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notice will be given. **KOOPMANN & ROTHSCHILD**.

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several days, and is still progressing. Our market reports are now a special The meeting will continue for some

time yet.

By Invitation

The Centennial Races,

lotte on that occasion."

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feature, and may be relied on as correct in the main. We confess that it is complimentary to us, that the price of 20th, 1775,

grain, cotton, &c., is, to a large extent; We took supper at the Central Hotel regulated by the quotations in the OBlast night, and, although it was our first SERVER, in Western Carolina. West of meal taken there for twelve months, we Greensboro, and to the half way line must say so far as the table and its apbetween us and Wilmington. Knowing pointments are concerned, that we this fact, we are the more determined know of none better managed in the that our friends shall not call upon us State, or indeed in the South. Mr. Ecin vain. We shall add a daily synopsis cles has deservedly earned a good repuof the drug market to our other full tation as a hotelist. We were asked esmarket reports in a short time, and othpecially to eat some of the nicest, preter features, by which we hope to make tiest, juciest, sweetest strawberries our the OBSERVER still more attractive eves or palate ever feasted on, and of among commercial men. course we couldn't refuse-not us.

Centennial Fancy Dress Ball.

The following named race horses, be-We clip from the Lincoln Progress longing to Messrs. Hitchcock, Barton the following account of the recent and Mettinger, arrived by the Air Line Fancy Dress Ball in Lincolnton, given in aid of the Centennial Astociation. Road last night at nine o'clock, and will go into training immediately for the It has never been our pleasure to at-Centennial races: First Chance, Mattie tend a more pleasant or better conduct ed entertainment than that given by O., Charlie Cheatham, Ked Jackson, Mollie Darling, Lutitia H., and Bay the citizens of Lincolnton, for the benefit of the Mecklenburg Centennial, o

Every lover of horse flesh will re- Tuesday evening, 20th April. We must member the performance of Mollie say that we have never seen a prettier Darling, at the Fair last Fall, she hav- set of young ladies than those who ing made the best time ever recorded were present on that occasion. We will endeavor as nearly as possible to on our track.

give a description of the costumes worn C. C. Railroad Rates to the Centennial, by the different ladies and gentlemen : An answer to a correspondent of the Miss Maggie Adams represented Newberne Nut Shell, asking if Col. 'Lady Washington," wore a lilic bro-Fremont's proposition to carry fire and cade silk made tunic style over a white military companies free on the 20th. satin overskirt, hair dressed after the applied to those at points other than fashion of a hundred years ago, pow-Wilmington, the Star says : dered and surmounted with a cap. We

"We understand the report of Col. feel that we can safely say that "Lady Fremont, who, we will state for the in-Washington" could not compare in formation of our Newberne friends, is beauty to her representation on Tuesday the General Superintendent of the Carolina Central Railroad, to include all night. ire and military organizations, whether

Miss Brem, of Charlotte, as "Cather belonging in this city or not, that would ine de Medicis," wore a court dress of require to be transported over the Car-plina Central Railroad, to attend the blue velvet elaborately adorned with Centennial. Freight will, however, be jewels and glided about in the dance charged upon trucks, engines, or any with grace and dignity becoming a lady such bulky machines which such organof the court. izations should desire to carry to Char-

Miss Ella Lander, as "Child of the Regiment," was dressed in a jaunty

Police Force on the 20th. costume a la militaire with skirt of Even at this early day, it is not too crimson and black and velvet jacket early to begin to talk about an extra trimmed with gold braid and buttons. police force on that day. There ought We think Miss Ella could have organto be at least a hundred extra policezed a regiment of men at the ball who men on that occasion. It would be too would have fought for her against any hard on the city of Charlotte to furnish odds.

a permiscuous detail of that number of Miss Katie Motz, as "Flower Girl," men. There is a law in this State, auwas dressed in white trimmed with thorizing justices of the peace to detail flowers of every description. Miss any number of men of the county, he Motz loooked, we may say, simply kill- Religious. may deem necessary, to keep order at

any public gathering. During the ex-Miss Sallie McBee, as "Spring," word citing campaign of 1872, this was done a dress of green tarlatan, white vei

in several small towns with the hapand flowers. Well might it be said piest results. It has been proposed with Miss McBee, as a representation, that the "Mecklenburg Zouaves" be spring, spring, gentle spring, loveliest detailed to do police duty. All that is season of the year.

necessary to invest them with full pow-Miss Annie Michal, as "Night," wore er to arrest disorderly characters and a gauzy dress of black, trimmed with keep order generally, is for Justice A. stars, yeil and crescent; the heavens in H. Martin, or some other Magistrate, all their splendor could not excell their perhaps the Mayor, to authorize the representation.

Miss Florence

forefathers and in showing to the world our high appreciation of their patriotism in declaring Independence at Charlotte, Mecklenburg county, N. C., May

> Respectfully, MRS. J. G. JUSTICE.

Personal

course in that little town.

+0+ Letter from Mr. Buxton.

