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TO THE PUBLIC.

As eternal vigilance is the price of liberty, so is continued vigilance, honest, fair and upright dealing necessary to success in business. Having from the outset (18 years ago) appreciated these facts, and acted upon them, we find ourselves to-day rewarded for the countless anxieties, vexations, and the loss of hours of rest by seeing our long cherished hopes realized, of making Char-

Wholesale Mart, and ours an exclusive Wholesale House.

In order to be more explicit, we have the pleasure of informing the mercantile world that we have leased the superior building adjoining our present, (heretofore occupied by Messrs. Brem, Brown & Co., as their Dry-Goods Store), which we will occupy by first of September next for the retail trade only, and will use our present elegant and commodious store for an exclusive

WHOLESALE HOUSE

this giving to the trade a strictly "Wholesale Establishment," where they can make their selections from a Stock purchased for "that trade only," thus avoiding coming in contact with a Retail Stock and Retail Buyers. The advantages of such a House are so obvious to the general comment.

To give the general reader a better conception of the colossal dimensions of our two Houses we state that we will have upwards of thirty thousand feet of superficial floor room; or if a lane of ten feet wide were formed of our stores, it would reach considerably over half a mile.

At the same time we inform our numerous friends that Mr. Rintels is now again North buying our second stock this season, and owing to the decline in goods, will again place us in a position to successfully compete with all other houses.

WITKOWSKY & RINTELS,
Charlotte, N. C., May 18, 1874.

R. H. BARNES, President.
C. B. ROOR, Vice President.

North Carolina HOME INSURANCE COMPANY.

Insures all Classes OF INSURABLE PROPERTY, Against Loss or Damage by Fire, On the most Reasonable Terms.

Losses Promptly Adjusted and Paid. Encourage Home Institutions.

Seaton Gales, Secretary.
Pulaski Cowper, Supervisor.

Graham & Nash, Agents,
Charlotte, N. C.
May 2

J. S. PHILLIPS,
Merchant Tailor,

HAS JUST RECEIVED another lot of elegant French Coatings and Fancy Cassimeres which are offered at the lowest possible prices.

I have still on hand a large stock of

SPRING & SUMMER CLOTHING,

HATS, SHIRTS, GLOVES, COLLARS, TIES, SCARFS and UNDERWEAR,

of all kinds, which are offered at cost, in order to close them out at the earliest possible moment.

A FULL LINE of the Finest Goods kept continually on hand in the Merchant Tailoring Department and made to order with dispatch and at the lowest figures.

Latest from Bald Mountain. LBS Choice Country Hams weighing from 6 to 45 lbs each. Country Lard, 50c per lb. Family Flour, 25c per lb. Choice Sugar, 10c per lb. All goods delivered to your door.

500 Family Flour, 100 lbs Choice Sugar, 10c per lb. All goods delivered to your door.

WE HAVE TRIED the cash system for a month and like it so well we hope no one will be so credulous as to be deceived.

Charlotte Land Agency.

PERSONS desiring either to purchase or sell, or rent lands, are offered a first-class agency, by the undersigned, who agree to advertise and sell land, and in case of no sale no charge will be made.

JONES & PENDLETON,
Land Agents.

FOR SALE. From 200 to 400 acres of good land, lying on the Atlantic, Tennessee & Ohio Railroad, about 12 miles south of Statesville, only a short distance from the station at Shepherd's. On the premises is a good DWELLING HOUSE.

GOOD BOTTOM LAND. Title guaranteed. Terms \$8 per acre. Call at Levi Vandenberg on the premises, or to my8 JONES & PENDLETON, Land Agents.

FOR SALE. A Splendid Farm, one and a half miles from Third Creek Station, on the Western N. C. Railroad, containing TWO HUNDRED ACRES.

On this Farm there are 25 acres of good bottom land, a good dwelling house and all necessary outbuildings. About half of the land is in a high state of cultivation, and under good fences. Balance in original forest.

Terms: \$1,000, one half cash. Balance on time. Reasonable deduction for cash down. my8 JONES & PENDLETON, Land Agents.

FOR SALE. One Hundred and Forty Acres of Wood Land, lying on the Atlantic, Tennessee & Ohio Railroad, eight miles south of Statesville. Title good. Will be sold at \$5 per acre. Terms, one half cash, balance in one and two years, with interest from date of purchase. Here is a fine opportunity for a speculation. Apply to my8 JONES & PENDLETON, Land Agents.

