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LOCAL AFFAIRS:

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CHARLOTTE MARKETS.

MONDAY, March 23, 1874. Inferior 6 @ 10, Ordinary 12 @ 12, Good Ordinary 12 @ 12, Strict Good Ordinary 12 @ 12, Low Middling 15 @ 15, Darker steady, 132 bales.

Country Produce.

Bacon—Hams per 15, Sides 11 a 12, Shoulders 9, Hog Round, Country, 11 a 12, Beechey 25, Butter—Choice, Country, 28 a 30, Creamery (N. C.) 28 a 30, Lard 24, Corn—White, (without sack) 85, Mixed 80, Eggs—per dozen, 12 1/2, Family, 4 1/2, Extra, 4 1/4, Super, 4 00, Fruit—Dried Apples, 22 1/2, Peaches, 25, Chickens, spring, 22 1/2 a 26, Turkeys, 75 a 1, Ducks, 25, Hides—Good, country, 17 1/2 a 18, Common, non, 88 a 90, Wool—Black, 65 a 68, White, 65 a 68, Onions—Large, 70 a 80, Pure clay, 70 a 75, Mixed, 70 a 75, Potatoes—Irish, per bbl, 5 a 5 1/4, sweet, 7 a 8, Tobacco—Red, per bush, 7 a 8, White, 7 a 8, Wood—Tub washed, Unwashed

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The following advertisements appear this morning for the first time: For Rent—G. W. Chalk. Cranberries—G. W. Chalk & Co. History of the Grange Movement—National Publishing Company. Your Attention for a Moment—J. S. M. Davidson. At the Sign—C. S. Holton & Co. Notice to All—J. K. Purefoy. For Sale—W. F. Davidson. A General Variety—L. Brothers & Co. Auction—Allen Cruse. New Family Grocery—D. P. L. White.

LOCAL DOTS.

Cotton experienced a rise yesterday. This weather is as unsettled as hotel coffee. Dr. Plumer, while in Charlotte, was the guest of Robt. McDowell, Esq. There were 417 bales of cotton sold in Charlotte, on the 18th inst. That sounds like business—Lincoln Progress. The beautiful weather on Sunday was a surprise to everybody, and brought out crowds of people to the different churches. Yesterday was an unusually dull day about the depot, even for Monday, which day is always dull. The air felt quite autumn-like yesterday and last night, and overcoats were brought forth from their resting places. The office of the Central Hotel was crowded last night with guests, most of them Northern people, going South or coming back. The Iris Social Club will meet this evening at 8 o'clock at the residence of Mr. McDowell on Trade Street. Business to begin promptly at the hour appointed. The Board of Aldermen met last night in regular session. The question of taxation was to have engaged the attention of the Board, but was left open until another time. A fire of considerable size, in a southerly direction from the city, excited a good deal of interest about 8 o'clock last evening, and it became evident that it was caused by the burning of brush. Change of Officers.—We see by the Columbia correspondent of the Charlotte News & Courier, that Col. J. B. Palmer, President of the Charlotte, Columbia and Augusta Railroad, has been elected President of the Southern Railway Security Company, and the office of the Company has been removed from New York to Columbia. Good Words.—The following high compliment, one for the Lincoln Progress, from a high source—the Lincoln Progress. We will be pardoned for copying it: "THE DAILY CHARLOTTE OBSERVER is one of our best exchanges. It is a new paper in every sense of the word. It contains all the telegraphic, local, State and general news which is of any importance. We advise everybody who wants a good daily to subscribe at once." Personal.—J. T. Stobo Farrow, editor of the Spartanburg Spartan, arrived in Charlotte last evening and stopped at the Central Hotel. Robt. M. Furman, Esq., editor of the Asheville Citizen, arrived last night, and registered at the Charlotte Hotel. Hon. T. R. Fowle, of Newark, N. J., Mayor of that city, ex-member of Congress, and at present the largest trunk manufacturer in the world, registered last night at the Central.

