks, he tion of ideas and the aggregation of andria and Georgetown mixed to referred to the fact, that the Board had capital, by promoting the formation good superfine 5 to 5.50. Extraused every endeavor to save the money of clubs in each neighborhood, and family 6 to 10. the stockholders, having been as economical as it was possible for them to be. That he was in no way discouraged about the success of the enterprise, as the principle upon which the machine was to be operated was thoroughly understood, and nothing was necessary, save perfect machinery. Many other points of importance were touched upon by Dr Fox, but we cannot

now speak of his remarks at length. After some discussion upon various questions pertaining to the enterprise, the meeting adjourned to meet next Monday evening.

in it; he saved all, as did also Alexander & Harrell, who occupied the Dickson store house.

The letter does not state the extent of the loss, or the origin of the fire. It concludes by saying that it was raining hard all the time, and it was owing to this fact alone that the main part of Shelby was saved.

C. C. Fulton, editor of the Baltimore American, states that during nearly five month's sojourn in Prussia, Austria and France he never encountered any one laboring under the influence of intoxicating liquors, not even sufficiently exhibitanted to be noisy. In the districts through which he travelled, the people make free use of the lighter wines, which are regarded as prometive of temperance, as beer is in England.

Nearly \$2,0 the polls of 1 C. C. Fulton, editor of the Balti-

sons to believe that not ten in that num-ber but what will join us in saying, that Messrs Barrow & Pleasants, have at last struck upon the very form of mechanism that hundaeds have attempted and failed. That the Franklin Steam Washer is a success there is not the slightest doubt, and cess there is not the slightest doubt, and we are proud to award to North Carolina the honor of this valuable invention, and to those polished and clever gentlemen, Messrs Barrow & Pleasants the exclusive control for the United States. The skill that will enable a person to perform in one hour what otherwise takes five to perform, developes an invention that makes its use a necessity. Such ingenuity impedied in a necessity. Such ingenuity imbodied in mechanism, the Government declares to be property, and in the form of a patent has invested it with immunities and franty for accumulating money was never offered to enterprising business men. It is a machine indispensable in every family and will sell the world over.—Weekly Ral-

eigh News.

The Franklin Steam Washer is no humbug, but all that its proprietors claim for it. We know Messrs Barrow & Pleasants, personally, and are willing to wouch for any statement they may make.—Friend of Temperance.

The success of the Franklin Steam Washer, wherever introduced, has been unprecedented. The right for every county in which it has been introduced has been sold. If active business men want to make money we see no better opportunity. It is owned by gentlemen of character and in-fluence.—Asheville Citizen.

The Franklin Steam Washer is indeed other Washer ever met with such success. flutter in court, the lawyers present mencement of the present Money Crisis rior to anything of the kind ever invented. To industrious men who wish to make money, a rare opportunity is of Maryland, who was removed for offered.—Sentinel.

The attention of our readers is called to the advertisement of the Franklin Steam Washer, in this issue. It is what it pre-tends to be "the greatest invention of the age." Messrs Barrow & Pleasants are both christian gentlemen and we do not hesitate to say that they will give entire satisfaction in all their transactions.—Spirit of \$2.50.

This North Carolina invention is excelling everything in the way of a Washer Machine. It is accompanied by testimonials from persons whom we know to be sincere, honest and prudent in what they say: We have a very pleasant personal acquaintance with Mr Pleasants, one of the proprietors, and know him to be a gentle-man of worth and integrity.—N. C. Chris-

We take pleasure in saying that the Franklin Steam Washer is all that its proprietors claim it—a complete success. We hazard nothing in saying that nothing has ever been put upon the market that meets with such universal favor. We are yet to hear of the first one that does not give entire satisfaction.—Louisburg Courier.
It is meeting with universal and unpre-

cedented favor among domestic circles.-Rocky Mount Mail. Messrs Barrow & Pleasants constitute one of the strongest and most reliable firms in Louisburg, and from what we have heard of the Franklin Steam Washer and the high character of the parties controlling it, we have no doubt that it is all that

they represent it to be. - Biblical Recorder. Mr Pleasants is now at the Central Hotel and will take pleasure in giving any information in regard to the Franklin Steam Washer required.

President's Address.

