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CHARLOTTE N. C. WEDNESDAY, JULY 8, 1874.

No. 1,655.

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Silver Gloss Starch.
For the Laundry
MANUFACTURED BY
T. KINGSFORD & SON,
HAR BROSOME A.
HOUSEHOLD NECESSITY.
Its great excellence has merited the commendation of Europe for American manufactures.
Pulverized Corn Starch.
PREPARED BY
T. KINGSFORD & SON,
Expressly for food, when it is properly made into Puddings, is a desert of great excellence.
For Sale by all First-class Grocers.
June 6, 1874.

IMPORTANT TO FARMERS
AND PLANTERS
MAKE YOUR OWN
Super Phosphates & Fertilizers.
And save from 10 to 20 Dollars per Ton. Get the best.
Pure Ground Bone and Chemicals.

Oil of Vitriol, Mariate of Potash, Ground Plaster, Nitrate and Sulphate of Soda, Carbonate and Sulphate of Ammonia and Sulphate of Magnesia.
Send for Catalogue of Prices.
R. J. BAKER & CO.
28 and 38 South Charles St., Baltimore, Md.
June 28—endless—Wm.

TO BUILDERS & LUMBER DEALERS.
HAVING located in the finest timber region in Western North Carolina, I am prepared to furnish
All kinds of Lumber
at my mill on the W. N. C. R. R., at short notice, and any desired length under 55 feet, on seasonal terms.
I will make a liberal exchange with any person who will patronize and can supply me with such articles as may be needed for my employees.
I have 6 to 100 acres of Land for sale to suit purchasers; well watered, good timber, and healthy, on and near W. N. C. R. R.
J. E. MORRISON,
Statesville, N. C.

BLATCHLEY'S
Improved Chamber Wood Pump, Tasterless, Durable, Efficient and cheap. The best Pump for the least money. Attention is especially invited to Blatchley's Patent Improved Blatchley and New Drop Check Valve, which can be withdrawn without the Pump, or disturbing the joints. Also, the copper chamber which never cracks or leaks, will outlast any other. For sale by dealers and the trade generally. Inquire for Blatchley's Pump, and if not for sale in your town, send direct to
CHAS. G. BLATCHLEY,
Manufacturer,
506 Commerce St., Philadelphia, Pa.
May 22.

COPARTNERSHIP NOTICE.
The undersigned take pleasure in informing hereby that they have formed a copartnership business, in the city of Charlotte, under the firm name of **ROOPMANN & ROTHSCHILD.**
They are now receiving an immense stock of **MINERAL GOODS, FANCY GOODS, WHITE GOODS and NOTIONS,** and respectfully solicit a share of the public patronage.
Mr. B. Koopmann takes this method to tender his sincere thanks to his friends and former partners for the patronage heretofore so liberally bestowed upon him, and hopes that the same will be continued to the new firm.
Those indebted to him are respectfully requested to come forward, and settle with the new firm. Either of us is authorized to receive for the same.
B. ROOPMANN,
June 28—lm.

BUILDERS ATTENTION!
WING'S
SASH, BLIND and DOOR Manufacturing, S. Columbia South Carolina.
Turnouts on Sash, Blinds, Doors, Mantels, Bracketts, Mouldings, Serryl Work, Ballusters, Hand Ralls and every article used in house finishing, of a superior quality, and at prices which defy competition.
C. F. HARRISON, Agent
apl. 12.

THE NORTH CAROLINA Beneficial Association.
Chartered by Special 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 advertisement. Prizes from \$100 to \$500 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, confidential, and promptly attended to. Enquiries.
Patrons may select their own numbers at any price they please; prizes are paid in proportion to amount invested.
All communications must be addressed to Managers or Post Office Orders made payable to J. N. WILLIAMS, Manager, P. O. Box 12, Charlotte, N. C.

