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### SMITH & FORBES,

HAVE MARKED DOWN PRICES OF THEIR ENTIRE STOCK OF BOOTS & SHOES:

MILES' Ladies cloth, goat and calf Shoes.....	\$2.50
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THESE PRICES ARE FOR CASH ONLY.

### SMITH & FORBES,

NEW LEON FRONT BUILDING, TRADE STREET,

1875 NEW ARRIVAL. 1875

## WADE & PEGRAM

ARE NOW RECEIVING A FINE STOCK

## BOOTS & SHOES,

FOR THE FALL AND WINTER TRADE.

We offer to the Public the best Stock of *Gentlemen's Hand and Machine-Made*

## GAITERS AND BOOTS,

To be found in the City. Ladies', Misses', and Childrens' goods in endless variety. We respectfully solicit your patronage. Satisfaction guaranteed.

WADE & PEGRAM,

Opposite Central Hotel.

Ladies and Gents' fine goods a specialty. sep21

## Burgess Nichols & Co.,

WHOLESALE & RETAIL

DEALERS IN FURNITURE

BEDDING, &c.,

No. 5, West Trade Street. CHARLOTTE, N. C.

JUST RECEIVED.

A FULL ASSORTMENT

OF Parlor Suits, in Hair Cloth

Terry and Reqs. Also, a new

Supply of Lounges, all grades. A full assortment of Metallic Cases, Caskets and Wood

Coffins, on hand. Jun 13

## J. S. PHILLIPS,

MERCHANT TAILOR,

UNDER CENTRAL HOTEL.

CHARLOTTE, N. C.

ALWAYS GUARANTEES SATISFACTION.

## NEW MEAT MARKET.

SEE HERE

25 CENTS PER POUND

## ROSE & JAMISON,

Springs' Building, Opposite Central Hotel, on Trade Street, and next door to

Farmers' Savings Bank

## SLAUGHTERERS

AND WHOLESALE & RETAIL DEALERS IN

## TENNESSEE BEEF AND MUTTON.

WE KEEP A FIRST-CLASS MEAT MARKET, AND SOLICIT TRADE FROM CASH paying customers only. No credit customers wanted.

## THE CITY

### ANNOUNCEMENT.

JAS. H. MOORE is authorized to collect accounts for this office and receipt for the same, to receive subscriptions, &c. CHAS. B. JONES, Editor and Proprietor.

### City Bulletin.

Now the nights are longer than the days. A sweet little poem on third page this morning.

This matter of dust has come to be a serious thing again. The prisoners will be transferred to the new jail about to-morrow or next day.

Remember "The Demagogue" is to be talked about by Gov. Vance to-night. These are the nights when the 'pos um, the taters, and the red liquor, pass around the festive board.

The first frost of the season fell in this city yesterday morning. There was also ice, from 1 to 1-16 of an inch thick. This is earlier than usual.

We had the pleasure of seeing in our office last evening, Gen. R. F. Hoke, of Raleigh, and Dr. W. S. Eyerit, of the Concord Sun.

Rat won't be gay week after next? Theatre on the nights of the 12th and 13th, circus on the 14th, circus again on the 16th. Fights, fun and lots of items.

The "Turf Exchange and Billiard Parlor," is the name which has been given by Mr Badger to his establishment on Tryon street.

A match game of base ball, played yesterday afternoon between the Nameless and the Smithville Clubs, resulted in a victory for the former, the score standing Nameless 27, Smithville 21.

Messrs Schiff & Bro., moved their stock on yesterday, into the store which they recently purchased and improved, next door to McMurray & Davis, on Trade street. Mr John Brookfield will occupy their old stand.

The Board of Aldermen did not meet last evening in consequence of the absence of the Mayor. It will meet this afternoon at 3 o'clock at Market Hall, and we are requested to ask the members to be there promptly at that time.

The young men had quite a nice game of base ball on Sunday afternoon, but the young clerk who came back with a game finger remarks that it is very vital to indulge in such worldly amusements on the Sabbath.

Another Circus. We notice in the Atlanta papers that Howe's Circus is on the road, and is to appear in Charlotte on the 16th of October—just two days after Cole's. If another one or two would come along about the same time, they would not only let a fellow in free, but give him a chromo to get him in.

