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W. M. SMITH. W. S. FORBES.
WINTER TRADE FOR 1874.
1500 Cases Boots and Shoes

TO BE SOLD AT THE BOOT AND SHOE HOUSE
SMITH & FORBES,
Tryon Street, CHARLOTTE, N. C., Nearly opposite Central Hotel.

WITHIN the next ninety days, we intend to sell a large stock of Men's, Women's, Boys', Misses' and Children's BOOTS, SHOES and HATS, comprising all grades, a large proportion of which have been
Manufactured Expressly to Our Own Order.
Merchants in Charlotte, as well as those in the surrounding country, will find it to their advantage to call and examine our stock before purchasing elsewhere.
We mean to sell Goods as low as any house in New York, Boston, or Baltimore, with freight added. They can always save the expense of a trip North by buying from our house.
Between the First National Bank and Bank of Mechanics.

R. D. WADE. SAM. S. PEGRAM.
1875. SPECIAL NOTICE. 1875.



WE desire to return thanks to our friends and customers for their very liberal patronage during the past year, and we hope by fair dealing to merit a continuance of the same. We will continue to pay strict attention to the

RETAIL TRADE.

ur Goods purchased at Cash prices, and specially adapted to the wants of the Retail Trade. Ladies' and Gentlemen's Fine Goods a specialty.

CALL AND SEE US.
WADE & PEGRAM,
SIGN OF THE BRASS BOOT,
Jan 13 11 Opposite Central Hotel, Charlotte, N. C.

MRS. P. QUERY,
Has the Largest and Finest stock of
MILLINERY AND FANCY GOODS
in the State. Call and see her.

CHARLOTTE, COLUMBIA & AUGUSTA R. R.
Charlotte Agency, Oct. 20th, 1874.

The Charlotte, Columbia & Augusta Railroad
INVITES the attention of all Merchants and Cotton Shippers in Charlotte, and upon the roads connecting there, to the extraordinary advantages of connections with all Northern Ports and South Atlantic Sea Ports enjoyed over its lines.
1st. The Great Atlantic Coast Line via Columbia, Wilmington and Portsmouth to Baltimore. Daily, Insurance 1 per cent. Philadelphia, Daily, Insured.
NEW YORK, MONDAY, WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY, SATURDAY INSURANCE 1 PER CENT. BOSTON, TUESDAYS AND FRIDAYS, INSURANCE 1 PER CENT. PROVIDENCE, WEDNESDAYS AND SATURDAYS.
2d. By way Wilmington and Direct Steam Line to Baltimore, Wednesdays and Saturdays, Insurance 1 per cent.
PHILADELPHIA, EVERY WEDNESDAY, INSURANCE 1 PER CENT. NEW YORK WEDNESDAYS AND SATURDAYS, INSURANCE EQUALIZED TO THAT OF NORFOLK.
3d. By the Charleston Line—Baltimore, Weekly.
EVERY FRIDAY, TO NEW YORK, TUESDAYS, THURSDAYS AND SATURDAYS, TO BOSTON, EVERY SATURDAY.
THE unparalleled Steam-Line facilities of the three Ports of Portsmouth, Wilmington and Charleston, and the combined equipments of the C. C. & A., W. C. & A., and other roads, enable us to bid for cotton and all other merchandise in unlimited quantities, and to assure our patrons of absolute freedom from detention.
Gen'l Manager, HON. R. R. BRADDOCK, President.
Col. JOHN B. PALMER, General Superintendent.
JAS. ANDERSON, General Freight Agent.
A. POPE, W. W. PEGRAM, Agent.

N. C. HARRY & CO.,
House, Sign and Frescoe Painters.

PARTICULAR attention paid to frescoing Churches and Town Halls, throughout the Country. Office under Central Hotel. 1828-11.

THIS space belongs to ALEXANDER, SEIGLE & CO., who desire the public to know that they have moved into their new Store, where they will be pleased to see their friends and customers.