Farmers of Virginia & North Carolina Farmers' Council takes place next moved in five days. Merchants are month, it becomes my duty to call shipping by express. This evening your attention to the magnitude and Congressman Thornburg meets the importance of the work you have employers and will endeavor to effect undertaken, and the necessity of a an adjustment. The Company refull representation to ensure suc- mains firm, and no disturbance.

You cannot be ignorant of the reat movement that is going on in the Northwest. The agricultural classes seem, at last, to have caught the spirit of the age, and are organizing in their might for the protec tion of their own rights and the promotion of their own welfare. The Farmers' Council is one division of this vast army enlisted in the same good cause and fighting under the same banner. We wish to enroll and equip for the contest all who sympathize with us in the objects contemplated,

The tillers of the soil have ever been the great tax-paying, burden-bearing class in society. Our object is to ameliorate the condition of this class by organization and education, by the collection and dissemination of useful information, by the associasocieties in each county and district, by making our voices heard in the tled." legislative halls and councils of the nation, by demanding our rights and

redressing our wrongs.

Though the Council was only organized last November, much good has already been accomplished through its agency; but the great work is before us. Other classes, which from time immemorial have lived upon the sweat of our brow, are watching with jealousy this move-ment. If we are to be relieved from thraldom, we must have the council and cooperation of the best minds in

these Commonwealths.

I would therefore make an earnest appeal to all who feel an interest in the success of our enterprise, to take at once the necessary steps to secure the appointment and attendance of such delegates as will cooperate in the success of our enterprise, to take at once the necessary steps to secure the appointment and attendance of such delegates as will cooperate in Norfolk—Quiet; low mid. 12; sa Norfolk—Quiet; low mid. 13; sa Norfolk—Quiet; low mid. 12; sa Norfolk—Quiet; low mid. 13; sa Norfolk—Quiet; low mid. 12; sa Norfolk—Quiet; low mid. 13; sa Norfolk—Quiet; low mid. 13; sa Norfolk—Quiet; low mid. 14; low mid. 14; low mid. 15; low mid.

RICHARD V. GAINES. President. MOSSINGFORD, VA., OCT. 1st, 1773.

TELEGRAPHIC

FROM THE MERICAN PRESS ASSOCIATION. BY THE

OUTHERN AND ATLANTIC LINE. BY TELEGRAPH TO THE OBSERVER.

SHARP SALLY BETWEEN JUDGE AND A LAWYER.

DISCHARGE OF MORE RAILROL EMPLOYES IN THE NORTH. FIVE MEN CONVICTED OF AT-

TEMPTING TO ABBUCT THE NIECE OF PRESIDENT McMAHON. HEAVY SUIT FOR BREACH OF

PROMISE. THE UNION TRUST COMPANY

NEW YORK.

-LIABILITIES AND ASSETS.

New York, Nov. 7 .- There was an extraordinary sally in court to-day between Judge Davis and Mr. Bartlett, counsel for Tweed, which has created no small excitement and discussion among the legal fraternity. The sharp rebuke administered by the Judge to the counsel when the great invention and is meeting with un- latter referred him to the case of precedented favor wherever introduced. No Chief-Justice Chase, caused a great in the Eastern Markets, after the comnearly all believing that Judge Chase, misdemeanor in office, was referred to. It is thought that Judge Davis in threatening to refer Bartlett to a still later case had in view the case of Center, the 8th juror in the Stokes ease, who, for contempt of court, was sent to prison for 30 days and fined

The statement of the receiver of the Union Trust Company was issued to-day. The liabilities are \$5,-229,185.18; assets, \$6,327,369.80. The statement also shows a full list of securities and their exact maturity, including several abstracted by C. T. Carlton, the defaulting secretary of the company.

BROOKLYN, Nov. 7.—Mary Treber has brought suit for \$20,000 against Henry Grof, a cigar maker residing in the eastern district, for breach of

ENGLAND.

LONDON, Nov. 7 .- A Paris despatch eceived here this afternoon says five of the conspirators implicated in the plot for abducting the niece of President McMahon, have been tried and sentenced to various periods of imprisonment at hard labor.

