

Daily Charlotte Observer.

CHARLOTTE N. C. TUESDAY, MAY 26 1874.

No. 1620.

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 Charlotte a Wholesale Mart, and our exclusive Wholesale House.

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In order to be more explicit, we have the pleasure of informing the mercantile world that we have leased the superb store, adjoining our present, (heretofore occupied by Messrs. Bradburn & 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 extensive 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 too obvious to need further 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 line 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 our Mr. Rintelis 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.

Very respectfully,
WILKINS & RINTELIS,
Charlotte, N. C., May 15, 1874.
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R. H. BATTLE, President.
O. B. ROOF, Vice President.

North Carolina HOME INSURANCE COMPANY.

RALBIGH, N. C.

Insures all Classes

INSURABLE PROPERTY,

Against Loss or Damage by Fire,
On the most

Reasonable Terms.

Losses Promptly Adjusted and Paid.

Encourage Home Institutions.

Seaton Gates, 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 Costings 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.

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Latest from Bald Mountain.

500 LBS choice Country Hams weighing from 6 to 45 lbs each. Country Lard, Fresh Butter, 100 doz Fresh Eggs, 25 bags Family Flour, Also 100 doz Corn Meal just received and will be sold for cash at the cheap Cash Store of

MARKED FOR N. SMITH.
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HAMS - HAMS!

LEGANT juicy Hams just received at the cheap cash store.

Fresh fish, Trout, Mulletts, Blue fish, Sheep Head, Mackerels, Flounders, &c., &c., every day from Tuesday to Saturday.

We have had the cash system now for a month and like it so well we hope no one will ask us to credit them even for one day.

D. P. L. WHITE.

Charlotte Land Agency.

PERSONS desiring either to purchase or sell, or rent lands, are offered a first-class agency in the Tennessee & Ohio Railroad, and in 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 Stateville, only a short distance from the station at Shepherd's. On the premises is a good

DWELLING HOUSE.

Baru and other necessary outbuildings. The whole tract will be sold or it will be divided to suit purchasers. On the tract is 15 or 20 acres of

GOOD BOTTOM LAND.

Title guaranteed. Terms \$8 per acre. Call at Levi Vanhook on the premises, or at

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 primeval forest.

Terms: \$1,000, one half cash. Balance on year. Reasonable deduction for cash down.

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 Stateville. 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

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 Stateville.

The premises are well improved, lot and land enough for a small farm. Such an opportunity is rarely offered.

Satisfactory reasons given for selling.

Address,
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, plumbeo, and silver. On the tract is a good mill site, at a place known as Drip-Oil, with plenty of water, and a shoal 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 undisputed.

Price Only \$1.50 Per Acre.

Such a bargain is rarely offered.

Apply to
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.

There are about 30 acres in original forest, about ten 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, some 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
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 Doxy Gaither place, 16 miles northeast of Stateville, containing about 450 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.

The Charlotte Observer.

JONES & PENDLETON, PROPRIETORS,
Office, Springs Building, Trade Street.

RATES OF SUBSCRIPTION.

Daily One year in advance \$7.00
Six months in advance \$4.50
Three months in advance \$3.00
One month in advance \$1.00
Weekly, one year \$2.00

RATES OF ADVERTISING.

One Square one time..... \$1.00
two days..... 1.50
three days..... 2.00
one week..... 3.00
two weeks..... 5.00
three weeks..... 6.00
one month..... 8.00
Contract Advertisements taken at proportionately low rates.
Five Squares estimated at a quarter-column, and ten squares as a half-column.

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 25, 1874.

inferior.....	10@13
Ordinary.....	14@14 1/4
Good Ordinary.....	16@16 1/2
Strict Good Ordinary.....	18@18 1/2
Low Middling.....	17
Market quiet, no sales.	
Sales to-day light.	

Country Produce.

Bacon—Hams, per lb.....	15	
Sides.....	14	
Shoulders.....	11 1/2	
Hog Round, Country.....	11 1/2	
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Butter—Choice, Country.....	30 @ 35	
Brandy—Apple, (N. C.).....	\$ 2 @ 25	
Peach.....	2 @ 25	
Super.....	1 1/2	
Eggs—per dozen.....	15 @ 18	
Flour—Family.....	4 @ 4 1/2	
Extra.....	4 @ 4 50	
Super.....	4 @ 00	
Fruit—Dried Apples.....	Peaches.....	40
Chickens, spring.....	Turkeys, none.....	1.00
Ducks, per pair.....	1.00	
Hides—Dry.....	18 @ 14 1/2	
Green.....	18 @ 14 1/2	
Lard—Good.....	7 @ 9	
Common, country.....	13 @ 14 1/2	
Meal—White, bolted.....	1.10	
Onions—Black.....	7 @ 9	
White.....	7 @ 9	
Oats.....	75 @ 80 (57 lbs to bushel).	
Peas—Pure clay.....	1.00	
Mixed.....	70 @ 75	
Potatoes—Irish, per bbl.....	5 @ 5 1/2	
Sweet.....	7 @ 8	
Wheat—Red, per bushel.....	7 @ 8	
White.....	7 @ 8	
Wool—Tub washed.....	Unwashed.....	7 @ 8