JACOB M. MENDEL,
MANUFACTURER AND DEALER IN
Cigars, Tobacco, Pipes, Snuff, &c.
TRADE STREET, CHARLOTTE, N. C.
Stock always on hand to suit Country Merchants especially.
JAN 14-11
SUPERIOR Flavoring Extracts.
Sherry Wine for cooking purposes.
W. R. BURWELL & CO.,
Druggists

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Charles R. Jones, Proprietor.
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LOCAL DOTS.
One of the worst places in the city, is the pavement on Tryon street, in front of Wadsworth's livery stable. Its condition is high impassable, and demands the instant attention of the Street Commissioner.

After as dull and dreary a Sunday as we remember to have ever experienced, the moon came out gloriously about 11 o'clock Sunday night, and the weather has continued fair ever since.

The Mardi-Gras Bal Masque at the Central Hotel, on the 9th prox., is being looked forward to with many pleasant anticipations. Elaborate preparations are being made for it, and it promises to be a brilliant affair.

Rev. E. J. Maynard will lecture at the Carolina Military Institute on Friday evening next, on "William Gilmore Simms." As the lecturer is well known in this city, we confidently expect to see the room crowded.

One of the guests of the Central Hotel, began yesterday by falling down a whole flight of steps, from the top to the bottom, as he started from his room to breakfast. He hurt his head and right arm, but not seriously.

There were slim congregations at all the churches on Sunday, owing to the inclement weather. There were no services for the Tryon Street Methodist or the Second Presbyterian congregations, owing to the illness of the pastor of each of these churches.

The Air-Line—Col. Grant to Remain in Possession.
Col. Fisher filed a petition praying Judge Hopkins to rescind his order appointing Col. L. P. Grant as Receiver of the Air-Line Railroad, or at least to modify his order, so that Mr. Fisher, the Receiver appointed by the United States Court, might take possession of the road, Col. Logan E. Blackley, representing Mr. Fisher, in an able speech of about four hours. He was followed by Col. Nat. Hammond, attorney for the Garner party, who, after speaking about a half an hour, was stopped by Judge Hopkins, who said that he was ready to decide the case in favor of Col. Grant remaining in possession, or, in other words, not to grant the petition of Mr. Fisher.

This case will probably be carried to the Supreme Court.—*Atlanta Herald, of Saturday.*

The Cash System.
No establishment in these days can flourish without looking well after the finances. On the first day of January, we cut off every subscriber who received his paper through the mails, and who was in arrears. Our instructions to our mailing clerk were to know no one. We thus lost a hundred or so, many of them the best men in the country, and some of them our bosom friends. Nearly all of them have recognized the justice of our position, and renewed their subscription, while several hundred new ones have taken the places of those who were stopped. Experience has taught us that a newspaper debt is the hardest debt we know of to collect. It is easy to pay it at the time, but it becomes a very serious matter if allowed to stand a while, and we have learned the bitter lesson that it is better to require the wherewith as you go along. When put off from time to time, a thousand excuses can be paraded, as an apology for not paying. All this is avoided by requiring the pay upon the delivery of the paper.

Wooten's Express.
We direct attention to the advertisement which appears in our columns this morning. While Wooten's Express is new to us as a business medium, it has already taken such firm root in the affections of our business men, that it would be a hard matter to eradicate it. Calling at the office Saturday evening on business, we saw 1950 pounds of freight stacked up ready for shipment over the Carolina Central Railroad on yesterday morning, which speaks in louder tones of its utility than possibly anything we could write. We understand that the Company is doing considerable business in the shipment of money packages, which has become quite an item among business men. We are requested by Mr. H. M. Clark, the agent, to say that, when the necessity of the case demands will make special rates with parties who desire to ship over the Carolina Central, agreeing to call and receive goods and deliver them in the same manner.

A Daring Burglary.—Arrest of the Thieves.
On Tuesday night last, the jewelry store of Mr. Hineman, at Spartanburg, was entered by burglars, who succeeded in getting a considerable amount of valuable jewelry. The town marshal, Mr. H. C. Alley, in trying to find the thief or thieves got on the track of two negroes, Bill Davis, formerly of this county, and Sam Nelson, formerly of Guilford county of this State. He ascertained that both of these parties, who were suspected had taken the train for Charlotte, and he came here on last Sunday morning, following a hot trail.

