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REMOVAL.

SMITH & FORBES,

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALERS IN

BOOTS, SHOES, LEATHER AND HATS,

HAVE removed to the new, large and elegant "SMITH BUILDING," next door to Brem, Brown & Co.'s Hardware Store, where they are receiving a full stock of

SPRING GOODS,

complete in every particular.

Their line of ladies' and gents' fine

BOOTS AND SHOES,

will be especially attractive, and will be sold at short profits. Call and examine.

SMITH & FORBES,

mar4—tf. Next door to Brem, Brown & Co.'s Hardware Store, Charlotte, N. C.

Koopmann & Rothschild!

1875. 1875.

SPRING AND SUMMER FASHIONS.

—OF—

MILLINERY and FANCY GOODS,

—AT—

KOOPMANN & ROTHSCHILD'S.

WE Again appear before the public with our compliments, and announce, that we have in Store, and are daily receiving one of the finest and largest Stocks in our line, ever exhibited in this city.

The constant increase of our business, warrants us in the belief, that the only mode to secure success is to sell Goods at a SMALL PROFIT.

Our determination is now to adopt

NEW RULES,

In our business, leaving the old style (large profit and big per cent) for others to operate with; making ours the CHEAP STORE of Charlotte, selling the BEST GOODS FOR THE LEAST MONEY, and to establish a

ONE PRICE SYSTEM,

By marking our Goods with the selling price thereon. We mean to double and triple our business in this way, and as our customers will be greatly benefited by this change, we hope to make our business still more profitable than heretofore.

The special attention of our lady friends is called to our collection of fine Trimmed Bonnets and Hats, to our immense assortment of new Spring Shapes in untrimmed Hats, to our attractive FLOWER DEPARTMENT, crowded with beautiful and original designs, and Importations from

PARIS,

To our immense Stock of Ribbon, plain and grain, in all sizes and qualities.

We have the finest line of RUFFLING for neck wear; 5,000 yards of Hamburg Embroideries, in beautiful patterns; a large and handsome variety of Ladies' Silk Scarfs, Laces, Parasols and Sun Umbrellas, Trimmings, Fans and Fan Chains, Frillings.

WHITE GOODS,

Such as Jaconnets, Cambrics, Swiss Mull, Piques, Plain Nansooks, Victoria Lawn, Toilet Quilts, Checked and Striped Nansooks, Tarleton's Irish Linen, Table Linen, Towels and Toweling, Crash Linen Cambric Hankerchiefs, Valencienne Laces, Hemstitched Hankerchiefs, Cluny and Thread Laces, Courtauld English Crape, French Piece Crape, Barege, Tissue and Lace Veiling. A beautiful variety of Silks, in all the new shades. A general assortment of Hosiery, Kid Gloves, Linen Collars and Cuffs, Corsets, Crape Setts.

Real and Imitation Hair Switches, Braids, Curls, Frisetts. A complete Stock of Pearl and Set Ornaments, Breastpins and Ear Rings, Bracelets, Sleeve Buttons.

A large Stock of

PERFUMERY AND TOILET SOAP,

And many other Novelties.

We have in our establishments several experienced MILLINERS, and have no hesitation in stating, that their exquisite work, and beautiful designs in trimming Hats, cannot be excelled. One of these Ladies has special charge in this Department to wait on Customers, and will aid Ladies in making selections.

Every Department is now replete with the very latest

NOVELTIES.

A great many of our Goods were purchased at a reduction of 25 per cent., the full benefit of which, we will give to our customers.

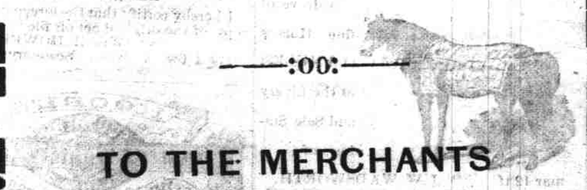
An examination of our Goods and prices, will convince every one, that our assertions are

BONA FIDE,

and that we mean just what we say.

