SATURDAY, MAY 14, 1881.

#### SOCIETY DIRECTORY.

MASONIC. PHALANX LODGE No. 31, A. F. & A. M.—Begular meeting every second and fourth Monday nights. EXCELSIOR LODGE No. 261, A. F. & A. M.—Regular meeting every first and third Tuesday nights. CHARLOTTE CHAPTER No. 39, R. A. M.—Regular meeting every second and fourth Friday nights. CHARLOTTE COMMANDARY No. 2, K. T.—Regular meeting every first and third Thursdays. K. OF H.

KNIGHTS OF HONOR.—Regular meeting every second and fourth Thursdays. K.OFP.

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS.—Regular meeting nights first and third Wednesdays, 7 o'clock p. m. at Masonic Temple Hall. I.O.O.F.

CHARLOTTE LODGE No. 88 .- Meets every Monday night. MECKLENBURG DECLARATION LODGE No. 9 .-Meets every Tuesday night DINIE LODGE No. 108.-Meets'every Thursday CATAWBA RIVER ENCAMPMENT No. 21.—Meets Frt and third Thursday nights in each month.

The Weather To-Day.

For the South Atlantic States, local rains and partly cloudy weather, northeast to southeast winds, rising barometer and lower temperature in the northern portions.

#### Index to New Advertisements.

wanted - F. B. D. Just received - Alexander & Harris. Sparkling Catawba Springs - Dr. E. O. Elliott. The Irwin lands for sale - J. P. Irwin.

#### HOME PENCILINGS.

-Rev. Mr. Cheshire, recently of Chapel Hill, has accepted a call to St. Peter's Episcopal church in this city. -What with Vennor, no blackberries,

prohibition, the 17-year locust and small pox threatening, it may well be dorbted what is to become of us. -"The saltatory orthopterous insect, of the family locustidae, and the genera acridium," is what the learned bugolo-

gist calls him. We addressed one in that way prefixing it with the Eastern phrase of Oh! mighty, in order to avoid umping it on him too soon, but he simply cast on us a reproachful look. turned over on his back, held his limbs up in a pitiful, appealing manner and then died.

#### "Revelations" Coming.

Rev. J. F. Butt, who has been traveling South with the panorama "Revelations," for a year past is in the city.
The panorama will be here in a few days. It will be exhibited in the opera house on the 24th inst., when the two new scenes recently painted by Mr. A. L. Butt will be unrolled to the public cussion as to What They Will and gaze for the first time.

#### The Devil Turned Loose.

A country magistrate said: "You lorn spouses to assist them to reclaim imbibed a privilege that it is their duty to rule their husbands, and when they fail in the attempt they pick up their "duds and leave."

## A Good Movement.

The police made a raid on several ored people, last night, and arrested the county bring reports about them. twenty of them, under the vagrant act. They do not seem to be alarmed, how-Those arrested are well known to have ever, the only expression of uneasiness sistence, it being their custom to lie around the city in the daylight and disturb people in their neighborhood by licentious brawls and carousing after night fall. One or more retained in the remark, made by one of them, that the noise they make annoyed him. It is like the sound of escaping steam. There are conflicting opinions, however, in regard to their destructive leading to the remark, made by one of them, that the noise they make annoyed him. It is like the sound of escaping steam. no occupation or honest means of subnight fall. One or more were arrested also for keeping gambling houses.

The Juveniles, it is understood, had another splendid audience last night, and played their parts better than upon the former occasion. The O. B. Club appeared in costume and lent variety to the performance by the rendition of a

## Election of Officers.

At a meeting of the Hornet fire company last night, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President-W. R. Cochrane. Foreman-Jas. McGill.

1st Asst. Foreman-P. C. Eagle. -J. H. Means. Rec. Secretary-O. F. Asbury. -S. H. A. Daougherty. Treasurer-R. A. Myers. Surgeon—C. F. Brem. Chaplain—E. A. Wingard. Driver—I. H. Wilson.