Bill Davis, he found near the fair grounds, in this city, who surrendered after a desperate fight and after the officer had wounded him by shooting him through the right arm and through the left side, with a Colt's army pistol. He was then lodged in jail, and the officer started in pursuit of Nelson. Taking the track on a hand car he went out on the Carolina Central Railroad, and came up with the object of his pursuit about two miles and a half from the city. The negro resisted the arrest until shot at nine times, three shots of which took effect, and was then knocked with the pistol. The officer and two squads returned to the city, procured the individual who had been locked up a few hours previous, and took the 8:45 train for Spartanburg, where the culprits will be locked up and held for trial.

It is believed that these negroes belong to a gang who have for some time past, been attacking various parties in that vicinity, who were supposed to have money, or other valuables, and their arrest will prove of much value to the community thereabouts. So note it be.

Carolina Railway.
From a gentleman, who recently traveled over the road, we learn that the train on which he traveled, twice ran off the track. Throughout all the confusion, the conductor (Evrett) never once came near the passengers, or made any inquiries to find out the extent of the damage done. Such carelessness is reprehensible.—*Fayetteville Gazette.*

The above, we learn, is entirely uncalled for and perfectly unjustifiable. We have seen and conversed with Capt. Everett in relation to this charge, and he denies the above statement in fact, and as the editor of the *Gazette* is an old friend, a gentleman in every sense of the word, we ask him to correct it, as his informant has imposed upon his credulity.

The Coming Centennial.
The celebration which is to take place in Charlotte the 20th next May, we may already consider as an accomplished fact. The only question to be decided is whether it will be creditable to the brave men whose memory it shall be to celebrate; creditable to the thousands of their sons and daughters, who are to-day scattered throughout the Union, and creditable to the progressive, go-ahead little city of Charlotte, of which we are justly proud, as the birth-place of American Independence. And on this subject, we may be allowed to suggest that we know of no movement yet inaugurated, which promises a more favorable augury than the recent one made by the fire companies of Charlotte. They have taken hold of this matter with a vim, and we are glad to see it, because it brings at once organizations into the movement. All we have ever needed to assure a grand celebration is organization. The people are ready and willing to do all that is necessary, once an organization is effected, and the plans determined upon: We therefore hail with pleasure the part already taken, and the part proposed to be taken by the fire organizations of our city.

State vs. Lee Dunlap—Mr. Means's Resolution.
We are much gratified that Mr. Means has introduced a resolution to provide that the State shall be properly represented in the Supreme Court of the United States, in the argument of the Dunlap case.

It is understood that the Federal Government deems it the duty of its officers to appear in behalf of Dunlap, as a citizen whose rights are denied him in the State Courts; so that the State has no representative on the criminal side of the docket in the U. S. Supreme Court. It is not the duty of the Attorney General of the State to prosecute in the U. S. Courts, and the prosecutor, who is a poor widow, cannot employ counsel, so the case seems to go by default, term after term, for the want of a lawyer to argue it.

This is a reproach to the State, whose duty it is to protect its citizens.
When the Federal authorities undertook to remove a case of murder, which occurred in the State of Kentucky, from the Courts of that State to the Circuit Court of the United States, the Legislature of Kentucky, alarmed at this encroachment on the constitutional right of the State, to punish offenders for violations of its laws, at once by resolution directed the Governor to employ counsel to argue the questions involved, and Judge Black of Kentucky, had other. His indignation and manly protest and able and learned argument in the case secured a reversal of the opinion in the Court below and the prisoner was remanded to the State Courts. Judge Black characterized the provision of the Civil Right act, for removal of criminal cases, "as a sheer flat breach of the Constitution."

See Bylew vs. United States 13, Wallace page 581, decided in December 1871.
The Constitutional question of the right to remove the case was avoided and the case went off on another ground; that it was not in the letter of the act.

Judge Bond, it is known, differed with the Supreme Court of North Carolina in their construction of the Civil Rights act. He held that the United States had no jurisdiction of the case, and as Judge Brooks held from a *disobedient* (as provided by statute), to the Supreme Court of the United States, where it has been pending for two years. The recent invasion of State Rights in Louisiana and the reaction it has produced in the Northern mind makes this a favorable opportunity now to have this great Constitutional question decided in our favor.

A Prominent Merchant of Spartanburg Killing by a Falling Wall.
Mr. Donald Fleming, a prominent merchant of Spartanburg, S. C., was instantly killed to day by the falling of the walls of his store while he was standing in front of it, talking to some friends. Other parties were injured but none seriously.

