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June 23.

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MASON'S Improved Fruit Jars just received at W. R. BURWELL, & CO'S, Je20 Springs' Corner.

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June 25.

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A LARGE lot of Fine French and Plain Candies, Lemons, Raisins and Nuts, received this day, at

je18 PUREFOY'S.

JUST received, Leebig's Extract of Beef. Valentine's Meat Juice, the best article known for invalids and those recovering from diseases, at

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200 BARRELS OF FLOUR, 4,000 lbs Tennessee Hams, on sale wholesale and retail at

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CHARLOTTE MARKETS.

[*Corrected Daily.*]

Cotton Market.

CHARLOTTE, N. C., July 6, 1874.

Inferior,	9@11¼
Ordinary,	12¾@13
Good Ordinary,	14¼@14½
Strict Good Ordinary,	14¾@15
Low Middling,	15¼@15½

Market quiet.

Country Produce.

[*Buying Rates.*]

Bacon—Hams, per ℔	15
" Sides,	12 a 12½
" Shoulders,	
" Hog Round,	12 a 12½
Beeswax—	25
Butter—Choice,	25 a 30
Brandy—Apple, (N. C.)	$ 2 a 2½
" Peach,	2½ a 2½
Corn—White,	1.10 a 1.12½
" Mixed,	
Eggs, per dozen,	15
Flour—Family,	4
" Extra,	3.75 a 3.90
" Super,	3 50 a 3.75
Fruit—Dried Apples,	
" " Peaches,	
" " Blackberries,	
Fowls—Chickens, spring,	18 a 20
" Turkeys, per pr,	1.75 a 2
" Ducks, per pair,	60 a 75
Hides—Dry,	
" Green,	
Lard—Good,	12 a 13
" Common,	none
Meal—White,	1.10 a 1.15
Oats—Black,	65 a 75
" White,	50 a 65
Onions,	75 a 80 (57 lbs to bushel)
Peas—Pure clay,	
" Mixed,	75 a 80
Potatoes—Irish,	
" Sweet,	$1
Tallow,	7 a 8
Wheat—Red, per bush,	
" White,	
Wool—Tub washed,	
" Unwashed	

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,	7½ P. M.	9 P. M.
Air-Line Mail,	8½ A. M.	9 P. M.
Statesville Mail,	10½ A. M.	2½ P. M.
Lincolnton Mail,	5½ P. M.	7 P. M.
Wadesboro Mail,	7 P. M.	7½ A. M.

Beattie's Ford Mail arrives Mondays and leaves Tuesdays.

ROBT. E. McDONALD, P. M.

"Free from that venality which corrupts the conscience or that pity which corrupts justice."

Devilishness.—Last night while a party of countrymen was sitting around a camp fire in the wagon lot of Burwell, Grier, & co, some unknown parties in Fourth street began showering rocks and other missiles in among them. One of these struck a boy on the shoulder, and another a man on the elbow. Neither of them was hurt much, but this is a species of deviltry which should not be tolerated, and the perpetrators of the outrage, if they can be caught, should be punished.

GRANGE MEETINGS.—We have been requested to announce that Hon. T A. Thompson, Lecturer of the National Grange, of the Patrons of Husbandry will address the people, in the interest of this order at the following times and places:

Shelby Wednesday, July 8th.
Rutherfordton Friday, July 10th.
Hendersonville Monday, July 13th.
Asheville Monday July 15th.
Marion Friday, July 17th.
Blacksville Monday, 20th.
Morgantom Friday, July 24th.
Hickory Station Saturday, July 25th,
Lenoir Tuesday July 28th.
Taylorsville Thursday July 30th.
Wilkesboro Friday July 31st.
Statesville Saturday August, 1st.

Committed.—On Saturday, an Italian who has been working for Mr W D Alexander, of this county, was arrested on a peace warrant and brought before justice A H Martin, of this city, the charge being that he had threatened to kill Mr Alexander, for some real or imaginary injury. In default of $200 bond, he was committed.

Yesterday another Italian, who had been an employee of Mr John Springs Davidson, was brought before the same magistrate on a similar warrant, the charge in this case being that defendant had made a threat that he would burn Mr Davidson's barn unless that gentleman paid him $27.50, which he alleged was due him. Not being able to give bond for his good behavior, he was put in jail.

LOCAL DOTS.

Oats harvest is in order with the farmers.