Our regular Spring Opening will take place in a few days, of which, due notice will be given.

KOOPMANN & ROTHSCHILD.



TO THE MERCHANTS

—OF—

NORTH AND SOUTH CAROLINA,

We beg leave to call attention to our

WHOLESALE DEPATRMENT,

In MILLINERY & FANCY GOODS, RIBBONS, FLOWERS.

We have on hand over 1500 dozen of the latest styles of

LADIES' TRIMMED and UNTRIMMED HATS.

An immense Stock of BIBBON and other Goods, which we can offer at lower Prices, than any other establishment.

As we are the only house in Charlotte, dealing exclusively in Millinery Goods, it should attract the attention of Merchants, who wish to make purchases in our line.

Orders respectfully solicited.

Koopmann & Rothschild

KOOPMANN AND ROTHSCHILD

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ANNOUNCEMENT.

I have appointed Dr. F. H. GLOVER my lawful agent to collect claims due me, either for job work, or for subscriptions. He is authorized to receipt for any sums that may be placed in his hands for collection.

CHAS. R. JONES,
Editor & Proprietor.

Office of the CHARLOTTE OBSERVER, March 18th, 1875. ma21-tf

THE CHURCHES TO-DAY.

CATHOLIC CHURCH—Services at 11 A. M., and at 7½ P. M, by the priest, Rev. Father Hands.

LUTHERAN CHURCH—Services at 11 A. M., by the Prof. W. E. Hubbard. Sunday School at 3 P. M. communion services at 11 o'clock.

BAPTIST CHURCH.—Services this morning at 11, and this evening at 7½, by the pastor, Rev. Theo. W hitfield.

ST. PETER'S (E.) CHURCH.—Rev. B. S. Bronson Rector. Services will be had today at 11 A. M., and at 4½ P. M.

SECOND METHODIST CHURCH.—Services by the pastor, Rev. W. S. Haltom, at 11 A M and at 7 P. M. Sunday School at 9 A. M.

TRYON STREET M. E. CHURCH.—Services to-day at 11 A. M., and at 7½ P. M., by the Pastor, Rev. P J Carraway. Sunday School at 3 P. M.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.—Services this morning at 11, and this evening at 3½, by the pastor, Rev. A. J. Morrison, Seats free. Sunday School at 3 o'clock P. M.

The ordination services of Rev Alfred J Morrison will be held in this church on Thursday evening at 8 o'clock, April 15th. The public are invited to attend.

ASSOCIATE REFORMED SERVICE—in the Chapel, on the corner of College and 5th streets, to-day at 11 o'clock A. M., and at 3 P M, by the Rev. W. M. Hunter. Sunday School at 10 A. M.

SECOND PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.—Services in the morning at 11, and in the evening at 7½ the pastor, Rev. E. H. Harding, at the Court House. Sunday School in the basement of the Lutheran Church at 3 P. M.

PRAYER MEETING.—The Young Men's Christian Association will hold a Prayer Meeting this evening at 5 o'clock, at their Hall, over the Commercial National Bank. The public are cordially invited.

LOCAL DOTS.

The mud on the streets yesterday reminds us of the wet weather of last winter.

"President Grant will not come to our Centennial," is the way to read Andrews' advertisement.

Advertising pays is what a gentleman who recently advertised a horse for sale, said to us yesterday.

If the gentleman who advertised a lost pistol, through the columns of the OBSERVER will call on us he will learn something to his advantage.

It is rather hard on the municipal authorities when we have to confess that it is better to walk in the gutter than on the sidewalk, as we had to do Church street yesterday.

Kistler who was shot a week ago by Garvin, and who was reported to have been mortally wounded, has so far recovered as to be able to sit up, and it is now thought that with proper care he will get well.

Personal.

The Rev. Dr, Chas. Phillips of Davidson College is in the city, en route for Hampden Sidney, Va., where he is expected to deliver the annual address before the students of the Union Theological Seminary. There is no such word as fail in his vocabulary, and the North Carolinians there will have cause to be proud of the selection.