MANSION HOUSE,
GREENVILLE, S. C.
J. W. Gray, Proprietor.
THE only first class Hotel between Charlotte and Atlanta. This Hotel has just been repainted and returned to its original condition, and is situated in the most convenient to the business part of the city.
Omnibus to and from the depot. March 15 th

Architect.
GEORGE WELCH will have pleasure in furnishing designs and estimates, plans and specifications for buildings of every kind.
Refer to L. W. Sanders, Esq., or J. H. Carlan, Esq.
Room 37, Central Hotel.
GEORGE WELCH,
Architect,
my14.2mo

Smoke! Smoke! Smoke!
THE best Cigars in the city. Pine Cut, Sun-Burned, and other fine brands. Cigars by Side and Solera. Cheating Tobacco, and Durham and other fancy brands, Pipes and Stems.
Lemon Sugar, Lemon Syrup, Lemons and Oranges, Cocoanuts, Japanese Concoats, Sugar's Green and Black Tea, Vanilla, Peppermint, Currants, Citron, Raisins and Prunes. All of the very best at the **TRADING STORE.**
J. H. HOLTON & CO.
July 1.

Sweet Potatoes.
CAN it be possible? Yes, it is really so, and no mistake, because I sell my goods actually for cash, and the more you buy the more I get. This is the only way to get the money to get just what you want. Also, I get bills for more of those fine planting Irish Potatoes. By buying a bushel, you will be too late for your present sale just like you did before. Also, I sell a fine sort of Scotch Sausage, at the cheap cash price of 30c—1 lb. D. L. WHITE, College St., Charlotte, N. C.

Just Received at E. Shrier's
TEMPLE OF FASHION.
A FINE assortment of the very latest styles of Coats and Vests.
Also some superior White and Fancy Marcella and Linen Duck Vests, all of the above goods I will sell at very low figures. Examine and examine them.
June 21—w.

SCHOOL NOTICE.
MRS. Galloway will open school at her residence, corner B. and 7th Streets, Monday, 6th July.
TERMS, per scholars month: \$2.00.
Primary Department, \$3.00.
Intermediate, \$4.00.
Higher Branches, \$5.00.
CHARLOTTE, N. C., June 2th, 1874—end2w.

Dried Beef.
JUST RECEIVED, a lot of elegant sugar cured canvassed beef, without bone. Call soon.
J. L. BROTHERS & CO.
my20

Honey, Butter, Eggs, &c.
ANOTHER lot of that fine Mountain Honey. Also, choose fresh Butter, fresh Eggs, and other goods. To be returned to the series just received at the cheap cash store of
J. E. MORRISON,
Statesville, N. C.

Coffee!
BEST, 4 lbs to the dollar.
J. S. WILLIAMSON & CO.
my14

P. LUDWIG.
UNTIL the first of this month, under W. B. Coker's will, I will receive all orders for the New Era Saloon, Lager, Ale and Porter, sent to dwellings at 10 per cent, bottles to be returned. Lager on draft sold as soon as his new pump will be mounted.
July 4—4f.

Country Hams.
JUST received a fine lot of very nice and sound Country Hams, ranging from 6 to 20 lbs. Call soon.
B. N. SMITH,
June 30—1f.

SEGARS!
JUST received another invoice of very superior Segars, which will be sold very low at
PUREFOXY'S.
June 30—4f.

EXTRACTS!
PUREFOXY'S Cigarettes, for sale at 25 cents a box, at
PUREFOXY'S.
June 30—4f.

BOLTED MEAL,
JUST RECEIVED, an elegant lot of BOLTED MEAL call soon and get your supply at
J. L. BROTHERS & CO.
June 23.

**ALL kinds of syrups and molasses at retail at
BEEL & PERDUW'S.
June 23.**

WALTER BREM & CO'S
200 BARRELS OF FLOUR,
4,000 lbs Tennessee Hams, on sale wholesale and retail at
J. H. HOLTON & CO.
June 11.

WALTER BREM & CO'S
SIMMONS' Hepatic Compound, Simon's Liver Regulator, Home Bitters, Hostetter's Bitters.
June 12.

WALTER BREM & CO'S
SIMMONS' Hepatic Compound, a new remedy for Liver Disease, Dyspepsia and Debilis, just received at
June 16.