Our nominee for Judge speaks in Concord to-day.

Dr M M Orr is a candidate for the Senate, as will be seen by his announcement.

Several lawyers and other citizens of Charlotte are attending Concord Court this week.

Read the advertisement of Mr Harrison, in regard to the new and beautiful grave covering.

A hop will take place this evening at the Central Hotel, under the auspices of the Charlotte Dance club.

Our State papers which arrived Sunday morning have all been stolen or misplaced, and hence we have no "State News" this morning.

Sunday had all the qualities which go to make up a hot day, and but for the breeze the heat would have been almost insufferable.

It is supposed that Judge Logan will, at Concord this week, turn over the A, T & O R R to the new President, Col W R Myers, and his Board of Directors.

The Board of County Commissioners met yesterday, but the heavy pressure upon our columns this morning, renders the publication of their proceedings impossible before to-morrow.

Mrs. Sallie McAuley, agent for Gen. Johnston's Narrative of Military Operations during the War has a few copies of the book left, and will dispose of them to parties desiring them.

Meeting of the Ice Company on Saturday.—The Stockholders met in the Court House and elected Mr J H Wilson Chairman and Dr T C Smith Secretary. The Committee on Proxies reported a majority of stock represented, and the meeting was then opened for business.

Dr Fox made a verbal report of his management as President, and of the action of Board of Directors during the past year.—"About $6,400 has been paid in on stock. The Directors have advanced money to complete the enterprise, but have not collected any since the last meeting of the Stockholders. We have saved the company some $6,000 by attending to the business ourselves. A machine was offered us in Columbus, Ga, for $8,000 without, or $11,000 with steam power attached. Capt Wilkes made the machinery without power for $4,500, and we bought a $5,000 engine and boiler delivered to us for $2,527, this being cheaper than it could have been bought elsewhere.

Much difficulty has been experienced in making ether, because the machinery would not hold it after it was made, but it is all right now, except the ether pump, which is 11½ inches instead of 18 inches in diameter as per contract with Capt Wilkes. This pump is so small that it will not draw off the expanded ether fast enough. The ether we have made is as good as any ever manufactured for the purpose There is no trouble now about the ether, and if there was we can make ice with common air as well as anything.

Some changes are absolutely necessary to increase the capacity of the machine. With a 14 inch pump and 24 inch stroke 20,000 pounds of ice can be made every day.

We have, during the past few weeks, received letters from 25 towns around our city enquiring about ice and desiring to buy it in quantities large and small. Some want it by the car load. Our position for the sale of ice is an enviable one. We are remote from the North and from steam boat transportation, and we can sell ice cheaper than any other company which may offer to compete with us. Our ice will cost very little. We can sell at one cent per pound and make a large profit. Our well will yield from 1,500 to 2,000 gallons of water per hour, and the water is so cold that it takes comparatively little to meet the requirements. We have made ice at last and there (pointing to it) is a sample. I retire from the field now, hoping you will find some one to succeed me who will give entire satisfaction."

On motion of H W Guion a committee of two was appointed to draft by-laws, to be submitted to a called meeting of the Stockholders. H W Guion and Col H C Jones were appointed by the Chair to serve on this committee.

Dr J H McAden made a statement concerning the operations of the Directors and commending the earnestness and faithfulness of Mr Fry in manufacturing ice—recommending that he be retained at a salary of one hundred dollars per month.

On motion of H W Guion, amended by W R Cochrane, the time for the election of Directors was changed to the 1st Monday in January hereafter.

On motion of Col J L Brown the stockholders proceeded to elect by ballot a new Board of Directors for the ensuing year, which resulted as follows: Dr J H McAden, P S Whisnant, J J Sims, J L Brown, W R Cochrane, J H Carson and R I McDowell.

On motion of Dr J H McAden the capital stock was increased to $10,000. On motion of J L Brown the Directors were instructed to use their discretion in enforcing the collection of stock yet unpaid.

On motion of W J Yates the Directors were instructed to enquire into and recommend such compensation as may be considered right and proper for the services of Dr Fox since the organization of the company.

On motion of H W Guion the Directors were requested to submit a financial statement, in writing to the next called meeting of the Stockholders.

The meeting then adjourned.

