

The Charlotte Observer.

LOCAL INTELLIGENCE.

FRIDAY, MARCH 28 1879.

RAILROAD DIRECTORY.

Table with columns for Railroad Name, Direction, and Time. Includes Richmond & Danville, Atlantic & Charlotte Air-Line, and Carolina Central.

Table with columns for Office Name, Address, and Hours. Includes Money Order Department, Registry Department, and Post Office.

Table with columns for Office Name, Address, and Hours. Includes Danville & Charlotte R.R., Charlotte & Atlanta R.R., and Charlotte & Shelby R.R.

INDICATIONS. WAR DEPARTMENT. OFFICE CHIEF SIGNAL OFFICER. WASHINGTON, Mar. 27, 7.30 P. M.

Local Report for Yesterday. Barometer, 30.80; Thermometer, 51; Relative Humidity, 51.

Highest temperature 74 deg.; lowest 48.

Index to New Advertisements. Maxwell & Harrison - Auction. Commercial National Bank - Silver Dollars.

HOME PENCILING. Cotton is up, but the supply on the Charlotte market is so small just now that no one feels the advantage of the high price to an appreciable extent.

The prospects for a large fruit crop in Mecklenburg this year are said to be excellent, but there's no telling what an April frost might do.

An official notification of the municipal election the first of May, together with a list of the judges and supervisors of the same, is published this morning.

Judge Kerr did not leave yesterday as he anticipated. He is no worse than he has been, but his physicians advised him to remain till to-morrow or next day.

The Goumud musical club had quite a large and pleasant meeting at the residence of Col. J. L. Morehead last night. It meets next week at Mrs. S. V. Young's.

The municipal election promises to assume considerable interest as the time approaches. The ward politicians are now engaged in making up the aldermanic slates.

In reply to a note from lawyers interested in Judge Kerr stated yesterday that he would not be able to hold Montgomery court, which should convene next week.

A valuable horse, belonging to Mayer & Ross, died of the colic suddenly in the rear of their store, yesterday, while they were trying to make him throw it up by giving him salt water.

The announcement is made that Col. Wm. Johnston, of this city, will address the citizens of Yadkin county at Yadkinville, on the subject of the navigation of the Yadkin river, on the 16th of April next.

Fire Department Elections. Next week the companies composing the Charlotte fire department will hold meetings to appoint delegates to a convention to elect officers of the department for the ensuing year. This convention is to be held the third Monday in April. The companies usually instruct the delegates as to the vote, so that the officers of the department will be known within the next ten days.

What the Mines of North Carolina Have Done. Just now when the subject of mining is attracting so much attention in Western North Carolina, it will be of interest to know something of the production of the mines of the State in the past. The Hand Book recently issued by the State's commissioner of agriculture says "that the fact is developed by the report of the mint directors of December, 1877, that from the month of that year, the gold deposited in the assay offices and mints from their organization up to that time from all the territory east of the Mississippi river was \$21,164,290.49; of which North Carolina produced \$10,370,492.15.

Capture of a Fugitive from Justice. Five or six months ago a man named Hiram Norton committed a murder in Richmond county and fled the State and his whereabouts has been from that time until recently concealed. Some weeks ago he was captured near Washington, Ga., and night before last was brought to Wadesboro on a requisition from the Governor, and committed to jail. He went to Washington soon after the deed was committed and settled on a farm, where he was at work when arrested. A reward of \$300 had been offered for his capture. It is understood that Norton does not deny the killing but maintains that he did it in self-defence.

Mrs. A. T. Stewart Passes Through. Night before last, Mrs. A. T. Stewart and party, who recently passed through Charlotte, en route to Florida, returned by the Central Short Line through this city to New York. They were in a magnificent Pullman drawing-room car, painted by Mrs. Stewart for this trip. Although there were only a half dozen persons in the party, we understand that she had paid for the day for the use of it, besides the cost of tickets for eighteen persons. It is certainly the finest coach that has ever been seen in this section. The sides are almost entirely plate glass, and the interior, which is divided into parlor, dining-room and sleeping apartments, is upholstered and furnished in costly style.