Mayor's Court.—Henry Davidson, colored, appeared yesterday morning before the Mayor to answer for his sin in slapping his wife down. It appears that a quarrel arose between Henry and his better or worse half, when he proceeded to go for and obtain her in the manner stated above. Having whipped the wife of his bosom, he then found it necessary to whip the balance of the family or be himself whipped; for his two step-daughters fell foul of him at once and did belabor him in the style, striking every time on the shoulders and making the fur fly. Henry gave them the best he had in his shop, speaking after the manner of Judge Watts) and when the battle was ended it was found that he was master of the situation. The Mayor thought Henry had whipped the family \$10 worth, and accordingly fined him that amount.

Black Horse.—Some excitement was caused yesterday at the corner of Trade and College streets by the antics of a horse belonging to Mr. J. Dals, which was hitched to a wagon. He was hitched to a wagon and was standing quietly in the street just below Wilson & Black's drug store, when he was taken suddenly with a fit and dashed headlong across the street, heading directly for the front door of G. W. Chalk & Co's store. The gutter in front of the store is right deep, however, and into this he stumbled, falling partly on the pavement. A crowd gathered on the street in a few moments, and the horse, quivering and jerking all the while, as if with the most violent paroxysms, was freed from the harness. The blood flowed copiously from his mouth, and it was full fifteen minutes before the poor animal had recovered sufficiently to walk off. The wagon and harness were broken up somewhat by the fall of the horse and his subsequent struggling. This, we learn, is the first time the horse has had within the past four weeks.

The Richmond Mail Robbery.—The telegraph mentioned the fact several days since that a negro mail carrier in Richmond, Va., had been killed, and was being examined on the charge of robbing the mails. The Richmond Dispatch contains an elaborate account of the evidence adduced on the trial, and publishes a list of the checks and drafts found in the possession of Harris. We notice the following among them: Draft \$100, Bank of Stateville, Stateville, N. C., February 24th, 1874, on the National Park Bank of New York, in favor of S. H. Haves, endorsed by him to J. L. Worth, cashier, by W. R. Quarrie, Esq., \$12.00. First National Bank of Charlotte, N. C., on National Park Bank of New York, N. C., February 23, 1874, in favor of S. A. Glover, cashier, endorsed by C. A. Van Wyck, cashier, \$10.00. February 24, 1874, Pogram & Co. endorsed to Tallaferr & Co. and endorsed by W. R. Quarrie, Esq., \$45.00. February 24, 1874, on the National Park Bank, New York, in favor of R. M. Miller & Sons, and endorsed to Watt & Call and to J. L. Worth, cashier, by W. R. Quarrie, Esq., \$0.25.

At the conclusion of the testimony, Harris' counsel asked that the accused be released. The request was not granted, and he was held to answer the charge before the Grand Jury of the United States Court on the 9th of April. No question of bail was raised.

The Church on Sunday.—On Sunday Rev. W. S. Plumer, D. D., of Columbia, S. C., preached in the Court House to the congregation of the Second Presbyterian Church. His text in the morning was Paul's 2nd Epistle to the Corinthians, iv chap. 11th verse: "For our light affliction, which is but for a moment, worketh for us a far more exceeding and eternal weight of glory." In the afternoon he preached from the words: "Him that cometh unto me I will in nowise cast out." Large congregation turned out on both occasions to hear the reverend and venerable gentleman, and particularly it was true of the afternoon service, when it was with difficulty that seats could be had by all those who attended. Dr. Plumer more than filled the expectations of those who had only heard of him. He speaks extemporaneously and in the easiest and most unassuming manner. He makes no attempts at oratorical flourishes, but preaches plain, simple, plain, that the child can understand, and yet so forcible that the sage must be impressed. His afternoon sermon was particularly powerful, and was listened to with rare attention. Dr. Plumer, in his sermons uses many illustrations, and thus simplifies all of his propositions. Their very simplicity gives a force to his sermons which no amount of labored and far-fetched argument could. He comes up to the full standard of a great preacher of the Truth, and it is to be hoped that our people will soon again have the opportunity of hearing him in Charlotte. Rev. J. A. Oertel preached two excellent sermons, morning and evening in the Episcopal Church. The pulpits of the other churches were occupied by their respective pastors, except the Baptist Church. At night Dr. Miller preached one of his most forcible and clearly prepared doctrinal sermons, his subject being "Predestination."