Elevations of Grade at Different Points on the Carolina Central Railroad.—The Polktown *Asionian* has been furnished by H K Nash, Jr, with the following figures, showing the elevation at different points on the Carolina Central Railway:

Elevation at Wadesboro Depot,	416	feet.
" Boggan Cut,	314	"
" Polktown,	302	"
" Beaver Dam,	561	"
" Monroe,	580	"
" Charlotte,	710	"

The Staff-Editorial of the Charlotte OBSERVER, and Brother Stewart, of the Salisbury *Watchman*, are cordially invited to be present at the laying of the corner stone of our new cistern.—*Statesville Landmark.*

Thank you, brother Hussey, but not any for us. Our heart is so full over the success of our ice machine, that we want naught else—not even water works. However, we think it would do brother Stewart good to see the corner stone of some water works laid *somewhere*. He has been waiting a long time for something of the sort at home, but as he isn't likely to see it there, we advise him to "go west"—to Statesville. He'll doubtless go up, but excuse us, please.

Et Tu Furman!—We think it hard enough to be ugly, poor and unsuccessful with the fair sex, without having Furman, of the Asheville *Citizen*, to turn around and tell all about it in his paper. We never expected to live to see the day that Furman would journey back on us in that kind of style and laugh at our calamities; but it has come, and furnishes but another instance of "man's inhumanity to man," and how much better is that than woman's inhumanity, about which our good brother sympathizes with us so deeply?

The Fourth in Charlotte.—No attempt whatever was made to celebrate the Fourth of July in Charlotte by any public demonstration. An excursion train from Columbia the night before had brought about 150 negroes here, and these, added to a large number who came from the county, together with the town darkeys who took holiday, thronged the streets with the sable brethren and sisters, but there was no parade, barbecue, speaking, or anything of the kind. Latterly this race has made a monopoly of the glorious Fourth in the South.

A good many of the gentlemen of the city rested from their labors on this day, and indulged in recreations of different kinds, but there was no general observance of the day, and—well—the Fourth of July ain't what it "used to was," anyhow.

Personal.—V C Barringer, Esq. arrived in the city yesterday.

Col John F Hoke, of Lincolnton, was in the city yesterday.

Maj. H D Lee, of Shelby, one of the candidates for solicitor, in this judicial district, was in Charlotte yesterday.

Col. J H Miller, of the Southern Life Insurance Company is in Charlotte at present. He informs us that the address of the executive committee, of the Charlotte branch of this company, will be forth coming in a few days.

Mr. T A Thompson, Lecturer of the National Grange, Patrons of Husbandry, gave us a call yesterday. Mr T. will lecture in the State, for about a month, in the interest of the order, by request of the Master and executive committee, of the State grange. Elsewhere we publish a list of appointments On the 3d of August, he will commence holding a series of meetings for the benefit of the State deputies, beginning at Charlotte on that day.

Serious Affair.—Quite a serious difficulty, which may probably cause the death of one of the parties, occurred in this city on Sunday afternoon, between two young men, M T Whitlock, who drives the stage of Wadsworth & Davidson, between Charlotte and the head of the Carolina Central Railway, and William Northey, a resident of this place. It appears that Northey, in company with some others, had hired a buggy and horse at the livery stable of J R Davidson, for the purpose of taking a ride. Before the buggy was returned an accident happened to it by which it was slightly broken; this fact being communicated to Whitlock, who is an employee at the stable, he set out on horseback to hunt Northey up—He found him near the Fair Grounds, and taking possession of the horse and buggy, drove off with it toward the stable.

In front of the residence of W W Pegram, Esq, on Morehead street, he stopped to arrange something about the buggy and Northey came up, when Whitlock asked him if he was willing to pay anything for breaking the buggy or harness. To this he replied that he was not, when some sharp words passed between the two. These words resulted in Northey drawing a knife and raking it down Whitlock's arm. The latter then ran around the buggy, pursued by his assailant, and during the race stopped to throw a rock at him. This missed its aim, however, when he threw a clod of dirt at Northey, which struck him in the head. This did not stop him, and finally Whitlock picked up another rock and threw it at his pursuer, this time with better aim, for it struck Northey in the head and knocked him down. Whitlock kicked him twice in the face, and then, riding down town, told a policeman of the facts and advised that something be done to ascertain Northey's condition and to relieve him, at the same time announcing his readiness to surrender himself to the authorities if he had committed any crime.

Meanwhile Northey's family had been apprised of his condition and had him removed to his father's residence, where he was waited upon by Dr R H Gibbon, who ascertained that a considerable piece of the skull had been crushed in and was pressing upon the brain. This was removed as far as possible, and all needful attention given the young man.

