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FOR PLEASURE, THIS HOUSE OFFERS EVERY FACILITY  
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to location of room.

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### TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

#### WASHINGTON.

##### What Pitkin Publicly Promulgates About Packard and Pitkin.

WASHINGTON, July 9.—The *Republican* interviewed ex-Marshall Pitkin of Louisiana. "Well, neither Packard nor myself is bent upon any deep seated revenge, but as far as we can afford the Republican party legitimate redress, we will not hesitate to do it." Reporter—"Is it true that you two gentlemen have brought about the returning board?" Pitkin—"It is an atrocious falsehood. We have had nothing whatever, to do with it. The grand jury is composed of Democrats, and the Judge, Whitaker, is a violent Democrat. I am satisfied that the whole movement was instigated from New York in the Tilden interest. Moreover, I am led to believe that the original returns of the late election are to be promulgated in favor of Tilden and Nicholls."

#### WARLIKE RED MEN.

##### Following Close Upon the Indians—Reports to the War Department.

WASHINGTON, July 9.—The following important telegram was received here yesterday, and copies furnished to the President and the Secretary of State:

"SAN FRANCISCO, July 9.  
E. D. Townsend, Adjutant General, Washington, D. C.:

"The following has been received. It accords with my reply to Trevino's letter telegraphed to headquarters yesterday. I telegraphed Shafter. There is no necessity of following the trail of the Indians to where they are already punished by Bullis, but to look close for that made by the party that raided on the Neuces, (Signed,)"

"ORD, Brigadier-General."

#### "FORT CLARK, TEXAS, July 7.

"Gen. Ord, San Antonio:

"I was all ready to cross tomorrow in support of Bullis and Hunt. This morning at 2 o'clock, Bullis came in alone, having ridden one hundred and forty miles in thirty-six hours. Bullis in coming down from Davis, struck the trail of the Indians from Gillespie county, halfway between the Pecos and the Rio Grande. Just before night on the 29th of June, being only three or four hours behind them, he followed them to the Rio Grande and crossed the river, drowning day he came on them while they were resting. He attacked them at once. The Indians retreated to a mountain, fighting. After an engagement of one hour, they all managed to escape, none of them being wounded. Bullis got all of the horses but two. The fifty reported by Gen. Clitz as passing the point at Rock Spring are all accounted for. Eight left on the trail and six were killed, while the rangers were on the trail, and while Bullis was on the trail. Two were taken away by an Indian, and twenty-five were captured by Bullis. He also found at the camp, parts of the horses taken from Johnson's, on the Neuces, showing that some of the band had scattered after that affair, and got with the party residing in Gillespie county, probably joining them in Mexico, as they went out ten days at first. Bullis reports the Indians at Lepons, and that he saw no signs to indicate that they were near their village. This is likely near some of the towns. I have ordered the companies to stop, as they are, until your orders are received. The trail followed by Bullis is the only plain trail that we know has lately crossed, and as the Indians who made it, have been caught, I will go on without further orders, as Lieutenant Bullis reports it impossible to follow the trail where he struck them, and scouting on the other side would have to be for the Indian camp, or anything that might turn up. (Signed,)"

Lieutenant-Colonel."

#### PORTLAND, OREGON, July 9.—A dispatch from Lewiston 6th, via Walla Walla to-day says:

"A courier just from Col. Perry, en route for General Howard with a pack train and escort of thirty men, says that he was attacked on the 4th, and that two soldiers and two citizens were killed. Capt. Whipple in command at Cottonwood, came to the rescue and repulsed the Indians. The Indians are in force around Col. Perry and Capt. Whipple, who have only force enough for defence. The route is unsafe to Cottonwood. It is a bold stroke of Joseph and his band, and is reported by a signal to the Indians north and east, and will stir them up to the offensive. Parties just from the Spokane country, report that all settlers except five men between Spakana Down bridge, and Pelouze landing, have left their homes and fled to Walla Walla. The Indians have destroyed some fields and gardens."

### TELEGRAPHIC BRIEFS.

Gen. Osborne, minister to Chili, sails to-day.

General Comby, minister to the Sandwich Islands, sails from San Francisco in August.

Dr. Golding accepts the superintendency of the Insane Asylum, vice Nicholls.

The Merchants Loan and Trust Company of Patterson, N. J., has suspended. The depositors are probably safe. The stockholders lose heavily.

A whirlwind struck Penescker, Wisconsin, Sunday, leaving but three houses. Six persons are known to have been killed, twenty wounded and five are missing.

Col. J. W. Woodruff, the oldest officer of the New York division of the Pennsylvania Railroad, died of paralysis yesterday.

### THE RUSSO-TURKISH WAR.

#### Twenty Thousand Russians on the March.

The Russians to Occupy Constantinople at all Hazards.