MORE REBUTTS.—And now the *Land mark* sends in its apologies:
"Our deep love for the efficient and gentlemanly agents of the postal service between this point and Charlotte, restrains any indecise allusions. The committee, who were so thoughtful and kind as to honor us with an invitation to the masquerade ball given at the residence of Col. Myers of Charlotte, on the 15th, will please accept of our thanks, with the explanation that the notice reached us seven days after the evening of the ball. The ball, we are glad to learn, was not postponed on account of our absence, and we are likewise delighted to learn from the *OBSERVER*, that it was a brilliant affair."

Alexander county instructs her Representative and Senators to vote for Convention. Alexander is democrat, and is represented in the Legislature by a cross between a Greely Republican. Independent and Radical. It can hardly be said that his constituents have instructed him. If the Doctor has as much of the John E. E. Low as he has of the funny Representative from Yachin, he might say something amusing at the expense of friend Bogie and the other democrats in Alexander.—*Stateville Landmark.*

STATE NEWS
Father Evans, of the Milton Chronicle, is the oldest editor, Major Englehard, of the Wilmington Journal, the handsomest, and Blow, of the Oxford Leader, the ugliest.

John Outlaw, colored, who was confined in Person county jail under sentence of death for burglary, and who escaped in December last, has been recaptured.

The Salisbury *Intelligencer* says that a revenue officer, of that city John D. Hodges, was shot and severely wounded in the arm, while attempting to enter a distillery in Gaston county on Friday last.

Mr. W. M. Smith, of Raleigh, son of Hon. W. N. H. Smith, was to have repeated, yesterday evening, in the hall of the House of Representatives, his lecture on "Something on Spain or Italy."

Dr. C. F. Deems, of the North Carolina Conference, in charge of the Church of the Strangers, New York City, has gone to Florida for his health, and Dr. Moran will supply his place during his absence.

Mr. J. R. McVey, the well-known Kentucky swine drover, has presented to Mr. W. S. Mallory, of Franklinton, a pure blood Cotswold ram, which is said to be the largest sheep ever seen in Franklinton county.

The Raleigh *Sentinel*, of Saturday, says: St. Mary's School filed in this morning like a procession of little angels and shined down upon the Senate. The rustle of a dress in the gallery, and the Senate gets its ears up as spirited as a spring colt. Amid the eloquence of the Senator from Carteret, Col. Johnston, of Charlotte, objected to the reporter in the lobby that he had never before witnessed such an array of beauty in the gallery and thought it a good sign of returning prosperity to the country.

Tarboro Enquirer: We learn from the Washington *Echo*, that Mr. Fred F. Hanks, engineer of the steamer "North-east," while that steamer was within a few miles of this place, was accidentally thrown from her deck, and would have in all probability, been drowned, had it not been for the timely arrival of the "Cotton Plant," which picked him up. It seems that the two boats were racing, and had on full steam. The "North-east," being in advance nearly a mile, was going at such speed as to prevent her from turning back and reaching the unfortunate man in time, and immediately blew 4 whistles of distress, and was answered by the "Cotton Plant," which reached our young friend, and we are rejoiced to say, in time to save him from a watery grave.

Dr. J. A. Fuqua, well known in Eastern Carolina as a dentist, died recently in Atlanta, Georgia.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.
TO RENT.
That desirable residence on 6th street, next door to Gov. Vance, containing five rooms and a kitchen, good well house, stable, and a good garden. Possession given 1st day of April, 1875.
Apply to W. M. MATTHEWS, on the premises, Jan 24-11.

LOST
A bunch of keys at or near the Post Office. The finder will be rewarded by leaving them at THIS OFFICE.
Jan 26-11.

FOR SALE CHEAP.—Four fine city lots situated on D, E and 2d streets, in city of Charlotte. Apply to THOS. H. ALLEN, at office of Cape Fear Building Company, Jan 23-2w.

W. M. CROWELL,
Announces to the citizens of Charlotte and the public generally that he has opened out a first-class GROCERY on College St., opposite Sanders & Buckwood's new Warehouse. A full line of FAMILY SUPPLIES kept constantly on hand at as reasonable prices as any house in the city, to which we will sell very low, and respectfully solicited.
W. M. CROWELL, Jan 24-11.