The Bruner Murder Trial.

The trial of Bruner, for the murder of P. M. Murray, of this city, at Rock Hill, S. C., was to have been commenced at Yorkville, the county seat, yesterday. Judge Pressly presides. The trial will create considerable interest, and may be protracted to some length. There are, we believe, no witnesses from Charlotte.

Ladies' Memorial Association.

We are instructed to say that a meeting of the Ladies' Memorial Association will be held to-morrow (Saturday) afternoon, at 4:30 o'clock, at the residence of the president, Mrs. Judge Osborne, to take such action as may be necessary looking to a proper observance of memorial day; and to say, further, that not only are the actual members of the association expected to attend, but all ladies who feel an interest in the object of the meeting. A full attendance is very much desired, and promptly at the hour designated.

Biddle University Receives a Gift.

The Africa-American Presbyterian states that Biddle University, (colored) near this city has been presented with the sum of 12,267 pounds sterling, which realizes \$61,120.67, and the fund is to be invested by the trustees of the University as a permanent fund, the proceeds of which interest to be applied to the support of such students as may be prosecuting their studies in Biddle University preparatory to mission work in Africa.

A Tobacco and Cigarette Factory.

Col. Julian Allen, a Northern gentleman, who left Brooklyn about three years ago and settled on a farm near Statesville, has just returned from a six months' stay in New York on business, and while there made arrangements for starting a tobacco and cigarette factory in Statesville. Col. Allen is full of energy, and has had a large experience in the manufacture of tobacco, particularly in cigarettes, and his enterprise will doubtless redound to the material advantage of the town in which he has made his home. He has been much pleased with his residence in the South, and recently published a letter in a New York paper, which was reproduced in THE OBSERVER, substantially relating the sentiments expressed in the findings of the Northern settlers convention held in this city. It is to men of such intelligence and enterprise that the State must look for the benefits to be derived from immigration.

Pro Bono Publico.

They had a walking match against time in Wilmington, the walker being a long-legged fellow, who, in the streets of the city, and tried to walk two miles in twenty minutes. The Sun says that at the end of the 1 1/2 miles, they found it necessary to push him up every once in a while. The excitement was red hot now, and the crowd was growing boisterous. When the 1 1/2 was reached, they were pulling him along. Fifty yards further they were carrying him along, and before another fifty yards reached, he had fainted in their arms.

DIED.

At the residence of his father, near Hickory Grove church, near Orchard station, on the night of the 26th inst., Mangum Hagler, in the twenty-sixth year of his age.

What I know about that standard remedy - Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup - I know that a 25 cent bottle cured me of a bad cough in 12 hours.

A New STRIKE - The working classes of our community have made a great discovery in Bull's Cough Syrup as the best and cheapest remedy in the world. Frisco, a bottle.

The Death-rate of the country is getting to be fearfully alarming, and the number of life being lessened every year, out any reasonable cause, death resulting generally from the most insignificant origin. At this season of the year especially, a cold is such a common thing that in the hurry of every day life we are apt to overlook the dangers attending it and often find too late, that a Fever or Lung trouble has already set in. Thousands lose their lives in this way every winter, while had BOSCHER'S GERMAN STRIP been taken, a cure would have resulted, and a large bill from a doctor been avoided. For all diseases of the Throat and Lungs, BOSCHER'S GERMAN STRIP has proven itself to be the greatest discovery of its kind in medicine. Every Druggist in this country will tell you of its wonderful effect. Over 950,000 bottles sold last year without a single failure known.

American and European plans, both have been adopted by the Grand Central Hotel, on Broadway, New York. You can get a room for every day and night, for a nice room in this large first-class hotel, on Broadway, take your breakfast there, at the elegant restaurant in the house, at moderate and reasonable prices, and if you do not return till night you have nothing more to pay. Or you can stop there for the American plan for \$2.00 to \$3.00 per day, room and meals included.

Woman's Best Friend.

