DAILY OBSERVER.

JONES & PENDLETON, Prop't'rs.

"Free from the doting scruples that fetter our free-born reason."

Wednesday, May 6, 1874.

THE ARKANSAS WAR!

Show us a happy, harmonious family, and we will show you a well-governed family—parents who practice the virtues and rule their household with justice and kindness. On the contrary, where the heads of the family are selfish, vicious and unscrupulous, be sure there will be discord among the members of that household,—quarrelling, fighting and misery.

It is the same with great nations which are but gigantic families of States or provinces. If the head of a government is evil, every member of that government will suffer more less for it. Mulch the roots of a tree with poison, and every branch of it will be tainted. Muddy the waters of a spring, and the stream that flows thence will also be muddied. An old saying reads thus: "Sweet waters do not flow from corrupt fountains."

With a corrupt, vicious, unscrupulous Administration at the head of the central government, it is but a natural consequence to see trouble in the States. Louisiana's troubles may be traced directly to Grant, 'the head and front, of the United States government. Had he been swayed in his actions by the eternal principles of Truth and Justice, instead of yielding to the seductive voice of his personal ambition, Louisiana would not to-day be the melancholy ruin she is. With a deliberate, cold-blooded, selfish cruelty that a Nero or a Tiberius would have been ashamed to own, he delivered that unfortunate commonwealth over to a band of theives and robbers, who rule her people with rods of iron, and to all her cries for relief, he turns a deaf ear.

Turning to Arkansas, we behold the bloody fruits of the same wicked policy, which the Administration so mercilessly pursue for their own partisan purposes. Knowing that the Administration at Washington never interposes its power save in the interests of thieves and scoundrels, or to uphold negro despotisms, the Radicals of Arkansas were emboldened to imitate the Kelloggists in their outrages upon the rights of the people. The results, we see in Arkansas to-day. The State is plunging into a civil war; Armies are gathering in the field; battles have been fought; blood has been shed; the capitol is actually in a state of seige; and troops are preparing to storm it! The peace and prosperity of the State have departed, and all the horrors of 'red-handed war' are seizing upon the people. Except the war in Louisiana between the McEnerites and the Kellogites, nothing like this has ever before scandalized American history. There is no counting the troubles that the Southern States have endured as a necessary result of the evil course pursued by the National Government since the War; but this Arkansas contest has assumed the most gigantic proportions of all.—More blood is likely to be shed, and more distress brought upon the people. Not even the massacre in New Orleans during the Administration of Andrew Johnson, was more sanguinary than this disgraceful scramble for the Governorship of Arkansas threatens to become.

With President Grant and his administration rests the responsibility, of this volcanic outburst of fire, and flame, and human gore. The blood-stained laurels belong to the degraded brow of the Radical Baal, whose throne is at Washington, and whose cruel clutches are fastened so savagely upon the vitals of the South. The head of the family is always responsible for the troubles in his household; because he has it in his power to rule its members in the interests of peace and harmony. This scandalous state of things is but the legitimate fruit of Grant's "Southern Policy." Had he been firm and generous in his government of the Southern States; had he set his face against carpet-baggers and public plunderers; had he never interposed in Southern affairs but to prevent crime, check corruption, or preserve the rights of the people against robbers, usurpers and despots, the discords and troubles prevailing in this grand Family of States, of which he is the recognized head, would have never been heard of. The bulk of the evils that afflict the South may be traced to the vile partisanship of the Radical Administration at Washington. Its power has ever been exerted for party purposes, when it should have been used solely for the good of the whole people. They have always shown a willingness to sacrifice the peace and welfare of any Southern State, when it was necessary to the dominance of the negro power. It is Arkansas now; it may be South Carolina next.

THE LINCOLN CONVENTION.

The indications are that the general Convention at Lincolnton will be a stormy meeting. It will be most difficult to harmonize the delegates in the matter of the Judgeship.

The first duty of that Convention will be to look to the interests of the Conservative party. With a heavy Conservative majority in the District, if a Radical Judge is elected because of injudicious nomination, be sure the people will hold the delegates strictly responsible for the calamity.