COTTAGE FOR RENT.
On Church Street, opposite the Presbyterian Church, containing two rooms and a kitchen. Apply to J. L. BROWN, Jan 24-11.

BOARDING HOUSE.
I will furnish transient and permanent boarders with pleasant rooms and good board, on Moderate Terms. Location central, most convenient for business, near the principal Railroad Depots.
Apply to MRS. ANNA GIFFORD, Corner of College and Depot Streets, Jan 21-3m.

DR. LEE W. BATTLE,
Having permanently located, offers his professional services to the citizens of CHARLOTTE AND VICINITY.
OFFICE—Next door to McAden's Drug Store, up stairs.
Calls left at my office in the day, or my residence on Tryon Street, at night, will receive prompt attention.
Office Hours—8 to 9 A. M.; 12 to 1 P. M., and 5 to 7 P. M. Jan 22-11.

JUST RECEIVED.
A large lot of very fine Northern Irish Potatoes, also Baltimore Pearl Grits, Canned Tomatoes, Green Corn, Brandy Peaches, Pickles, a very choice lot of Segars, all of which we will sell very low, and would invite all our friends to give us a call.
B. A. ALEXANDER, Jan 22-11. College Street.

DAIRY FARM.
I will regularly open my Dairy Farm on the 1st of February, but for the present, persons wanting MILK can get it by sending to my house, next door to Gov. Vance's, on Sixth Street.
W. M. MATTHEWS, Jan 11-11.

THOS. H. BREM, JR.,
Attorney and Counsellor at Law,
CHARLOTTE, N. C.
OFFICE—In Dowd & Sims' New Building, Up Stairs.
Jan 21-11.

NOTICE.
The beginning of a new year is a period for settling business accounts. We notify our patrons that we are now engaged in this important matter.

We have but a few customers who are not prompt in making monthly payments, and it is to them specially that we address this notice. Gentlemen, we cannot permit the occasion to pass without a settlement.
Very respectfully,
J. A. YOUNG & SON, Jan 20-11w.

WANTED.
Two or three intelligent and reliable Boys to deliver Tris Ossaxin to city subscribers. Apply at THIS OFFICE, Jan 19-11.

BOARDERS WANTED!
I am prepared to furnish good board to a few select regular or transient boarders, by the day, week or month, at moderate prices. Location convenient to the business part of the city. Apply to JOHN A. BRADSHAW, Corner Church and 3rd Street, Jan 19-11.

NOTICE TO SHIPPERS.
WOOTEN'S CAROLINA CENTRAL
Railway Express Company,
is now prepared to give prompt despatch to all Freight, Money and other valuable packages consigned to its care for any and all points upon Eastern and Western Division Carolina Central Railway.

As the Company enjoys unequalled facilities in their connections, it is manifestly to the interest of all Shippers to apply to the Agent of this Company before making shipments by rival companies.

Remember that all goods shipped via this Line are covered by an open policy in the best companies, thus insuring absolute protection to shippers.
OFFICE—Tryon Street, Opposite Central Hotel.
F. M. WOOTEN, Proprietor, Jan 20-11.

\$2,000.
A business man would invest one or two thousand dollars with services in any good safe business. Security more important than large returns. References exchanged. Address "BUSINESS" of office, Jan 24-2w THE OBSERVER.

JUST RECEIVED.—A very full supply of Canned goods: Green Peas, Peaches, Green Corn, Strawberries and Tomatoes, Spiced Pickles in Barrel, Mixed Pickles, Pepper Sauce, Worcestershire Sauce, Tomato Peckup, Chow-Chow. A fresh supply of Hams, "Lord Baltimore" brand, very choice Maryland Breakfast Strips, CR. CRY, BLUEBERRY FAMILY CR. CRY, Blue Front Trade St. Jan 22-11.

NORTHERN IRISH POTATOES!
20 lbs. No 20 Irish Potatoes, for cooking purposes, just received at W. N. PRATHE & CO. Those Potatoes are of the very best quality, and are well adapted for all purposes. They are cooked as neatly and sweet. First door above the Market House, Jan 19-11.

NOTICE.
All who owe Alexander, Seigle & Co., for 1874, will please call and settle up. We need the money. Very respectfully,
ALEXANDER, SEIGLE & CO. Jan 17-11.