An Appeal for Charity.—In a bleak room above Long & Sumrow's store, in Black's building, on College street, are five wretched sufferers from cancer disease. They are almost entirely dependent on charity for a subsistence and medicines. Two children and two nurses added to the patients, make a party of nine to be provided for. This is a real case for charity, and we trust will meet with a liberal response from our benevolent citizens. "Even as ye did it unto these little ones, so did ye unto me." Contributions may be sent to the office of J. H. Wilson, Esq., or the Southern Home

Explanatory.—It was stated in these columns on Sunday morning that Bishop Hayden, of Georgia, would preach in Tryon Street M. E. Church Sunday afternoon. This was a misstatement, as it was the colored Methodist Church at which the Bishop was to have preached. The notice as handed into the office while we were out, read M. E. Church; and naturally concluded that it was Tryon Street M. E. Church, and so stated. If we have given any offence we regret it. Such errors will occasionally creep into the columns of newspapers—especially daily newspapers—and nothing remains to be done but to correct, which, by the by, we stand ready always to do.

An interesting Case.—It was announced about six weeks ago that B. Koopman, a millinery and ladies' dress-goods dealer, of this city, had failed for a considerable amount, and shortly after the announcement Mr. Koopman left the North, leaving Mr. Rothschild to manage the business here and continue the sale of the goods. The store has been kept open ever since, until Friday evening, when Sheriff Alexander, by virtue of an execution, closed the store, took possession of the keys, and carried him before Col. E. A. Osborne, Clerk of the Superior Court and Probate Judge, to answer certain questions concerning the disposition which had been made of the money received as the proceeds from the sale of the goods. The defendant refused to answer, and was, by the Court, given into the custody of the Sheriff to be committed to jail. His counsel, however, sued out a writ of habeas corpus, and the case came before His Honor, Judge Bynum, on Saturday, on the question of the right of the Probate Judge to commit to jail on the refusal to answer the questions put. Rothschild was represented by Messrs. Jones & Johnston, and the prosecution by Messrs. Vance & Burwell, J. E. Brown and R. Barringer. Elaborate arguments were made on both sides, and Judge Bynum, at the conclusion of these, held that the Probate Judge could commit to jail upon refusal of the defendant to answer questions. Thereupon Rothschild was taken again before Col. Osborne, and the examination proceeded. The defendant testified that all the money which he had received since Koopman left, he had placed in the hands of Koopman's wife. The examination was continued until after dark, when it was adjourned over until yesterday morning, Rothschild being bound over in the sum of \$500 for his appearance then. Yesterday the case again came up, but the greater part of the time was consumed in a discussion on the question of jurisdiction, and the Court adjourned until this morning, without the examination proceeding further, Rothschild being released again on his bond. The case has excited very considerable interest in the community, as Koopman was a large and well-known dealer. His liabilities, we understand, are \$34,000, and his assets \$15,000.

[COMMUNICATED.] Gov. Vance in Greenville.—His Lecture on "The Scattered Nation"—Political Speech—Perfect Oration to the North Carolina Favorite. GREENVILLE, S. C., March 21, 1874. MR. EDITOR.—Gov. Vance has been here, and made a powerful impression on our people, in public and private. He is a great man—gentleman and orator, and well may the Old North State be proud of her noble son. On Thursday night he lectured on the "Scattered Nation," and delivered a well prepared and handsomely written lecture, which did credit to his scholarship, industry and heart, and charmed all the Jews. They are in ecstasies with him. On Friday night he made a masterly effort at a stump speech, which, as you know, is his forte, and succeeded to the echo. The subject was, "Hope for South Carolina." He reasoned, illustrated and aimed anecdote after anecdote until he brought down the house, and mesmerized the audience, which was a mass of living, condensed and exultant humanity. We are all Vance men, and wish North Carolina would "unload" and send him here. We would give him a warm welcome. J. H. WILSON.