If the delegates to the Convention do not rise superior to all personal partisanship, and present the Conservative voters of this Judicial District with a ticket which can command their undivided support, they had better stay at home.

We view the matter from an impartial standpoint; and we say what we think. Our people want for a Judge a man who is worthy to wear the ermine; who can hold even-handed the scales of justice, and who can wield with strict equity the sword of the law. *Ability* is not the only qualification requisite for one who wears "the judge's robe;" nor persistency in begging for office. Many will come before the Convention pleading as Absalom of old did, "Oh that I were made a judge in the land, that every man which hath a suit or cause might come unto me, and I would do him justice!" But, let the delegates look only to the good of the country, and not suffer their hearts to be stolen away by any candidate however smart or clever he may be, who would likely prove to be in the end the Absalom of the Conservative Party of this Judicial District.

In another column we present a full report of the proceedings of the County Convention. The nominations, we trust, will give general satisfaction throughout the country; and that the whole party will rally to their support, in the coming campaign. It is of vital importance to Mecklenburg that our ticket win in August.

There are but few of our American State governments which are not overloaded with debt. "Economy in all things" should be the motto. The prosperity of the State must be a feverish, uncertain thing so long as it is burdened with a large indebtedness.

A Beautiful Tribute to Woman.

We have seldom read a more touching and eloquent tribute to woman's humility and strength, than that contained in the address of Col. Thomas Hardeman, of Macon, Ga., delivered at the decoration of the Confederate graves, in the soldiers' cemetery, at Atlanta, on Saturday last. Said the eloquent speaker:

"Like the captive Hebrews, they sigh not now the songs that waked to music sweet, their David's harp, for that harp now hangs upon the willows by the rivers of Babylon, where they sit down and weep over fallen Judea. True, they sing the songs of 'marriage feasts' and yintage ingatherings, yet they come with flower and tear, to testify to their sympathy in the sorrow of the land, and their undying appreciation of their gallant dead. What better offering has sorrow or grief than the timid heart's ease, or the modest fern? what purer testimonial of the heart than the humble violet, planted by beauty's hand over the loved one's grave? As the trees that grew over the grave of the daughter of Thrace, at stated periods, dropped the tears of their branches over her resting place, so do these noble women come when spring flowers bloom, to plant the memorial shrub and shed their tears of love over the humble mounds that tell where our heroes sleep. For this I give them honor and praise to-day, and unfeeling must be the heart that does not do homage to our Southern women, 'the perfection of beauty' and the glory of the land. With them patriotism is a religion, and love an element of life. The hour of adversity was their hour of triumph. Does the storm gather and the tempest sweep? Man, the Bashan oak, falls before the fury of the blast, but woman, the willow by the waters, flourished, beautiful in her humility and luxuriant in her sorrow, when the tempest was over. Do the thunders crash or the lightning strike? Man, the towering pine is riven by the stroke. Woman, the humble flower, nestling among our garden plants, emitted a sweeter fragrance when the storm was hushed.—Firm, constant, devoted patriotism, pure as the water from "Chindara's Fount," enthused their bosoms and signalized their lives. Meek, gentle and confiding, a devotion and love sweet as the fruits of the "Amrita tree" characterized their every action. Generous and self-sacrificing, they stripped beauty of its jewels and home of its luxuries for the success of their cause and the comfort of their braves. And now that the flag is uprolled and the jacket of grey hangs empty on the wall, they bring their offering of love for those who

"Died for the land they could not save."

THE ERA OF GOOD FEELING.—The pall-bearers at the funeral of the late Commodore Dornin, which took place in Norfolk last Saturday, were Commodore Samuel Barron, late C S N; General R L Page, late C S A; Commodore John K Mitchell, late C S N; Captain R B Pegram, late C S N; General W F Barry, U N A; Commodore T H Stevens, U S N; Captain Edward Barrett, U S N; Captain S P Quackenbush, U S N. Four of the Confederate army and navy, and four of the United States army and navy. Facts like this speak more eloquently than words.