RARE BARGAIN! HOUSE AND LOT FOR SALE. The Dwelling, Barn, &c., are all new, and are situated within three hundred yards of the Court House in Statesville.

The premises include a well improved lot and land enough for a small farm. Such an opportunity is rarely offered. Satisfactory reasons given for selling. Address, my8 JONES & PENDLETON, Land Agents.

FOR SALE. As Agent for the owners, we offer for sale that valuable tract of land belonging to the heirs of Allen Gill, deceased, consisting of 1600 acres, more or less, situated on the waters of Rocky Creek, in the northwest corner of Iredell, in the northeast corner of Alexander county, and also partly in Wilkes county, all of which is one tract and supposed to contain valuable minerals, such as lead, plumbago, and silver. On the tract is a good mill site, at a place known as Dripp-Off, with plenty of water and a shaft of rocks which lets the stream fall 60 feet in a short distance. Also other shoals on Grape Vine Branch, for two sites for over shot wheels. The whole tract is yet in forest timber and well suited for a sheep farm, having a very fine range. Title indisputable. Price only \$1.50 Per Acre. Such a bargain is rarely offered. Apply to my9 JONES & PENDLETON, Land Agents.

SPLendid FARM FOR SALE. As Agent for Albert Rinaldi, we offer for sale a FIRST-RATE PLANTATION, situated one and a half miles from Olin, Iredell county, and on which he formerly resided.

The place contains 125 acres of land, with a good dwelling house, barn, smoke house, kitchen and all other necessary outbuildings, with a good well of water in the yard. The buildings are all new—put up since 1868.

There are about 30 acres in original forest, about 20 acres of which is fine bottom land. Balance in a state of cultivation. Besides, a good bearing orchard, and a good many choice fruit trees were set three years ago. Title good. Will be sold for cash, or a credit of twelve months will be given on one half of the purchase money. Apply to my9 JONES & PENDLETON, Land Agents.

SPLendid FARM FOR SALE. The undersigned, as Agent for James A. Gaither, we offer for sale that well known plantation known as the Docky Gaither Place, 16 miles northeast of Statesville, containing 100 acres, 25 or 30 acres of bottom land, 75 to 100 acres in a good state of cultivation. Balance in pine, field and original forest. On the premises is a FINE, TWO-STORY DWELLING HOUSE, newly new, containing seven rooms, with a splendid well of water in the yard, stables, and all necessary outbuildings, good orchards, good neighborhood and convenient to churches and schools.

This plantation would make two good farms, and the land is well adapted to the growth of tobacco, wheat, corn, oats, &c. Title indisputable. Address, my9 JONES & PENDLETON, Land Agents.

FOR SALE. We offer for sale that valuable tract of land, consisting of SEVENTEEN HUNDRED ACRES of good land, as can be found in the county of Iredell, on which John Young, Esq., now resides. On the tract is a

GOOD MILL SITE, with water power sufficient for all seasons of the year.

A SPLendid DWELLING HOUSE and all necessary outbuildings. 1100 acres in original bottom land.

This tract of land lies nine miles south of Statesville and across the line of A. T. & O. R. R. The dwelling house is a short distance from the station on that road.

The tract will not be divided (unless enough purchasers can be found who will buy all, and as it lies in such a manner as to be easily converted into a number of small farms, it would be extremely desirable for a small colony.

On the plantation is about one hundred and fifty acres of

GOOD BOTTOM LAND. Title indisputable. Terms moderate. Address, my9 JONES & PENDLETON, Land Agents.

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CITY INTELLIGENCE. The Observer is the only paper published in the State West of Raleigh which gives the latest telegraphic dispatches every morning. Business men will please make a note of this.

Subscribers will please look out for the cross mark on their papers. They are thus notified that their term of subscription has expired; and are respectfully requested to renew at once.

CHARLOTTE MARKETS. (Corrected Daily.) Cotton Market. MONDAY, MAY 18, 1874.

Inferior	106 1/2
Ordinary	114 1/2
Good Ordinary	121 1/2
Strict Good Ordinary	127 1/2
Low Middling	171 1/2
Market weak and lower. Sales to-day light.	

Country Produce. (Bying Rates.) Bacon—Hams, per lb. 15 1/2. Sides, 13 1/2. Shoulders, 11 1/2. Hog Round, Country, 11 1/2.