Whitlock was taken under arrest and confined in jail until yesterday morning, when he was carried before Justice W F Davidson to answer the charge preferred against him. Geo E Wilson, Esq, appeared for the prisoner, and Hon W M Shipp, for the prosecution. The above facts, substantially, were developed, and also a threat made by Whitlock, a short time before the affray, that he would cut Northey's heart out if he found him, or something of that sort. At the conclusion of the evidence (there were six or eight witnesses) arguments were offered by Judge Shipp and Mr. Wilson, after which the Court decided to bind the prisoner over to answer at Court. He fixed the bond at $1,000, and signers being found for this, he was released from custody

The wounded youth was resting measurably easy at last accounts, but his physician pronounces his condition critical.

Mayor's Court.—Jim Ingram, colored, was up yesterday morning, at the Mayor's entertainment, for a violent assault upon his wife Laura. He beat her over the head and otherwise maltreated her, according to the testimony, injuring her considerably, and for his *unhusbandly* conduct, the Mayor fined James $7.50.

[COMMUNICATED.]

Radicals in Close Communion.

The Radical County Convention met in "Close Communion" at the Third Ward Methodist Church. No spectators were allowed, but we learn that R R Rea was Chairman and Rev Pearsall appointed Secretary, and that a committee of 18 was proposed to confer with a like committee of the bolting Conservatives and make up a mixed ticket of Republicans and Conservatives, and that after very much talk it was adopted with out-croppings of strong sentiments of adhesion to Logan, as Judge. That Logan must be the candidate of the Independent party or combination. That the Judgeship is the one great leading idea of the Republicans, and that all other nominations are to be considered as of secondary importance, and that Logan is *not* to be *given up* under any considerations.

Right here we will report that the Conservative part of this attempted-to-be-gotten-up ticket are equally as strong and determined that Logan shall *not* be voted for or endorsed by them under "no circumstances"—which, taken together, will make the marriage of the Radicals and the bolting Conservatives a most lovely, "happy family." The sandwiching process, after being finished, would look fine if photographed and brought out in the illustrated up-in-a-balloon paper, the *Graphic*. As the action of this *combination committee* is to be a *finality*, you now may see how we

APPLES SWIM.

[ADVERTISEMENT.]

To the Public.

Having learned that Col John F Hoke, in a discussion with D Schenck, Esq, at Charlotte, on the 21st of May, 1874, made a wanton and slanderous attack on my private character, I addressed him the following letter to wit:

WHITE OAK HALL, Polk Co., N. C., May 25th, 1874.

COL JOHN F HOKE: I am informed that you, in a public address, on the 21st inst., in Charlotte, used the following language toward me.

"He is a Tennessee refugee, who fled from Tennessee for killing people. I will charge if I go to Polk, that there was rascality perpetrated by Simpson, in that meeting,—I have found out Simpson is a liar, by letters from Rutherford."

Will you advise me at your earliest convenience, whether or not you used the language, and if so, on what authority, and particularly who is the author or authors, of the "letters from Rutherford," and what these letters state that convinces you that I have been guilty of lying? Very respectfully,

JAMES K SIMPSON.

And received the following reply, with his card of May 23rd, enclosed in which he publicly retracted the charge that "I was a refugee from Tennessee for killing people."

LINCOLNTON, May 28th, 1874.

COL JAS K SIMPSON: Yours of the 25th inst., has just been received, and I state in reply, that I did say in my speech in Charlotte, that you were an East Tennessee refugee, and had "fled from that country for killing people," or something to that effect. I did say that there was rascality shown in the Polk county meeting, towards me, and that if I went to Polk, I would so charge it, or words to that effect. I am unable to tell the exact language used. I did not say that I had found out that Simpson was a liar by letters from Rutherford, nor did I say anything of the kind, nor allude to letters having been received, nor had I received any letters of that kind. The only allusion to yourself was your refugeeing from Tennessee for crime, and your action in the Polk county meeting. I send you a card, by which you can see how I now stand, and what my sentiments are. Having answered your interogatories, will you inform me who your informant is? Very respectfully.

J. F. HOKE.

Card.

LINCOLNTON, May 23, 1874.