We expect him to deliver a lecture here before the "Literary Club" in the Summer. The citizens drove him out, to-day, in a landau, with four splendid greys. He has been the sensation of the week and lion of the day. Let him come often. He has cured us of the "blues." E. T. B. The Rocky Mount Mail nominates Gen. Joseph E. Johnston as President of the North Carolina University.

A little negro girl in Wilmington lit a fire by pouring kerosene over the wood and then applying the match. She left the vessel from which she had poured the oil sitting on the hearth, and in this she knocked over, when it suddenly ignited and blazed up. The blaze caught her clothes, and before the fire could be put out she was seriously though not fatally burned. So says the Star.

New Advertisements.

For Rent. HOUSE with Six Rooms, on Tryon St., near Lincoln Depot. The lot has a well of excellent water, and the location is the healthiest in the city. Possession given at once. mar 24, 1t G. W. CHALK.

Cranberries! We are offering Cranberries at \$1.10 per bushel. mar 24 G. W. CHALK & CO.

NEW FAMILY GROCERY!

TAKE this opportunity of informing my friends and fellow-citizens, that I have opened in the large brick store in Black's building, nearly opposite R. M. Miller & Sons, where I am prepared to furnish nearly all kinds of Groceries, Sugar, Coffee, Lard, Bacon, Salt Meal, Flour, in fact everything needed by the community and will sell exclusively for cash and at the very lowest figures possible. D. P. L. WHITE, Trustee. mar 24 1w*

THE HISTORY OF THE GRANGE MOVEMENT, OR, THE FARMERS' WAR AGAINST MONOPOLIES.

BEING AN Account of the Struggles of the American Farmers against the Extortions of the Railroad Companies.

With a History of the Rise and Progress OF THE ORDER OF PATRONS OF HUSBANDRY.

BY EDWARD W. MARTIN, Author of "Behind the Scenes in Washington," etc., etc.

Published by THE NATIONAL PUBLISHING CO. mar 24 2t

Your Attention for a Moment.

A FULL assortment of Baskets, Buckets, Tubs, Coffee Mills, Woodenaws, Brooms, Flour Pails, Churns, Paper Bags, Twine, Wrapping Paper, Seives, Wash Boards, Well Buckets, Clothes Pins, &c., at J. S. M. DAVIDSON'S, Trade St, 3rd door above Market. mar 24

AT THE SUN, Candies at Wholesale. At the Sun, Oranges by the Box. At the Sun, Apples by the Barrel. At the Sun, Lemons by the Box. At the Sun, Cocoanuts by the Hundred. At the Sun, Raisins by the Box. At the Sun, We have no competition in retailing goods. We offer the greatest inducements to all cash-buyers. We will not be undersold. mar 24 C. S. HOLTON & CO.

Notice to All!

TO make room for my Book and Stationery Stock, I will sell the remainder of my stock of Dolls, Toys, Racking Horses, Boy-Wagons and Carts at prices to satisfy buyers. If you wish to buy cheap come this week to mar 24 J. K. PUREFOY.

For Sale.

300 ACRES of good Farm Land less than two miles from Charlotte, on the Beattie's Ford Road and the N. C. Central Railroad. Will be sold in a body or divided to suit purchasers. Also, a variety of lots in the city of Charlotte, improved and unimproved. Apply immediately to mar 24, 1wk W. F. DAVIDSON.

A General Variety.

WE have just received a large lot of Oranges, Lemons, &c. Also, have some of the best Pickles in the market, both bottled and by the dozen. Irish Potatoes for planting and eating, also Sweet Potatoes for planting, and Extra Family Flour. We keep Family Groceries of all kinds.—Call and see us. mar 24 J. D. BROTHERS & CO.

Auction!