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One Square one time, \$1.00
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Four days, 2.50
Five days, 3.00
One week, 5.00
Two weeks, 8.00
Three weeks, 10.00
One month, 12.00
Contract Advertisements taken at proportionally low rates.
Five Squares estimated at a quarter-column, and ten squares as a half-column.

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

PLACE.	OPENING.	CLOSING.
North Mall,	8 A. M.	6 P. M.
South Mall,	7 1/2 P. M.	9 P. M.
Air-Line Mail,	8 1/2 A. M.	9 P. M.
Sta-ville Mail,	10 1/2 A. M.	2 P. M.
Linn-colton Mail,	5 1/2 P. M.	7 P. M.
Wend-shoro Mail,	7 1/2 A. M.	7 P. M.
Bea-hick's Ford Mail arrives Mondays and leaves Tuesdays.		

CHARLOTTE MARKETS.
[Corrected Daily.]
Cotton Market.
CHARLOTTE, N. C., July 7, 1874.

MARKET.	PRICE.
Wool—Washed, 180	
Wool—Unwashed, 175	
Wool—Superior, 180	
Wool—Medium, 175	
Wool—Low, 170	

Country Produce.
[Changing Rates.]
Bacon—Ham, 12 1/2
Shoulders, 12 1/2
Hog Round, 12 1/2
Butter—Choice, 25
Brandy—Apple, (N. C.) 2 1/2
Peach, 2 1/2
Eggs—White, 1.10-1.12
Mixed, 1.05-1.07
Flour—Family, 3.75-4.00
Extra, 3.50-3.75
Supra, 3.25-3.50
Fruit—Dried Apples, 25
Peaches, 12
Blackberries, 18-20
Chickens, spring, 1.75-2.00
Turkeys, per pair, 4.00-4.50
Ducks, per pair, 4.00-4.50
Holes—Dry, 12-18
Green, 12-18
Lard—Good, none
Common, none
Mead—White, 1.10-1.15
Oats—Black, 60-75
White, 50-65
Onions—75 a 90 (57 lbs to bushel)
Pears—Pure clay, 75-80
Mixed, 75-80
Potatoes—Irish, 81
Valley, Sweet, 7 a 8
Wheat—Red, per bush, 1.75-2.00
White, 1.75-2.00
Wool—Tub washed, 180
Unwashed, 175

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ONE OF THE LARGEST, BEST AND CHEAPEST PAPERS
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THE only Daily Paper in the State, West of Raleigh, under its new management, has been greatly enlarged, and other improvements introduced.
THE WEEKLY OBSERVER is a large thirty-two column folio, and without boasting claims to give more reading matter in proportion to the subscription price, than any other paper in the State.

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is very large throughout the State, and is constantly increasing.

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Three copies, for one year, 5 00
Four copies, for one year, 7 00
Five copies, for one year, 8 50
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Twenty copies, for one year, 30 00
To every paper of a CLUB OF TEN, one copy will be sent free for one year.
Address: OBSERVER, Charlotte, N. C.

PINE French Brandy received to-day.
June 12
W. B. BURWELL & CO.

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.

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

LOCAL NOTES.
Too hot and lazy yesterday to cogitate. However, the candy man, is the sensation now. There are whispers of more independent candidates.
Candidates is treatin' already. How nice to be a voter!
There were no cases yesterday before the Mayor or any of the Magistrates.
Miss Hattie Moore will re-open her school in this city on the first of October.
All the mechanics in the city are busily engaged at present, working on the different houses in process of construction.
The police are killing the collarless dogs. They shoot them generally about day light, and from that time to 6 o'clock.
Our citizens are leaving town as fast as they can, and getting to the mountains and seaside. Many of them are now absent.
There was a great calm in every quarter of the city yesterday. A dog fight anywhere would have attracted a regiment of people.
The new store being built by Messrs Sims and Dowd will be ready for the timbers by Saturday evening, 78,000 bricks have already been laid on it.
Mr. Gallman proposes to water the streets in front of the business houses of the city for \$75 per week, and will proceed so to do as soon as the amount named is subscribed.