In the discussion in Charlotte, between Mr. Schenck and myself, I spoke of Colonel Simpson, of Polk, in the heat of debate, as having refugeed from Tennessee for crime. In this, I am satisfied that I did Col Simpson injustice, and desire to make a public correction. I would not do any man an injury, and will not if I know it. My comments on Col Simpson's action in the Polk County Convention, were deserved and will be sustained. J. F. HOKE.

Southern Home and *Democrat* please copy.

In order to show that the charge of "rascality being perpetrated by me in the Polk County Meeting," *is false*, and undeserved, and cannot be sustained, I herewith publish the following certificate, *signed by every Conservative who was in that meeting*, except myself. *The names include those who voted for Hoke and Shipp*, as well as those who voted for Schenck:

Certificate.

We, the undersigned, citizens of Polk county, have been reliably informed that Col J F Hoke charged in a late speech, that he made in Charlotte, that our fellow-citizen, Col Jas K Simpson, "perpetrated rascality," in the Convention that met in Columbus, on the 2nd day of May, to appoint delegates to the Judicial Convention of this District. We, having participated in that Convention, feel that it is our duty to state, in justice to ourselves, and to Col Simpson, that the charge is without foundation and *untrue*. Col Simpson did not, before the Convention, speak a disrespectful word of any man, nor did he show any disposition whatever to take any undue advantage of any one of the aspirants. The vote given in the Convention is sufficient to convince any unprejudiced man, that there was no necessity for any one to resort to any unfair means to secure the nomination for Mr Schenck; for out of 43 votes, Mr Schenck received 35, and the two other aspirants received 8 between them. There are five townships in this county, and every one was represented in the County Convention:

June 3rd, 1874. T G Ridings, Chairman, J B Weaver, Waddy Thompson, R P Lankford, Jas H Arms, James Morris, C P Williams, Nathan Williams, B T Morris, James Ridings, Ransom Ponder, P B Scruggs, W S Ridings, J W Williams, J C McFarland, G G Weaver, Richard Tallent, N H Hill, D V Rhodes, Wm H McFarland, Thos Liles, W V Sevier, Joseph Smarley, L W Smarley, S F Alverson, J B Giles, C McK Fergans, George Fergans, J S Ballinger, J B Swein, James D Jackson, R S McFarland, R M Moore, C C Hinsdale, Fielding Giles, John W McFarland, J C Camp, G J Mills, Lewis Cowart, W A Mills, R C Tallent.

My character needed no vindication in Tennessee, where I was born and raised or in Polk county where I have resided eleven years. I publish the above evidence for the benefit of those persons who have heard the slanders, and are unacquainted with the facts. Let an impartial public say whether the charges are true, or whether I have been misrepresented. JAMES K SIMPSON.

WHITE OAK HALL, Polk County, June 29, 1874.

And now ex-Senator John Pool, of North Carolina, is reported to be an applicant for Col. Whitley's place as chief of the secret service division of the Treasury Department. A few days and months ago he was an aspirant for cabinet honors. The next we hear of him will probably be as a candidate for an appointment on the police force. But as usual, he will fail—*Washington Republican.*

This looks as if the mighty had fallen!—*Spartanburg News.*

MCCOOK'S MURDERER.—Chief Justice Sherman of Dakota, yesterday overruled the motion for a new trial in the Wintermute case, and sentenced him to ten years' imprisonment The defendant's counsel intimate their intention to submit the case to the supreme court of the territory, which meets in Yankton next month.

A CALL TO THE CHURCHES.—By instruction from the Executive Committee of the Mecklenburg County Bible Society. I earnestly call upon Pastors of the Protestant Churches of this county to take up collections for the benefit of the County Bible Society during the present month and forward the same to Gen. John A. Young, on or before Aug. 1st, 1874, so that the amounts collected may be included in his next annual report of the society which meets at Back Creek A. R. Church, August 12th, 1874. The different Churches will please send delegates to that meeting.

S. W. REID, Prest.

A BRASS key, evidently the key to a safe, has been found on the streets, and left at this office. This is to notify the owner (which we probably wouldn't do if we knew where the safe is.)

PEOPLE'S CANDIDATE.

WE ARE AUTHORIZED to announce Dr. M. M. Orr, as the peoples candidate for the Senate, to be voted for at the coming election in August next.

te MANY VOTERS.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

I announce myself an independent farmers' candidate for Congress, from the Sixth Congressional District, knowing no party and acknowledging no affiliation with any party. E. C. DAVIDSON.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

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

W H H HOUSTON.