The Sultan will not Guarantee Protection to Christians Unless Russia will Cease to Incite Rebellion.

#### Un-Seaworthy Condition of the Russian Navy—The Cause of the Russian Defeat in Asia.

LONDON, June 9.—The *Sinnitza* correspondent of the *Daily News* understands that the Czar has resolved finally to cross the Danube to see as much of the war as possible. Czarowitz will be appointed to the chief command of the army designed for the siege of Rustohuk.

The *Daily News* dispatch dated Erzeroun, Sunday, says: "The Russians are advancing into the Alt valley. It is feared that this movement is in consequence of their withdrawal from other points. The Turks are moving troops to resist them."

The *News* Vienna dispatch states that twenty thousand newly arrived Russian troops are now on the march from Jassy to Galatz.

The *Times* correspondent at Bucharest says: "The Russians assert that the attack on Biela was simply a feint. This is probably true, but the feint became more serious than was intended. Probably the Russian force making the demonstration on Biela came upon the Turks in force sooner than they expected, and suffered severely as a consequence; several hundred wounded have reached Bucharest from this engagement. The Russian corps are moving into Roumania to form a reserve."

Abdula Kerim Pasha is said to be fortifying the line from Shumla to Jombah to defend Adrianople.

MANCHESTER, July 9.—The *Guardian's* special from Simnitza Saturday, reports that the Turks evacuated Biela on Friday morning after the battle. The fall back on the line of Rustohuk. A battle is imminent near Rustohuk. The *Times* Berlin correspondent telegraphs that the Austrian government has re-opened the harbor of Klek to the Turkish provisioning columns.

The *Daily Telegraph's* special from Erzeroun Sunday, confirms the report that the Russians have reconquered the bombardment near Rustohuk. "They are forming an entrenched camp on the eastern side of the city."

The *Guardian's* London correspondent says he understands that the government has information that the Russians intend to occupy Constantinople at all risk, unless the Turks anticipate that event by making peace on the Czar's terms. "The effect of the receipt of this and other intelligence as to the Russian's intentions," says the correspondent, "has been to modify very considerably the view taken of the crisis by certain members of the Cabinet. The practical outcome will probably be that if the more energetic members should feel bound to adopt an active policy, they will no longer be opposed by their colleagues who have hitherto been disposed to caution. It is reported that a powerful reinforcement is to be sent to the squadron in Besika bay."

LONDON, July 9.—A special dispatch from Constantinople by way of Syria to the *Times*, says: "The Sultan recently at a private audience declared to Lord Lytton, British representative, that he would not guarantee protection to the Christians if the Russians continue to excite rebellion in Bulgaria, and perpetrate atrocities in Asia Minor."

The *Times* Bucharest correspondent on the 4th of July, says: "Indications are observable that Russia's efforts to disengage Roumania from taking an active part in the campaign are merely designed to allay Austria's apprehensions." The correspondent thinks it probable that an advance guard of Roumanians may cross at Simnitza and work up the southern bank of the Danube, until they secure a crossing place where they can be joined by the main body.

The *Bremen Weiser Zeitung*, which is not unfriendly to Russia, says: "On the eve of war, it was discovered that only thirty per cent of the Russian navy was sea-worthy. Reinforcements for the Caucasian army are much delayed because only five out of ten steamers of the Caspian flotilla in Serbia are in good condition."

KRAQUEVATZ, July 9.—The reply of Skupshchina to Prince Milans' speech in Bosnia. "I think it every reason to believe that the Turks would withdraw from the province rather than drive the court of Vienna into the position of an open foe."

A Reuter from St Petersburg says: "According to reports received here, the Russian retreat in Asia is not attributable to the Caucasian rising, which is virtually supposed, but to the fact that the Russians were too weak to support the Turkish forces whose strength had been underrated."

No child can sleep soundly while suffering with Colic or with Peething. Remedy the cause by using Dr Bull's Baby Syrup. Only 25 cents per bottle.

### The Reported Death of the Pope.

LONDON, ENGLAND, July 9.—The *Herald's* correspondent in Rome telegraphs that the rumor of the Pope's death, which has been in circulation for the last two days, is absolutely false.

### New Advertisements.

#### Notice.

##### City Taxes!!

ALL persons residing in the City of Charlotte on the 1st Monday in February last, and all bodies politic or corporate, who owned or possessed taxable property on the day aforesaid are hereby notified to return to me on oath, within 30 days from and after the 10th day of July, 1877, a full, true and perfect list of their taxable real and personal estate, and of their net incomes received during the fiscal year, terminating the said 1st Monday in February, 1877.

Any such person, body politic or corporate, so failing to return, is liable to a penalty of \$200.

By order of the Board of Aldermen,  
F. NASH, Clerk & Treas.  
July 13, 33c  
Democrat and Home please copy now for 30 days and send bill to city treasurer.