Dr. Barker.

The celebrated phrenologist, Dr. Barker, a native of Carteret county, N C, will be in Charlotte for the next week or so. He will lecture eight or ten nights. His lectures will be free, but he, of course, charges for examination, &c. Report says, Dr Barker is thoroughly versed in his profession, and any person who desires to know his or her peculiarities should give him a call.

The First Presbyterian Church.

Dr. Miller will be absent to-morrow, and his pulpit will be filled by the Rev. Alfred J. Morrison. The large congregation that will assemble to hear Mr. Morrison will not be a compliment so much to his ability, which is confessedly more than ordinary, as to his consistency. It is seldom that we have the pleasure of hearing one in whose sincerity we have the utmost confidence. Mr. Morrison, in choosing his profession, threw aside ambition. He had before him an open field. A politician by inheritance, and in the heights of success, he laid it all aside and chose the banner of the Cross.

Gov. Graham's Address.

Will Gov. Graham's Memoir of the Mecklenburg Declaration of Independence, which is now appearing serially in the *Southern Home*, be reprinted in pamphlet or book form? It should be, immediately.—*Wil. Star.*

We are authorized by the Chairman of the Executive Committee to say that it is under contemplation to publish the address alluded to, together with such memoranda, as will please the Declaration of 20th May, 1775, forever beyond cavil, in a short time. The book will be out by the time of the celebration, and whatever profits may be realized, over and above the actual cost of publication, will be turned over to the monumental fund. The book will probably be published by the book and job department of the OBSERVER establishment.

Funds for the Centennial.

The city of Charlotte has been about half canvassed by the Ways and Means Committee, in the matter of raising funds for the approaching celebration, and about two thousand dollars have been raised. We may confidently expect to raise the balance of the quota originally calculated upon. Various plans are being worked up by parties in different portions of the State, by which we hope to get all the money that will actually be necessary. Speed the good work. The Celebration is now a fixed fact.

Mecklenburg Zouaves.

The arms for the above company have arrived, 60 Springfield Rifles with bayonet accountiments complete. They will be issued to the members on Monday night April 12th. This company will present a fine appearance when fully uniformed and equipped. They have organized expressly for the coming Centennial celebration and consequently cannot be expected to be as well drilled as some of the older organizations. We have no fears but that they will do credit to Charlotte, taking into consideration the short time they will have for drill.

The Centennial—Letter from Mr Polk.

BOLIVAR BULLETIN.
Bolivar, Tenn., April 8th, 1875.

Thos. W. Dewey, Esq., Secretary Ex. Com. Centennial Celebration, Charlotte, N. C.

DEAR SIR:—Your favor of March 25th, is before me. To say that the honor done me by the committee is highly appreciated is but feebly to express my feelings.

My heart will be with you, and the dear and honored State will have no more devoted son to rejoice with her on the Centennial Anniversary of her glorious Declaration than myself.

With sentiments of high esteem,
I am your obedient servant
MARSHAL T POLK.

A Local "Tramp."

Notwithstanding the fitful April showers, and the everlasting mud, east trade street presented a rather business like appearance yesterday, and the numerous drays and pedestrians seemed unmindful of the weather. The lot of mortals here below is hard, but the duties of a reporter is at such times not to be envied. To obtain news, he must put on the garb of a "confidence man," and afterwards be abused for divulging secrets. If he goes into a bar room to learn what has transpired in the way of a row or frolic, the old folks will shake their heads ominously and say it is no place for a decent man. So like a regular "Tramp" in the uncommercial traveler he must loafaround, make a poor mouth, and beg the papers by for any small favor of a scanty item with which to make out a "Shabby genteel story."

Memorial Day.

