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**J. RILEY DAVIDSON,**  
Has been Refurnished and Refitted in first-class style, and offers inducements to Travellers and Residents in its excellent table, supplied with the best the market affords at prices to suit the times. An active corps of waiters in attendance at meals, and no pains or expense spared to render guests comfortable.

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CHEAP BEDSTEADS, LOUNGES, PARLOR & CHAMBER SUITS.  
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**ELIAS, COHEN & ROESSLER,**  
Anticipating a fine trade this season, have bought largely, and now have the pleasure of inviting your attention to  
**An Attractive Fall Stock,**  
At prices surprisingly cheap.  
DRESS GOODS—Our stock is large, and so cheap that it is no longer economy to buy calico.  
READY MADE CLOTHING—Our stock is complete, at prices that defy competition.  
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In fact our stock is larger and cheaper in every department than heretofore. Call and inspect it.  
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**DO NOT BUY YOUR FURNITURE**  
until you have seen the elegant stock of goods now in my warerooms. The assortment is the largest and most complete ever offered in Charlotte, **AND IT WILL PAY YOU TO INSPECT IT AND GET MY PRICES.**  
Respectfully,  
**E. G. ROGERS,**  
FURNITURE DEALER  
Trade Street, opposite the Market House.

**CENTRAL HOTEL.**  
This Well Known and Leading Hotel,  
UNSURPASSED ACCOMMODATIONS  
TO THE TRAVELING PUBLIC.  
**THE FURNITURE IS FIRST-CLASS.**  
THE HOUSE IS CARPETED THROUGHOUT.  
Gas and Electric Bells are in every room.  
For Invalids, Florida Tourists or Persons Traveling  
FOR PLEASURE, THIS HOUSE OFFERS EVERY FACILITY FOR COMFORT.  
TERMS—\$3.00, \$2.50 and \$2.00 per day, according to location of room.  
**H. C. ECCHES, PROPRIETOR.**

**TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.**  
**WASHINGTON.**  
**PROCEEDINGS OF CONGRESS.**  
**The Army Bill Again—Specie Payments—Coinage, Weights and Measures—Mr Stephens Fixing up the Finances of the Country.**  
**The Republican Senate Caucus Discussing Hayes' Southern Policy.**  
**General News and Gossip.**