Butter—Choice, Country, 30 1/2
Butter—Apple, (N. C.), 22 1/2
Peach, 21 1/2
Corn—White, 90 1/2
Mixed, 85 1/2
Wheat—Family, 15 1/2
Extra, 4 1/2
Super, 4 1/2
Fruit—Dried Apples, 25
" Peaches, 25
" Blackberries, 10
" Chickens, spring, 40
" Turkeys, non-par, 1.00
" Ducks, per pair, 1.00
" Hides—Dry, 13 1/2
" Green, 13 1/2
Lard—Common, country, non, 1.10
" White, boiled, 1.10
" Oats—Black, 30
" White, 75 1/2
Oil—Pure, 1.00
" Mixed, 70 1/2
Potatoes—Irish, per bbl, 5 1/2
" Sweet, 7 1/2
Yalows, 7 1/2
Wheat—Red, per bush, 1.00
" White, 1.00
Wool—Washed, 1.00
" Unwashed, 1.00

Post-Office Directory.—The following statement of the hours for the opening and closing of mails, is furnished us by the postmaster, Robt. E. McDonald, Esq.:

OPENS.	CLOSES.
North Mail, 8 A. M.	6 P. M.
South Mail, 9 P. M.	9 P. M.
Air-Line Mail, 8 1/2 A. M.	9 P. M.
Statesville Mail, 10 1/2 A. M.	2 P. M.
Lincolnton Mail, 5 1/2 P. M.	7 P. M.
Wadesboro Mail, 7 P. M.	7 1/2 A. M.
Beattie's Ford Mail arrives Mondays and leaves Tuesdays.	

LOCAL DOTS. The Congressional Convention to-morrow. There was scarcely any cotton in market yesterday.

We refer our readers to the card of Col John F. Hoke, published in another column Sunday was a perfect specimen of a glorious Spring day. It would be difficult to imagine a lovelier one.

I scream and soda water are the drinks now, but milk punches and mint juleps are holding their own well.

The dedication of halls which was to have taken place in Steel Creek Township to-morrow, has been postponed indefinitely.

There was a terrific rain storm 15 miles above this city on the A. T. & O. R. R. Saturday afternoon. There was scarcely any rain at all here.

Personal.—We acknowledge the honor of visits yesterday from Monroe Seale, Esq., editor of the Lincoln Progress; Capt. L. L. Polk, editor of the Ansonian, and from D. Schenck, Esq., our candidate for Judge.

L. P. Erwin, Esq., editor of the Newton Vindicator, registered last evening at the Central. Col John F. Hoke, of Lincolnton, is in the city.

Went Back.—Late Saturday afternoon while a young lady and gentleman of this city were out taking a drive, the horse became frightened while they were passing along College street near the gas house, and backed down the steep embankment there. The young lady jumped from the buggy, and both she and the gentleman escaped without receiving any injury.

Notice.—We are requested to say that those persons who will attend the picnic to be given by the bankers and cotton buyers of the city at Tuckasee Ford to-morrow, are requested to meet at the corner of Trade and Tryon streets at 6 o'clock, A. M., sharp.

All persons invited to attend the picnic to be given by Independent Hook and Ladder Company on to-morrow, are requested to be at the depot precisely at 7 1/2 o'clock.

Mayor's Court.—Yesterday morning before the Mayor was William Adams, colored, for an assault upon Pinckney Hall, colored. The former was fined \$5 and dismissed and this comprises the business before His Honor yesterday.

Our Cremation Society.—A sufficient amount has been raised to insure the success of the Charlotte Crematorium project beyond a doubt. The machine will be used, first for the burning of those newspaper men who have been given enough to look at this matter in a serious light.

Kittens.—A young lady arrived in this city over one of the railroads, bringing with her a band box full of kittens. Eleven of them were dead when they got to town, but the remaining eighteen are living and doing well. What a splendid crop of fights are coming on!

Change of Schedules.—A change will take place to-morrow in the running of trains on the Statesville Railroad. Instead of leaving here at 3 P. M. as at present, the train will leave at 2:35 P. M. Returning it will arrive at 9:35 A. M., instead of at 10 as at present.

The new schedule of the Charlotte, Columbia & Augusta Railroad went into effect yesterday. The morning mail train now leaves here at 7 A. M., instead of 8 A. M., as formerly, and returning arrives at the same hour as at present.

Composition on Cats.—We have been placed in possession of the following composition written by a boy who had been bitten by one of these animals the day before the writing of the composition. It is a bona fide production:

"Cats is very useful animals sometimes but sometimes they get mean and we have to kill 'em.