Some trouble has been created among the colored washer-women in the city by the report which has been spread among them that the new city charter imposes a tax upon their labor. On this account many have refused to take in the usual washing from their patrons. unaccountably so since it has been pubmen. The fact is, the charter does not impose a tax on anything; but simply fixes a limit which the board of aldermen are prohibited from exceeeding in levying taxes for city purposes. The

## A Screnade to Mrs. Jackson.

The New Orleans Democrat says: daughter. The company formed on the portico, whilst the band discoursed pleasant strains. When the music had ceased the door of the ladies' parlor was thrown open and the company filed in. Forming a crescent in the parlor, with their flag in the centre, the company halted. Mrs. Jackson and her interesting daughter with Gov. Nicholls were standing within the crescent, and Judge W. H. Rogers, bearing a beautiful piece of floral work stepped forward and made a graceful address expressing the pride of the people of New Orleans to have them in their midst and paying a splendid tribute to the memory of

Stonewall Jackson. "Mrs. Jackson showed how sensibly she appreciated the compliment so gracefully paid the memory of the great chieftain, and during Judge Rogers's speech nodded in silent approbation of the sentiment."

For colic, dysentry, teething and other diseases of babyhood, always use Dr. Bull's Baby Syrup.

A LOSING JOKE. A prominent physician of Pittsburg said jokingly to a lady patient, who was complaining of her
continued ill health and of his inability to cure
her, "Try Hop Bitters." The lady took it in earnest and used the bitters, from which she obtained
permanent health. She now laughs at the doctor
for his joke, but he is not so well pleased with it,
as it cost him a good patient.—Harrisburg Patriot.

THE SMALL POX SCARE IN CON-CORD.

VARIOLA.

The Fact Ascertained that One Case of Varioloid Has Been Discovered, and Quarrantined.

Early yesterday morning reports were freely circulated that a case of small pox had been discovered in Concord. It stirred up our people, and very and the body of every spider is furnishmany sought out the doctors for the purpose of being vaccinated. The Continuous and the body of every spider is furnishmany sought out the doctors for the purpose of being vaccinated. The Continuous and the body of every spider is furnishmany sought out the body of every spider is furnishmany sought out the doctors for the purpose of being vaccinated. cord Register, printed in the evening gives the following particulars: By virtue of authority vested in me, and upon the advice of the board of

health of Cabarrus county, I hereby give notice that a case of small pox having developed itself in the vicinity of the depot, all persons are hereby forewarned to avoid going into that neigh-borhood, or visiting in the locality in which the patient resides, being a small white house on the east side of the railroad, near the old tank. All persons residing near that building, except those who shall obtain a permit from the County Superintendent of Health, are required to refrain from visiting in the town of Concord.

Any persons violating this order will lay themselves liable to the penalties of

the law. F. M. HENDERSON, M. D., County Supt. of Health. Approved and countersigned by

W. G. MEANS, Mayor.
The public are assured by the undersigned, the board of health of Cabarrus county that all proper care will be taken to prevent the spread of the disease; that vaccine virus has been ordered, and all persons are required to apply to F. M. Henderson, M. D., or some other physician for vaccination.

W. G. MEANS, Mayor of Concord. R. W. Allison, ch'n board co. com. F. M. HENDERSON, M. D. J. L. HENDERSON, M. D.

W. H. LILLY, M. D. At night the following special tele-gram from the mayor of Concord, was received:

CONCORD, N. C., May 13, 1881. To the Editor of The Observer.

There is no case of small pox within the corporate limits of Concord. A case of varioloid has developed near the town limits. It will be moved to-night to an isolated place two and a half miles distant, and all precautions have been taken to prevent its spread. Business is going on as usual. W. G. MEANS, Mayor.

## THE LOCUST INVASION.

THE SEVENTEEN YEARS APPEAR IN MYRIADS

cussion as to What They Will and

What They Will not Do. Beyond a peradventure, the dreaded, far-famed locust, is upon us. He is no lenger an Eastern fable, but a living, seems to be turned loose among the colored women in the country. A great many of them are leaving their their transfer and reastern rable, but a living, working, pulsating reality, springing from the ground with life, health and vigor renewed casting of the above many of them are leaving their husbands and I have had a considerable number of applications from the forsis in the cold bosom of the earth, feeding on the succulent foliage of the their strayed wives. They seem to have trees, covering the landscape over with his yellowish-brown-damask wings like his yellowish-brown-damask wings like summer dusters on parlor furniture. They come, millions upon millions, they come. From every direction they call to each other, "Come over and help us eat them up." The woods are filled with them; the ground alive with them. Farmers from every section of being the remark, made by one of tendencies. One man, who has observed their effect on a former occasion, predicts that in several days the trees will begin to assume their late aspect Second Appearance of the Juveniles. of wintery barreness, but that the crops