EDITORIAL OBSERVATIONS.

One of the leaders of the Baxter troops in Arkansas is a negro.

The floods in the Mississippi have opened the very floodgates of Charity; and thousands of dollars are being donated to the sufferers.

Waltz, a notorious criminal of Albany, New York, who was hung for murder some days ago, had a larger brain than Daniel Webster. It weighed fifty four ounces.

The crowned heads of Europe have queer ways of doing. Pio Nono has congratulated the wife of Don Carlos on her recovery from her recent accouchement.

Intelligence from Little Rock continues extremely warlike. The Federal government gives no indications of armed interference.

A project has been started in Congress to establish a uniform rate of interest throughout the United States. A general usury law would no doubt be of benefit to the country.

A chancellor named Piles has been convicted in Mississippi of stealing law books. Piles is a colored carpet-bag politician. Piles thought that as the stealing of bonds went unpunished, there would be no harm in stealing a few books.

The "Arkansas War" is a badly mixed affair. The Democratic-Conservative State Central Committee publishes an address calling upon the people to stand by Baxter. About twenty-five Democrats publish an address advising the people to stand by Gov. Brooks.

Miss Neilson, the beautiful actress, who has so charmed the American theatre-going people for the past year or two, soon leaves this country for Europe. She is said to be a wonderfully attractive young woman. She is as distinguished as an actress as Nilsson is as a *prima donna*.

The war continues in Spain. Victory lights first upon the standards of one, then on the other of the opposing parties. An eventual triumph of the royalists seems a foregone conclusion. Republicanism is not as strong now anywhere in the Old World as it was some years ago.

In France, Imperialism threatens to be revived; while in England, the Liberals were badly beaten in the late elections. Comparing our Republic with the monarchies of Europe, the condition of the latter is much the more enviable.

The New York journals complain bitterly of the doings of their Legislature which has just adjourned. The *Herald* says: "The Legislature which adjourned the other day has for its dirge the old refrain, corruption, rings, infamies, lobbyism and so on." In every State almost, complaint is made of the Legislatures. The reason is plain. The people allow themselves to be tricked into sending men to the Legislature, who under the pretence of patriotism, have only in view their own personal and selfish ends. The people have themselves to blame for this. They don't choose to make the possession of a pure heart and an honest purpose requisites for office-holders or law-makers.

The Sun and the Earth.

If the recent estimates of the sun's distance are ultimately established by the transit observations of 1874, this will really indicate that the Sun itself is a spheroid 850,000 miles across, and in a mere matter of bulk it is so vast that a million and a quarter of earths would barely suffice to make up its volume. A much more philosophic conception of "the home rule" of the universe is secured, if a start is made in idea from this grand centre stand point, rather than, in accordance with more usual practice, from the earth. The source of activity and power is an orb nearly one million of miles across; and the pigmy earth, which is dependent upon the source for light, warmth, life, and all change and movement of whatever kind, is suspended in space of one hundred and eight diameters of that central orb away, and is of one million and a quarter times smaller dimensions than the sphere from which it receives these endowments. There is certainly more for the human intellect to seize when the fact is stated in this way than there is when the sun is spoken of as a sphere ninety-two millions of miles from the earth, and as large again as the moon's orbit. It is a suggestive and noteworthy feature in the economy of nature that in the one instance which comes within the personal experience of man, the central fountain and source of impulse, energy and power, is 600 times larger than the entire cluster of subordinate worlds that are lit, warmed, and organized from that source. Such, in the marvelous scheme, is the ratio of power to result of active, determining cause to passive accomplishment—six hundred fold to one. Fire-eddies, thousands of miles across, and flame-tongues one hundred thousand miles high, whirl and lead into the sun in order that soft winds may breathe, gentle rains fall, verdant plants grow; and the endless generations of animals succeed each other and run through the appointed round of sentient being, on the islet worlds that have been scattered through space, each of the appropriate span of remoteness that fits to the end secured.—*Edinburgh Review.*

Shrimps six inches long in the Wilmington market.