Sometimes they gets so bad they sucks eggs. We can't have any eggs for us. They are the most beautiful little animal that grows.

"I love to see cats fight and holler and hold on. I dearly love to see any run when a dog is after 'em. I love to tramp on a dog's tail.

AN UNJUST ALLEGATION.—It has been unjust in various parts of this Judicial District, that on the 4th of April, Capt Randolph A. Shotwell, associate editor of the Southern Home, went to a meeting in Steel Creek Township in this county, and under the guise of making a temperance speech, used the occasion to attack D. Schenck, Esq., of Lincolnton, then a candidate for the nomination for the Judgeship.

The Good Templars of the Township named held a meeting at their Lodge room on Saturday last, the 16th instant, and passed a preamble and resolutions denouncing the story as totally false and without foundation in fact. These proceedings have been forwarded us with a request to publish, but on account of their length, and for certain other reasons, we prefer not to do so.

We think it due, however, to Capt. Shotwell and to Steel Creek Lodge of Good Templars, that the above statement should be made, since it has been requested of us.

Superior Court.—The Spring term of Superior Court, for Mecklenburg, convened in this city yesterday morning. His Honor, Judge Logan, is on the bench, and Jos. L. Carson, Esq., prosecuting on behalf of the State. The following gentlemen were called as grand jurors; they took their seats and were sworn in:

Thos. Grier, Foreman; W. M. Davis, J. H. Williams, D. H. Byerly, J. F. Little, A. George, Lorenzo Hunter, Wm A. Todd, W. A. Mox, W. A. L. Owens, Sam'l Yountz, F. B. McWhirter, R. A. Freeman, J. Roessler, Sam'l T. Alexander, J. F. McCord, D. S. Todd, G. T. Nisbet.

After the jurors had been sworn in His Honor delivered his charge to them. He explained that their jurisdiction embraced only the county of Mecklenburg and that that jurisdiction includes all cases of a criminal character in the county within the past 20 years. You, gentlemen, are not a trial jury; therefore, when you act, be sure the party accused is guilty. You are to have nothing to do with any evidence save that of the State. The oath which you have taken covers your whole duty. It is not expected of you to temperize every criminal offence. You have charge over the criminal law of your county. When you retire you are first to make presentment of all offences and be diligent in bringing criminals to justice. To this end it may be necessary to call on the Court to summon witnesses to be brought before you.

The State's counsel, your fellows' and your own, you are commanded to keep secret. The law requires this for important reasons; for the benefit of the State and for your own safety. The only power which can compel you to disclose your secret is the Court. The reasons for this secrecy are obvious. If your secrets were disclosed it would give an offender an opportunity to escape; another reason is that you are protected by it. There are men bad enough to destroy the property or take the life of a juror who he knew had presented him.

You are sworn to present no one through malice or envy, and to refrain from presenting no one through fear, favor or affection, reward or the hope of reward. The criminal law is intended to be administered with justice. People are so liable to be influenced by prejudice and passion. The law must fall heavily upon some and lightly upon others. It is necessary to protect individuals and the public.

But there is another principle which I wish to explain. An act may be committed without evil intent. Crime may be committed by one whose mind is not ill-disposed.

One person may plan and another execute. The act is as criminal to him who planned as to him who executed. Another important general principle is that the law intends to punish idiots or those of tender years; the law is intended to operate upon the sane; not the insane. You can determine, of course, in all cases brought before you, whether the intent is criminal or not.

The obstruction of an officer in the discharge of his duty is another matter to be considered. The man who obstructs an officer lays himself liable. All officers are required to execute the law, and if an officer cannot do this alone, he is authorized to summon the whole posse comitatus of the county to his aid, and if any man so summoned declines or refuses to obey, he is guilty of a misdemeanor and is liable to indictment. No citizen is above the law. It throws its protection around all, and even if an officer of any of his posse take life in an attempt to execute a process he is held excusable in the eyes of the law. If the offender resists and takes life he is held guilty of murder.

His Honor next spoke of the men who stir up law suits, and told the jury it was their duty to consider these things: The cases of men who swore lies; men who bribe; the peace of the county; are there any riots? any rows? any unlawful assemblages? have any persons by force taken the property of others? These are things to be considered, ferreted out and reported upon.