**House—The Appropriations committee reported back the army bill as amended by the Senate, recommending a concurrence in some and a non-concurrence in others of the Senate amendments.**  
**The Senate is not in session.**  
**NIGHT DISPATCHES.**  
**The Judiciary committee of the House has asked for the court records in the case of Congressman Smalls, of South Carolina, held for felony.**  
**The committee of Ways and Means will take no action, during its present extra session, to disturb the existing revenue laws.**  
**House—The Senate amendments to the army appropriations bill were acted upon to-day. The important ones were concurred in, fourteen Democratic members, including five from Texas, voting with the Republicans. The bill now provides that cavalry regiments may be recruited to one hundred men to each company and kept as near as practicable to that number, and that a sufficient force of cavalry shall be employed in the defence of the Mexican and Indian frontier of Texas, and that nothing in the bill shall authorize the recruiting of the army beyond 25,000 men.**  
**Stephens, of Georgia, introduced a bill for the financial relief of the country, to facilitate a return to specie payments without injuriously affecting the commercial business and industry of the people, which was referred to the committee on Banking and Currency. It provides for the issue of \$50,000,000 of exchequer bills, with which legal tender notes are to be redeemed, and for the issue of three per cent bonds, into which the exchequer bills may be exchanged at par, the bills to be receivable for all debts, public and private.**  
**The bill appropriating \$150,000 for a representation at the Paris Exposition was discussed, but no action was taken.**  
**The committee on Coinage, Weights and Measures, of which Mr Stephens is chairman, heard Mr E T Elliott, of the Treasury Department, and a member of the American Meteorological Society, on the subject before the committee. Mr Elliott gave the committee a learned and elaborate history of coinage, and strongly favored the existing system of having silver subsidiary to gold.**  
**A caucus of the Republican Senators was held at the Capitol this afternoon. There was a full attendance, and the proceedings were expected to be of uncommon interest and importance. Mr Edmunds and the various other Senators who waited upon the President, last Tuesday evening, to acquaint him with the general tenor and spirit of the comments expressed by the majority of the Republican Senators in the last caucus concerning his civil service policy, etc, gave to the caucus to-day a verbal account of what occurred at the interview. They reported that the President, in response to their statements of the widespread uneasiness and dissatisfaction which had been created among his party friends by his appointments of Democrats to Southern offices, &c, had argued that his policy in this respect was not prejudicial to the interests of the Republic, and that he would certainly not be deterred by any want of earnest desire for the perpetuation and increase of Republican power and principles. On the contrary it was his expectation and belief that the pursuance of this policy would promote a coalition of the old Whig and various other elements naturally opposed to the Democratic party in the South, and eventually secure a right Southern Electorate for the Republicans.**  
**All the Republican Senators who were present at the interview expressed themselves to the caucus as being convinced that the President was thoroughly sincere in this belief. They also reported that the President said he was very desirous to be in harmony with the leaders of the party and was gratified to have had the opportunity of explaining his opinion. He said he clearly saw the views which had been expressed in the caucus. Advice and candid criticism would always be welcomed to him, and in closing he said he hoped and believed that there would be less cause for complaint in the future, and in any event if there should be differences of opinion there need be no occasion for ill feeling, and he trusted there would be none.**  
**After the reports, of which the foregoing is a correct, though brief, summary, had been made to the caucus, a free discussion ensued as to the propriety and probable effects of the President's policy in case it should be acquiesced in by the Senate. The interchange of views developed an almost unanimous opinion that the policy of appointing Democrats to office in the South is not wise or sound, and even those Senators who are most distinctively known as the friends of the administration expressed doubts as to whether its pursuance would have the effect of which the President is sanguine.**  
**No action was taken by the caucus to-day, and none was proposed.**  
**Nothing was said about the New York Custom House appointments, nor was there any discussion of the contested Senatorial election cases from Louisiana and South Carolina. The questions involved in these contests for seats in the Senate seem to be generally considered as purely judicial in their nature, and therefore outside the control of the caucus.**  
**The Reverend Father Drumgoole, of the Newsboys' Lodging House, New York, was for 'brines and lameness, and the many troubles to which the wells under his charge are so subject. Dr. G's Liniment sold of Almonia.**

**THE WAR.**  
**Servia will not brook Peace—The Sultan Pronounces in Favor of It—Wounding of a General.**  
**St Petersburg, November 15.**—The minister of war has ordered the preparation of stores necessary for the mobilization of the remainder of the army.  
**VIANA KALEH, Thursday, November 17.**—An assault on Kara was fixed for the 13th inst., and troops were ready for action at night-fall, but owing to bad weather, the assault has been indefinitely postponed.  
**LONDON, November 17.**—Several special dispatches from Vienna, say that Count Andrassey, the Austro-Hungarian Prince, has declared his belief that Servia will not brook peace.  
**The Standard's special correspondent at Constantinople, telegraphed, under date of yesterday:** "A council, over which the Sultan presided, was held yesterday. I am informed that a general feeling was expressed, by no one more strongly than the Sultan, in favor of making an effort to put an end to the war in which enough had been done on both sides for glory, and which if continued must inflict lasting misery on the two empires. It was felt, however, that at present sufficient reliance cannot be placed upon the declaration of Russia, and that even while seeking to obtain honorable peace, preparations for prolonged resistance must be vigorously carried on. I am told that subject to this determination to prosecute the war if an honorable peace cannot be maintained, it was resolved that time for endeavoring to put an end to the war has arrived. If my information is correct, the Grand Vizier to-day inform Mr Layard, the British ambassador, of the decision of the council in the hope that England will aid in putting a stop to the war which so greatly damages her own trade, and threatens to compromise her best interest."