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THE BEST PUMP FOR THE LEAST MONEY!

Satisfaction Guaranteed or no Trade.

Diploma Awarded at the Last Fair of the Carolinas.

THE DIXIE PUMP is equal if not superior to any wooden pump now offered to the public. It is a Southern Production, made at our own doors, of our own material.

Hundreds of Certificates might be obtained from parties who are using this Pump testifying to its cheapness, durability and efficiency, but as it is deemed entirely unnecessary, I only refer to the following citizens of Charlotte, among many others, not named, who are using the Pump:

W F Davidson, Mayor of Charlotte, D G Maxwell, Sewing Machine Agent, R M Oates, Central Hotel, L A Blackwelder, W F Snyder, S M Howell, James Johnston, G F Freeland, W R Cochrane, Cyrus Hunter, J M McMurray, R M Miller, E M Andrews, Dr. Robert Gibbon.

Manufactured and sold by

G. L. GREESON,

Trade Street, Charlotte, N. C.

WANTED:

An active business man to sell these pumps in every county in this State, and in South Carolina. Also, to contract for a lot of yellow poplar heart lumber.

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BUILDERS ATTENTION!

WING'S

SASH, BLIND and DOOR Manufactory, Columbia South Carolina.

Turns out Sash, Blinds, Doors, Mantels, Brackets, Mouldings, Scroll Work, Balusters, Hand Rails and every article used in house trimming, of a quality unsurpassed and at prices which defy competition.

C. F. HARRISON, Agent

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War! War!! War!!!

AGAINST HIGH RICES!

I INTEND to pursue this enemy giving him no quarters until I annihilate him, because there are so many poor people in this world, who need all they can get for their money, and so many rich ones who have made theirs by economy and hard work and know by experience that if you will take care of the cents, the dollars will take care of themselves.

So then if the people of Charlotte wants to save

One Hundred Thousand Dollars

this year, just let them come and trade exclusively with the Cheap Cash Store, where I keep a general stock of Family Groceries, including fresh fish, received every day.

D. P. L. WHITE.

☞ Please do not ask for credit at the Cheap Cash Store. apl 16

The Weekly Observer will be sent to trial trip subscribers three months for 50 cents, cash in advance.

Wheat, Beans and Snaps.

WE have on hand a fresh supply at reduced prices.

apl 29, 2t G. W. CHALK & CO.

Vinegar, Vinegar.

FIVE Barrels in store, pure cider.

G. W. CHALK & CO.

apl 29, 2t

To the Ladies.

THE Misses Farrington have opened a fashionable Dress-making establishment in Beckwith Building, up stairs over Col. Maxwell's Sewing Machine Emporium; the patronage of the Ladies of Charlotte and elsewhere is most respectfully solicited and moderate charges and satisfaction in the execution of work guarranteed.

MISSES FARRINGTON.

N. B. The latest London and Paris Fashion plates, have been ordered and will be regularly received. april 15 d 1 m-w 1 y'r

Just Received,

A splendid assortment of

Candies,

Figs,

Bananas,

Oranges,

Apples,

Lemons,

Canned Fruits.

Also in stock a fine lot of Cakes, Pies and everything in my line.

☞ Fresh bread every evening.

C. S. HOLTON,

apl 15 Opposite the Market.

Notice to Contractors.

SEALED proposals for the erection of a COTTON PLATFORM 250x350 feet, to be located in front of the C., C. & A. Railroad Depot, to be of similar materials and construction to that now in use, will be received until the 21st instant at the office of

STENHOUSE, MACAULAY & CO.

☞ Bids to be opened in the presence of a committee appointed by the City Council.

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Just Arrived!

A VERY fine lot of Pork and Sausage, at the Rising Sun.

Also, a fine lot of Bologna Sausage, at the Sun.

A large lot of fine Oranges and Apples at

apl 18 C. S. HOLTON & Co.

SNUFFS, all kinds of Cigars, Chewing Tobaccos, etc. We retail goods at wholesale prices, sell for cash, and, therefore, give our customers the benefits of loses by bad debts. We invite opposition and defy competition.

apl 29 REEL & PERDUE'S Blue Front.