Ample testimonials from every section of the country show that Bradfield's Female Regulator is the "Woman's Best Friend." Many suffering females have tried it, and have been cured, and bear witness to its merits in sound constitutions and menstrual troubles. It is a safe, reliable, and effective remedy. Do not fail to try it if you are suffering from any of the complaints peculiar to the sex.

Consumption cured.

An old physician, retired from practice, having had placed in his hands by an East India missionary the formula of a simple vegetable remedy, for the speedy and permanent cure for consumption, bronchitis, catarrh, asthma, and all throat and lung affections, also a positive and radical cure for nervous debility, and all the ailments incident to having tested its wonderful curative powers in thousands of cases, has felt it his duty to make it known to his suffering fellow-men. A cure, by this motive, and a desire to relieve human suffering, I will send, free of charge, to all who desire it. This receipt, with full directions for preparing and using in German, French or English. Sent by mail by addressing with the name of the sender, W. W. Sherar, 149 Powers' Block, Rochester, New York. mar25 4w

New Advertisements.

ELECTION NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that an election will be held on the first Monday in May, (being the 7th day of the month), 1879, at the usual polling place in the several wards of this city, for Mayor and a Board of Aldermen for said city.

Ward No. 1 - Registrar, John I. Elms. Inspectors - Dr. M. M. Orr, S. M. Howell, A. E. Gray.

Ward No. 2 - Registrar, H. B. Williams. Inspectors - John L. Morehead, Dr. William Sloan, A. B. Davidson.

Ward No. 3 - Registrar, B. P. Boyd. Inspectors - R. M. Oates, J. H. Carson, M. A. Sauter.

Ward No. 4 - Registrar, R. P. Waring. Inspectors - J. Y. Bryce, Rufus Barringer, R. B. Alexander.

Ward No. 5 - Registrar, B. E. Alexander. Sheriff, B. E. SMITH, Mayor. March 28, 1879. -td.

BUTTERICK'S

SPRING CATALOGUES. And Metropolitan Fashion sheets for April, just received at TIDDY'S BOOK STORE. March 28, 1879.

SILVER DOLLARS

HIGHEST market price paid for Mexican, South American and Spanish Dollars, at COMMERCIAL NATIONAL BANK, mar28 9t

500 BUSHELS

Eastern Yams and other varieties of SWEET POTATOES, On hand and to arrive. CHEAPER than the CHEAPEST. AT R. N. SMITH'S. mar28

Contest Among the Good Samaritans.

For some time a controversy has been going on here and elsewhere between two different organizations of the Good Samaritans, as to which has the legal right to exist. Two offices of lodges under different organizations, Lynn, of Wilmington, and Alexander, of Charlotte, met at the court house in Wadesboro last week, says the Herald, in the presence of a large crowd. Lynn is a stout talker, but Alexander seemed to satisfy the darkies that his was the lodge.

SOUNDS OF THE COMING FRAY.

Some More Questions for "Citizen" to Answer.

"Citizen" Didn't you bawl before you got out of the woods, in Sunday morning's issue of THE OBSERVER, when you spoke of the economy of the present city administration? Why didn't you elucidate, by telling wherein the economy? Did you give any figures? Did you tell how much has passed through the hands of the administration, and where it went? how much of the old debt has been retired, and what great permanent improvements have been besides cleaning out the ditches semi-occasionally? Come, now, "Citizen," you have made the assertion of economy; make it good with figures, and don't give us any "consolidated contingencies" either, but let us have a full, itemized statement of all receipts and expenditures. Begin by telling in detail what amount of taxes went into the city marshal's hands, and what amount of money he has collected from listed and unlisted taxes; fines and all other sources, and paid into the city treasury; and last, but not least, how this money has been expended by the city fathers, during the fiscal year. And you can go still further, "Citizen," and tell the tax-payers how much His Honor and the marshal get outside of their salaries in the way of perquisites from the mayor's courts, in the way of that little dollar and a quarter cost, which is levied for their benefit on all convictions. This would throw some light on the pay of those offices. The county officials are required to, and do give an itemized statement in detail of all receipts and expenditures passing through their hands. Now let the city officials imitate their example, and then the tax-payers, whose money they handle, can each see for himself the disposition made of his money.

