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### CHARLOTTE MARKETS.

1874.

[Corrected Daily.] an Cotton Market 11 1/ 21219 CHARLOTTE, N. C., Sept. 30, 1874.

Low Middling..... Market very quiet.

Sales to-day, 107 bales. Country Produce.

Bacon-Hams, per h Hog Round Mixed.

Eggs, per dozen, Flour—Family, Extra. Fruit-Dried Apples Blackberries Forels-Chickens, spring, Turkeys,

Ducks. Hides-Dry, Lard-Good. Commer

Onione. Peas—Bure clay. Potatoes-Irish

Tallow, Wheat—Red, per bush, White, Wool-Tub washe Unwashed

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

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ANNOUNCEMENT TO THE READERS OF THE OBSERVER

My connection with the Charlotte OBSERVER ceased with yesterday's is-JOHNSTONE JONES.

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The Lecture To-Morrow Night. Let Gov. Vance's lecture to-morrow night be borne in mind.) The lecture will, of course be worth much more than the entrance fee, but even if the entertainment were a less attractive one, the object to which the proceed of the sale of tickets will be devoted, should induce every one to

It was currently reported on the streets yesterday, that W. H. Houston the forger, who decamped from this city early after the August election, was arrested day before yesterday in Montreal, Canada. The rumer is credited to a considerable extent here. In a few days we shall know whether or not it is true, and if it is, the particulars

Another European Leiter, We lay before our readers this morning another letter from Mr. R. M. Pearson, Jr. It will be observed that in this letter the takes up just where he left off in the first, This one, like the first, is written in an easy, rollicking style; it abounds in humor as well as interesting facts, and cannot fail to prove entertaining. WOTT A

These are the Nights When young men who sainly imagine of an acre and not on 31. that they can king congregate upon the front plastes of residences, and lift up their marriages in September. wolces in song, inspiring a desire in the heart During the month ending yesterday, of the "old man," to lift up his shot gun, Register of Deeds for this county issued and causing him to wonder what crime he

Premium on Ten Pins.

Mr. W. R. Cochrane, proprietor of the ten pin alley on Tryon street, has had a stand-ing offer for the past month of \$25 to the person who would make the highest number of pine between that time and the lat of October; for the second best rolling, he of-October; for the second best rolling, he offered a premium of \$15, and for the third,
\$10. Mr. James Seagrayes carried off the
polar, making 150 pins in the five boxes—
all that can be made on the alley. Mr. H.
H. Hill makes the next best—149 pins, and
in a subsequent roll, the two named made 147 pine each. Hence, they divide the three prises unsong themselves. Mr. Sesgraves takes the first, half of the second, the having also made 149) and half of the third

Fox hunters are on the go. anthu on:

Most time for the hop season to open."

Letters making inquiries about the Pair,

The Board of County Commissioners will meet next Monday in regular session. Two cases of drunk were all that the May or had to pass judgement upon yesterday.

How to get this Winter's feet into las Winter's boots, is what is now perplexing

The Fall term of the Carolina Military Institute, will begin to day. Quite a num-be of cadets have arrived. The juvenite heart leapeth for joy in the plation of the fact that Christmas is

not quite three months distant.

Gen. D. H. Hill, of the Southern Home, s absent from the city. He makes a Grange speech at Chapel Hill to-morrow, the 2nd The trestle of the Carolina Central Rail-

way, over Sugar Creek, about a mile and a half from the city, is nearly completed. It is a splendid structure. Genuine, simon pure Fall weather. The nights and mornings are cool, even unto

cold, but the rays of the sun render the midday genial and pleasant. (A.3.311) The Charlotte Ossenvez crowd were photographed a few days since, and still Mr. Van Ness, the Artist, continues his busi-

ess. - Euthersord Star and Record. During September 62 | deeds | and mortgages were registered in the office of the Register of Deeds of Mecklenburg county. In August there were 60 and in July 60.

On Tuesday, \$50,000 in insurance were changed in this city from Northern Insurance Companies, to the Southern Life, which is represented in Charlotte by a strong Board of Directors.

There were 107 bales of cotton sold in this market yesterday. This is more than has been sold here any one day in the past | being at "variance with the facts," as we three months. It begins to look like a return to the petter days.