HAVING determined to close out my entire stock of Lignors, I will sell at Auction, on Thursday, the 26th inst., at 11 o'clock, at my store, on Tryon street, about 20 Barrels, consisting of Wines, Brandy and Whiskies. Terms of sale, 60 days' credit. mar 24 ALLEN CRUSE

To Rent.

TWO nice Two-Room Cottages to rent. mar 22 3t E. M. ANDREWS.

Rich! Rich!! Rich!!! RICH SOIL, for flowers and gardens delivered at \$1 per load. Also Flower Pots for sale by mar 23 E. M. ANDREWS.

Limestone Springs—Board.

A FEW Young Ladies who desire to attend the school at Limestone Springs, and do not wish to board at the school, can be accommodated with Board and Lodging in a good family, within a few minutes walk of the school. Apply at mar 22 1wk dv THIS OFFICE

Received this

MILK Biscuit, Extra Pilot Brand, Corned Beef, Raisins, Tomatoes, Green Corn, Peaches, Pineapples, Leaf Lard, Coffee, Cigars, Rice, Choice Flour, &c. at mar 22 T. R. M. DAVIDSON'S, Trade St 3rd door above Market

ELECTRIC FLASHES.

One million postal cards were shipped to New York to-day from the factory at New Haven. New York has used 12,500,000 postal cards since last May—over a million a month.

An insane person at a lunatic asylum in Philadelphia, wanted a number of companions to box with him, when the whole party fell upon him, beating him in so inhuman a manner as to cause his death.

The officers who went to Texas to secure the absconding city treasurer of Hamilton, N. Y., have returned unsuccessful.

A strong northeast wind broke up the ice in the St. Lawrence River at Watertown, N. J., and now the river is full of floating ice.

Two boys, aged respectively 15 and 16 years, who went hunting near Detroit, Mich., on last Saturday, quarreled, when one shot the other dead.

BROWN'S Essence Ginger, Elixir Iode, Bromide Calcium, Compound Carbolic Troches and Tarrant's Aperient. mar 14 W. R. BURWELL & CO.

THE GUANAHANI GUANO,

UNADULTERATED AND GENUINE.

THIS IS A GENUINE GUANO WHICH IS TAKEN FROM THE Guanahani Island (one of the Bahama Group) and bids fair to become one of the most popular fertilizers offered for sale. It is put up in sacks in the same condition as when taken from the caves, and no manipulation or grinding is required. It is recommended by Prof. F. B. WILSON, of Baltimore, who is regarded as one of the best analytical chemists in the country. Our State Geologist, Prof. W. C. KERR, also, recommends it as entitled to a place among the standard fertilizers of the country. The analysis shows it to be richer in plant food than the great majority of fertilizers, which in connection with the moderate price at which it is sold, are strong inducements for every farmer to use it. Fall supplies now on hand and for sale by BURROUGHS & SPRINGS, General Agents. March 21 6w

THE GREAT ATLANTIC COAST LINE,

OFFICE C. C. & A. R. R. CHARLOTTE, N. C., March 18, 1874.

Shippers of COTTON, YARNS, DOMESTIC, LEATHER, PAPER, and all other Merchandise, will find it to their interest to see me before shipping their goods by any other line, either North or South. Our line has fewer transfers, quicker schedules and more careful handling than any other route. Col. JOHN B. PALMER, President. Hon. E. B. BRIDGES, Gen'l Manager. A. POPE, Gen'l Freight Agent. W. W. PEGRAM, Agent. mar 17, 1m

HAVING FINISHED MY NEW DOOR, SASH AND BLIND FACTORY,

(Opposite the Female College, on the N. C. Railroad.) I wish to inform my friends and the public, that I am now ready to contract for HOUSE BUILDING, and to receive orders for DOORS, SASH, BLINDS, MOULDING, BRACKETS, and all work in my line. With the latest improved machines, and used nothing but the best seasoned lumber in manufacturing. I can and will give satisfaction. Mar 13 1m JONAS RUDISILL.