FAYETTEVILLE, N. C., April 24, 1875. THOS. W. DEWEY, Esq., Secretary Executive Committee, Centennial Associetion.

DEAR SIR :- Your polite invitation to ttend the Mecklenburg Declaration Centennial Celebration on the 29th of May, prox., is received and duly appreciated I regret that official duties will pre-

vent me participating in the interesting ceremonies of the occasion. Wishing you all a good time, I remain very respectfully,

Yours, &c., RALPH P. BUXTON. ------

Historical Society.

There will be a meeting of the zens of Charlotte friendly to the cause, at the Court House Thursday, night to form a Historical Society. We earnestly call upon the citizens who feel an interest in vindicating the history of We North Carolina, to be present. have no time to loose. Something

must be done at once. We hope the professional gentlemen of the city especially will make it a point to attend. *** ***

The Opera House,

Has been generously tendered by the proprietors, Messrs: Carson & Sanders, for the "Cantata" Friday night. As this entertainment is to be given in aid of the Centennial movement, this kind act will be duly appreciated by the

friends of the Celebration throughout the State. No doubt there will be a full house, but why not let it be crammed.

his city should be present.

There will be a meeting of the Young

Men's Christian Association this evening at 5 o'clock, at their Hall to hear an address from Rev. Geo. Hall. At 7:30 p. m., there will be a Union meeting of the different denominations at the Presbyterian Church. The public are earnestly invited to be

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row night. That Ward No. 2 hold its good or ill may befall us. Our best meeting in the Market House to-mor- men ought to be put forward as candirow night. That Ward No. 1 hold its dates for Aldermen, and we are sincermeeting in the Market House Friday ely of the opinion that no good man Cabbage, Radishes, English night. Mr. Sims expressed a desire to ought to shrink from the responsibilihave the matter thoroughly understood ties of the position, when his fellowas he did not see any representative of citizens call upon him, and while we

Rev. Alfred J. Morrisson, accompan- the OBSERVER, and he doubted whether think no one should hesitate to disied by his lovely bride, arrived in this the proceedings of the meeting would charge the duties, who is capable, we city yesterday. Mr. Morrisson will appear in that paper. Just then some are just as strongly convinced that it is leave to-day for Franklin, Macon Co., one called his attention to the presence a position which no man should seek. which will be his headquarters as of the Associate, when he uttered an All politics ought to be religiously laid missionary for that section of coun- exclamation of surprise, not to say aside, and men only should be voted try: Franklin will get up its reputa- astonishment, that brought down the for who are of known integrity, and of tion after awhile for "breaking in" House and gave the Associate the good qualifications. We should regret young ministers. Mr. William Davis "mean grins." (He was too much con- to see a had man of either party elewas the last and Mr. Morrison, we fused to state that he came there in vated to the important position of Al-

think, will be about the third young search of his brother secretary of the derman or Mayor of the eity of Chardivine that has taken his first pastoral other meeting, Dr. J. M. Miller.) On motion a committee, consisting of

Messis. Harris and Overman, were appointed to wait tipon Col. Johnston and notify him of his nomination. During the absence of the committee enthusiastic calls were made for Dr. T.

I. Moore, the chairman. Dr. Moore responded in a short speech which was received with much applause. The

speaker said the office of Mayor in this city had fallen into dissepute of late years, and that there was much complaint of incompetency and inefficiency in the city government ; that our highways and by-ways, and our public im-

provements generally, were in a wretched condition which was a shame and a amount wanted. reproach to the community, that the condition of our highways was calculated to draw off rather than attract per-

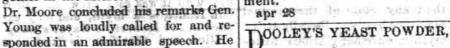
sons to settle in our midst, that the community had allowed many golden opportunities to go by unimproved, sell to the trade at lowest possible that here was another opportunity the price. Give us a call. T C SMITH & CO.

city had of placing good and competent men in charge of its municipal afapr 28 fairs and he did hope they would not L'OUND. let it slip, but that all those interested

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thought it was time the people were I Sea Foam, Baking Powder, Here fords, Bread Preparation. apr 28 W B BURWELL & CO. learning that we would never prosper

as a city till we had our best men in the municipal offices. He called at-CRESH FLAVORING EXTRACTS, tention to the fact that our city scrip was worthless when it might have been Inst received. ap 28 W R BURWELL & CO.

Every lover of his State, his section or at par. He attributed it all to mismanagement of the finances of the city He urged the importance of reform in the city government and the election of

those interested in the growth and Liver Piles, Rosadalis, Queen's Deprosperity of the city. While General Young was speaking Col. Johnston was announced and the speaker concluded

his remarks. Col. Johnston was received with much enthusiasm. Dr. Moore, rose

and informed of him his nomination, and he was called for. In response Col. Johnston said he was greatly sur-

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tickets, and give instructions as to the

CIGARS.

Means (Centennial) will be held this evening, at 5 o'clock p. m., at the Farmers' Savinga Bank. Prompt attendance of all the members desired. JOHN A. YOUNG, apr 28-1t