**FRANCE.**  
**MacMahon Opposed to Violence—Importance of the Views of the Orleansists—The New Cabinet.**  
**PARIS, Nov 17.**—Among the members of the committee of Inquiry are Albert Grevy, Renault, Casimir Perier, Louis Blanc and Jules Ferry.  
**President MacMahon seems altogether opposed to violence.** This morning he, in conversation with an old friend, scouted the idea of a coup d'etat as a purposeless. It is also asserted that Gen'l Berthaut declared in the lobby of the House that such an idea never had, and never would, enter the marshal's head.  
**Much importance is attached to the views which the Orleansist Senators may express at the Senatorial conference to-day of delegates from the various groups of the right. The Orleansists are expected to declare as to what extent they will support the government and co-operate with the Legitimist and Bonapartist groups in the Senate.**  
**It is believed that the following will be members of the new cabinet. None of them belong to either house. At the outset they declare that they only hold office provisionally: Minister of War, Major General Grimandet de Rochebrouet, the now commandant of Bordeaux; Minister of the Interior, M de Wetche, the now prefect of the Nord; Minister of Finance, M Tore, now Director General of Forests; Minister of Commerce, M Ozuave, now Secretary General of the same ministry; Minister of Public Works, M Graf; Minister of Foreign Affairs, M Lefebvres Behem.**  
**Nothing is known yet about the President of the Council or the Minister of the Marine.**

**The Wonderful Feet of a Pedestrian.**  
**LONDON, Nov 17.**—Wm Gale Cardiff, the pedestrian, who recently accomplished the feat of walking 1,500 miles in 1,000 consecutive hours, and who started at 4 1/2 o'clock a m, Sunday, Oct 21st, an attempt to walk 4,000 quarter miles in 4,000 consecutive periods of ten minutes each at the Agricultural Hall, Islington, will complete that walk at ten minutes past eleven o'clock to-night. Cardiff is in good condition, and will undoubtedly succeed, barring accidents.

**Telegraphic Briefs.**  
**The Border City Mill, No 1, at Fall River, Mass, was burned at 6 o'clock this morning. The property is insured for about \$400,000 in the mutual offices.**  
**The Reading Savings Bank, with nearly \$1,000,000 on deposit, Bastong & Bros, bankers, liabilities \$300,000, and the Dime Savings Bank, all of Reading, Pa, have suspended.**  
**An Acquittal—Slapping a Judge's Face.**  
**BROWNSVILLE, TEX, Nov 17.**—The trial of Gen Osobedo for the violation of the United States neutrality law, resulted in an acquittal. Judge Morrell had his face slapped by ex-Judge Russell, counsel for the defence, after the trial.  
**Indians Raiding in Texas.**  
**GALVESTON, November 17.**—A special dispatch to the News from San Antonio says information has been received at headquarters from the border, that several large parties of Indians, one of them composed of thirty-five Bucks, have crossed into Texas to raid.

**Now and Then.**  
**It is only now and then that such men as Hon Alex H Stephens, Ex-Gov Smith and Ex-Gov Brown, of Ga., endorse a medicine for the throat and lungs, and when they do it is pretty good evidence that the remedy must be good for the cure of coughs, colds and lung affections. They recommend the Globe Flower Corn Syrup, and their testimonials are to be seen round the ten cent sample bottles of the Globe Flower Syrup, for sale by all druggists in Charlotte. A sample bottle relieves the worst cough and will cure sore throat. Regular size bottles, fifty doses \$1.**