FROM TENNESSEE. - Knoxville, Nov. 5. -The block freight business on the East Tennessee, Virginia & Georgia Railroad, caused by the employees quitting work rather than submit to a reduction of 20 per cent of their As the annual meeting of the wages, continues. No freight has

> A New Orleans letter says it is currently reported in that city that Longstreet is now busily engaged in organizing an expedition for a descent upon Cuba, and that he is doing it with the knowledge and countenance, if not the actual assistance. of Grant.

MARKETS. NEW YORK, Nov., 7.

Money closed at 7. Foreign Exchange declined, closed at 105 for 60 days and 108 sight. Gold closed firm at 107% to 107%. Governments closed strong. Curency 6's 110% to 111.

State bonds dull. State and Western flour lower and active. Southern flour closed dull. No 2 3.60 to 4.45. Baltimore, Alex-

Wheat closed lower and unset-

Corn easier and more active. Provisions dull and nominal. Cotton quiet and lower at 184 for ow mid. and 13} for mid.

COTTON. Augusta-Dull; mid. 124; sales 743; receipts 6,750. Baltimore Quiet; mid. 121; re-

ceipts 500; stock 832. Cincinnati-Dull; mid. 13; sales 434; stock 1,908. Charleston-Lower, mid. 138; sales

Memphis—Quiet; mid. 12; sales 1,616; stock 27,044. Mobile-Quiet; mid. 134; sales

Norfolk-Quiet; low mid, 124; sales 250; receipts 2,083. Savannah-Dull; mid. 131; sales 1,667; receipts 9,886, stock 68,999. Nearly \$2,000 were contributed at the polls of Brooklyn for Memphis. Wilmington — Quiet; mid. 121; the polls of Brooklyn for Memphis. sales 108; receipts 250; stock 2,759.

One of the sensations in Paris just now is an Eastern juggler who, with the assistance of a beautiful young lady, furnishes his audience with a very wenderful illusion. The young lady, attired in a rich dress with flowing sleeves, stands on a dais resting on a broad square of Turkish carpet. Two supports are placed under her elbows and the magician makes a series of strange passes over her with his wand, when she gradually closes her eyes and apparently falls asleep. Then the dais and one of the elbow-supports are removed, and the lithe and spirituelle figure is seen suspended in mid-air.

New Advertisements.

GOODS SOLD AT **Panic Prices**

TAKING into consideration the existing state of affairs, such as low price of Cotton, scarcity of Money, and a general depression in every branch of business; I have firmly resolved that I will henceforth offer my stock of Goods to the public at

PANIC PRICES!

There will be no deviation from this rule. It will be strictly observed.

The principal Stock of my Fall and Winter Goods has been purchased by me and in consequence, at low lightes I an therefore enabled to sell my Goods at great-

patronage and confidence heretofore so liberally extended to me by the people, gives me the assurance NOW, that this announcement will find its way into every household with the desired effect.

My Stock of Goods is complete in every department, and those wishing to purchase will be able to suit themselves in

Styles. Qualities & Prices STOPPING A PERSONNEL

B. KOOPMANN'S.

Wholesale & Retail Dealer in

MILLINERY GOODS

FANCY AND STAPLE DRY 6000S NOTIONS, HATS, GENTS' CLOTHING

AND FURNISHING GOODS, &c., &c. Trade Street, CHARLOTTE, N. C.

To Wholesale Dealers and Country Merchants, I offer special inducements and assure them, that I will sell Goods cheaper than they can buy in Northern

My Motto---Quick Sales and Small Profits; The Best Goods for the Least Money

Orders solicited and promptly filled.

and Eastern markets.

nov 8:tf B. KOOPMANN.

The I do WANTED.

To buy a good Milch Cow. Apply at the

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 8, 1873.

Positively the Only Night of Ford's Combination and Martinetti Family. Only time of Wilkle Collins, Last Sense

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ND MARTINETTPS PANTOMIME THE LITTLE MISERIES

HUMANILIFE.

Seats may be secured at Tiddy's Book Store, without extra charge, nov 7:2t

For Rent. NEAT COTTAGE, near Lincoln De Apply to

THOS. H. GAITHER'
Auc. & Real Estate Agt. nov 7-tf CALL AT TIDDY'S and see the little nigger fast asleep in the cotton patch.