Assault is the least offence known to the law. It is not only an actual striking but a threat to hinder a person from going his way. The presenting of a gun is held in law to be an assault, even if the gun be not loaded, provided the person at whom it is presented does not know that it is not loaded. You see how careful the law is to protect person. You can have no difficulty in determining what the law is on this matter.

There are higher crimes of this class, such as rape, which is carnal knowledge of a female against her will. Whether by her consent or not, the law holds connection with a child under ten years of age to be rape. There are also murder, manslaughter, excusable or justifiable homicide. What grades these crimes may belong to, is not for you to decide.

Another thing: Larceny is the taking and carrying away of property not your own. If a person receives property, knowing it to be stolen, he is equally guilty with the person who stole it. If a person secures property by means of false representations he is liable to indictment.

His Honor then went on to expound the law in regard to burglary, arson, public roads, fences, marking of stock, retailing of spirituous liquors, selling or giving away of liquor on days of election, or twelve hours before or after such days; selling liquor within one mile where divine worship is in progress, gaming and gambling houses, diseased stock, creating nuisances, bawling houses, putting obstructions in public highways, weights and measures, public health, &c.

His Honor touched next upon the late act of the Assembly in reference to the jurisdiction of Justices of the Peace, Different Judges have given different decisions on this subject. As for us we will for the present "have to grope along" until the question is decided by the Supreme Court.

Your jury is composed of 12 men. It will be necessary for 12 of you to agree before you can decide to find "a true bill" or "not a true bill" in any case. When you do so decide your foreman will endorse on the back of the writing a "true bill" or "not a true bill" as you decide.

The above is an accurate synopsis of Judge Logan's charge. We have made it from full notes, but have not attempted to follow the words. There is nothing new in it. It is the same charge he has delivered in every county of his district each time he has held court. Perhaps the only variation was in his remarks upon the act of assembly in regard to Justices of the Peace, and in these His Honor showed that he is still himself, in being willing to just "grope along."

The following gentlemen compose the talary jury:

T. McCord, E. J. Garrison, Geo C. Cathey, Eugene Asbury, W. P. Myers, W. F. Griffith, A. G. Hunter, H. B. Sample, C. M. Orr, M. W. Caldwell, W. G. Wearn, W. R. Jones, John Randolph, R. D. Whitley, J. C. Abernathy, S. W. Davis.

No business of any moment was transacted yesterday. A few *not. pros.* were entered and court adjourned to this morning.

COMMUNICATED. "The Law Does Restrain Them."

In your issue of the 15th of May, you seem to desire information as to whether negroes working on the Carolina Central Railway can vote in the August election. It is clear they cannot.

The Acts of Assembly 1873-'74, chap. 132, Section 12, P. 172, re-enacts chap. 185, Acts 1871-'72, prescribing the "rules and regulations" of holding elections, so far as consistent with this act of 1873-'74. The Constitution Art VI, Section 1, provides the qualification of a voter to be one "who shall have resided in this State twelve months and thirty days in the county in which he offers to vote." The Act 1871-'72, chap. 185, Sec. 7, following the Constitution says: "No elector shall be entitled to register or vote in any other precinct or township than the one in which he is an actual bona fide resident on the day of election."

So the whole question depends on what constitutes a "residence" in the legal construction of the Constitution and the Act, in the case of Roberts vs Cannon, 4. Dev & Baz Reports, P. 256. Judge Gaston, in construing the word "residence" says: "By a residence in the county the Constitution intends a domicile in that county. This residence is not satisfied by a visit to the county, whether for a longer or a shorter time, if the stay there be for a temporary purpose and with the design of leaving the county when that purpose is accomplished. It must be a fixed abode, constituting the place of his home. No negro who comes to Mecklenburg to work on a railroad, with the design of leaving the county when that work is accomplished, is not a bona fide resident."

A CARD.

To the People of the 9th Judicial District. Having been solicited by a large number of the people from all parts of the circuit, I announce myself a candidate for the office of Judge of this district. I do not regard the action of the nominating convention at Lincolnton on the 13th inst, as the act of the Conservative party of the district, nor binding on them. The convention was not harmonious but divided, and the nominee unacceptable to a large portion of the party. From all parts of the district we have evidence of dissatisfaction and determined opposition to the ticket. There is a great distinction among the ranks of the voters that is widening and deepening. The waters of discontent and opposition are spreading over all sections of the country. Defeat stares us in the face at every point. It is evident that the heart of the Conservative people of the circuit is not with the nominee of the Lincolnton convention. The delegates from Mecklenburg & Ruth erford made every proposition to that convention that was fair and right to heal the division, and were refused. Under these circumstances I have consented to become a candidate for the office of Judge for this district. If I am elected to this office I shall consider myself the Judge for the whole people; and shall endeavor to administer the duties of the office with the strictest impartiality and justice.

