

Seigle's JAN. 2 1892.

CARPETS.

Rugs and Mats

OILCLOTHS,

MATTINGS,

ART SQUARES,

All must go to make room for our new spring stock. We will have a special sale in this department for the coming week, if you need a Carpet you will miss a bargain if you fail to give us a call.

T. L. Seigle & CO.

No. 11 W. Trade st. 18 1/2 S. Tryon st

CHARLOTTE, N. C.

IF YOU SMOKE CIGARS

Of course you want to smoke the best you can get for the money. Our Leaders at 5c are

THE RED DRAGON Good as the average ten cent Cigar.  
THE PETIT ROUQUET  
THE HOWARD

And our Leaders for ten cents are

Good as the average 15 cent Cigar. GRANDIOS PRINCE ALBERT FLOR DE COMMODORE

Burwell & Dunn,

Druggists.



## HOLIDAY BARGAINS



### Men's Pants.

We have a very large stock of mens Pants; No trouble about sizes and none whatever about price. We are going to close out many lines less than first cost. If you need Trousers now is the time to buy. Plain Jean Pants 75c. All wool Kentucky Jean Pants 1.25. Mole skin Pants 75c. Big lot of Pants assorted styles at sizes at 1.50, reduced from 2.00 and 2.50. All wool Cassimer add Kersey Pants 2.00 and 2.50. Everything in trousers goes at reduced prices.

### Rogers & Co.

Holiday Novelties.

### Mme. Dupont's

Almond Meal, For The Skin.

An efficient softener and beautifier. A specific for Roughness of the Skin. Prevents and Heals Redness and Eruptions. 25c a Can.

### A. B. REESE & CO.

New Advertisements To-Day. Cook wanted. On a run—C. C. Moore. Carpets—T. L. Seigle & Co. Repairing—John Farris. Remnants—T. L. Alexander, Son & Co. Commissioner's sale—Heriot Clarkson.

Local Ripples. —The Clover Club will positively give its next entertainment on Monday evening at the Buford Hotel from 8:30 to 12.

—Ed Wilson and Frank Whitesides, of Gastonia, passed through the city today for Huntersville, to enter the High School there.

—Rev. Mr. Reed will preach to the joint congregations of the 1st and 2d churches at the 2d church in the morning and at the 1st church at night.

—Preaching in Y. M. C. A. hall both morning and evening tomorrow, by Rev. W. S. Crossy. At the morning service the year's assessment's will be read to the congregation.

—Col. Frank Cox and his sons, Messrs. F. S. and Tench, were at the Central to-day. They have been surveying the Okefenokee swamp, in Georgia, the biggest part of which they own.

—Mrs. John G. Orr gave a tea at her young

### Will Remains in Columbia.

It had been reported that Capt. John A. Dodson, superintendent of the Richmond & Danville, was to be transferred from Columbia to another point, yesterday was the day for the transfer to be made. The State says: "Yesterday when it was seen that Mr. Gabbett did not arrive in Columbia it was ascertained that he was not coming. It was pretty well understood by the railroad authorities in a position to know that Superintendent Dodson would not leave Columbia for the present, but would remain in the same position here. After diligent inquiry it was positively ascertained that Superintendent Dodson, had received orders to hold over.

Superintendent Dodson himself was approached on the subject and stated that he had no desire to leave Columbia and was very glad that he had received such an order from headquarters. He was closely questioned but refused to say anything further on the subject.

It is not thought that he himself even knows what the meaning of this indefinite order is.

The true "situation" of affairs cannot be ascertained here, but there is a general belief that Mr. Cecil Gabbett may be made general manager of the Richmond and Danville. A few evenings ago he passed through the city en route to Atlanta and has been there ever since.

### The Mt. Airy Fire.

Mr. C. Y. Long, who was here spending the Christmas holidays, last night received a telegram from Mt. Airy stating that his clothing store was destroyed in the fire there mentioned in yesterday's News. Mr. Long at once left for Mt. Airy. The following are the principal sufferers by the fire: Blue Ridge Inn, loss \$70,000, insured for \$25,000; Mt. Airy Hotel, loss \$10,000, insurance \$7,000; W. F. Bynum, merchant; J. F. Armfield & Co., cigar manufacturer; Robbins & Co., merchants; J. V. Mitchell, grocer; W. E. Merritt, merchant; J. G. Smith, merchant; Wallace & Co., merchants. All the merchants were more or less insured. The combined loss will not fall far short of \$100,000—with less than half covered by insurance.

### New Year's Night in Charlotte.

The New Year callers were out in full force last night. The list of open doors was very large and the number of callers exceeded that of any previous occasion in Charlotte. "All roads lead to Rome," but last night the motto was "all streets lead to Dr. McAden's." Dr. and Mrs. McAden received more guests than any household in the city, though the calls as a rule were impartial and were equally well received at all homes. The reception at the Y. M. C. A. hall was an unbounded success and a credit to all concerned.