The condition of the young man Northey, who was struck in the head with a rock on Sunday and seriously injured, was not materially changed yesterday. He is likely to recover unless inflammation of the brain sets in.

By a typographical error, the meeting of the Pioneer Fire Company was advertised in yesterday's paper to take place on Thursday night instead of last night. The first Tuesday night of each month is its regular time of meeting.
We would notify the public that the registration books are now open, and the registrars are waiting for the citizens to come up and register in time for the August election. This has to be done at some time and it is better to do it at once.
The law requires the banks to make a periodic exhibit of their condition. The Observer would like to know the condition of some of our banks. It is not our province to say in our advertising columns for any such publication.
We desire to enter our most solemn protest against persons engaged in moving houses, moving them immediately across the pavements, and leaving them there over night. This is something to which pedestrians ought not to be asked to submit.

A firm in this city received a telegram yesterday from New York, informing them that the first bale of cotton this season had been shipped North from Texas, on the 4th of July. If we get blooms here by the 4th of July, we are doing well.
Business is mighty dull, but you can't get a clerk to acknowledge it. They sit down and snooze away, then waking suddenly up, rush across the street in their shirt sleeves, pocket handkerchief sticking from the rear, and find space in our advertising columns for any such publication.

It is not generally known, yet it is a fact, that the farmers of Mecklenburg alone have now a million and a half of dollars locked up in the bank vaults of Charlotte. This can be said of no other county in the State, or of the South, that we know of, and is at a time when taxation and government extravagance, waste and corruption have run riot with the substance of the land.
That the farmers have prospered is an evidence of the capacity and character of our surrounding country. That they have prospered in spite of the circumstances of governmental misrule and in some instances, a complete demoralization of our labor system, is another evidence of what can be done by pluck, energy and perseverance, in a country enjoying the natural advantages which we do. That our merchants have prospered under such circumstances is a matter of course.

THE COMET! THE COMET!
Light Wanted! Help Wanted!
Now that the Comet has actually made its appearance, away over in the North-west, just about three-quarters of an hour high, just above the Middle Institute, as seen from the public square at 8 P. M., the lovers of astronomy, lovers of stars, twilight and moonlight lovers, just dry so, are anticipating a glorious time for the next fortnight or three weeks. But how are we to get along without a telescope? A telescope! "My horse for a telescope," as Richard the III said, or worse to that effect. Won't somebody buy a telescope for the benefit of the public. Let some of our public-spirited fellow citizens, whose business and fortunes are prosperous, earn for themselves the well-nigh forgotten distinction of benefactors by providing a telescope, so that everybody can take a peep at the Comet life-size. It would not cost a great deal. Just let some lucky dealer in cotton close out his "futures" and invest in the last revised edition of old Galileo. And if there is any thing over, we will take a pocket edition of that latest invention by which they are going to see what the thing's tail, as well as its head, is made of. Whether feathers, bone, hair, haze, dust, electricity, or what not.
Put if we are doomed to let the grand aerial pageant come and go without beholding it through a telescope, or microscope, surely some mathematician, scientist, gentleman or scholar will tell us how to pronounce its name. That will be some help. Scoggio, is it? Scocio, Shozio, Soogio or Scenzo, or something else. It is to be deplored that such a pretty Comet, with its sparkling, spreading peacock tail, has such an ugly name, though it will be a great satisfaction in reading about it and talking about it to know what to call it.

THE Excursion to Morehead City and Beaufort.—A grand excursion will take place from this city to Morehead City and Beaufort, leaving here on Tuesday, the 14th, and reaching Morehead on the morning of the 15th. This trip will be one of the most delightful imaginable. At this fearfully hot period the sea breeze is delightfully cool and invigorating, and the surf-bathing is a luxury indeed. No one who can possibly go on this excursion should miss it, for the trip is one well worth taking. Fare for the round trip from Charlotte is \$60 (very low), and from intermediate points on the line it is proportionately lower. A pony penning will take place on the 16th, and on the evening of that day a grand dress ball. Returning the train will leave on the evening of the 17th.