J. F. HOKE.

ANNOUNCEMENT. I announce myself an independent candidate for the office of Sheriff of Mecklenburg county, at the election in August.

W. H. HOUSTON.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS. Hotel Cook Wanted. In Concord—for the balance of the year.—Highest wages given. Also one good chambermaid. Apply at my19 THIS OFFICE.

Lost, \$5.00 Reward. On Trade Street, between Mrs. Stone's and Col Myers', on the 18th by Mrs Amanda Stone, a valuable gold ring. A reward of five dollars will be paid for its delivery. At This Office. may 19 31

ICE COLD SODA WATER at BURWELLS'S, Springs Corner. may 19

Change of Schedule. CHARLOTTE, COL. & AUGUSTA R. R. CO., GENERAL PASSENGER DEPARTMENT, COLUMBIA, S. C., May 17, 1874.

THE FOLLOWING Passenger Schedule will be operated on and after Sunday, the 16th inst.:

Stations.	Train No. 1.	Train No. 2.	Train No. 3.
Charlotte,	7:00 a. m.	11:38 a. m.	5:11 p. m.
Chester,	9:58 a. m.	11:43 a. m.	6:03 p. m.
Winnabow,	11:43 a. m.	11:48 a. m.	6:55 p. m.
Arrive Columbia,	2:03 p. m.	2:08 p. m.	7:47 a. m.
Leave Columbia,	2:13 p. m.	2:18 p. m.	7:57 a. m.
Col. Junc't'n,	2:48 p. m.	2:53 p. m.	8:32 a. m.
Graniteville,	7:15 p. m.	7:20 p. m.	8:45 a. m.
Arrive Augusta,	8:05 p. m.	8:10 p. m.	

Breakfast, Dinner, Supper. South bound trains connect at Augusta for all points South and West. Through tickets sold and baggage checked to all principal points. Sleeping cars on all N. C. Trains. JAS. ANDERSON, Gen'l Supt. Gen. Passenger and Ticket Agent.

Notice! WEDNESDAY, the 20th of May, being the anniversary of the Mecklenburg Declaration of Independence, the banks of the city will be closed on that day. All parties having paper maturing then or other business with the banks will please arrange the day before.

THOS. W. DEWEY, Cashier Bank of Mecklenburg. Cashier Farmers' Savings Bank. ARCHD. GRAHAM, Cashier Commercial National Bank. Cashier First National Bank. J. R. HOLLAND, Cashier Merchants & Farmers' Nat'l Bank. my17

Ice Cream, or I Scream. ICE CREAM to-day, and every day during the season, at my16, 17 D. M. RIGLER'S.

ICE COLD SODA WATER at my16, 17 WILSON & BLACK.

Ye Lovers of Fun! Roller Skating at Oates' Hall to-night. my8

JUST received 500 lbs of those nice Sugar Cured Hams, varying in size to suit the trade. Call to-day and make your selection. Price moderate. my12 J. L. BROTHERS & CO.

CUCUMBER Pickles in bulk, at my6 REEL & PARDEE'S.

J. H. THOMPSON, AND S. D. WHITLEY. Will be glad to meet their friends and acquaintances and show them through at my18 A. H. CREWELLS'S.

WHITE Wash Brushes, Blacking Brush, Brushes, Paint and Varnish Brushes, just received at my3 W. R. BURWELLS & CO., Druggists.

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

Sale of Real Estate.

By virtue of certain mortgages made to the First Building & Loan Association I will sell at public auction, for cash, at the Court House door, in Charlotte, on Tuesday, the 20th inst, at 10 o'clock, M., the following real estate:

Lot No 858, in square 108, fronting 90 feet on 7th St, and running back on D St 306 ft, with dwelling house and improvements, owned by J. W. Wilson and S. W. Wilson.

Lot No 814, square 138, 95 feet front on 10th St and 198 feet on Pine St, on which there is a dwelling and improvements, property of Mathias Harker, purchased from R. F. Davidson.

Part of lot No 505, square 55, at the corner of B and 6th Sts, 80 feet by