These are pertinent questions, and a great many tax-payers would be pleased to have them answered.

PRO BONO PUBLICO.

A man of unlimited experience in this business, having traveled for 17 years in the West and South selling Crockery, &c., for some of the most extensive Crockery houses North, has been associated with

JOHN BROOKFIELD,

OF THIS CITY.

In the above business, and the firm thus constituted will be known as JNO. BROOKFIELD & CO. Mr. Ludolf left last Tuesday for the North to lay in the most extensive stock of

QUEENSWARE,

China, Glassware, Lamps and Lamp Glasses, Decorated China and Porcelain, Silver and Silver Plated Ware, Fine Fancy Goods, Wood and Willow Ware, House Furnishing Goods, Cutlery, Bar Fixtures, and many other goods too numerous to mention, for our Wholesale and Retail trade. In future we will handle

LOOK OUT

For Mr. Ludolf's return, as it will be a treat to examine his line of fine goods.

JNO. BROOKFIELD & CO.,

Trade Street, near College. March 27. Under Democrat Office.

Wagons.

I am now in receipt of a large lot of the celebrated STUDEBAKER WAGONS, all sizes, which will be sold on reasonable terms.

SWEET POTATOES.

Received from Eastern North Carolina to-day 100 BUSHELS OF THE EASTERN YAM POTATO. And an expecting more to-morrow. At S. M. HOWELL'S. March 27.

Watches and Jewelry.

From Paris, France, WATCH and CLOCK MAKER, GILDER and SILVER PLATER. Trade Street, opposite First Presbyterian Church, Nat Gray Store.

Professional.

Having removed his office to the first floor over the Traders National Bank, can be found there all hours during the day, and at his residence corner Seventh and College streets, at night. feb7 3m

DR. E. H. GREENE,

TENDERS his professional services to the people of Charlotte and vicinity. Being a graduate of both schools of medicine, (ALBANY and HARRINGTON) he is qualified to practice either branch.

He will still devote attention especially to Chronic Diseases, but will also do a general practice. Calls attended day or night. Residence on College street, corner of fifth street. mar28 daw 3m

New Advertisements.

AUCTION.

By MAXWELL & HARRISON.

SATURDAY,

MARCH 29TH, 1879,

AT 11 O'CLOCK A. M., A LOT OF

CROCKERY

AND GLASSWARE,

FURNITURE, CLOTHING, &c.

Unlimited articles received until hour of sale. -mar28 2t

Crockery and Glassware

ENLARGEMENT

CHINA CHINA

CROCKERY

GLASSWARE

BUSINESS.

MR. A. W. LUDOLF,

OF BALTIMORE, MD.

A man of unlimited experience in this business, having traveled for 17 years in the West and South selling Crockery, &c., for some of the most extensive Crockery houses North, has been associated with

JOHN BROOKFIELD,

OF THIS CITY.

In the above business, and the firm thus constituted will be known as JNO. BROOKFIELD & CO. Mr. Ludolf left last Tuesday for the North to lay in the most extensive stock of

QUEENSWARE,

China, Glassware, Lamps and Lamp Glasses, Decorated China and Porcelain, Silver and Silver Plated Ware, Fine Fancy Goods, Wood and Willow Ware, House Furnishing Goods, Cutlery, Bar Fixtures, and many other goods too numerous to mention, for our Wholesale and Retail trade. In future we will handle

LOOK OUT

For Mr. Ludolf's return, as it will be a treat to examine his line of fine goods.

JNO. BROOKFIELD & CO.,

Trade Street, near College. March 27. Under Democrat Office.

Wagons.

I am now in receipt of a large lot of the celebrated STUDEBAKER WAGONS, all sizes, which will be sold on reasonable terms.

SWEET POTATOES.

Received from Eastern North Carolina to-day 100 BUSHELS OF THE EASTERN YAM POTATO. And an expecting more to-morrow. At S. M. HOWELL'S. March 27.

Watches and Jewelry.