Stamps on the Wrong Corner. We see it stated that postmasters have been annoyed so much by persons placing the postage stamp on the wrong corner of the letter, that an order has been procured to send all letters to the dead letter office which are not properly stamped. The stamp must be affixed to the upper right hand corner.

Engine Practice. About 40 of the members of the Neptune Fire Company, were out yesterday afternoon with their engine. They threw two streams to the top of the Central Hotel, and three to the top of Creswell's store, corner Trade and Church streets. The engine was not tried as to hotel distance.

The Courts. There was no Mayor yesterday morning, and therefore no Court. The Magistrate had a dull day of it, too, there being only one criminal case—that of a negro for stealing corn, reported elsewhere—before any of them. There was a good deal of civil business, of one kind and another, but nothing of interest.

Didn't Come to Time. The Kit Carson troupe which was booked for the Charlotte Opera House Saturday night, and billed for last night, didn't put in an appearance, to open the dramatic season. We see from the papers that it failed also to reach Raleigh at the time expected. Yesterday a telegram was received here saying that the sale of reserved seats may be discontinued. So we do not expect to see the company here at all. Disbanded, no doubt. Gone to meet the Georgia Minstrels for which we all looked so earnestly last winter.

Thoroughbred Colts. Mr Wm Nance arrived in this city a pay or two ago from Kentucky, having among other stock, two thoroughbred year-old colts, from the Alexander stables in that State, for Mr James Norwood, of Hillsboro, N. C. One of these is a chestnut filly, by Asteroid, first dam Lorester, by Sovereign. The other is a bay colt, by Belmont, first dam Vera. They are at Wadsworth's stable. The colts are ordinary looking animals, but are of the finest blood. They cost about \$500 each.

The Bank of Mecklenburg Put Into Bankruptcy. On yesterday Judge Dick, of the United States District Court, heard at Greensboro, the motion to show cause why the Bank of Mecklenburg should not be put into bankruptcy. Col. J. E. Brown appeared for the creditors, and W. H. Bailey, Esq., for the bank. After a hearing of the case, as we learn from gentlemen who arrived on the train last night, Judge Dick granted the petition of the creditors, and the bank was declared a bankrupt.

## Important to Gas Consumers.

An advertisement in another column makes the important announcement that the Centennial Gas Company have reduced the price of gas to the small figures of two dollars per thousand feet. This is unprecedented in Charlotte and makes it within the reach of all—even cheaper than kerosene oil. We are requested to state by the directors, that the supply or quality will not be interfered with by cold weather, as has been intimated.

### Why is this Thus?

Previous to the new lock box arrangement at the post office, a person who had a lock box could go to the window at any time on Sunday and get his mail. Under the new arrangement, however, the boxes are outside and are locked up except for a while on Sundays, and also at night. There is complaint about this thing, and it is not to be wondered at. If the office is not to be kept open, the public would prefer the old style of having the boxes back in the window, and would no doubt sign a petition to that effect. We hope and shall expect to see some change for the better in the present arrangement.

### Caught Stealing Corn.

On Sunday night while Mr Frank Johnston, who lives near the city, was going along home, he heard some rustling in the corn of Mr D Parks Hutcherson, and stopped to investigate the cause. He presently saw a negro emerge from the field with a bag of corn and called to him. He started to run but Mr Johnston pursued and overtook him. He was brought to town, arriving here just as the churches were being dismissed, and a Magistrate having been found, a committamus was issued and he was put in jail, until yesterday morning, when he was taken before Justice Davidson, and regularly committed in default of \$100 bail. His name is Caleb Wilson, and Judge Schenck will get a lick at him.

### A Large Business.

Very few of even our own people, know how extensive an establishment is the boot and shoe factory of Messrs Sample & Alexander, of this city. They turn out daily 3 cases or 180 pairs of shoes, and sell them in the following places, among others: In Georgia: Rome, Marietta, Gainesville, Toccoa and Plainesville. In South Carolina: Columbia, Spartanburg, Anderson. In North Carolina: Greensboro, Salem, Winston, Lumberton and Abbottsburg, New Hanover county. We mention just these places as points which it would not be naturally supposed, would purchase goods of Charlotte. Messrs Sample & Alexander are buying no Northern goods this season, but will henceforth sell nothing in the boot and shoe line except that of their own manufacture.