to the performance by the rendition of a As to the locust himself, and his number of beautiful songs. The un- history, the name is derived from locus dertaking has proved very successful, a place, and ustus, burned, from the and doubtless by the two performances resemblance of districts ravaged by and doubtless by the two performances combined very materially replenished the treasury of the Little Worker's Aid Society, for the benefit of which it was given.

Election of Officers.

resemblance of districts ravaged by them to a regeion desolated by fire. An authority say: "The males make a loud noise by rubbing their hind legs across the protecting veins of the wing-covers like playing upon a violin, the sound being intensified by a sonorous cavity in the first abdominal segment. in the first abdominal segment. The hind legs are very powerful, enabling them to leap much better than the grasshoppers; their strong wings give them the power of rapid and long con-tinued flight, accompanied by a loud whizzing noise, compared in their im-mense swarms to the rushing of whirlwind, the rattling of chariots, and the crackling of burning stubble. It will be sufficient to allude to the devasta-tions made by the locusts, destroying as they do every trace of vegetation in be sufficient to allude to the devastations made by the locusts, destroying as they do every trace of vegetation in the districts visited by them. Their numbers are so incredible that rivers have been blocked and many square miles covered by them. Locusts are the districts visited by them. Their numbers are so incredible that rivers miles covered by them. Locusts are used as food in countries where they abound; the legs and wings being pulled off, the bodies are fried in oil, and are considered a delicacy; they are sometimes dried in the sun, pounded up and used as flour for making bread." If the worst comes to the worst, this will be over without much difficulty. It is only one, however, of many false reports that are circulating about grievous provisions in the new charter, and unaccountably so since it has been pubthat a statement to this effect exists in lished and is open to the scrutiny of all good Arabic on the wings of the insect." We haven't perused any Arabic yet, but, curious to say, there is a plainly marked W on each wing of the insect, which is generally interpreted to be "War on Whiskey." The history of the locusts in this section, as gathered from old citizens, is that they appear only at long intervals. It is thought they are the seventeen year locusts. "Last night at 11:30 o'clock, headed by It is a tradition that the eggs, after bea tand, the officers and members of Mississippi Fire Company No. 2 marched to the St. Charles Hotel and there serenaded Mrs. T. J. Jackson and the meantime developing into the grub the meantime developing into the grub and then into the chrysalis state, from which it finally emerges from the ground. This seems to be substanstiated by the depth of the holes they leave behind them, for you may pour as much

> illustrate what has been said. A tried and trusted remedy, always ready for use, is St. Jacobs Oil, the household boon.

> fill them up, and when a stick is run

into them and reaches a stopping place

by a little twisting it will slip down

further, showing them to be winding.

This is all we know about the locust,

but the First Presbyterian church yard

furnishes an easy resort to those who

desire to investigate for themselves.

They are not so numerous there as in

the country, but numerous enough to

Habitual Costiveness. Habitual costiveness is the bane of nearly every Habitual costiveness is the bane of hearly every American woman. From it usually arises those disorders that as surely undermine their health and strength. Every woman owes it to herself and to her family to use that celebrated medicine, Kidney Wort. It is the sure remedy for constipation, and for all disorders of the kidneys and liver. Try it in liquid or dry form. Equally efficient in either.—Boston Sunday Budget.

A Safe and Sure means of restoring the youthful color of the hair is furnished by Parker's Hair Balsam, which is deservedly popular from its su-

Wonders of the Microscope.

A thousand wonders in nature are lost to the human eye, and only revealed to us through the microscope. Think of dividing a single spider's web into a thousand strands, or counting the arteries and nerves in the wing

of a gossamer moth. Yet, by aid of the powerful lens of a microscope, it is found there are more than 4,000 muscles in a caterpillar. The eye of a drone contains 14,000 mirrors, and the body of every spider is furnishsingle thread, and when a thousand of these from each lump are joined together, they make the silk line of which the spider spins its web, and which we call a spider's thread.