FOR SALE.
A good work or saddle horse, (works well on farm) and a good pair of horse wagon with shafts and tongue, all at a bargain.
CHAS. R. JONES, At this Office, Jan 17-11.

NOTICE.
Having opened an extensive Slate Quarry on the line of the C. C. Railroad, of Charlotte, we are prepared to furnish Curbing and Pavings, which will excel anything in the country for Beauty and Durability. Apply to F. A. MCNINCH, at S. McNinch's Marble Yard, MCNINCH & GREISHARBER, Jan 17-11w.

TO PATRONS OF HUSBANDRY.
The Direct Trade Union is now in operation at Charlotte, receiving and shipping cotton and advancing money to the amount of 2 1/2 its value.

The Executive Committee of the State Grange have accepted an offer of the Direct Trade Union, of Georgia, to raise \$30,000, (which will give them a Director) to be retained in our State. The Masters of Subordinate Granges, are requested to go to work at once, and get up stock in their respective granges, and pay over the same to James F. Johnston, Agent at Charlotte, who is hereby authorized to receive and receipt for it.

F. A. MCNINCH, F. GREISHARBER, CHARLOTTE GRANITE WORKS.
The undersigned respectfully announce to the citizens of Charlotte that they have formed a co-partnership to carry on the Granite business in all its branches, and are prepared to fill all orders at short notice for Granite Fronts, Cemetery Lot Enclosures, Grave Guards, Steps, Sills, Bases, Coping, Curbing, Area Wall Caps, Flagging Hearths, Upping Blocks, Fence Posts, &c., &c. Orders solicited from abroad.
Office at S. McNinch's marble works, MCNINCH & GREISHARBER, Jan 17-11w.

HALL & PATTERSON,
Hickory, N. C., Solicit orders from a distance for Butter, Eggs, Chickens, Apples, Potatoes, Cabbage, and any other country produce that may be desired. White Pine Shingles a specialty. Inquiries promptly answered. Parties wishing anything in their line, will please hand in their orders to McMurry & Davis, Charlotte, North Carolina. no 5-11m.

WELL SEE.
Are the merchants and business men of Charlotte alive to their interest? If so then they should seek to get patronage of the people of Anson, Richmond, Montgomery and Stanly counties, by advertising in the *Free Press Herald*, Wadesboro, N. C. Jan 6-11.

Just Received.
CHOICE Goshen Butter, Sugar Cured Breakfast Bacon, Fine Palmetto Canned Hams, Choice Northern Early Rose and Peetles Potatoes. A full stock will be kept constantly on hand by WOLFE & NISBET, Oct 9-11.

THE LAST CONCERT
PUBLIC LIBRARY OF KENTUCKY,
POSTPONED FOR
A FULL DRAWING,
TO 27th FEBRUARY, 1875.

The Short Postponement now announced is positively the last, and a Drawing will positively be had on the 27th February; in pursuance of which we pledge ourselves to refund the purchase price of tickets in case it should not.

THE SCHEME IS
One Hundred Thousand Tickets,
20,000 GIFTS.

One Grand Cash Gift	250,000.00
One Grand Cash Gift	100,000.00
One Grand Cash Gift	75,000.00
One Grand Cash Gift	50,000.00
One Grand Cash Gift	25,000.00
5 Cash Gifts	1,000,000.00
10 Cash Gifts	1,000,000.00
15 Cash Gifts	1,000,000.00
20 Cash Gifts	1,000,000.00
25 Cash Gifts	1,000,000.00
30 Cash Gifts	1,000,000.00
35 Cash Gifts	1,000,000.00
40 Cash Gifts	1,000,000.00
45 Cash Gifts	1,000,000.00
50 Cash Gifts	1,000,000.00
55 Cash Gifts	1,000,000.00
60 Cash Gifts	1,000,000.00
65 Cash Gifts	1,000,000.00
70 Cash Gifts	1,000,000.00
75 Cash Gifts	1,000,000.00
80 Cash Gifts	1,000,000.00
85 Cash Gifts	1,000,000.00
90 Cash Gifts	1,000,000.00
95 Cash Gifts	1,000,000.00
100 Cash Gifts	1,000,000.00
Grand Total 20,000 Gifts, all worth 2,000,000	

2,500,000 DOLLARS
IN GIFTS, ALL CASH.