### Double Daily Train on the A. T. & O. Railroad.

To-morrow a double daily train will be put on the Atlantic, Tennessee & Ohio Railroad, between Charlotte and Statesville. One will leave Charlotte at 5:20 A. M., and arrive at Statesville at 8:20 A. M., returning, leave Statesville at 1:45 P. M., and arrive at Charlotte at 4:45 P. M. The other will leave Charlotte at 3 P. M., arrive at Statesville at 6:50 P. M., leave Statesville at 5:50 A. M., arrive at Charlotte 9:35 A. M. The train leaving in the morning and returning in the afternoon, will connect both ways with the Western North Carolina train at Statesville. The train going up in the morning will pass the down coming train at Mooresville; the one going up in the afternoon, will pass the down coming train at Alexandria.

### Meeting of the Board of County Commissioners—Inspection of the New Jail.

The Board of County Commissioners met at the Court House yesterday; present, W. E. Ardrey, Chairman, T. L. Vail, Thos Gluyas, H. M. Dixon, R. L. DeArmond. The principal object of the Commissioners being called together, was to receive a report concerning the new jail, and the Chairman of the Building Committee made a verbal report, describing the building, &c., and stating that it was now ready. He asked leave to submit a written report at a future time, which request was granted. The Commissioners then proceeded in a body to the new prison, and made a thorough examination of it from bottom to top, examining all the cells closely and indeed all the other departments of the structure. They expressed themselves as highly pleased, the building appearing secure, conveniently arranged and the workmanship of a superior quality. [We will present an elaborate account of the building in our next issue; at present space forbids.] Meeting again at the Court House, the question arose whether or no the jail should be accepted; on motion it was unanimously agreed that the county receive it.

### The Remaining Proceedings of the Board were orders for the payment of monies, and are uninteresting. The Board adjourned to meet again on Thursday next, the 30th, to sell the old jail.

## The Opera House To-Night.

Our people will have the opportunity of listening to-night to a rare treat, since Gov Vance at that time delivers his lecture on "The Demagogue," at the Opera House, under the auspices of the Young Men's Christian Association. This lecture has never been heard in Charlotte, and if our people do not crowd the Opera House we shall be surprised. Wherever it has been heard the newspapers have spoken in glowing terms of the many palpable hits which it contains and the genius which it displays. The name of the speaker warrants any expectation which may be raised concerning the lecture, and its certain excellence and the cause of its being delivered, should draw a large audience.

### A Hard Journey.

We were glad to see in our office last evening, Col Thos B Long, Special Agent of the Post Office Department. Col L tells us that on Friday night last he took supper at Macon, Ga., on Saturday night passed through here and went home, where he learned of the sickness of a son at Brevard's Station, Gaston county. He wrote from the time he got home Saturday night, until day break Sunday morning, when he took the train for Charlotte. Arriving here, he hired a private conveyance and made his way to Brevard's, and returning reached here again yesterday afternoon, and went back home last night. He never worked so hard before; not even in the late campaign in Orange.

### Sunday Services.

Contrary to expectations, Sunday was a charming day, the clouds of Saturday and Saturday night having all disappeared and the sun having come out bright and clear. The day was cool, but not unpleasantly so, and the city turned out en masse to divine services. The only visiting minister to occupy a pulpit, was Rt Rev Theodore B Lyman, Assistant Episcopal Bishop of North Carolina, who preached morning and evening in St Peter's (E) Church. His text in the morning was from the Gospel According to St John, vi.35: "And Jesus said unto them, I am the bread of life, he that cometh to me shall never hunger; and he that believeth on me shall never thirst." The reverend gentleman spoke of this "bread of life" as being the one thing needful to even our earthly happiness. Our spiritual cravings are fully provided for by that bread which Jesus offers. Man is ever longing for something which earth does not afford. This shows our immortal natures and that all things here are fleeting and evanescent. Christ comes and makes the offer of this bread of life, and by partaking of it and only by this, are we satisfied.