PEARL Hominy, Rice, Canned Peaches, Tomatoes, Pickles in barrels, gallons, half-gallons, quarts and pints, country produce, etc, at

apl 15 REEL & PERDUE'S Blue Front.

J. H. THOMPSON,

AND

S. D. WHITLEY

Will be glad to meet their friends and acquaintances and show them through at

apl 18 A. H. CRESWELL'S.

BLANK APPLICATIONS,

For membership in the Patrons of Husbandry, for sale

dly & wky, tf AT THIS OFFICE.

FOR SALE,

A BUSINESS well established; that will pay better profits for the capital required than any business in the city. A good stand and accommodating terms. Apply before the first of May.

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BABY COACHES.

A FULL line of Baby Coaches, from common to very fine Canopy Tops, including Sleeping Coaches, just received by

A. R. NISBET & BRO.

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LOT of Turkish Prunes in Store, and for sale by

apl 28 A. R. NISBET & BRO.

NOTICE!

U. S. INTERNAL REVENUE

Special Taxes,

May 1, 1874, to April 30, 1875.

The LAW of December 24, 1872, requires every person engaged in and business, avocation, or employment which renders him liable to a SPECIAL TAX, to procure and place conspicuously in his establishment or place of business a STAMP denoting the payment of said Special Tax for the special tax year, beginning May 1, 1874, before commencing or continuing business after April 30, 1874.

The taxes embraced within the provisions of the law above quoted are the following:

Rectifiers,	$ 200.00
Dealers, retail liquor,	25.00
Dealers, wholesale liquor,	100.00
Dealers in malt liquors, wholesale,	50.00
Dealers in malt liquors, retail,	20.00
Dealers in leaf tobacco,	25.00
Retail dealers in leaf tobacco,	500.00
And on sales of over $1,000, fifty cents for every dollar in excess of $1,000.	
Dealers in manufactured tobacco,	5.00
Manufacturers of stills,	50.00
And for each worm manufactured,	20.00
Manufacturers of tobacco,	10.00
Manufacturers of cigars,	10.00
Peddlers of tobacco, first-class, (more than two horses),	50.00
Peddlers of tobacco, second-class, (two horses),	25.00
Peddlers of tobacco, third-class, (one horse),	15.00
Peddlers of tobacco, fourth-class, (on foot or public conveyance),	10.00
Brewers of less than 500 barrels,	50.00
Brewers of 500 barrels or more,	100.00

Any person, so liable, who shall fail to comply with the foregoing requirements will be subject to severe penalties.

Persons or firms liable to pay any of the Special Taxes named above must apply to J. J. Mott, Collector of Internal Revenue at Statesville, N. C, and pay for and procure Special Tax Stamp or Stamps they need, prior to May 1, 1874, and without further notice.

J. W. DOUGLAS.

☞ Stamps of the above character can be had at the office of P. B. McDowell, at the Court House, in Charlotte, on the 4th, 5th and 6th of May, next.

apl 21 J. J. MOTT.

NOTICE.

Municipal Election.

ON Monday the 4th day of May, 1874, an election will be held at the different wards in the City of Charlotte for Mayor and twelve Aldermen. Ward No. 1, at the Rock Island Office. Ward No. 2, at the Market House. Ward No. 3, Red House. Ward No. 4, at the Court House. The following persons are appointed Judges of the same, viz:

Ward No. 1, M. W. Alexander, J. P., Register—Wm. Tiddy, M. M. Orr, John McConell, and W. M. Matthews, Jr., Judges.

Ward No. 2, W. H. H. Houston, J. P. Register—S. E. Bratton, H. B. Williams, H B Hammond, A. B. Davidson, Judges.

Ward No. 3, A. H. Creswell, J. P. Register—C. J. Cowles, James H. Henderson, W. R. Cochrane, J. C. Burroughs, Judges.

Ward No. 4, A. H. Martin, J. P., Register—A. R. Nisbet, John Vogel, A. Berryhill, J. S. M. Davidson, Judges.