May 15,

ANNOUNCEMENT.

The many friends of Wm. P. Little, announce him as a candidate for Sheriff of Mecklenburg county, subject only to the vote of the people, at the election in August next. And if elected, he will not ask for any relief from the County Commissioners on account of delinquent tax payers.

May 24th, 1874.

The Disease of Civilization.

Dr Warren, author of the "Household Physician," tells us that dyspepsia is a disease of civilization—that savages know nothing of it. We do not believe the latter statement. Savages sometimes gorge themselves until they can scarcely move; and as they are human beings, and not anacondas, they must necessarily suffer the pangs of indigestion. Undoubtedly, however, in consequence of their luxurious habits, the civilized and enlightened portion of mankind are most subject to dyspepsia.—This being the case, what are the civilized and enlightened dyspeptics going to do about it? What a large proportion of them are doing about it now is simply this: they are taking Hostetter's Stomach Bitters as a remedy with unvarying and complete success. From all parts of the United States, from all the Spanish republics, from the West Indies, from various parts of Europe, and from the antipodes, Australasia, evidences of its unrivalled properties as a specific for casual and chronic indigestion is continually being received. The result is that the consumption of the great tonic and alterative is rapidly increasing throughout the civilized world. The nations, near and remote, as well as our own people, have discovered that as a preventive and remedy for diseases of the digestive organs, and all ailments of the liver, bowels, nerves and general system, which are generated or aggravated by imperfect digestion, it has no equal either among official or proprietary medicines.

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New Advertisements.

OFFICIAL DRAWINGS OF THE

N. C. Beneficial Association.

CHARLOTTE, July 4, 1874.

CLASS 16, drawn at 12 M.—40, 30, 29, 3, 43, 24, 11, 60, 15, 36 64 46, 16.

CLASS 17, drawn at 5 P. M.—29, 31, 55, 72, 41, 41, 74, 38, 57, 27, 69, 20, 58.

Class 18, drawn at 9 P. M.—29, 52, 43, 67, 3, 26, 54, 49, 51, 76, 71, 22, 10, 4.

July 6, 1874.

CLASS 19, drawn at 12 M.—57, 59, 14, 40, 69, 20, 27, 68, 9, 48, 26, 60.

CLASS 20, drawn at 5 P. M.—1, 70, 51, 45, 48, 3, 74, 12, 2, 75, 1, 26, 10.

Nos. 1, 2 and 3 drew $120. Cost $1.

CLASS 21, drawn at 9 P. M.—78, 55, 9, 75, 35, 49, 44, 32, 78, 21, 77.

Nos. 9, 21 and 35 drew $200. Cost $1.

J N WILLIAMS, Commissioner.

"Pioneers,"

MEET promptly at City Hall this (Thursday) evening at 7½ o'clock. Business important. Applications for membership should be sent in this evening. By order of the President.

L G DENSON, Secretary.

AUCTION SALES THIS DAY.

By C. F. Harrison.

I WILL sell this morning at 11 o'clock, in front of my store, the following articles: 1 Bed Stead, 1 Bureau, 1 Wash Stand, 1 small Table, 1 Set Chairs, 1 Rocker, 4 Spittoons, 1 Hair Mattress, 1 Schuck Mattress, 2 Pillows, &c, &c. Terms cash. july 7.—1t

HOUSE TO RENT.

A HOUSE with 6 rooms, besides kitchen, located on 6th street, opposite Gov Vance's. For particulars, call on DR GREENE, je7 1w over Wilson & Black's Drug Store.

NOTICE.

ALL parties concerned are hereby notified that the firm of Mercer of Jewelers, dissolved copartnership June 24th, 1874 the said firm are responsible for all debts contracted prior to that time. WM H MERCER. je7 2t

NOTICE.

J P ALEXANDER, J P Registrar in Ward No 1, Charlotte, will attend at the office of the Rock Island Factory, for the purpose of registering voters from Monday, the 5th July, to the 5th day of August, 1874, between the hours of 11 A M, to 3 o'clock P M.

july4—tf.

New North Carolina Roe Herring.

5 HALF bbls of choice North Carolina Roe Herring, just received. Also, 4 packages of nice butter, eggs, chickens, &c., in general variety. Don't forget our terms are strictly LOW FOR CASH. B N SMITH.

