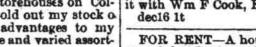


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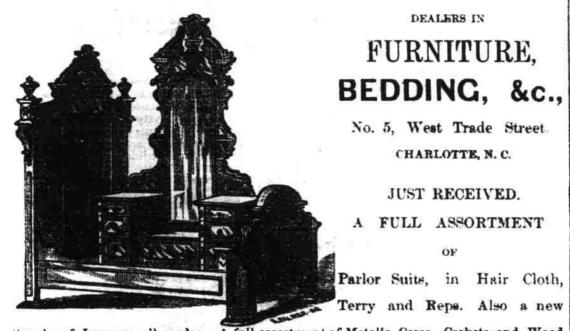
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here, he was the caterer for the Mansion dren's toys, but their stock of confection-House, now the Central Hotel. Mr Williams fell a victim to consumption. He was wanted in this line can be had here. Nisa quiet, unobtrusive, good and honest man.

Good Old Red Liquor. The Dew Drop Saloon has just received a barrel of old Seotch whiskey, direct from across the waters, and as Lamb told us about

it, yesterday afternoon, and then winked and crooked his finger at us as he stepped back inside, it was very, very hard to say, "I pass." Just think of Old Scotch made up

into Thomases and Jeremiahs, with nutmeg grated on top and it mighty nigh Christmas too. "Oh! lemme 'lone!"

The Courts, Mayor's Court .- His Honor's matinee, yes erday morning, was better attended than it has been for some time past, four cases coming up for trial. These were : Frank Cope-

land, for an affray, fined \$2 and cost; Andy Rhyne, affray, \$2 and cost; Laura Simmons, disturbance, \$4 and cost. All colored. A good deal of business was transacted by the Magistrates, but it was all civil; there was not a criminal case before any of them. -----

#### The Japa.

Our Oriental brethren who have been in the city for nearly a week now, left yesterwere under the management of Mr Fred fine stock and control quite their share of Berger, but their engagement with him end- the business of the city. The work turned ed with that night, and since that time they out from their bakery and candy manufachave been resting on their cars. We understand that during the three weeks immediately preceding the time of their first appearance here, Mr. Berger cleared \$1500 by their performances. They have made another engagement, and have taken the road again.

Before the Footlights. Hall's Combination played Saratoga it Columbia night before last. The Adelaide Phillipps Troupe opened in

Macon on Wednesday night. Duprez & Benedict's Minstrels are out in the far West. Mme. Rentz's Female Minstrels have conson. Haverly's Minstrels were in Petersburg last night.

The Wildman Company was in Abbeville S. C., on Monday and Tuesday evenings ast.

A New Article of Export. The Carolina Central Railway has recently brought from the neighborhood of Old Fort, locust tree nails of fine quality. These are used for ship-building and are exported largely to foreign ports. The locust timber of western North Carolina is said to be of

excellent quality and abundant in quantity. - Wilmington Review. Our contemporary is usually "well up,' but it is mistaken in calling this a new article of export, As much as a year ago we spoke of this industry, and the extent to which it was then flourishing in the [Western part of the State.

eries is very large and anything that is inconvenience to you, with your double bet's is one of the most popular buying daily what effect will it have upon us, who places in Charlotte, and by means of this popularity they have been enabled to increase their business year by year, until it has attained very considerable magnitude,

one arriving and leaving here at exactly the time when nobody wants it to? The Sentinel says : "We know that Capt Andrews and now the firm is known as among the will do all in his power to furnish our citimost solid of the town. zens needed accommodations." It strikes us C. S. HOLTON & Co

These are dealers who started a year or so now it would please us to have him rememago with a little capital, and have brought ber that down on this end of the line there their business up to its present standard by is a little village which has a few shares of enterprise and business tact. They are rathstock in this road, and which occasionally er badly located, but their establishment is has some freight to ship. one of the most inviting in Charlotte. The

cakes, pies, &c., which they turn out from Attempt to Burn a Depot. their bakery, are very fine and much sought Some nights ago, an attempt was made to after. Just now a magnificent show cake is hurn Matthews' Depot, on the Carolina Cen-

sitting in a glass case at their door. It was tral Railroad, about 10 miles from this city. made at a cost of \$20, is handsomely orna- A window pane had been broken out, and a mented with icing, leaves and miniature quantity of shavings thrown in on the floor mirrors all around it. Their candy, which after which fire was applied. The window is of their own manufacture, is pure and facing and the side of building were a good

fine. Their candy toys are unique and at- deal burned, but the fire was discovered in tractive, and their stock, all in all, is a very time to prevent the entire destruction of the excellent holiday assortment. They are depot. At different times and on different well supplied in the fruit line. parts of the building, words similar to these

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approach of CListmas.