W. F. DAVIDSON, Mayor.

M. E. ALEXANDER, Sh'ff.

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NOTICE.

The twenty-first annual meeting of the MEDICAL SOCIETY of North Carolina will be held in the city of Charlotte, on Thursday, the 21st day of May, 1874, at 11 A. M. Members, Delegates and Physicians applying for license, will be passed over the various roads at half rates.

W. A. B. NORCOM, Pres't.

JAMES McKEE, Sec'y.

The Board of Medical Examiners of the State of North Carolina, will hold its annual meeting at Charlotte, N. C., on Tuesday, 19th of May next, and remain in session until the business for which it is convened has been disposed of.

Applicans for license to practice medicine will present themselves as early as practicable.

C. DUFFY, Jr., M. D.

Secretary and Treasurer.

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SALE OF VALUABLE REAL ESTATE.

PURSUANT to two separate conveyances made by "The Fair of the Carolinas" and the City Authorities, for the purposes therein mentioned, duly recorded and registered, and with the concurrence of the said "Fair of the Carolinas," I offer for sale at auction on Thursday, the 7th of May, 1874, at 12 M, that very valuable property near Charlotte known as the Fair Grounds, containing about 45 acres, with all appurtenances, buildings, improvements and appliances attached for conducting exhibitions, &c.

This is one of the most eligible properties in the whole country for the object designed; and for ordinary improvements or speculation it offers great inducements, as the lands lie beautifully for such purposes.

The whole property has cost between $25,000 and $30,000.

As to the title, &c, parties are referred to R. Barringer, Esq, Attorney-at-Law.

Terms—Cash, or its equivalent in Bankable paper.

THOS. W. DEWEY,

apl 23, 3tw & 3td Trustee.

Stop and Read!

THAT I have received Extra Sugar Cured Hams and Shoulders. Enoch Morgan's Century and Family Soaps, Frost's Ready Raising Flour (something new), and other choice and other desirable family supplies, to which your attention is respectfully invited.

apl 12 J. S. M. DAVIDSON.

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AT

OUR HOUSE,

Wishes the public to know that his establishment still maintains its

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as the best place in Charlotte to get something good to eat or drink.

☞ Snacks at all hours.

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NOTICE.

IN order to make room for Boots & Shoes of our own manufacture we respectfully invite all to call and examine our stock before buying, as we are selling cheaper than the cheapest.

SAMPLE & ALEXANDER.

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NOTICE.

PARTIES holding claims against the city which have not been certified or adjusted, are requested to file the same at the office of the City Treasurer, on Wednesday between 10 o'clock A M, and 2 o'clock P. M., for presentment to the Finance Committee.

F. NASH, Treas.

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A CARD.

I HAVE the honor to announce to my friends and former patrons that as soon as my present engagement at Raleigh terminates I will return to Charlotte, N. C., where I shall locate permanently, and establish a conservatory of music under my personal superintendence.

Pupils will be received from the 15th of June, 1874.

HERR L. VON MEYERHOFF.

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THE BANK OF MECKLENBURG, CHARLOTTE, N. C.

Authorized Capital $100,000.

JAS. TORRENCE GRAY, President.

THOS. W. DEWEY, Cashier.

E. 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

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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 Bank Notes Bought and Sold.

THOS. W. DEWEY,

jan. 1 1874. Cashier.

New Shoe Factory!

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MANUFACTURERS

and

WHOLESALE and RETAIL

dealers in

Boots, Shoes, Hats & Leather,

Have opened their Shoe Factory and are now prepared to furnish good goods to to the Wholesale and Retail Trade at prices that defy competition. Call and examine style, quality and price before buying.

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NORFOLK, VA.

10,000 PRIZES!

$250,000 in Currency to be Given Away!

For the benefit of the

Masonic Relief Association, of Norfolk, Va.

UNDER authority of a special Act of the Legislature, passed March 5, 1873, conferring corporate privileges upon the Masonic Relief Association, the Directors now have the pleasure to announce that a Grand Gift Concert will be given at the Opera House, in the city of Norfolk, on

Tuesday, the 5th of May, 1874.