Spiders have been seen as small as a grain of sand, and these spin a thread so fine that it takes 4,000 of them, put together, to equal in size a single hair.

#### More Nominations.

Washington, May 13 .- The President sent in the following nominations to-day: Postmasters-F. B. Pratt, at Canton, Miss.; Elizer B. Harrison, at Fayetteville, Ark. Chas. E. Henry, of Ohio, to be United States marshal for the District of Columbia, vice Frederick Douglass, nominated as recorder of deeds. Frederick Douglass, of the District of Columbia, to be recorder of deeds in the District of Columbia vice Geo. A. Sheridan, resigned. Frank Thompson, of Louisiana, to be chaplain in the navy.

#### The Senate Meets-and Adjourns.

Washington, May 13.—On motion of Dawes it was ordered that when the Senate adjourned to-day, it was to meet on Monday next, and then, at 12:05, the Senate went into executive session. When the doors were re-opened at 1 o'clock, the Senate adjourned until

Monday. No motion was entered at to-day's executive session, as it was rumored there would be, for reconsideration of the vote by which ex-Senator Matthews was yesterday confirmed as . Associate Justice of the Supreme Court.

#### Confirmations.

WASHINGTON, May 13.—The Senate in executive session this afternoon confirmed the nomination of Don A. Pardee to be Circuit Judge for the 5th judicial district, and Geo. H. Gilmer to be postmaster at Richmond, Va. W. W. Lambert to be postmaster at Brackettsville, Texas.

#### MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH

MAY 13, 1881. IPRODUCE.

CHICAGO—Wheat—No. 2 Chicago spring 1.0244 cash, — June. Corn—42a44. Oats —. Pork at 16.55. Lard at 10.50. Bulk meats—shoulders BALTIMORE-Night-Oats-Western white 52a53

Baltimore—Night—Oats—Western white 52a55 do mixed 49a51, Pennsylvania —. Provisions—mess pork 17.00 for old; new 18.00; bulk meats—loose shoulders—, clear sides—, ditte packed 64a986 bacon—shoulders 7½, clear rib sides 10¼, hams 11a12. Lard—refined therees 11½. Coffee—Rio cargoes—ordinary to fair 9¼a11½. Sugar—A soft 958. Whiskey 1.10. CINCINNATI—Flour—family 4 95a5.15, fancy 5.40a6.00. Wheat—No. 2 red winter 1.10a11. Corn at 47½. Oats at 40. Pork at \$17.00. Lard at 10.50a.50. Bu'k meats—shoulders 5.62½, ribs 8.40; bacon—shoulders 6.75. ribs 9½, clear sides 9.62½. Whiskey at 1.06. Sugar—hards 10½, New Orleans 7a8. Hogs—common 4.50a 6.00, light—, packing—, butchers 5.50a6.30.

NEW YORK—Southern flour quiet; common to fair extra 4.75a5.25, good to choice 5.30a7.00. Wheat—ungraded red \$1.16a1.27. Corn—ungraded 55a61. Oats—46 for No. 3. Coffee—Bio cargoes 9\$4a1214. Sugar—fair to good refining 7\$5a715, prime 7\$6; refined—standard A 9a9\$5. Molasses—New Orleans 30a55, Porto Rico 35a50. Bosin—1.85a1.8715. Turpentine 3815. Wool—domestic fleece 31a45, pulled 20a38, unwashed 12a30, Texas 14a26. Pork—16.00 for old; middles—long clear 834, short clear 914, long and short 9. Lard at 10.9011.00.

#### COTTON.

GALVESTON-Dull; middling 1014; low middl'g 878c; good ordinary 8c; net rec'ts 1.660; gross—; sales 146; stock 65.051; exp'ts coastwise -: to Great Britain -: conlinent.
Weekly-net receipts 4,855; gross 4.869; sales 4,497; exp. coastwise 2,903; to Great Britain 5,089; continent 3,609; France 1,480.

NORFOLK-Quiet: middling 1016c; net receipts 602; gross —; stock 11,515; exports coastwise —; sales —; exports to Great Britain.