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, 7 1/2 P. M.	9 P. M.
Air-Line Mail, 8 1/2 A. M.	9 P. M.
Stateville Mail, 10 1/2 A. M.	7 P. M.
Lincolnton Mail, 8 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.

ROBT. E. McDONALD,
P. M.

The Temperature.

The thermometer at the drug store of W. R. Burwell & Co., stood as follows yesterday at the hours mentioned:

At 6 A. M.....	72°
" 12 M.....	84°
" 3 P. M.....	84°
" 6 P. M.....	85°
" 8 P. M.....	85°

Another—Maj H D Lee, of Shelby, has announced himself a candidate for Solicitor of this Judicial District. This makes four candidates for Solicitor—Messrs. Montgomery, Carson, Burton and Lee,—and three for Judge, Messrs Logan, Schenck and Hoke.

Personal.—D Schenck, Esq., of Lincoln County, Democratic-Conservative candidate for Judge, registered yesterday at the Charlotte Hotel.

Dr. A H Duquesne, of Chester, President of the Chester and Lenoir Narrow Gauge Railroad, arrived last evening at the Central Hotel.

Sunday School Picnic.—The members of the Presbyterian Sunday Schools of this city will have a picnic on Friday next at some place on the Charlotte, Columbia & Augusta Railroad, not yet fully determined upon. A chartered train will be provided for the picnickers, and a merry time is confidently expected. The members of the Sunday Schools and their friends, are requested to meet at the depot of the C. C. & A. R. R. punctually at 8 o'clock on the morning named.

Dangerous.—We would call the attention of clerks in the stores to the danger which may result from sweeping large pieces of paper into the streets instead of putting them in the barrels on the pavements designed to hold them. When this paper goes under the feet of horses it is almost certain to cause them to commence kicking and to run away. It is sufficient to frighten any horse, and a runaway came near resulting yesterday from this very carelessness. There is an ordinance which makes it obligatory upon persons to put their trash in barrels when it is swept out of the stores or shops, and we would be glad to see this ordinance enforced.

LOCAL DOTS.

We are under obligation to Messrs Tiddy & Bro. for late publications.

Money is as tight now as the celebrationists were last Wednesday.

The farmers are uttering loud lamentations on account of the dryness of the weather.

Freight on corn between Charlotte and Goldsboro is thirty cents per hundred pounds.

Where wagons and drays abound in the streets these days, dust doth much more abound.

A great howl is going up from men in every department of business about the unparalleled dullness of trade in this city.

Gov. Vance's address of welcome to the Medical Convention last week, has been copied very extensively by papers in different States.

The nobby young man now stands behind the counter or sallies forth upon the street with a perfectly killing nosegay on his lapel and is happy.

Yesterday was decidedly the warmest day of the season: It was just exactly hot, and the popularity of linen clothes, soda water and lemonade testified to this.

Parties interested in the late sale and purchase of the Fair Grounds property, are requested to meet at the Bank of Mecklenburg this afternoon at 4 o'clock.

There are now three candidates in the field in this county for Sheriff—M. E. Alexander, the present Sheriff, the nominee, and W H Houston and W P Little, independents.

We direct attention to the attractive advertisement of Murray & Davis, appearing elsewhere in this paper. They have a large and elegant stock of goods and sell them low.

Negroes occupy about one half of the Court House, and swarm about it like bees. Not one-third of them are there on business, and the crop and other interests of their employers are suffering from their absence.

Mecklenburg Presbytery.—This body will meet in the First Presbyterian Church of this city to-day. Among the other business before the meeting will be to pass upon the application of Rev. Mr. McCall, of this county, for license to preach the gospel.

COMMITTED.—We learn from the Shelby Banner that the man Elwood, who was brought before Judge Logan in this city on Thursday last upon a writ of habeas corpus, for slaying a man named Sanford, in Charlotte county, has been committed to Shelby jail, having failed to give the required bond of \$1,000.