### Death of an old Gold Miner.

Capt. William Lewis, who was for a long time superintendent of the Rudisill gold mine in this city, but who had been superintendent of the Ray mine for several years past, died at his home, at the Ray mine, near Matthews station, at 5 o'clock this morning. Capt. Lewis was 60 years of age. His death was due to hemorrhage of the lungs.

—Messrs. Eugene Graham, Cullen Hoffman, Syd Alexander, and Ralph Vanlaudingham, who have been spending the holidays at home, will leave on the return to Horner School, Monday night.

### JIM OSBORNE'S SUCCESS.

A Charlotte Boy Gets an Important Position in New York.

Since Mr. Jim Osborne, brother of solicitor Frank Osborne, left Charlotte for New York some years ago, THE NEWS has occasionally given good reports from him. Only a few weeks ago we noted that he was going up head, and now comes news that he has received an important appointment. The New York Times says: "James W. Osborne, of the law firm of Lamb, Osborne & Petty, was appointed an Assistant District Attorney by Mr. Nicoll yesterday. His salary will be \$4,000 a year. Mr. Osborne is a native of Charlotte, N. C., where he was born in 1859. He was graduated from Davidson College in 1879 and from Columbia Law School in 1885. Since he has practiced his profession in this city. For four years he was a member of the firm of Shephard, Osborne & Prentiss; he became a member of the firm of Lamb, Osborne & Petty in March. He is a member of the Southern Society, the Democratic Club, and of Tammany Hall. His father was an eminent Judge in North Carolina. Mr. Osborne will succeed Wauhope Lynn, who was promoted to fill the vacancy caused by the death of McKenzie Semple. Mr. Lynn will receive \$7,500 a year.

### A Compliment from the West.

Mr. Elliott A. Burke, of Chicago, who spent Christmas with his father Major L. A. Burke in this city, writes thus from Nashville, which point he has now reached in his tour of the South, of his impressions in Charlotte and her people:

"What I have seen on this trip has fully verified all the claims the South makes in regard to her possibilities. It is a wonderful country. A kind-hearted, noble people and in Charlotte I was so forcibly struck by the hospitable manners of her citizens. All you claimed for them is justly theirs. I wish that eastern and western capitalists would travel through your section and see what opportunities are presented there for capital and energy."

Thus are all strangers favorable impressed with Charlotte.

### No Double Charges, Now.

There has been another adjustment of the Western Union Telegraph rates. There was at first a misunderstanding in regard to the new schedule of rates, and overcharges were made that have since been rectified. There are now no double charges but the average rates are cheaper than before.

### Presents from the Old Country.

Mr. H. C. Mensing, of this city, and his brother, of Charleston, each received a handsome Christmas present from their aged father, in the Fatherland. The present for each of the brothers was a check for 300 marks.

### Annual Election.

The annual election of officers and directors of the Young Men's Christian Association will be held with a prayer and praise service, at the Rally at 4:30 to-morrow afternoon. Any man interested is cordially invited to be present.

### The Old Court Case Drags.

Mr. W. E. Sizer, who was for a long time erier for the Superior court of Mecklenburg county, died last night at his home in Paw Creek township. His death was sudden, and was due to an attack of the grip.

—Evangelist Fife begins a meeting at Martinville, Va., to-morrow, to last ten days.

### Cold Wave Signal.

The cold wave flag was hoisted this morning. The indications are that the mercury will fall from 20 to 30 degrees by Sunday night.

### Death of a Prominent Cabarrus Man.

Mr. John H. Morrison, a member of the board of county commissioners of Cabarrus and one of the most prominent men of that county, died suddenly last night at his home in Rocky River township. Heart disease is supposed to have been the cause.

### Death of Mrs. Lewis.

Mrs. W. H. Lewis, wife of Mr. Lewis, of Gaston county, who went to Asheville a few weeks ago to go into the law business with Mr. Summers, formerly of Davidson College, died in Asheville last week. Her body was brought to Clover, Gaston county, her old home, for interment.

### A Column Leased.

The lawyers employed on the license side of the liquor question are desirous of giving their views to the public, and have contracted for a column of space in THE NEWS, in which to give their side of the matter. To prevent misconception, which we find that many are so willing to fall upon, we will state that this is a simple business transaction made upon the same basis as the trade we made with the prohibitionists in 1890, and does not affect the policy of THE NEWS.

### Accidently Cut With an Axe.

Conrad Reid, a son of Mr. H. K. Reid, who is home from Davidson College spending vacation, was accidentally cut with an axe yesterday, and badly hurt. Conrad's sister, Miss Jesse, was splitting kindling and Conrad went up to relieve her. Before surrendering the axe, she thought she would give one more lick, and she did so. The axe glanced and struck Conrad on the leg, inflicting a very painful wound. His return to Davidson will be delayed in consequence.