Weekly—net rec'ts 4.264; gross —; sales 998; exp'ts coastwise 2,689; Great Britain 2,870; channel -; continent.

BALTIMORE—Quiet; middling 10½; low middl'g 9¾c; good ordin'y 8¾c; net rec'ts 524; gross 570; sales —; stock 9.538; exports coastwise —; spinners —; exports to Great Britain —; Weekly-net rec'ts 2080; gross 4,485; sales 281 spinners 241; exports Great Britain —; coast wise 2,521; Continent 1,539.

Boston—Dull; middling 10%c; low middling; 10c; good ord'y 8%c; net receipts 663; gross 961; sales —: stock 11,285; exports to Great Britain —; to France.

Weekly net rec'ts 3.193; gross 4,429; sales —; exports to Great Britain 1,616.

WILMINGTON-Quiet; middling 97sc; low middling 91sc; good ordinary 71sc; receipts 51; gross —, sales —; stock 2,345; exports coastwise —; to Great Britain.

Weekly—net receipts 329; gross —; sales —; exports coastwise 323; to Great Britain.

PHILADELPHIA—Dull; middling 10%c.; low middling 10%c: good ordinary 8%c: net receipts 120; gross 238; sales —; spinners —; stock —: exports to Great Britain —.

Weekly—net receipts 2.551; gross 3.914; sales 2.057; spinners, 1.700; coastwise —; Continent —; to Great Britain 546; stock 12,926.

NEW ORLEANS-Quiet; midd'g 101gc; low mid dling 91g; good ord'y 8c; net receipts 2,565; gross 2,802; sales 2,500; stock 202,676; exports to Great Britain -; coastwise.

Weekly-net receipts 12,608; gross 14,950; sales 25,000; exports Great Britain 13,981; Channel -; coastwise 2,924; France 7,509; continent 7,169; channel.

MOBILE-Quiet; middling 101gc; low middling 9c; good ordinary 8c; net receipts 280; gross —; sales 500; stock 19,067; exp. coast —; channel.

Weekly—net receipts 3,036; gross —; sales 3,550; to exports Great Britain —; coastwise 3,115; channel.

MEMPHIS—Steady: middling 10c; receipts 365; shipments 2,188; sales 4,500; stock 54.995 Weekly—net receipts 3,884; shipments 6,813; sales 10,625.

AUGUSTA—Quiet; middling 95gc.; low middling 91gc., good ordinary 8c; receipts 79; shipments—: sales 554
Weekly—net rec ts 789; shipm'ts 193; sales 1,734; spinners—; stock. CHARLESTON-Steady; middling 104c; low mid-

CHARLESTON—Steady; middling 10 Mc; low industrial 10c; good ordinary 91%c; net receipts 105; gross —; sales 1000; stock 16,544; exports coastwise —; Great Britain —; continent.

Weekly—net receipts 2,497; gross ..; sales 3,300; coastwise 1,490; Continent 4,090; Great Britain 1,226; channel —; France.

New York—Cotton Steady; sales 1,050; interest 1,050; middly orleans 10%c; net receipts 1,236; gross 2,497; consolidated net rec'ts.

Wekly—net rec'ts 5,803; gross 14,595; exports to Great Britain 5,869; France 750; continent 6,632; sales 8,303; stock 183,831. MONTGOMERY—Steady; midding 10; low mid-9c; good ordinary 71/2c; receipts 190; shir-ments 673; steck, present year, 5,250; steck, last year, 5,544; sales—. sand in them as you please and can't

MACON—Dull; middling 91/2c; low middling 88/4c; good ordinary 7c; receipts 57; sales 130; stock, present year, 5,378; stock, last year, COLUMBUS—Quiet; middling 914c; low middling 814c; good ordinary 714c; receipts \$29; shipments 3,060; sales 274; spinners 34; stock 7,253.

NASHVILLE—Dull; middling 97sc; low mid-91sc; geod middling 75sc; net receipts 727; shipments 1,687; sales 694; spinners -; stock, present year, 9,414; stock, last year, 10,016 PORT ROYAL, S. C.-Weekly-net receipts -; stock 409; exports coastwise —; Great Britain. PROVIDENCE, R. I.-Weekly-net receipts -stock 3,000; sales 650.