**New Advertisements.**  
**FALL RACES**  
AT THE  
**CAROLINA PARK,**  
CHARLOTTE, N. C.  
Thursday, November 22nd, 1877.  
ON the afternoon of Thursday, November 22nd, there will be a Trotting Race, in harness, for a purse of \$300, at the race grounds, at Carolina Park, near Charlotte, N. C., between the well known "DUSTY," b. g., owned by Geo C Chambers, and "LUCY," b. m., owned by B B Damerest. A second Trotting Race will take place immediately afterwards, between Chester Stallion "KEY WEST," owned by O J Schoolcraft and "LADY MAURY," b. m., owned by Geo K Maron, and "SORREL PRINCE," s. g., owned by B H Damerest, after which there will be a running race, to be announced hereafter, for a purse of fifty dollars.  
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**CLOTHING**  
AT  
**Philadelphia Prices**  
50 per cent less than Charlotte prices,  
At your Own Door.  
**CHARLES O. EVELAND,**  
representing  
**THE LARGEST CLOTHING HOUSE IN AMERICA,**  
**WANAMAKER & BROWN,**  
FAMOUS OAK HALL,  
6th and Market Streets, Philadelphia,  
Will be in Charlotte for a few days with a complete line of samples, from which gentlemen can have their winter suits made to order in the best city style and at the very lowest prices.  
Until Tuesday night he can be found at the store of J S Phillips, under the Central Hotel.  
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**IMPORTANT!**  
I now have the most complete stock of IMPORTED and DOMESTIC GROCERIES in the city, which I would like for purchasers to examine before they go elsewhere.  
I would call special attention to the following NEW ARRIVALS:  
Edam and Pinesapple CHEESE.  
Miscelal and London-layer RAISINS,  
CURRANTS, CITRONS, and all kind's of SPICES, California PEARS, APPLES,  
CRANBERRIES, ORANGES,  
LEMONS, and a full line of Light Fancy GROCERIES.  
CORN BEEF, in from 1 to 4 pound cans,  
PIGS FEET, Pickled SALMON,  
Loose PICKLES,  
and everything necessary to support a first-class establishment.  
**LeRoy Davidson,**  
nov 18  
Charlotte, Columbia & Augusta R.R.

**CHANGE OF SCHEDULE.**  
On and after Sunday, Nov. 18th, 1877 the following schedule for passenger trains will be run on this road:  
**No. 1—GOING SOUTH.**  
(Daily, except Sunday.)  
Leave Charlotte, 12 30 p m  
Arrive at Columbia, 6 11 p m  
Leave Columbia, 6 11 p m  
Arrive at Augusta, 10 40 p m  
**No. 2—GOING NORTH.**  
(Daily, except Sunday.)  
Leave Augusta, 7 30 a m  
Arrive at Columbia, 11 55 a m  
Leave Columbia, 12 10 p m  
Arrive at Charlotte, 6 25 a m  
**No. 3—GOING SOUTH.**  
Leave Charlotte, 9 28 p m  
Arrive at Columbia, 2 34 a m  
Leave Columbia, 2 44 a m  
Arrive at Augusta, 6 25 a m  
**No. 4—GOING NORTH.**  
Leave Augusta, 9 27 p m  
Arrive at Columbia, 1 05 a m  
Leave Columbia, 1 15 a m  
Arrive at Charlotte, 6 25 a m  
**LOCAL, FREIGHT & PASSENGER.**  
**No. 5—GOING SOUTH.**  
Leave Charlotte, 4 50 a m  
Arrive at Columbia, 3 10 p m  
**LOCAL FREIGHT & PASSENGER.**  
**No. 6—GOING NORTH.**  
Leave Columbia, 5 00 a m  
Arrive at Charlotte, 8 00 p m  
Trains Nos. 3 and 4 stop at the following stations:  
Fort Mills, Rock Hill, Chester, Black-tocks, Winston, Ridgeway, Duke, Columbia, Batesburg, Ridge Springs, Johnstons, Pine House, Graniteville.  
Morrins and Lexington will be recognized as flag stations.