Steam Flouring and Grist Mill.—Work has for some time been in progress upon the steam flouring and grist mill which Capt. E. D. Graham is having built near Ahrens's saw mill, close to the Air-Line engine house, and before a great while the mill will be finished. Its dimensions are 55x55 feet; the walls are 2-1/2 feet thick, and the house will be three stories high. It will be run by a 60-horse-power engine, and everything about it in the way of machinery, &c., will be complete.

Singular.—A gentleman living in this county says that, a week or two ago, he found on his farm a partridge nest which had in it two partridge eggs and one hen egg. He left it undisturbed, and going back a few days afterwards, found that the old partridge had hatched out the hen egg and was marching around with a young chicken for whom she was performing all the functions of a mother. We'll put Mecklenburg county against the world for curious birds and animals.

The address of the Executive Committee of the Southern Life Insurance Company, will appear tomorrow.
The hop at the Central last night was a brilliant affair, and was kept up until the wee sma' hours of the morning.

Charlotte and Her Business.
"Little drops of water,"
Some time ago, believing that it would benefit both ourself and our patrons, we commenced the publication of such notices of our advertisers as we thought they deserved. Our space has been occupied for the past few weeks, to the exclusion of further notices until now. They will bring their reward, both to us and our friends, we have not the least doubt. We doubt if a more extensive advertisement could well be gotten up, or one which will in the end, bring a richer reward. In the first place, the sketches already published in the DAILY OBSERVER, were also published in our weekly edition. They were also copied into the Tobacco Leaf, printed in this office. Now, the combined circulation of these papers, is not less than forty-five hundred. Giving five readers to each paper, and that is below the average, not less than twenty-five thousand readers have read the articles in regard to "Charlotte and her business."
In addition to this, several of our contemporaries who have considerable advertising patronage from our merchants, have copied some of the allusions to our business men, which has added also largely to the circulation of our articles.

If we may be the instrument of good to our community, or add a dollar to the wealth and prosperity of our city, we may be able to add a small fraction of it to our treasury. When our community is prosperous, we hope to be. When that is not so, we cannot expect it. We have carefully excluded from our columns, that class of advertising called "paid locals," but in our conduct of this journal, we shall endeavor just as rigidly to "render unto Caesar, the things that are Caesar's."

Every prosperous business community, owes its existence generally to its live, business, liberal and public spirited men. Be it our privilege to commend them and their actions to the hearty sympathy and commendation of their fellows, in the race for progress and advancement. With these preliminary remarks, we resume our pen pictures of our city and its business.

Contrary to the general laws of trade, Charlotte has become one of the leading and important grocery markets of the South. We say contrary to the general laws of trade, because groceries are generally very heavy articles of merchandise, and we have been in the habit of buying such goods in quantities at our sea ports, where dealers have the advantage of shipping facilities. Water carriage has, in all ages, been the cheapest mode of transportation, and it will probably ever remain so. Every inland city then, must have some advantage to enable her to compete with her more fortunate sisters, or she will fall behind in the race for progress. While Charlotte can not boast of a sea port, she is the terminus of several of the leading railroads, which go to make up the iron chain that links the destiny of a common country into one of general interest. Ships, laden with the famed wheat of the Indies, do not pour their treasures into her bosom, until they have first passed through other hands, or if the merchandise has been bought and imported by our own merchants, as it is in many instances, it must pay a small tribute to the port of entrance, but by being able to get the benefit of through rates, our merchants are able to sell such goods at a very slight advance on the port—so slight indeed, that Charlotte has gained the reputation, and justly too, of being the cheapest grocery market in the South, away from the sea shore. She enjoys the enviable advantage of being located at the terminus of roads, leading directly to Charleston and Norfolk, the sea best harbors in the South, while the port of Wilmington will be at her door, upon the completion of the Carolina Central Railroad—say 1st September.