From Paris, France, WATCH and CLOCK MAKER, GILDER and SILVER PLATER. Trade Street, opposite First Presbyterian Church, Nat Gray Store.

Professional.

Having removed his office to the first floor over the Traders National Bank, can be found there all hours during the day, and at his residence corner Seventh and College streets, at night. feb7 3m

DR. E. H. GREENE,

TENDERS his professional services to the people of Charlotte and vicinity. Being a graduate of both schools of medicine, (ALBANY and HARRINGTON) he is qualified to practice either branch.

He will still devote attention especially to Chronic Diseases, but will also do a general practice. Calls attended day or night. Residence on College street, corner of fifth street. mar28 daw 3m

Holiday Goods.

GREAT BARGAINS FOR THE HOLIDAYS.

J. T. BUTLER'S. J. T. BUTLER'S.

WATCHES. CLOCKS.

JEWELRY.

SILVER AND SILVER-PLATED WARE.

GOLD AND SILVER SPECTACLES.

Gold-Head Canes and everything you want for Christmas, at J. T. BUTLER'S. dec24

WE DESIRE to call attention to OUR STOCK. WE DESIRE to call attention to OUR STOCK.

Boarding.

CALDWELL HOUSE, CALDWELL HOUSE, CALDWELL HOUSE.

Corner Tryon and Sixth Streets. CHARLOTTE, N. C.

CHARLOTTE, N. C.

S. P. CALDWELL, Proprietor.

This house is permanently established and offers all the conveniences and comforts of a first-class boarding house. Persons visiting the city will find it a pleasant home. Permanent boarders wanted. Can be furnished with rooms. RATES - Per day, transient, \$1.25; per week, \$6.00. Regular tables, \$15.00; board and room per month, \$18.00. jan10

Livery Stables.

NEW LIVERY STABLE. If you want first-class Carriages, Phaetons, Buggies or Saddle Horses, go to the New Livery Stable.

If you want a Carriage and Buggey Wagon to most arriving or departing trains, go to the New Livery Stable.

If you want your horses well fed and well groomed go to the New Livery Stable.

Careful drivers, promptness and reasonable prices are our motto. mar28 R. CHAMBERS.

Auction Sales.

MAXWELL & HARRISON. AUCTION AND COMMISSION MERCHANTS.

Buy and sell on consignment all kinds of MERCHANDISE AND COUNTRY PRODUCE.

Will give strict personal attention to all business entrusted to our care. Four doors above Charlotte Hotel. dec2

Miscellaneous.

HENO TEA. PURE, GOOD AND CHEAP. WILSON & BURWELL, Agents.

THE BEST STOCK OF GROCERIES AND CONFECTIONERIES.

In the city, at LeROY DAVIDSON'S. jan30

\$200 IN CASH WILL PURCHASE A Power Printing Press, Guernsey make, old style, size of bed 20x40 inches. Was in use until replaced by a new one. Address J. C. BAILEY, editor Enterprise and Mountaineer, Greenville, S. C. jan 14

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA. In Probate Court. Joseph Sparks and Benjamin Sparks, Executors of the Estate of Benjamin Sparks, deceased. The Heirs at Law of Benjamin Sparks, deceased.

NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT. It appearing to the satisfaction of the Court that Felia Dinmitt, wife of Faxon Dinmitt, Hannah Lydia wife of John Fells, John Sparks, and Elizabeth Beattie, wife of John Beattie, are heirs at law in this case and non-residents of the State, It is therefore on motion ordered by the Court that advertisement be made for six weeks in THE CHARLOTTE OBSERVER, notifying said defendants to appear at the Clerk's office in Yorkville within twenty days after service of this notice, and let them take notice that if they fail to appear that the same will be taken pro confesso and execute as to them. Given under my hand and seal of office in Yorkville, this 10th day of February, A. D. 1879. ISAAC N. VESTAL, Probate Judge. feb23 -dlwlt

BLACK STRAP MOLASSES Under cost by the barrel, by LeROY DAVIDSON. jan30

FOR A FIRST CLASS Smoke call and get a Sucker, at LeROY DAVIDSON'S. jan30

Freight Lines.