Greenville Daily News.—This is the title of a new paper which has just been started at Greenville, S. C., by A M Speights, Esq., late of the Griffin (Ga.) News. The Greenville News is a bright, new paper; the editorials are written well and carefully, and the selections are made with taste. We welcome it to our exchange list and wish it success.

Nominated for Solicitor.—We learn privately that, at a convention of the Conservative party of the 10th Judicial District, held in Wilkesboro' on Thursday last, Col W H H Cowles of Wilkes was nominated for Solicitor. He was a gallant Confederate soldier and is an excellent lawyer. There will be no election of Judge in that District this Summer, the present incumbent, Judge Mitchell, being one of the long term Judges.

Charlotte Institute for Young Ladies.—The Commencement exercises of this most excellent Institute will take place on the last days of June, beginning on the last Sunday in that month. The addresses will be delivered by Rev Jos R Wilson, of Columbia, S. C., and Thos J Sparrow of Washington, N. C. The exercises will be of a highly interesting character, and will be attended, no doubt, by a large crowd.

We are glad to know that the school has done quite well during the last term; its popularity is bound to increase as its merits become better known. More competent and faithful instructors of young ladies cannot easily be found than Dr and Mrs Chapman and their corps of teachers.

Board of Aldermen.—The Board met last night in regular session and discussed the revenue bill and other matters until after 11 o'clock. A revenue bill was passed, substantially the same as that last year. There were a few changes however. It was agreed to levy a small additional tax to pay the interest on the past due coupons of the city and on the coupons which will soon fall due, and to establish a sinking fund looking to the early liquidation of the city debt.

John R Davidson, Esq., was elected Clerk of the Market with salary at \$40 per month an increase of \$15 per month in the salary of this officer. Some important market regulations were adopted.

The elections of Keeper of the Cemetery and Street Commissioner were postponed to the next meeting, which will take place next Monday night.

Improvements.—P M Murray, Esq., who has the contract to do the brick work, will commence this morning to lay the bricks on the new warehouse of Messrs Sanders & Blackwood, on College street, where the cotton platform formerly stood. The warehouse will be a very large one—97 feet square, two stories and a basement.

Sanders & Blackwood will soon have erected a large brick store house on College street, in rear of the store now occupied by themselves, and by Mayer, Grey & Ross.

Brick laying is going on rapidly on the stores of De T J Moore, on Trade street, and D Parks Hutchison, Esq., on Tryon street.

In no previous year has there been near so much building in Charlotte as is going on at present.

Mayor's Court.—Before His Honor Mayor Davidson, yesterday, were Wm Washam, Mira Gant, Jane Cathey and Hannah Williams, white, for disorderly conduct and a disturbance by "California." They were fined \$5 each, excepting Hannah Williams, against whom there was not sufficient evidence to convict.

J Robinson, colored, for assault, was fined \$5.

Before the Mayor, acting in his capacity as a Magistrate, was Harry Lyons, for committing an assault upon a boy named Louis Sifton. Lyons was fined \$1 and cost.

Church Notes.—Nearly everybody went to church Sunday. The day was tolerably pleasant, the sun being partly obscured by clouds.

There was no service in the Baptist Church, nor in the Court House for the congregation of the Second Presbyterian Church. Rev B S Bronson, pastor of St Peter's (E) Church, was absent attending the Episcopal Convention in Wilmington, and only the services were read in that church.

In all the other places in the city for divine worship, services were held by the pastors.

The Branch Mint.—The following extract from the proceedings of the U. S. Senate, May 19, explains itself:

"The next amendment was to strike out the following clause, beginning at line 920: 'Assay office at Charlotte, N. C.'"

For assayer in charge, \$1,800; melter, \$1,500; clerk, \$1,000; wages of workmen, \$900; contingent expenses, \$1,500; in all, \$6,400.

Mr RANSOM, I hope that amendment will be reserved for the present.

The PRESIDENT pro tem. The amendment will be regarded as if agreed to if there be no objection, and reserved for consideration in the Senate at the request of the Senator from North Carolina. The reading of the bill will proceed."

Newspaper Borrowers.—A gentleman of this city informs us that he has four neighbors who habitually borrow his copy of the OBSERVER, and who read it with as much regularity as he does. Frequently, he says, if he happens to rise in the morning later than usual, he finds that some of them have taken it out of his yard, and it is late in the day when he gets the paper and then it is torn sometimes into shreds.