SELMA, ALA.—Dull; middling 104c; low mid—c; good ordinary—. Weekly—receipts 220; shipments 642; stock, present year, 4,085; last

ROME, GA.—Quiet; middling 10c; low mid-94c; good ordinary 8c. Weekly—receipts 898; shipments 2,416; stock 1,591. COMPARATIVE COTTON STATEMENT. Net receipts at all United States ports

Same time last year
Stock at all interior towns
Same time last year
Stock at Liverpoel
Same time last year
Stock of American afloat for Great

....... Same time last year ..... LIVERPOOL—Noon—Lotton market hardening: middling uplands 5%d; mid. orleans 5 13-16d; sales 10,000, speculation and export 1,000; receipts 2.050, American 600. Uplands low middling clause: May delivery 5%a13-16d, May and June do, June and July 5 13-16a%d, July and August 5 29-32a15-16d, August and September 6a5 1-32d, September and October 5 29 32a15-16 October and November—, November and December 5%d. Futures firm.

LIVERPOOL -4.00-Sales of American cotton 8,350 bales. Upland low middling clause: May

Sales for the week..... Speculation.... Actual exports.
Forwarded from ships' sides. Imports..... American,....

FUTURES. NEW YORK-Futures closed steady. Sales 66,-10.22a.23 10.28a.29 10.37a.38 May.....June.....July..... 

 August
 10.425

 September
 10.20a.21

 October
 9.87a.88

 November
 9.75a.77

 December
 9.76a.77

 January
 9.87a.89

#### January..... FINANCIAL.

NEW YORK—Money 1.03a4. Exchange 4.85. Governments strong: new 5's 1.03½. Four and a half per cents 1.16¼. Four per cents 1.17½. State

bonds in light demand. NEW YORK—11 a. m.—The stock market opened strong and higher for the general list, and in early dealings an advance ranging from 14 to 8 per cent was recorded, the latter in Hannibal and St. Jeseph common, which sold up to 77. Canada Southern, Del., Lack. and Western, Lake Shere, Mtchigan Central, St. Paul, Ohio Central, Ind., Bloomington and Western, and Central Pacific, being also prominent in the upward movement. being also prominent in the upward movement.

Later.-Stocks closed strong. New York Central..... Lake Shore.

Illinois Central.

Nashville and Chattanooga. Louisville and Nashville Pittsburg...
Chicago and Northwestern...
preferred...
Wabash, St. Louis & Pacific... Bock Island

Western Union
Alabama—Class A, 2 to 5

Class A, small

Class B, 5's 

CITY COTTON MARKET. OFFICE OF THE OBSERVER, CHARLOTTE, May 14, 1881. The market yesterday closed quiet; unchanged,

Good Middling..... Strictly middling..... Low middling..... Saturday..... Thursday .....

# New Advertisements.

## SPARKLING Catawba Springs,

CATAWBA CO., N. C., Near the Western North Carolina Railroad. Open on the 20th of May for visitors. White and Blue Sulphur and Chalybeate. Best Medicinal Mineral Waters in the State.

Good Accommodations, Baths and all the amusements usually found at first-class watering places.

TERMS MODERATE. DR. E. O. ELLIOTT, Proprietor Address,

# FOR SALE:

1. FIFTY ACRES, bounded by the Cemetery, Carolina Central Railway, Myers tract, and the ir THREE BUILDING LOTS, half acre each, in a line with the residence of Mr. Wm. Clarkson; 3. ONE LOT, adjoining Mrs. Sally F. McAuley; 4. ONE LOT, adjoining Mr. Jos. Boss's; at \$450. 5. ONE LOT, opposite Mr. Wm. Clarkson's; at \$250. 6. LOT adjoining Gen. R. Barringer's vacant

lot; at \$250. LOT between Mr. Earnest Williams's and Mr. Malcolm McDougal's; at \$100. 8. TWENTY BUILDING LOTS, next to the property of Mr. Henry Severs; at a total of \$1,000, or \$75 each if sold singly. 9. PRESENT RESIDENCE of J. P. Irwin, including a lawn of four lots, extending to the public road; at \$3,500.