CAROLINA CENTRAL.

VIA WILMINGTON, THROUGH FRIGHT ROUTE.

This Line being fully equipped for business, Freight from

Wilmington and all Northern and Eastern Cities to Greenville, Spartanburg, all Stations Atlantic, Tennessee & Ohio.

As well as points in Georgia Insurance and Rates guaranteed as Low as Information furnished

F. W. CLARK, Gen. Freight Agent, Wilmington, N. C. sep30

Drugs and Medicines.

DR. J. H. MACDEN. DRUGGIST AND CHEMIST.

New offers to the trade a full stock of Lubin's Extracts and Colognes. English Select soaps. Colgate Honey and Glycerine Soap. English, French and American Tooth Brushes. PRESCRIPTIONS. Carefully prepared at all hours, both night and day at

J. H. MACDEN'S Prescription Store.

SECURITY! SECURITY! SECURITY!

ALADDIN SECURITY OIL. West's Extra No. 1 Kerosene Oil from C. West & Sons, Baltimore.

Highest Medal awarded at Centennial Exposition, Crystal Oil Works, Canton, Vt. warranted to stand a test of 110 degrees Fahrenheit before it will burn. C. West & Sons, Baltimore.

Undertaking.

UNDERTAKING. The undersigned is now prepared to fill all orders for every class of Undertaking. Having on hand a full assortment of COFFINS, CASKETS AND BURIAL CASES, Both Wood and Metallic. PRICES AS LOW AS ANT. Hearsons furnished if desired. Furniture of every Description Repaired at short notice. W. M. WILHELM. With E. G. Rogers, Trade Street, June 20.

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA. Superior Court. Mecklenburg County. I Clerk's Office.

A plan to incorporate the Simpson Gold and Silver Mining Company, having been in this day filed in my office by Benjamin F. Larrabee, Charles A. Fairbank and Arthur D. McLehann, and a petition having been given by me to open books for subscription, notice is hereby given to all persons interested in the said plan to appear at the Court on the 2nd day of April next, and complete the organization of said corporation as proposed in said plan in conformity to law. In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand at office in Charlotte, this 13th day of March, 1879. G. M. R. ERWIN, Clerk Superior Court.

CENTRAL HOTEL SALOON

For Standard Pure Liquors.

Tailoring.

M. LICHTENSTEIN. MERCHANT TAILOR. CHARLOTTE, N. C. Just received fifty more samples in addition to those on hand, all are novelties of the season, call and make selections. We most respectfully invite every gentleman to call and see our work. We are doing a new style and can be convinced. mar17

JAMES MURPHY. PRACTICAL TAILOR. Holton's Building, Trade Street, Up Stairs. Owing to the stringency of the times I will in future work very cheap. Will make fine suits for \$10. Cashmere suits for \$8. Pants of suit same rates. I guarantee all my work. No charge. Give me call and be convinced. July 17.

FRIDAY, MARCH 28th, 1879.

OUR STOCK IS ALMOST COMPLETE

TO-DAY.

We offer all grades and colors of Bunting; a beautiful piece of all wool black French Bunting; all the light, beautiful shades of Wool Cashmeres; a line of Grenadines, which, for elegance of style and value, has never been equaled. Don't fail to see them. Also black China Linings for Grenadines - as handsome as silk, but much less expensive.

OUR STOCK OF DRESS GOODS

Is simply enormous in quantity and magnificent in style, being of every shade known, and all grades - from 75 cents to \$2.50 per yard. It would be folly to attempt a description of our stock of Ladies' Misses' and Gentlemen's Hose. It is a waste of time to go elsewhere for Hamburg Embroidery, for we have every kind you want and at prices that will astonish you. Every conceivable kind of Lace - viz: Bretonne, Torchon, Madras Point, etc., Edging and Inserting to match; and as for White Goods, we have everything - India Mulls, India Lawn, Victoria Lawn, Bishop Lawn, White Linen Lawn, Macallin.