### Miss Hattie Moore's

#### SCHOOL FOR GIRLS.

Will open for the fall term, on Monday, September 21st, 1877.  
July 10 4c

### Lost.

ON Sunday night on Trade street, a Gold Breastpin A reward will be paid if left at THIS OFFICE.  
July 10 4c

### TO THE PUBLIC.

NOTICE is hereby given that Mr. LEROY S. DAVIDSON succeeds me, this day, in the business heretofore carried on by me under the firm and style of J. DULS, Agent, and that he assumes the debts of said firm, and is authorized to collect all debts due the same.

While thanking the citizens of Charlotte and surrounding country for their liberal patronage, I would respectfully ask a continuance of same for my successor.

J. DULS, Agent.  
July 10th, 1877.

### Notice.

I WOULD inform the public that as successor of Mr. J. DULS, Agent, I assume the debts of said firm, all which will be paid on presentation.

I further desire to call the attention of the public to the fact that I have on hand a LARGE and COMPLETE STOCK OF

### Staple & Fancy Groceries.

I respectfully solicit a share of the public patronage, and will endeavor to give satisfaction both as to PRICE and QUALITY OF GOODS.

Mr. J. DULS will remain with me, and will be glad to serve his old friends and customers.

LEROY S. DAVIDSON,  
Successor to J. Duls, Agent.  
July 10, 1877.

### MOW IS YOUR TIME.

Corner Trade and Tryon Sts. is the PLACE.

**M. Lichtenstein,**  
Merchant Tailor.

Offering now to make up his Spring and Summer Goods regular price FOR CASH before carrying the same over until next season. Satisfaction guaranteed. A call respectfully solicited.

Don't forget the place, over F. Scarr & Co  
July 9

### Spartanburg & Asheville Railroad.

THE following schedule will be operated on the Spartanburg & Asheville Railroad, in connection with the Charlotte Air-Line Railroad, and the Stages at the head of the road, to Hendersonville, Asheville and the Warm Springs, on and after this date:

Leave Charlotte via Air-Line R.R. 7:30 a. m.  
Arrive at Spartanburg at 1:30 p. m.  
Leave Spartanburg for Mt. Tryon, 8:30 a. m.  
Arrive at Mt. Tryon 4:30 p. m.  
Arrive at Hendersonville 8:30 a. m.

FARE.

Round Trip Tickets, to go and return any time within three months:

Charlotte to Warm Springs and return, \$21.50  
" Asheville " " 14.30  
" Flat Rock " " 10.30  
" Hendersonville " " 10.30

Tickets for sale at the Air-Line Depot in Charlotte.

The Post-Office Department at Washington has ordered daily mails to be carried on this route.

D. R. DUNCAN,  
June 29th Pres. S. & A. Railroad

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

SUPERINTENDENT'S OFFICE,  
Charlotte, N. C. July 6, 1877.

ON and after Monday, July 9th, the following Schedule will be run on this road:

#### GOING NORTH.

Leave Charlotte, 8:30 a. m.  
" Mooreville, 10:30  
" Statesville, 12:00 m.

#### GOING SOUTH.

Leave Statesville, 1:30 p. m.  
" Mooreville, 2:30  
" College, 3:15  
" Arrive Charlotte, 5:00

Close connection made at Statesville with trains over the W. N. C. R. R.

Round trip tickets to Newton and return \$4.40, to Hickory and return \$5.00, to Morganton and return \$6.15, to Marion and return \$7.05, to Henry's and return \$8.40, to Asheville and return \$12.40, to Warm Springs and return \$18.40. These tickets are good for return passage until November 1st, 1877.

All charges must be pre-paid on Freight offered for shipment to Section House, Henderson's, Alexandria and Caldwell's. These being "Flag Stations," the Company is not liable for loss, or damage to freight after it is unloaded at either of the above named "Flag Stations."

No freight will be received by Agents for shipment unless the name of consignee and destination is distinctly marked thereon.

J. J. GORRELY,  
Superintendent.  
July 7

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### GREAT BARGAINS!!

No FEAR of Having our PRICES Copied.  
They are the Despair of Imitators.

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Best ALL-WOOL Blue Flannel Full SUITS,.....\$12.00  
500 " " Cassimere PANTS,..... 2.00  
500 " " " VESTS,..... 1.00  
200 Fancy and White Mar. VESTS, cost to manufacture \$2.00, we are offering at..... \$1.50  
150 Alpacca SACKS, assorted patterns,..... .75

Straw Hats and Cassimere Suitings at actual New York Cost.

And for Goods at an even greater sacrifice, ask to be shown to our Job Counters.

These large reductions are not from any fault of the Goods, but simply to close out odd lines and sizes, and to keep our stock always new, fresh and inviting.

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June 19

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