In the enthusiasm which has been invoked in regard to the proper celebration of the Centennial on the 20th May, we do hope that our people will not forget that the 10th of May has been solemnly set apart for the decoration of the graves of those patriots who perished in the late struggle for the "Lost Cause." On this subject after noticing the fact that the ladies of Charlotte, ever forward in their deeds of generosity, have formed an Association which has this end in view, we take the liberty of clipping the following from the last Fayetteville *Gazette:* on the same subject:

"These Confederate soldiers gave their lives in a cause no less worthy than that which called forth the Mecklenburg Declaration:—were they with us now they would join with us in a celebration so befitting the pride and honor of the State; were they living and moving in our midst to-day, these noble men, they could not but be true to every duty and responsibility of citizenship. Let us remember that their wives, their mothers, their children are here to cherish their memories; that in distant States bereaved families are still grieving for the lost who are left to us as a sacred trust. And now that the gloom and the dreariness of winter is being rolled away, and the life and gladness of spring is bursting forth, let us be ready with the loveliest, most precious of nature's riches, the fairest wreaths, the sweetest flowers, to lay upon our Confederate graves; and let us see to it that we honor and dignify the ceremony with a tribute of eloquence from some one of the most gifted of the sons of the commonwealth.

"Memorial Day is not far off, and it would be well to commence preparations for celebrating it in the most fitting manner."

Meeting of the General Committee of Arrangements.

Pursuant to notice, the general Committee of Arrangements, assembled at the Court House on Saturday, at eleven o'clock, and was called to order, Dr. Joseph Graham in the Chair.

The Ways and Means Committee was called on for a report, but owing to the absence of the Chairman, who did not come until toward the close of the meeting, a full report could not be submitted. Chas. R. Jones, as a member of that Committee, stated that not less than three thousand circulars, petitions and invitations had been sent out by his Committee; That the city of Charlotte had probably been half canvassed, resulting in the raising of not less than two thousand dollars.

Dr. Phillips reported that he thought his township (Dewese's) would raise the sum of fire hundred dollars.

The Transportation Committee was next called on for a report. Mr. Wittkowsky, from that Committee, stated that his Committee could not make a full report, but that the Carolina Central, the Richmond & Danville, the Richmond & Atlanta, Air Line, and possibly others, had made liberal and generous deductions of fares during that occasion, all of which would be published by the different companies.

In the consideration of this subject, Col. Johnston introduced the following resolution, which was unanimously adopted, in view of the fact that the people living in the city of Charlotte, can not expect to be able to provide sleeping accommodations for the vast crowd which is expected to be here.

Resolved, That the Committee on Transportation be instructed to ask the various railroad companies to run special trains from Charlotte on the night of the 20 May.

The question of properly lodging and caring for our visitors and invited guests, being under consideration, Col. H. C. Jones offered the following, which was adopted:

Resolved, That the ladies of Charlotte be invited to meet with the Executive Committee, at the Court House, on next Wednesday evening, at four o'clock, in order to have some understanding as to the arrangements necessary to be taken toward the care and accommodation of our visitors and invited guests at the Centennial Celebration, and that the citizens generally who feel an interest in this matter, be requested to meet the Committee also at the same time and place.

The proper accommodation of the fire companies, bands and other organizations, which were expected to be present, was next considered, and it was moved and carried that the fire and military committee be authorized to provide quarters for all their invited guests.

On motion the meeting adjourned.

JOSEPH GRAHAM, Chairman.

CHAS. R. JONES, Secretary.

[COMMUNICATED.]

The Career of a Charlotte Youth.

While dreaming his *Young* dreams, the *Dewey* breezes of heaven will fan his fevered brow; but the stirring strains of a *Phifer* will awaken him to his true condition. For fear that he cannot obtain a trusted *Oar* with which to battle the untried sea; he stops to drink from sparkling *Springs*, and is pierced to the heart by the unerring *Steele* of cupid. While he attempts to ascend the *Stoney* pathway up the *Hill* of life, he receives a wound from a watchful *Pickett* which materially impairs his ad *Vance*. It then requires *Morehead* as well as more heart than most have to know how to avoid future dangers; and as the *Mills* of the gods grind so slowly, by the time he reaches his goal, the *Snow* of winter will have fallen upon head, and he goes to his long home to dream no *Moore*. Y.