While she has the disadvantage of being at a distance from a sea port, she has the immense advantage of being situated in the heart of one of the best farming countries on the globe, and one of the best recognized commercial marts for that class of country comprising the whole of Western North Carolina, and all of upper South Carolina. It is the cotton market for all this country, and this at once gives it a prominence among our Southern cities, which no other industry or enterprise could confer.

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Conservative Convention in Gaston.
The Democratic Convention of Gaston county met in Convention at Dallas on the 4th of July, 1874, and organized by calling Col. L. A. Mason in the chair, and requesting W. D. Gilmer to act as Secretary.
After transacting the usual preliminary business the following gentlemen were nominated for the several offices:
Col. W. A. Stowe, House of Representatives.
R. D. Rhyme, Sheriff.
J. N. Thorne, Clerk of Superior Court.
J. G. Lewis, Register of Deeds.
J. A. Davenport, Treasurer.
A. L. Henderson, Surveyor.
J. Oats, Coroner.
M. D. Friday, J. Lusk, James McNair, A. B. Titman and Geo. K. Tate, for County Commissioners.
On motion the following resolution was unanimously adopted:
"That this Convention tender the thanks of the Conservative of Gaston county to Thomas Wilson, Esq., former Treasurer, for his able management of the county finances; that we fully endorse his course, and that our action to-day contains no reflection upon his official integrity or conduct."
On motion the Secretary was instructed to furnish a copy of the minutes of the Convention to the Charlotte papers, and request them to publish the same.
After this the Convention adjourned.

SPEAKING IN CONCORD.—From passengers who arrived in this city yesterday afternoon, from Concord, we learn that Hon. T. S. Ashe, our member of and candidate for Congress, opened the campaign, and spoke to a large crowd, in that town yesterday. His address was said to have been long and able. Mr. A. was followed by Mr. P. B. Means, candidate for the House, in a stirring speech of considerable length. Messrs Schenck and Hoke were both present, but neither spoke. Mr. Ashe announced that one or both of these gentlemen will speak in Concord next Tuesday. In the meantime an attempt will be made to harmonize the discordant elements.

The Cows.—We are friendly to the animals, but like everything else, they should be kept in place. If you maintain that the streets and pavements are not the proper places for them. Of late, our authorities have become rather lax in the enforcement of the city regulations on this question, and much complaint from the citizens is the result. These complaints are both just and natural. It is a wise provision in the city ordinances against cows running at large in the streets, for certainly they are great nuisances when allowed thus to roam around unmolested. A gentleman told us that, three successive mornings last week, he woke up to find that cows had been in his yard eating his grass and destroying his shrubbery, and it was only by tying his gate fast and firm with a rope, that he succeeded now in keeping them out.
This is only one of the many objections to their running at large. We hope the policies will see the necessity of keeping them from the streets, which can easily be done by a strict enforcement of the ordinance to which we have referred.

Proceedings of the Board of County Commissioners.—The Board of County Commissioners met at the Court House in Charlotte on the 6th day of July, 1874. Present: T. L. Vail, Chairman; R. L. DeArmond, Thos. Gluyas, Wm. H. Neal, M. M. Orr.
A number of orders for the payment of money were passed. We omit these.
Ordered by the Board that a license to retail spirits until the 1st day of April, next, be granted to D. A. McCord by paying the tax required by law.

Ordered by the Board that T. L. Vail, M. M. Orr and E. A. Osborne be and are hereby appointed a committee to take such steps as they may deem necessary in order to obtain a suitable place and nurse for the infant child left in Charlotte about the 2d of July, 1874.