A person who will habitually borrow a paper for which his neighbor has subscribed and paid, is mean enough to steal the hat from the head of a blind nigger, and we hope every person who has borrowed the OBSERVER this morning will see this item and find out what we think of newspaper borrowers.

ACQUITTED.—By a private letter received in this city yesterday, we learn that D. J. Carter, Esq., editor of the Lancaster (S. C.) Ledger, and a gentleman well-known in Charlotte, was honorably acquitted last week of a charge of murder. About a year ago, Mr. Carter shot at the dark and accidentally killed a man by the name of H. J. Hickson, whom he heard in his yard after he had retired at night. An indictment was brought for murder and Mr. Carter was acquitted as above stated.

There was much excitement over the trial. Judge Mackey presided.

Court Yesterday.—The whole time of the Court was occupied yesterday in the examination of witnesses in the case of Wm Capps, charged with stealing a quantity of powder from the magazine of Messrs Greer & Alexander in this city some time last Fall. Twenty-seven witnesses for the State were sworn, but not more than 15 of these were examined. There were about 15 witnesses sworn for the defence, and of these not more than 4 or 5 were examined. Capps alone was on trial. J P Green and R B Turner, alleged accomplices, were out on bond and fled the city before the case was heard. Tom Caldwell, colored, another alleged accomplice, turned State's evidence and was the principal witness against Capps.

The Court House was crowded nearly all day by persons anxious to hear the testimony in this case, which has excited very considerable interest in the community.

Capps is represented by Messrs J H Wilson & Son and Gov Vance. The prosecution is conducted by Solicitor Carson and Con Rufus Barringer. The testimony was concluded about six o'clock last evening and Court adjourned. The speaking begins this morning, upon the opening of Court.—Mr. Carson speaks first for the prosecution. The case will be conducted with ability on both sides.

[COMMUNICATED.]
The Mecklenburg Centennial.

MR. EDITOR: The people of Mecklenburg agree almost unanimously to your suggestions in regard to the 20th of May Centennial, 1875, in commemoration of the glorious achievements of the "Mecklenburg Fathers," in the times that tried men's souls.

Let the city and the county authorities at once move in the matter, and let us have a celebration worthy of the day, worthy of old Mecklenburg and worthy of the whole State.

No one can estimate the value of such an occasion both in a moral and a material point of view.

MANY CITIZENS.

Doraville, 8 27 " 8 3
Goodwins, 8 45 " 48
Atlanta, 9 18 " 8
B. Y. SAGE.

PETHEL & SUMNER,

BARBERS.

Shaving, Shampooing, Hair-Dressing and Dyeing done in the latest and most approved style. Will wait on ladies at their homes as well as on us.

Sole proprietors of the

"Carolina Hair Restorer,"

warranted to turn the greyest hair to its natural color without injury to the scalp.

Shop in Springs Building, Trade St. Feb 12

[For the Observer.]

Schenck and Shipp.

The bitterness existing between the friends of Judge Shipp and Mr Schenck threatens to inflict upon the people of Mecklenburg the evils of an incompetent judge in the person of Judge Logan, for the next eight years. Col Schenck obtained the nomination and the election, but the friends of Judge Shipp, the question is what claim has Col Hoke to the vote of the people; who, though a candidate before the convention, did not get a single county. Why should he force himself upon the country under these circumstances? Cannot every one see that every vote given for Colonel Hoke is virtually giving a vote to Judge Logan? Shall anyone be so blinded by passion and prejudice as to entail upon the county the evils of such a result. There is no possible chance to elect Col Hoke as he has no strength outside of the bitter opponents of Mr Schenck, for it is well known that though a candidate for political honors in his own county ever since the close of the war he never succeeded in getting the nomination for any position either the Legislature or for the conventions. There are some objections to the record of Mr Schenck, but are they such as to unfit him for that high and responsible position? Most all who heard him in vindication of himself are satisfied that he has been greatly misrepresented, while a large part are satisfied that he, under the trying circumstances in which he was placed, acted as well as most men would or could have done. Let it be kept before the people that Col Hoke has no strength except with the violent friends of Judge Shipp, and that he being made a tool of by the Radicals to re-elect Judge Logan, as it is evident from their past history that they cannot be relied upon. They will not desert their party; they will not support Col Hoke, and all conservatives who vote for Col Hoke are virtually contributing to the election of Judge Logan.

The interest of the county and that of its party all loudly call upon Judge Shipp to rally his friends in behalf of the nominee, laying aside all personal feelings and considerations. If he does he would stand higher than ever in the estimation of his countrymen, thus demonstrating that the love of