**Ten Cent Column.**  
LOST or left in one of the stores in Charlotte, a small blank memorandum book, used as a "Ledger," valuable only to the undersigned, who will pay a liberal reward for it if left at the Observer office.  
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**RESIDENCE OF Gen. W. L. T. Prince for sale or rent. Possession given immediately. Apply to E. E. OCHERANE.**  
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**NOVEMBER.**  
The busy season continues; every department is full of life and activity, supplying the numerous demands for our Men's, Boys' and Children's **CLOTHING.**  
The demand, up to the present, warrants us in the belief that this will be our banner season. Limited capital and poor credit cannot compete with **MANUFACTURERS,** who with unlimited facilities and resources have the power to name prices that cannot be equalled. We work for and in the interest of the people. We have but *one price,* that being the *lowest possible* for any reliable house to name, and we personally guarantee the value of any article purchased of us.  
*Wholesale close buyers will find it to their interest to examine our stock.*  
Goods sent from Charlotte C. O. D. to all sections, with the privilege of opening and inspecting before payment of bill. Self-measurement Cards furnished free on application. All goods marked in plain figures. One and the same price to all, both far and near. Every style of garment; every variety of texture and fabric.  
**E. D. LATTA & BRO.,**  
*Largest Clothiers in the South.*  
**Clothing, Boots, Shoes and Hats, Tremendous Bargains.**  
Heavy purchases, in addition to our immense stock, enable us to display during the ensuing month the largest and finest assortment of CLOTHING, BOOTS, SHOES and HATS, ever offered at retail in this city.  
*Good Suits of Clothing, worth \$10, for \$6.50.*  
The best kind of whole stock Kip and Calf Boots, \$2.75 to \$3.00.  
*Prices reduced in all grades from 15 to 25 per cent.*  
Give us a call before purchasing.  
**KAUFMAN & BRO.**  
CORNER OF TRADE AND TRYON STREETS.  
Springs' Corner Charlotte, N. C.

**WITKOWSKY & RINTELS**  
THE LEADING  
**WHOLESALE ESTABLISHMENT**  
OF THE STATE!  
**AS OTHERS SEE THEM.**  
A letter received from a gentleman, who recently visited Charlotte, contains the following in reference to our house, and we submit it to our patrons as an evidence of our ability to make all our promises good:  
"The house of WITKOWSKY & RINTELS seems to me as a wholesale establishment to stand pre-eminent in being able to supply such goods, and on as favorable terms to merchants as can be secured south of Baltimore. I reached this conclusion, after a careful examination of their immense stock, and a personal interview with Mr. Witkowsky."  
**A NOVEL SIGHT!**  
The Store House of Wittkowsky & Rintels, three floors, 54 by 94 feet, all packed and crammed full of Goods.  
**OUR FALL STOCK**  
The largest and most complete since 1872, is now ready for inspection in both the Wholesale as well as the Retail Departments, and we COURT AND DEFT COMPETITION, let it come from whatever quarter it may—whether New York, Philadelphia, the ever present Baltimore drummer, or our local establishments. IN WHOLESALE we are ready to DUPLICATE ANY BILL, no matter where bought. IN RETAIL we present the most complete assortment of the LATEST NOVELTIES ever offered in Charlotte.  
To give the reader some conception of the immensity of our stock we cite as follows:  
**125 cases PRINTS,**  
about 6,000 pieces,  
**30 cases BLEACHED HOULDS,**  
about 1,000 pieces,  
**20 cases FLANNELS AND LINENS,**  
about 800 pieces,  
**30 cases JEANS AND CLOTHINGS,**  
about 500 pieces,  
**\$25,000 of CLOTHING,**  
about 3,000 suits,  
**600 cases SHOES,**  
about 24,000 pairs,  
**150 cases HATS,**  
about 900 dozen.

**LANTERNS.**  
We have received direct from the Manufacturers a good supply of Lanterns at low prices.  
**WILSON & BURWELL.**  
Our stock of Lamps and Lamp goods is complete.  
**WILSON & BURWELL.**  
75 ozs Sulph. Morphine.  
200 lbs Spanish Float Indigo.  
25 Boxes Refined Pearl Starch.  
50 Gross S. & S. Parlor Matches.  
6000 lbs Pure White Lead.  
Just received by  
**WILSON & BURWELL,**  
Druggists.  
**C. West & Sons Alladdin Security Oil.**  
**WILSON & BURWELL,**  
Charlotte, N. C.