### A Good Record.

The record made by the Victor Cotton mills, for the past twelve months is a very gratifying one and reflects credit upon the management of Mr. George E. Wilson, the president. The capitol stock of the mills is \$150,000, and in the past twelve months, the stockholders were paid \$12,000 in dividends, the greater part of which was distributed in Charlotte. Besides this, the Victor has a handsome surplus. The stockholders are arranging to increase the machinery in the mills to the full capacity of the building which is 300 looms.

### The Superintendents.

The meeting of the school superintendents association adjourned yesterday afternoon. The session was not only a very profitable one, but was exceedingly pleasant. Prof. Chas. C. Hook, of the manual training department of the Charlotte graded school, delivered an address of great merit upon the specialties of his department. Addresses were also made by Prof. J. T. Alderman, Prof. E. W. Kennedy, Prof. Graham and others.

At the afternoon session the election of officers and selection of time and place of next meeting came up. Supt. Graham, of Charlotte, was elected President; G. A. Grimsley, of Greensboro, Vice-President; E. L. Hughes, of Reidsville, Secretary. Greensboro was chosen as next place of meeting and Tuesday evening, Dec. 27, 1892, the time.

## W. Kaufman & Co.

Sensible Holiday Presents.

WHAT ARE YOU GOING TO BUY?

WHERE ARE YOU GOING TO BUY?

What are you going to buy as a Christmas present? And where are you going to buy it? What will you select for Mama, for Papa, for Brother, for Sister, Niece, Nephew and for yourself and friends? It is easy to ask this question. It is not easy to answer it. You want to give something; you want to buy it where you can do the best. Perhaps we are better able to serve you than any house in the city. We have goods that make useful and sensible presents. Are not they better than something trivial? For instance we have, Mens Suits, Boys Suits,

### Childrens Suits,

Childrens Kilt and Jersey Suits, Mens Overcoats, Childrens Cape Overcoats. We have good things in Underwear in Hosiery, in Gloves, in Neckwear, in Handkerchiefs. We have good things in Hats, Umbrellas, etc. You will do as well by making your selection here as you will do any where; perhaps you will do better. We have the right goods, they are reasonable in price, and in buying from us you are buying from a responsible house.

This is much to consider in christmas shopping.

## W. KAUFMAN & CO

LEADING CLOTHIERS, FURNISHERS AND HATTERS

CHARLOTTE, N. C.

MAIL ORDERS RECEIVE OUR PROMPT AND CAREFUL ATTENTION

## Rubber Boots and Shoes.

Our stock of Rubber Goods is complete the year round but more especially so just now. We always buy the best to be had, they are always the cheapest, as every pair is guaranteed. For men we have all the styles and different weights; Imitation Sandals, self acting, light or heavy, and extra low cut. Alaskas, Arctics, or Foot Hoods.

For the Ladies we call especial attention to our light weight, glove fitting Rubbers, both in medium and extra low cuts; The Storm Protector is a great protection against rain or cold; Ladies and Misses spring heel in all sizes. We also have some that will fit the baby that can just walk; all at popular prices.

We carry a line of cheap rubbers that we sell as low as the lowest.

GRAY & BARNHARDT,

19 East Trade Street, CHARLOTTE, N. C.

Prompt attention given to all Mail Orders.

## BOYS' SHOES.

In the regular course of our business we make a special study of the boys needs. Parents will find the Boys' Foot Ball Shoes, as sold by us, the best and nicest Shoe at \$1.50 ever offered. We will guarantee that for double the money you cannot get a better. Will not wear through on the toes as do all others; Of more than four hundred pairs we have sold the past season not one complaint has been entered against them. We do equally as well for the girls as we do for the boys, and every Shoe on our shelves will be found to represent a value equal to the price, and often more.

GILREATH & CO.

Open every evening till 8:00; Saturday till 11:00.

## CHRISTMAS PRESENTS.

Ordered Especially for the SEASON'S TRADE

BEAUTIFUL 13th CENTURY PLUSH ROCKERS, SIXTEENTH CENTURY RATTAN ROCKERS, SIXTEENTH CENTURY TABLES. ALL ARE OF EXCEEDINGLY HANDSOME PATTERNS, THE VERY LATEST THINGS OUT, AND THERE ARE NO MORE TASTY PRESENTS TO BE FOUND ANYWHERE. CALL AND SEE

BURGESS NICHOLS, Furniture Dealer

R. S. Sloan, UNDERTAKER. Night call, from No. 6, Bryan building, over Rogers & Co.

and make comfortable your home by any of our elegant Carpets at cost. A few Fur Sets are especially anxious to turn them into cash. Muffs in hare, monkey, Astrakan, etc., from 50c up.

### Remnants! Remnants!

Found in every department at stock taking. Useful lengths of all kinds of good fine dress materials; Black silks in faille, gross Araine etc., best of goods and at such prices that you positively cannot pass them; Ribbons, Chiffon and other new laces on this great counter. The prices will drive them from our room; they are irresistible.

Come to the great Remnant Sale.

Alexander & Co.