There was a very large crowd at Tryon Street M E Church last night. Rev. Mr. Greening preached, and after the sermon, n response to calls, many, penitents of both sexas flocked around the alter of prayer The town boys, like Job's horse, snuff the battle from afar. They are already casting at ye gallant cadet, baleful glances, which seem to say: "If you do wear uniform and get away with me with the girls, I'll bet I

can walk your log." We ask that especial attention be given the advertisement of Messrs. Wade & Pegram. They have a complete stock of goods in their line, and will sell them at reasonable prices. They deserve the patronage of the public if any firm does.

The Fall term of the Charlotte Institute for Young Ladies, begins to-day. It is an institution which cannot be too highly conmended, and we hope it will receive this session, that encouragement which it so

Our telegrams, strangely enough, state resterday that, in the recent abouting mate at Creedinger, between the Irish and American teams, the former were the victors. The contrary is the case. The Americans won the match by a handsome score. It is considered a great (victory.) ()()

The Rullroad-Hypergram 2s of The trestle over Ray's Ford, four miles from town, now being built will be completed in a few days. There are two other trestles between this point and Monroe, one on Richardson's Creek, and another over a small branch. After the putting up of these trestles is finished, the track laying can be completed to this place in a very few days. The sound of the whistle is plainly heard 

Whitewashing the Court House. It was gratifying to observe yesterday that the whitewashist with their brushes were at work in the Court House. They will first whitewash all the rooms and the sides and ceiling of the passage below, and then address themselves to the second story. If we can't have a new Court House, we are

glad to see the old one being made a little. more passable looking. Henry Ward Beecher himself, never needed a coat of whitewash morethan does this same Court Mistake.

The Raleigh Sentinel says: Mr. T. P., Wells, the proprietor of the famous Wells vineyard, at Shelby, writes a gentleman in Chariotte concerning his grapes, and asks about the premium offered by the New Fair of the Carolinas for the heaviest yield. He says that he has made an estimate and finds that on 3 1-4 of an acre he can produce 8,000 lbs, of his Norton grapes. Who can do better? Our contemporary got the above from

the OBSERVER, but is mistaken in the figures. Mr. Wells thinks that he can raise 8,000 lbs of Norton grapes on three quarters

marriage licenses -7 to white comples and 11 had been guilty of against society, that such an affliction should be visited upon him and his household.

D. Wallace Mayes, Virginia Sloan.

John H. Robinson, R. L. Allen. James W. Cooper, Hannah Brown James W. Cooper, Hannah Brown,
John H. Cheshire, Harriet A. Black,
John P. Hunter, Sallie E. Ross,
Jacob Bauman, Louisa Roediger.
Clarence W. Wilson, C. L. Cashion.

ADDRESS OF THE BLACKS. Henry Taylor, Rose Mason.
William Moore, Mary Potts,
Edmund Pemberton, Hetty Cibson.
Mark Molecus, Hannah Erwin.
Rufus L. Moore, Harriet McLeary. Charles Biggers, Jucy Mifes.

John L. Henderson, Anna StiffGeorge Higgins, Nancy Howell.

Green Grier, Merne Wilson.

Pinkney Ramstor, Dorcas Bross.

Julius Phillips, Mary Holton.

Gov. Brogden has responded favorably to n application from Col. J. P. Thomas, Superintendent of the Carolina Military Instiute, for a supply of arms from the State arenal, for the use of the cadets in his school. Col. Thomas has given bond in the sum of \$2,000, for the return of the arms, when the itate calls for them, and for their good keeping meanwhile; they will be forthcom-ing in a short time. The guns are the old-functioned muskets—the best, the State arsenal can fornish, rovo barrantas en

Presentation of a Trumpet.

The members of the Pioneer Fire Company did a handsome thing at their meeting. on Tuesday night. It was the presentation of a beautiful silver-plated trumpet, costing \$15, by the members, to their Captain, F. A. McNinch, Esq. The speech upon present-ing the trumpet, was made by Mr. N. C. Harry; Mr. McNinch accepted it in a few words of thanks, and Mr. J. Lowntan con-gratulated the President on behalf of the Company. The ceremony was one altogeth-er unexpected to Mr. McNinch, the members of the company having kept their intention a profound secret from him.