(*No further postponement guaranteed.*)

For the purpose of procuring funds necessary for the completion of the Masonic Temple, now in course of erection in the city of Norfolk.

DIRECTORS OF THE ASSOCIATION.—John L Roper, President; John H Corprew, Treasurer; James Y Leigh, Walter H Taylor, Geo S Oldfield, Jno A Rosson, Daniel Husted, Wm H Wales, M H Stevens, S Weil, John T Redmond.

ADVISORY BOARD.—His Excellency ex-Gov. G C Walker, Col Kader Biggs, P H F; R R McDaniel, P C Commander; J S Burroughs, Capt S L Watts, Virginia Legislature; R E Withers, G M G H P and D G C and G C; Col T F Owens, P G M; J B Whitehead, Esq., ex-Mayor. Col W H Taylor, State Senator; Jas G Fain, G C G G S.

List of Gifts.—One Grand Cash Gift, $50,000; one Grand Cash Gift, 25,000; one Grand Cash Gift, 12,500, one Grand Cash Gift, 10,000; one Grand Cash Gift, 5,000; one Grand Cash Gift, 2,500; 24 Grand Cash Gifts, $500 each, $12,000; 50 Cash Gifts, 250 each, 12,500; 80 Cash Gifts, 200 each, 16,000; 100 Cash Gifts, 150 each, 15,000; 150 Cash Gifts, 100 each, 15,000; 200 Cash Gifts, 50 each, 10,500; 9,000 Cash Gifts, 5 each, 45,000. Grand Total, 10,000 Gifts, $250,000.

Whole Tickets, $5. Half Tickets, $2.50. Club Rates—11 Tickets for $50, 22 Tickets for $100.

HENRY V MOORE, Sec'y

Masonic Relief Association, Norfolk, Va.

For further information inquire of D G Maxwell, Charlotte, N. C.

s o c, till 1st of May

$25 REWARD.

I WILL pay Twenty Five Dollars, to any person who will furnish me with proof sufficient to convict these house-breakers, robbers and thieves, who are infesting and plundering our city.

W. F. DAVIDSON,

mar 31 tf Mayor.

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MOUNTAIN DRY BEEF HAMS, Buckwheat Flour, North Carolina Flour, Virginia Flour. A large supply always on Sale at Wholesale or Retail. Mountain Potatoes for planting cheap. A good stock of Tallow always on hand at low prices. Oranges, Lemons, &c.

A. H. CRESWELL.

Grays' Corner, Trade Street. Ap'l 8.

WHITE and Red Onion Sets

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MOLLER'S Cod Liver Oil.

Hazzard & Caswell's Cod Liver Oil,

Nolen's Cod Liver Oil and Phosphate Lime.

Elixir Cinchona Iron and Strychnine,

" " and Bismuth,

Pepsin and Bismuth,

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apl 5. Druggists,

CLOVER, Orchard Grass and Lucerne, fresh and of superior quality.

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NEW AND NOVEL EMBROIDERING and PLUTING MACHINE. County and State Rights for sale on the most liberal terms. Also, Agents Wanted to sell our other Novelties. Address H. D. BRIER & CO., Atlanta, Ga.

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, several lots in the city of Charlotte, improved and unimproved. Apply immediately to

mar 24, 1wk W. F. DAVIDSON.

ENGLISH GUANO

AND CHEMICALS for compounding, direct from Liverpool, used extensively for seven years past in Georgia, with great satisfaction. Imported by Fishburne, Abell & Co., of Savannah, Ga., and for sale by Sanders & Blackwood, Charlotte, N. C. The planters of North Carolina are ordering it largely. mar 31 2w*

WATERS & HARDY,

COMMISSION MERCHANTS.

WE are prepared to make liberal cash advances on cotton shipped to our friends in Charleston, or New York. Will also attend promptly to sales of cotton consigned to us. Office at Whitlowsky & Rintels', Charlotte, N. C. oct 29

Mrs. J. Amanda Stancy,

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