At night, his remarks were based upon the words found in the 9th chapter of Matthew and 23 verse. "And, behold, they brought to him a man sick of the palsy, lying on a bed; and Jesus seeing their faith said unto the sick of the palsy: Son, be of good cheer; thy sins be forgiven thee." One of the most notable points made in this discourse, was that the man was healed not on account of any faith on his part, but on account of that of his friends ("And Jesus seeing their faith.") He referred to the disbelief among some, in infant baptism, they holding that it was without efficacy because there was no faith on the part of the subject. The text disproved this since it is not shown that the sick man had faith that he would be cured. A part of the sermon was an exhortation in behalf of the work of evangelizing the world and at the conclusion of the services a collection was taken up for the benefit of the mission cause in this diocese. The rite of confirmation was administered to five young ladies. There were large congregations to hear the Bishop on both occasions, particularly at night, when the church was crowded. Both of the sermons displayed great powers of mind, and were listened to with marked attention. Bishop Lyman is a man of commanding presence; has a deep sonorous voice and delivers his sermons ease and grace.

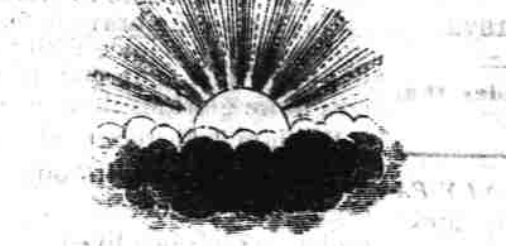
### Aside from the Episcopal services, the only unusual exercises were at Tryon Street M. E. Church, in the afternoon, when the Union Quarterly Review of the Presbyterian, Methodist and Baptist Sunday Schools, took place. The church was crowded, and the programme as published in Sunday's Observer was adhered to. There were also blackboard and map exercises. The singing was very good and the meeting passed off creditably to all the scholars.

### EDITOR'S OBSERVER.

Of all the vices which human flesh is heir, newspaper borrowing strikes me as the worst. Why in the world your neighbor happens in every morning, just as you are receiving your daily paper, and in an undertone, asks you to let him see it one minute, and then keeps it exactly one hour, is a thing I don't exactly understand. Perhaps you may be busy waiting on a customer or otherwise engaged, and then how cunningly mad you get when your patient neighbor receives the paper from the carrier's hand and keeps it just one hour, longer after you are through with your customer, and standing idly by, studying your neighbor's physiognomy, pretty much as a hungry hog stands off and eyes another, who is gnawing away at a bone, with the greatest satisfaction. Such is the scene daily presented in all of our stores, where a daily paper is taken. There are several persons in our town who do not take a single paper, yet can tell you more about the news of the world and of Charlotte and Raleigh than any one else. I have lost my temper oftener and oftener, longer and wider over this infernal newspaper borrowing than anything else. I solemnly believe it ruins more men, and tortures more souls in creation, it looks so low and degrading. Reader has it never occurred to you how miserably low and mean it is? I don't think of this now. If you are in the habit of borrowing the Daily Observer every day, for heaven's sake, subscribe at once, and save the subscriber from the Insane Asylum. CONCORD.

### CONCORD, N. C., Sept. 24, 1875.

## NEW ADVERTISEMENTS



### FINE LARGE

### NORTHERN APPLES,

JUST RECEIVED,

AT THE

### RISING SUN,

C. S. HOLTON & CO'S.

Sept 28

### CALL AT

### ALEXANDER, SEIGLE & CO'S,

AND GET ANY COLOR OR QUALITY

KID GLOVES

YOU WANT.

WE HAVE THE LARGEST STOCK

IN THE CITY.

### Notice.

THE Directors of the Carolina Park Association are requested to meet at Walter Brem & Martin's Hardware Store Tuesday evening, September 28th, at 4 o'clock. sep28 11

### A. T. & O. R. R.

### SUPERINTENDENT'S OFFICE.

Charlotte, N. C., Sept 27th, 1875. ON and after Wednesday, Sept 29th, the following Schedule will be run over this road:

GOING NORTH.			
Train No. 1.	No. 3		
Leave Charlotte.	5 30 a m	3 30 p m	
Leave D College.	7 45 a m	4 55 p m	
Leave Mooresville.	7 19 a m	5 34 p m	
Arrive at Statesville.	8 20 a m	6 50 p m	
GOING SOUTH.			
Trains No. 2.	No. 4.		
Leave Statesville.	5 50 a m	1 45 p m	
Leave Mooresville.	7 19 a m	2 49 p m	
Leave D College.	7 45 a m	3 23 p m	
Arrive at Charlotte.	9 35 a m	4 45 p m	
Trains No 1 and 4 make close connection with trains on W N O R R. at Statesville.			
J. J. GORMLEY,			
Superintendent.			