Correct After AH 03 111 We find upon investigation that the statement published Tuesday morning, and which we received from Col. J. H. Miller, concerning the joint buildings to be erected on the "Morehead lot," by the Southern Life Insurance Company, and R. M. Millers Esq., was entirely correct in every particular published. Hence, the currection in yesterday's paper was uncalled for, and goes for naught. The building of the warehouse by Messrs. R. M. Miller & Sons, of which we spoke yesterday, was an after thought; the warehouse will be on the rear of the lot, and will have no connection with the buildings of the Insurance Company, and R. M. Miller, Esq. Instead of our first statement said yesterday, it was exactly true; the correction" in yesterday's paper was written under a misapprehension of the facts. Henceforth, we will not be so swift to make

corrections, but will wait to be convinced that we were in the wrong. de dance and ve

A Bold Proceeding. Lest evening about 9 o'clock, as officers McAllister, Stepens and Blackwelder, of the police force, were walking their beat on College street, they observed a light in the grocery store of C. A. Frazier. As this is rather unusual for that house at such an hour, they proceeded to an examination of the store. Mr. Blackwelder went to the back door and was returning to the street. when a man was observed to jump from a back window, and speed away. Chase was

give that he wound around among houses and through the different alleys and escaped. It was found that the man had broken off one of the shutters to the window, through which he afterwards escaped. and thus effected his entrance to the store. The arrival of the police was timely

The would-be thief not only got nothing, but in his haste left his shoes behind him The affair was a very bold one, considering the early hour and the number of persons wing to and fro along the street. Attempt to Steal a Ring.

A strange negro, name unknown, went, into the jewelry store of A. Hales, on Tryon St. last night about 9 o'clock, and asked to see somerings. Three were produced but, after examining them, he said they did not suit, and so shoved two of them back across the show case. He retained one of the rings in his closed hand, and saked to be shown some pocket books. While Mr. Joshua Hales was getting these out, the negro slipped the ring which he had in his hand into his mouth. The pocket books did not suit either, and Mr. Hales observing the care which his customer was exercising in regard to the ring, stepped to the door and knocked for the police. These were promptly on hand, and took charge of the negro. He produced the ring, but utterly repudiated any idea of an attempt to steal it; but the police were just considerate enough to give him quarters in the lock-up until morning, when he will have an interview with the

Highly Complimentary of Charlotte. Here is what a stranger thinks of us, A correspondent of the Alexandria, Va. Gazette, was in Charlotte resently, and

writes as follows to that paper concerning the city. "When in this city, (for it is really entitled to be called a city.) I stopped at the Central Hotel, which is the hotel of the State. I have been all around, in and over the old North State, but have found no hotel to equal the Central, alias Virginia Headquarters. It is kept by H. C. Ecles.

"Charlotte is a live, go-a-head place, and any quantity of new building are going up. A neat and beautiful opers house has just been completed, fligs I form tell spirit "A fire on Friday night burned down

ing stocks. As the houses were on one the principal streets, nobody regrets the calamity, as their place will be supplied with brick buildings. These people go in for brick and mortar. sagaisted a bod as

"Large quantities of cotton are shipped from here to Boston, New York, &c." "Everybody seems to have been attacked with the "building" fever, judging from "Charlotte is the wholesale market for the western section of the State. If the

Raleigh folks do not look sharp these people will be trying to come the State House over here. They are anxious to make Charlotte the New York of North Carolina, and with the vim and fearless courage which which they are working now, they will be

There are several papers, both daily an westig, published here. The Ossawy on to have the best standing and Retired from the Observer.

As will be seen by his announcement in another place Johnstone Jones Esq., vacated the editorial chair of the OBSERVER after yesterday's issue. We cherish a regret, deep and genuine, that this is so; and the writer claims the privilege of saying a few words concerning his friend on the occa-sion of this retirement. Our association with him has extended over a period of two years, and perhaps no one knows him better than we. Our relations have been of the closest and most intimate character, and the ties which have been formed between us, are those of a deep and abiding friendship. We know him as a man of tal nt and one who loves truth and honor as he does ife one, in short, who is a gentleman in the widest sense of that much abused term. If we knew him less than we do, and knew only that he possessed these qualities, this knowledge would inspire a regret when his time came to leave us.

We know that the readers of the OBSERVER will share our regret on this occasion. They have been entertained and instructed too often by the emanations of his versatile and polished pen, to lightly regard his retirement.

And now, in parting with Mr. Jones, we bid him our hearty God-speed. Wherever he may go, or whatever may be his pursuit he can rest assured that he has with him the very best wishes of all those who have been connected in any capacity with the On-SERVER since his connection with it. If he attains that success to which his talents entitle him, and which we all hope for him, he need not want more.

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for the benefit of

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