Ordered by the Board that the following named persons be and they are hereby appointed managers of the elections in said county on the 6th day of August, next, for Member of Congress, Judge and Solicitor of the 9th Judicial District, Superintendent of Public Schools, members of the Legislature and county officers:
Charlotte Township, Ward No. 1.—W. R. Myers, F. W. Ahrens, Jas. M. Davis, David R. Leek.
Ward No. 2.—John L. Morehead, John L. Brown, B. F. Morrow, Ed. Madden.
Ward No. 3.—S. H. Davis, J. C. Burroughs, C. J. Cowles, A. H. Craswell.
Ward No. 4.—J. J. Sims, F. A. McIninch, James Hart, W. J. Hays.
Berryhill Township.—T. B. Pierce, Wm. Brown, Sam'l Berryhill, R. D. Collins.
Steele Creek Township.—W. Reid, Moses N. Hart, Presley Melton, M. B. Swan.
Sharon.—T. B. McKee, Arnold Alexander, H. B. Reid, C. H. Wolfe.
Providence.—H. H. Peoples, Jas. B. Robinson, G. C. Morris, W. A. Knox.
Clear Creek.—D. W. Flow, D. M. Miller, J. M. Beaver, Robert Wilson.
Crab Orchard.—Wm. McCombs, R. R. King, Sam'l Christenburg, Jas. R. Hutchison.
Mallard Creek, Box No. 1.—Nat. Monteith, W. B. Cochrane, B. S. Ferral, Eli Christenburg.
Box No. 2.—Isaac Mason, S. C. Hunter, T. M. Alexander, R. A. McNeely.
Deeweese, Box No. 1.—J. R. Gillespie, Martin Ochler, H. B. Hall, H. P. Helper.
Box No. 2.—J. L. Johnston, W. S. Samsan, T. S. Barnett, John Steinhorse.
Lemley.—L. A. Potts, W. B. Withers, Stanhope Brown, Eli Alexander.
Long Creek.—D. P. Dixon, J. M. Sample, J. N. Kerr, John Hannah.
Paw Creek.—T. T. McCord, T. T. Sandifer, David Fite, Sidney T. Abernathy.
Morning Star.—Joseph H. Irwin, John R. Hood, S. N. Stillwell, John R. Morris.
Pineville.—Jas. Cunningham, John T. Downs, M. M. Yandle, John Younts.

PEOPLES CANDIDATE.
WE ARE AUTHORIZED to announce Dr. M. M. Orr, as the people's candidate for the Senate, to be voted for at the coming election in August next.
MANY VOTERS.

ANNOUNCEMENT.
I announce myself an independent farmer's candidate for Congress, from the Sixth Congressional District, knowing no party and acknowledging no affiliation with any party.
E. G. DAVENPORT.

ANNOUNCEMENT.
I announce myself an independent candidate for the office of Sheriff of Mecklenburg county, at the election in August.
W. H. HOUSTON.
May 15.

ANNOUNCEMENT.
The many friends of "Win" P. Earle, 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 know the latter statement. Savages sometimes gorge themselves until they can scarcely move, and as they are human beings, and not animals, 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. It is a disease which arises from an enlightened dyspepsia going on and on. 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, Australia, evidence of its universal prevalence as a specific for casual and chronic indigestion is continually being received. The result is that the consumption of the great tonic and alternative 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 of the present day.
July 2-219-1w.

New Advertisements.
OFFICIAL DRAWINGS
OF THE
N. C. Beneficial Association.
CHARLOTTE, July 7, 1874.
Class 22, drawn at 12 M.—70, 44, 67, 51,
60, 69, 28, 5, 57, 6.
Class 23, drawn at 5 P. M.—27, 41, 60,
36, 9, 4, 2, 50, 44, 63, 89, 12, 64, 52.
Certificate 44, 60, 8, purchased at 25 cents,
drew \$20.
Class 24, drawn at 9 P. M.—40, 63, 32, 23,
45, 6, 45, 37, 51, 7, 14, 47, 44, 50.
Certificate 7, 27, 47, purchased at 50 cents,
drew \$50.
J. N. WILLIAMS,
Commissioner.

Ginger Ale! Ginger Ale!
12 DOZEN Ginger Ale just received and for sale either by bottle or dozen.
July 8.
A. B. SMITH'S.

Dissolution of Partnership.
The firm of Smith & Kerr has been dissolved. From and after this date, I shall continue the Grocery and Lager business at my store on Trade Street, in the house formerly occupied by J. H. Hoke, where good bargains and fair dealings is the motto