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J. K. PUREFOY.

over a year ago, with a very small stock. So that it is probable that some employee to day morning for Chester, S. C. Up to the and have surprised themselves. They have ) whom the road is in arrears, fired the depot first night that they performed here, they made astonishing strides, and now have a for revenge upon the company.

depot was robbed of \$80 in money, together with tickets, papers, &c, Mr J S Reid, the tory is unsurpassed and is readily sold to agent, had just made out his week's report regular customers. From a small wooden and, locking the depot and leaving building on Trade street, they have moved the money and papers on the desk, into a commodious brick store on Tryon, went across the railroad to where he has a little shop. He did not remain longer than and have one of the best stands in the city. They make rather a specialty of canned 15 minutes, but when he returned found goods, and have in their stock now what that some one had broken into the depot

and stolen the money, &c. were probably never before brought here : canned apricots, quinces and gages, from California. Their cakes, candies, toys, &c.,

The Addition to and Improvements in were also gotten up with a view to the near the Central.

We "went through" the Central Hotel yesterday, though not exactly in the sense in which the highwaymen or the sneak thieves Here can be found a number of nice

use this term. Our intentions were lamb-Christmas "tricks." Though stationer and cluded to give the South the go-by this sea- news dealer, he does not confine himself ex- like, and we did nothing worse than invesclusively to this branch of business by any tigate the addition which has lately been means. He keeps assorted candies, and also made to the main building. In this addia stock of toys. The most attractive feature tion there are 20 rooms, all of which have of the store, however, is the china and glass just been furnished, and in as nice style as ware : this line is very tull, and contains a man need want his home furnished. The some beautiful presents. Vases, toilet sets, beds are as nice as you ever saw-spring wire

> blankets and counterpanes are kept forever and at prices ranging from 10 cents to high up among the dollars. His selections in clean; there is a marble top bureau and china and glass ware have shown excellent table in each room, a large wardrobe, and W. N. PRATHER & CO.

gas in the wall over the fire place. The rooms are about 12x18-abundantly large-These are bakers and confectioners of and all have pleaty of light. Nice carpet-

long and good standing. The character of ing, with heavy bagging, covers the floor of their goods is well established and is best at- | each room; there is a fire place in each, and no tested by the extent to which they are appurtenance which would conduce to comfort is lacking. bought. They are always on hand with the

novelties of the season, and are not behind There are now 110 chambers in this hotel, making it considerably the largest in the on this occasion. On the other hand, they are fully prepared with their cakes, candies, State. No similar establishment in the toys and notions of all sorts, for the holi- State does near so large a business, and perdays, They, too, conduct a good bakery haps none gives as great satisfaction to its

nests Charlotte is prond of the Central

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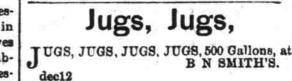
and Silver Thimbles, Sleeve Buttons and About a week before this occurrence the Studs, Gold and Silver Spectacles, &c. Fine Silver and Silver Plated Ware, Tea Sets, Waiters, Pitchers, Cake Baskets, Cups and Castors, Knives and Forks, Spoons and Napkin Rings, Butter Dishes and Pickle Stands, Toilet Sets. &c.

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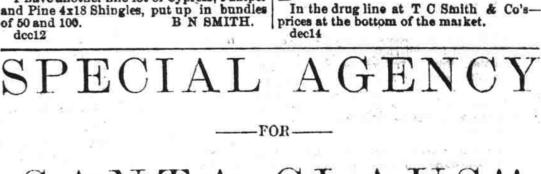
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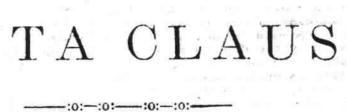
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