The Two Angels.

BY JOHN G. WHITTIER.

God called the nearest angels who dwell
with him above:
The tenderest one was Pity, the dearest one
was Love.

"Arise," he said, "my angels! a wall of woe
and sin
Steals through the gates of heaven, and saddens all within.

"My harps takes up the mournful strain that
from a lost world swells;
The smoke of torment clouds the lights and
blights the asphodels.

"Fly downward to that under world, on its
souls of pain
Let Love drop smiles of sunshine, and Pity
tears like rain."

Two faces bowed before the throne, velled
in their golden hair:
Four white wings lessened swiftly down the
dark abyss of air.

The way was strange, the night was long; at
last the angels came
Where swung the lost and nether world,
redwrapped in rayless flame.

There Pity, shuddering, wept; but Love,
with faith too strong for fear,
Took heart from God's Almightiness and
smiled a smile of cheer.

And lo! that tear of Pity quenched the
flame wherein it fell,
And with the sunshine of that smile hope
entered into hell!

Two unvelled faces full of joy looked upward to the Throne,
Four white wings folded at the feet of Him
who sat thereon!

And deeper than the sound of seas, more
soft than falling flake,
Amidst the hush of wing and song the
Voice Eternal spake:

"Welcome, my angels! ye have brought a
holier joy to heaven;
Henchforth its sweetest song shall be the
song of sin forgiven!"

[Atlantic Monthly.

DIED.

In Chester, S. C., on the 7 inst., Mrs Susan A Robertson, daugher of Col Thos Boyd.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

A REGULAR COMMUNICATION

Of Phalanx Lodge No. 31, A F & A M, will be held in their hall, in Masonic Temple Building,

MONDAY NIGHT, APRIL 12TH,

At half past seven o'clock.

Visiting brethren, and members of other Lodges, in good standing, are respectfully invited. Brethren will take due notice, and govern themselves accordingly.

By order of the W. M.

W. H. HOFFMAN, Secretary.

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SPRING and SUMMER

CLOTHING.

WE are now receiving our new Stock of

MENS', YOUTHS' and BOYS' CLOTHING,
A large and various stock of Furnishing Goods, Straw, Felt, Silk and Jappanese Hats, Hosiery, Gloves and Linen and Silk Handkerchiefs, Cravats, Stocks, Neck Ties and Scarfs,

SILK, GINGHAMS,
ALPACCA AND
JAPPANESE
UMBRELLAS,

And a large variety of Fancy Articles in our line which we cannot enumerate. While we feel prepared to suit the most fastidious taste, we desire to speak specially of our GENTLEMENS' SUITS, and our Stock of SHIRTS. The first we do not think can be surpassed in any city in South, and the latter we claim to be specially excellent.

These Goods were selected with care by our purchasing partner, and we promise that quality style and prices shall give satisfaction.

We will add that we are prepared to take measures, and furnish any article of Clothing in our line, of any special discription desired.

THE CENTENNIAL!

Our Stock shall be full and complete on the occasion.

With our thanks to a generous public for past patronage, we asks for its continuance.

J. A. YOUNG & SON,
East Main Street,
apr 11 Charlotte, N. C.

FINE GREENHOUSE FLOWERS and PLANTS.

A large and elegant assortment of the most choice Greenhouse Flowers and Plants, well rooted for sale very cheap.

Address Mrs. C W BRADSHAW,
ap 11 Charlotte, N. C.

ATTENTION MECKLENBURG ZOUAVES.

You will meet Monday night at 8 o'clock, sharp, at your Armory, over Sirrine's carriage Repository. Let every man be present as business of importance will be transacted, that needs the attention of all. All old soldiers are invited.

By order of N C HARRY, Captain.
H Mc SMITH, Orderly Sergeant.
apr 11

NOTICE.

A meeting of the committee of Ways and Means (Centennial) will be held Monday evening, at 5 o'clock p. m., at the Farmers' Savings Bank. Prompt attendance of all the members desired.