PRICES OF TICKETS.
Whole Tickets..... 50 00
Halves..... 25 00
Tenth, or each Coupon..... 5 00
11 Whole Tickets for..... 55 00
22 Tickets for..... 1 000 00

The Payment of Gifts will begin the 5th day after the Drawing. Tickets must be presented or sent to Room 4, Public Library Building, Louisville, Ky., where they will be taken up and paid by Cash Checks upon the Farmers and Drivers Bank of Louisville.

Every Whole Ticket has ten parts, each part bearing the number of the Whole Ticket. Therefore, a Tenth of a Ticket entitles the holder thereof to One-Tenth of whatever the Whole Ticket may draw. For Tickets and information, address, THOS. H. BRIGGS, Agent and Manager, Public Library Building, Louisville, Ky.

PUBLIC LIBRARY OF KENTUCKY.
Death of Gov. Bramlette—Action of the Trustees—A Successor Appointed—No More Postponements—Drawing Certain February 27th.

At a meeting of the Trustees of the Public Library of Kentucky, held on the 15th inst. it was resolved that C. M. Briggs, Esq., who under the late Hon. Thos. E. Bramlette, was the real business manager of the gift concert already given in aid of the Public Library of Kentucky, be and is hereby authorized to take the place made vacant by the death of said Bramlette, in the management of the affairs of the fifth and last gift concert, and that the drawing announced for February 27, 1875, shall positively and unequivocally take place on that day without any further postponement or delay on account of whatever.

R. T. DURETT, Pres.
JOHN S. CAIS, Secretary.

Hereafter, all communications relating to the 5th Concert, should be addressed to the undersigned, and I pledge myself that the drawing shall come off February 27th or that every dollar paid for tickets shall be returned. C. M. BRIGGS, Agent and Manager, Room 4, Public Library Building, Louisville, Ky. de 19-11w t 6 77 75

Durham Tobacco!
John H. McElwee
Offers to Dealers, Chewers and Smokers a large lot of manufactured tobacco at low prices. His
ANTE-BELLUM DURHAM BRAND
is not excelled on the market.
Address at Statesville, N. C. June 12-11.

Farm for Sale.
GRAHAM & NASH have several very desirable Farms for sale, near the City, from 180 to 300 acres each. Call on F. NASH, Office in rear of Col. J. E. Brown's office, Jan 22-11.

FIFTY BUSHELS CHESTNUTS.
20 bushels Green Apples, 1000 lbs Dried Blackberries, 500 lbs Dried Peaches, for sale low for cash in lots to suit purchasers, by B. N. SMITH, Jan 12-11.

BLACK SEED OATS.
We have just received from Prince Edwards Island, 7000 bushels Black Oats, especially adapted to planting purposes. Have constantly on hand Choice (all grades) Meal, Pearl Hominy, Beans, Hominy, Corn, Peas, Rye, Pea Nuts, 1000 bales Eastern and New York Hay, for sale by B. N. SMITH & SON, Wilmington, N. C. Dec 31-2w

BOARDERS WANTED!
MRS. M. ASBURY
Having removed to corner of Church and 3rd Street, is now prepared to accommodate boarders on very reasonable terms. Jan. 3, 1875.

NATIONAL HOTEL,
SALISBURY, N. C.
Most conveniently situated for commercial travelers, of any House in the City. Every delicacy in season. 22 Omnibus, &c. sep. 5

CO-PARTNERSHIP NOTICE
We, the undersigned, would respectfully announce to the citizens of Charlotte and the public generally, that we have formed a co-partnership, under the name and style of TROTTER & WILKINSON, to take effect January 1st, 1875. We propose to carry on the Drug and Hardware Business in all its branches at Trotter's old stand, opposite city clock, Tryon Street. Our work shall not be surpassed in Durability and Neatness. Special attention given to repairing; all work warranted for 12 months. J. TROTTER & W. WILKINSON, Jan 20-wthw.

Thinking the public for its liberal patronage, I would ask a continuance of the same in the future. All persons indebted will please call and settle by the 1st of February, Jan 20-wthw. J. TROTTER.