#### Apply to J. P. IRWIN. may14—2weed 3 Doors East of Court House WANTED.

A PROMPT-PAYING tenant wants to rent a small cottage, containing four to six rooms, centrally lecated, or to engage beard for a gentieman, wife and three small children. Address for one week,
may14—dtt
Observer Office, Charlotte.

ANOTHER LOT OF

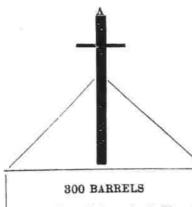
ALL GRADES.

# Groceries.



JUST RECEIVED,

IN WHITE SACKS,



Family Flour, just received. We call the especial attention of the Charlotte trade to the BRIGEWATER FAMILY FLOUR. Which took THE FIRST PREMIUM At the Paris Exposition. It is the



## BEALL

TO ACCCOMMODATE THEIR INCREASED AND INCREASING TRADE, WILL SHORTLY BUILD A CONSIDERABLE EXTENSION TO THEIR ALREADY CAPACIOUS STORE-ROOM ON TRADE STREET, WHICH WILL BE FIT-TED UP IN AS HANDSOME A MANNER AS ANY GROCERY STORE IN THE SOUTH. THEY ALREADY HAVE ONE OF THE LARG-EST WAREHOUSES IN THE CITY, WHICH THEY WILL BE COMPELLED TO USE AS HERETOFORE.

BY BUSINESS TACT AND INDUSTRY THEY HAVE SUCCEEDED IN BUILDING UP AN IMMENSE BUSINESS, AND THEY ARE DE-TERMINED TO CONTINUE TO MERIT THE PATRONAGE HERETOFORE SO GENEROUS-LY BESTOWED.

In order to get room to make the changes contemplated, for the next THIRTY DAYS they have concluded to make a

In the prices of all goods BELONGING EXCLUSIVELY TO THE RETAIL DEPARTMENT.

They have now in stock a large and well selected assortment of

MOLASSES LARD, In all sized packages,

VINEGAR AND CIDER In bbls, 1/2's & 1/4's,

LEMONS.

To the Retail Trade WE OFFER SPECIAL INDUCEMENTS IN

FRUITS NUTS AND CANDIES

FRENCH PEAS, MUSHROOMS, ARTICHOKES

CANNED GOODS,

Of every name Style and Condition, OLIVES, CHOCOLATES,

grocery store. DAVIDSON & BEALL.

# Special Bargains Again!

A NOTHER LOT OF THOSE PARTTY CALICORS. A LL THE CHOICE BRANDS OF STANDARD PRINTS,

THE BEST-FITTING CORSET IN THE CITY, For Ladies and Misses, REAUTIFUL DAMASE LINEN TOWELS, JUST RECEIVED, ALL NUMBERS OF THE CELEBRATED PEARL SHIRT. \$1.00

Ladies', Misses' and Children's Slippers & Sandals, THE CHEAPEST IN THE CITY.

# H. MORRIS & BRO.

## **NEW STORE!**

# 500 Bush. Virginia Bolted Meal, RODDICK & CO.,

TRYON STREET,

Desire to inform the general public that they will open on Tuesday, May 10th, with a general stock of

#### SPECIALTIES IN DRY GOODS.

Patrons may rest assured that no pains have been spared to bring together everything that is useful or desirable. Our prices will speak for themselves. Our variety is too numerous to mention. A visit only will cover that ground. We will add daily to our stock, as our resident buyer in Naw York will attend all sales of any importance. Our object is to make this store headquarters for bargains at all times, and by giving our business close personal attention, we hope to merit a liberal share of patronage. Nothing will be misrepresented. Everything will be sold for just what it really is. Our terms

STRICTLY CASH AND ONE PRICE.

Everything marked in plain figures. We expect large additions to our stock this week, as many

Miscellaneous. THE FINEST AND FRESHEST

LAGER BEER

In the United States, from the famous

Bergner & Engel Brewing Company

OF PHILADELPHIA, Can be had of their own agents in this city, at short notice and reasonable rates. This beer bore off the

FIRST PRIZE IN PARIS and also at the great centennial at Philadelphia

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