JOHN A. YOUNG, Chairman.
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ORDINANCE

OF THE

CITY OF CHARLOTTE.

I AM directed to call the attention of the citizens of Charlotte to the following ordinance passed December 21st, 1874:

Section 1. Be it ordained by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen, of the city of Charlotte, in council assembled, that the Board may appoint a City Engineer, whose duty it shall be to locate and find the boundaries of lots and streets, and grade the sidewalks and drains thereon, when called upon for that purpose.

Section 2. Be it further ordained that hereafter any person building or about to build any house or fence on any site, or construct any sidewalk or pavement fronting or bounding on any of the streets of the city of Charlotte, shall be required to have the same located or graded, and the boundaries thereof adjoining such street or streets, fixed and certified to by the city engineer, and in case any person shall construct any house, fence, sidewalk or pavement, as foresaid without having the same located or graded by the city engineer as aforesaid, such person shall be subject to a fine of not more than fifty dollars for each and every offence, at the discretion of the Mayor, provided that in such case, as aforesaid the city engineer, shall be paid for his services by the party so building, constructing, &c., a fee to be fixed by the Street Committee.

Section 3. Be it further ordained that any person who shall injure, move or cause to be moved any of the stakes, set as guides for locating or grading any lot, sidewalks, drains, &c., or shall fail to conform to stakes, by locating or grading in anywise differing therefrom, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and be subject to an imprisonment for a period of not more than thirty days, or to a fine of not more than fifty dollars for each and every offence, at the discretion of the Mayor.

Section 4. Be it further ordained, that the city engineer shall from time to time fix the Easterly corners of the intersections of the different streets, in accordance with the map or plan of the city of Charlotte, already adopted by the city council, and at each of which shall cause to be driven an iron or stone post, said post to be the future guides for establishing the street lines, as well as bench marks in leveling, and fathermore that the same penalties for moving or injuring the location or grade stakes, as prescribed in section 3, shall attach in like manner to any person interfering with the corner posts.

All persons coming within the range of above ordinance, are hereby notified that the sum will hereafter be strictly enforced.

By order of the Mayor and Board of Aldermen, J R ERWIN, City Marshal.
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PRESIDENT GRANT

Is surprised to hear that we charge only 25 cents for 3 (large size) cans of Tomatoes, and reader, when you taste them, you will be surprised at their exceeding rich and fresh flavor. He is still partial to our delicious Cakes, and is resolved that he

WILL NOT

Give up our "Little Partaga" Cigar and fine cut chewing Tobacco, even when he "steps down and out." His ability to

Come to Our Centennial

Causes him profound regret, as it prevents his enjoying our delicious Vanilla Cream Almonds, Cocoanut Taffy, Burnt Almonds and Peanuts, Cream and Egg Crackers, Canned Fruits, Brandy Charms and Pickles.

apr 10 F H ANDREWS & CO.

$200.00

WILL buy that beautiful Arctic Soda apparatus. Call soon if you want it,

T C SMITH & CO., Druggists.
apr 10

5, 10, 15.

TRY our Five, Ten and Fifteen cent Cigar—the best in the market for these prices—supply yourselves to-day.

T C SMITH & CO.,
apr 10 Opposite Central Hotel.

85 Barrels

EARLY Rose Potatoes now in Store, 15 Bushels White Beans, 75 fresh Fat Hens, by Express, at

apr 9 B N SMITH'S.

The Best Hams,

THE best Breakfast Strips, and the best Lard can be found, at

apr 9 B N SMITH'S.

CO TO

WADE & PEGRAM'S,

—FOR—

NEW ORLEANS GAITERS,

SOMETHING NEW.

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FRESH FAMIL.

Supplies Just Received!