Bill Arp's Peace Paper To the unarm'd, unleg'd, unpenshun'd, unwept, unhonor'd, and unsuing Soljiers of the Confedrit States, so-called, it
dedicate this book. Their unaffekted, ancomplanin patience in peace, so-called, is
equaled only by their untarnish'd and anteryfied Valor in War.

For sale at

TIDDY's.

Just Received.

On Hand, ORANGES, Lemons, Raisins, Dates, and Nuts, cheaper than ever at nov 7-tf PUREFOY'S.

Come and See

JUST RECEIVED. A FULL STOCK of Notions and Toys at PURREOY'S.

House to Rent.

A DWELLING HOUSE with five rooms and all necessary out-houses, situated on Trade Street, will be rented on favorable terms. Possession given immediately. nov6:3t Mrs. M. MUNZLER.

THOSE FINE Northern Apples have

ly reduced prices. The Goods have also been selected with usual care and attention.

The course pursued for strict, fair and honest dealing, during the number of years I have resided in Charlotte, and the patronage and confidence heretofore so liberally extended to me by the people, where the same can be bought in Charlotte.

Pies every day.
Opposite Market, Franklin Bakery

50 Sacks Country Flour. 25 Bushels Fine Irish Petatoes. Also, just received Atmore's Celebra Mince Mest, in pails: 100 Boxes Sardines: 25 Boxes See

to me, to have to do so much dunning in order to raise money.

NOTICE.

FALL AND WINTER TRADE WE are now receiving our Fall and Win-ter stock, to which the attention of

heavy and fancy groceries : 1000 Rolls heavy bagging 21 to 21 bs to yd

100 " Fine Liverpool Salt,

20,000 Cigars, Fair to Good, SPECIALTY,

> Ziegler's Rye Whiskey, Monongabela Rys Whiskey, Zeb Vance
> Apple Brandy,
> Ginger

Quality always in store.

We are agents for the sale of Thomas
Wynn's Improved Open Throat, Ouryest
Breast, Premium and Diploma

COTTON GINS. With attached Circle Flue, open to the world; \$4 per saw; can be had on applica-

MOLASSES.

STENHOUSE, MACAULA ? & CO. june 21

A Large lot of Bologna Sausage in Store;
Pea Nuts, just arrived; French Candies, the best and cheapest in the market;
Irish Potatoes and Butter, Beef and Best Tongues, at C.S. HOLTON & CO'S, oct 5 Opposite the Market.

House and Lot

Old North State, by Rufu

A CHOICE lot of new Buckwhest at nov 7-2t BURWELL GRIER & CO'S.

PUREFOY'S.

nov 7-tf

OH YES! OH YES!!

Another Lot of Sausage, and many other articles coming by every train. Mines

C. S. HOLTON & CO. ON CONSIGNMENT

Mince Mest, in pails.

100 Boxes Sardines; 25 Boxes Scaled.

Horring, Blueing, Pepper, Spice, Bhi Fickles, Teas, choice quality, all of which will be sold at the lowest figures for cash.

I would simply remind my friends that it is very unpleasant, as well as expensive

B. N. SMITH.

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Merchants and Planters is respectfully invited, consisting of the following lines of

1000 Bundles Arrow Ties, 1000 Sacks Salt,

200 "Coffee, Prime, Good and Fair,
100 Bbls Sugars, A. Ex. C. Demerara and
Porto Rico,
150 "Syrups, S House and Drips,
200 Boxes Adamantine Candles,
150 Cases Brandy Peaches,

100 Doz Buckets, 2 and 3 hoops, 100 Sardines, 200 Packages Fish, No. 1, 2 and 8,

Tobaccos and Whiskies a 200 Boxes Tobacco, N C and Va Brands, 100 Bbls N C Corn Whiskey,

Va Motz celebrated corn whiskey, 50

10 "Scuppernong Wine, French Brandy, Port, Maderia, Sherry, Blackberry and California Wines of best

W. H. H. HOUSTON & CO.,
Grocers & Cotton Commission Merchants,
Trade Street, Charlotte. N. C.

Yorkville Enquirer and Lancaster Led-ger copy and discontinue former advertise-ment.

60 BARREL Chesp Molasses, of word and 5 Tierces Demerara Molasses, just received

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