P. LUDWIG.

UNTIL the first of this month, under W R Cochrane's, will re-open next Monday, in the basement of the New Idea Saloon. Lager, Ale and Porter, sent to domiciles at $1.50 per dozen, bottles to be returned. Lager on draft sold as soon as his new ice pump will be mounted. july4-tf.

TO LET!

THE large and elegant new store room under the Opera House, with firm dry basement. Dimensions 68 x 52 feet, height 16 feet. Apply soon to

CARSON & SANDERS.

july 4

NEW WHEAT FLOUR

WE have just received 60 sacks NEW WHEAT FLOUR, which we are offering at reasonable prices.

July4-2t G W CHALK & CO.

DRIED BEEF.

WE have just received another lot of splendid DRIED BEEF, something that is nice.—Call at J L BROTHERS & CO.

july 2.

ONLY THINK.

YOU can buy good common molasses for 35 cents per gallon, by the barrel, at

july 2 MAYER, GREY & ROSS'S.

WONDERS NEVER CEASE.

FOR HOWE,

The Great Original Candy Man.

still throws out his

GOLD AND SILVER COINS,

TO ADVERTISE HIS

CELEBRATED COUGH CANDY

Permanently Situated over Henderson's Store, Trade Street.

july 1,—tf.

Puff! Puff!! Puff!!!

Smoke! Smoke!! Smoke!!!

THE best Cigars in the city, Fine Cut, Sunny Side and Solace Chewing Tobacco, and Durham and other fancy brands, Pipes and Stems.

Lemon Sugar, Lemon Syrup, Lemons and Oranges, Cocoanuts, Japanese Cocoanut, Sturp's Green and Black Tea, candies, nuts, figs, currants, citron, raisins and prunes. All of the very best at the RISING SUN.

july 1. C S HOLTON & CO.

THE NORTH CAROLINA

Beneficial Association.

Chartered by Spe'l Act of the Legislature.

MANAGERS Office, Trade Street, opposite Market House, Charlotte, N. C.

Supplementary Drawings Daily,

IN PUBLIC,

at 12 M., 5 P. M., and 9 P. M.,

11, 12, 13, 14 and 15 ballots, according to advertised classes. Prizes from $100 to $10,000 drawn for

EACH DAY.

Certificates 25 cents to $1.00 may be obtained at the Managers Office, or from any of the authorized Agents of the Association.

Correspondence solicited, considered strictly confidential, and promptly attended to.—Every information will be cheerfully given to enquirers.

Purchasers may select their own numbers at any price they please, prizes are paid in proportion to amount invested.

All communications must be addressed and drafts or Post Office Orders made payable to J N WILLIAMS, Manager.

july 1 P O Box, 12, Charlotte, N. C.

SCHOOL NOTICE.

MRS. Gallman will open school at her residence, corner B., and 7th streets, Monday, 6th July, 1874.

TERMS, per scholastic month:

Primary Department,	$2.00
Intermediate,	$3.00
Higher Branches,	$4.00

CHARLOTTE, N. C., June 27th, 1874.—eod2w.

Architect.

GEORGE WELCH will have pleasure in furnishing designs and complete plans and specifications for buildings of every kind.

Refer to L. W. Sanders, Esq, or J H Carson, Esq.

Room 37, Central Hotel.

GEORGE WELCH, Architect,

my14,2mo

Country Hams.

JUST received a fine lot of very nice and sound Country Hams, ranging from 6 to 15 lbs., at B. N. SMITH'S.

june 30.—tf.

SEGARS!

JUST received, another invoice of very superior Segars, which will be sold very low at PUREFOY'S.

june 90.—tf.

ENTRACTUS!

ENTRACTUS Cigarettes, for sale at 25 cents a box, at PUREFOY'S

june 30.—tf.

NEW ORLEANS MOLASSES, White Wine and Cider Vinegar.

MAYER, GRAY & ROSS

Real Estate Loans.

WE have on hand $100,000, in cash, to loan, at 6 per cent., on country real estate.

For particulars address, with stamp,

june12,3mow EMERY, WELLS & CO, 122, La Salle St., Chicago, Ill.

Dried Beef.

JUST RECEIVED, a lot of elegant sugar cured canvassed beef, without bone.—Call soon at

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Honey, Butter, Eggs, &c.

ANOTHER lot of that fine Mountain Honey; also, choice fresh Butter, fresh eggs, spring Chickens and other family groceries just received at the cheap cash store of

je18 B. N. SMITH.