### NOTICE TO GAS CONSUMERS.

The Board of Directors of the Centennial Gas Light Company, in order to extend the use of their Gas, to bring it within reach of all have reduced the price of Gas to Two Dollars per thousand feet, net, from and after 1st of October, 1875. Ten per cent will be added to all bills that are not paid by the 3d day of every month at the office of the Company, on the North Carolina Railroad. Gas will be shut off from all persons refusing to pay for ten days after the first of every month. F. S. DEWOLFE, Secretary and Treasurer. sep28 1m

### Dog Lost.

LOST (supposed to be in Charlotte) a black and white Pointer dog, 2 years old, and answers to the name of "Modoc." Any information that will lead to his recovery, will be thankfully received by the undersigned. G. GLESTON WOODRUFF, Alexandria, P. O., Mecklenburg County. sep28 2c

### HATS,

### NEW STYLES,

NEW STOCK, JUST RECEIVED AT

WADE & PEGRAM'S.

sep28

## FINAL CLOSING

### GUTS ALE I

OF THE GREAT STOCK OF

### McMURRAY & DAVIS,

THE above Stock of finely selected Goods,

consisting of Jeans, Cassimeres, Bleached

and Brown Sheetting, Linseys, Flannels,

Blankets, Hats, Caps, Boots, Shoes, Notions,

Hosiery, Gloves, together with a great variety of

### FANCY GOODS,

Will be sold out regardless of cost, between

now and the 1st day of January next.

The assignment made by McMurray & Davis, requires that the Stock shall all be closed out by that time.

JNO L BROWN, Trustee.

Of McMurray & Davis.

### MISSISS LONG'S SELECT SCHOOL.

The Fall Term of this School will open

September 28th.

### Bargains!!

AT Charlotte Institute for Young Ladies, until 1st October, 1875, Carpets, Blankets, Comforts, Mattresses, Bed Springs, Parlor Furniture, Organ, Walnut Writing Desk, Crochery, Glass, Wooden Ware, &c., A No. 1 Cooking Stove—all at greatly reduced prices. sep28 2c

### Young Men's Christian Association

### LECTURES.

### G. O. VANCE

Will deliver his Lecture on

### THE DEMAGOGUE

TUESDAY EVENING, SEPTEMBER

28TH, AT THE

### OPERA HOUSE.

LECTURE COMMENCES AT 8 P. M.

ADMISSION,..... 25 cents.

### FOR NEW GOODS

### CHEAP GOODS.

### BUTLER'S,

FOR Watches, Clocks and Jewelry, Diamonds, Silks, Fancy Goods, at Wholesale and Retail cheap. Watch Maker and Jeweler. Charlotte, N. C. sep28

### CHARLOTTE INSTITUTE

### YOUNG LADIES,

REV. S. TAYLOR MARTIN, Principal.

THIS Institute will be re-opened under the new administration on the 1st of October. Eminent, experienced Teachers have been employed in all the Departments. The whole time of the Principal will be devoted to the school. The Young Ladies in the household will be under the special charge of Miss Martin, who will have exclusive control over the department of domestic and social duties. The charges for board and tuition has been reduced to \$100 per term. For complete lists of teachers, terms, &c., send for circular. S. TAYLOR MARTIN, Charlotte, N. C. sep28

### Bald Mountain

CONTINUES sending forth that pure

Cream Cheese, 500 lbs. just received. A stock of fresh French Candies, received this day. Also a lot of Fine Banannas, and Scuppernon Grapes. F. H. ANDREWS & CO. sep24

### For Rent.

A Dwelling on Fourth street, containing five rooms besides kitchen, with two rooms. Yards and garden large. Apply to J. R. HOLLAND. sep28 2c

### Fine Apples.

THE finest eating and cooking Apples in the city. Fresh Delivery every day. B. H. SMITH. sep28

### AN IMMENSE

STOCK OF CLOTHING, J. MOYER'S. sep28