CHOICE SMOKED SALMON

And N. Y. Pickled Beef, English and American Crackers and Cakes, English and American Pickles, Chow Chow, Onions, Cauliflower & Piccadilli, quarts and pints, 500 Dozen Pickles in Barrels, Rye Graham and Rye Flour, Buckwheat and Oat Meal, Rock Candy and Maple Sugar, Currants and Raisins, Citron and Turkish Prunes, Vermicilli and Macaroni, Preserves and Jellies, Canned Fruit and Vegetables, Oranges and Lemons, Cocoanuts and Dates, 2 lbs and 2 lbs Canned Tomattoes at reduced prices, at

Hottendorf & Hashagen's

FAMILY GROCERY,

OPPOSITE CHARLOTTE HOTEL.

apr 10

JUST RECEIVED,

A lot of nice Dried Apples, at

W M CROWEL'S.
apr 10

50 BUSHELS PEAS,

Planting Potatoes (Red Spanish) and another barrel nice White Saur Kraut, for sale by W M CROWELL,
apr 10 College Street.

USE ONLY

JACQUAND, PERE & FILS' renowned Shoe Blacking, the best in the world. It is especially famed for its extraordinary, durable and transparent brilliancy, and for the softness and pliability it gives to the leather insuring it against cracking.

T C SMITH & CO.,
apr 10 Druggists.

The Last Call.

ALL parties who have not paid their Taxes, during my administration as Sheriff of Mecklenburg county, are hereby notified that no further indulgence can be given, as on the 1st day of May, I will be compelled to settle in full, with the County Commissioners, and all arrearages of Taxes on my tax books must be collected by that time.

In the meantime if steps are not promptly taken to cancel the taxes now remaining unpaid for the years 1873 and 1874, the claims will certainly be put in the hands of a Deputy for collection. It will be a very disagreeable duty on my part, to be forced to sell the property of any man, but as I am legally liable for the same no one who fails to pay all back dues within the next fifteen days will be no longer indulged.

This is positively my last call, and parties who are interested will consult their own interest by calling at my office, in the Court House, and settling at once,

M E ALEXANDER, Sheriff.
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$25.00 REWARD.

LOST on the evening of — inst., a Lady's Hunting Case Watch, with chain, charms, key, seal, a little stud, and 50 cents in Gold. The watch is numbered 3422. The above reward will be paid upon the delivering of the same at THIS OFFICE.

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OPERA HOUSE

ONE NIGHT ONLY.

The celebrated Lecturer,

MISS ANNA E. DICKINSON,

Will deliver her world renowned lecture on the life and character of

JOAN OF ARC,

At the Charlotte Opera House, on

MONDAY EVENING, APRIL 12TH,

Admission, ... $1.00

Reserved seats on sale at Tiddy's Book Store

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THE

Warm Weather,

NOW approaching necessitate the using of Safes, to preserve your Meats and Vegetables. We have just received a large lot of Bouffets and Safes, in tin and wire, all sizes, and will sell same at low prices for cash,

D A SMITH & CO.,
Furniture Dealers,
ap 9 East Trade Street.

Public Sale

OF VALUABLE Real Estate and Town lots

As assignees of W. H. H. Houston, we will sell at Public auction, on Tuesday the 27th day of this month, at the Depot known as Houston, on the Carolina Central Railway, twelve miles from Charlotte, a number of valuable lots, situated at said depot, and upon the tract of land formerly known as the James B. Williams, tract.

At the same time we will sell the balance of said Williams tract, containing about one hundred and fifty acres, in small tracts to suit purchasers. Also one other tract, known as the Alexander and Thompson tract, containing about three hundred acres.

Also the said Houston's interest in three hundred and seventy-five acres of land in the county of Union, known as a part of the big survey.

Also the said Houston's reversionary interest in the Thariel tract containing about one hundred and Twenty acres.

The above land is situated near the Depot of Houston, and is valuable for cotton and has valable timber upon it.

Terms, one-third cash, the remainder at 6 months with interest from date. Title retained until purchase money paid.

Plat of said town lots may be seen at J E Brown's law office.

F. S. DeWOLFE,
JOHN E. BROWN,
Assignees of W H H Houston.
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LAND PLASTER,

For Clover and Wheat. 150 barrels Nova Scotia, just received. $2.75 per barrel.

BURROUGHS & SPRINGS.
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