

H. BARUCH & BRO.

Will continue the Clearance Sale which was inaugurated to reduce the Stock of H. BARUCH. After many inquiries, whether this Reduction Sale would would continue after January 1st, 1892, we take pleasure in stating that additional attractions are placed on our Counters in order to give the new firm a good Send Off.

UNUSUALLY LOW PRICES IN OUR SILK DEPARTMENT.

ONE LOT MOIRÉE SILKS at 29c per yd VALUE 65 MOIRÉE SILKS at 63c per yd VALUE \$1 25 CHINA at 25c per yd VALUE 44

ONE LOT SURRAH SILKS at 35c per yd VALUE 50c FAILLE SILKS at 75c per yd VALUE \$1-1 25 COLORED SATINS 29c per yd VALUE 45c

300 DRESS GOODS REMNANTS FAR BELOW VALUE.

READ THIS SCHEDULE OF PRICES

Remnants worth 50c marked down to 25c Remnants worth 1.00 marked down to 50c Remnants worth 2.00 marked down to 1.00 Remnants worth 2.40 marked down to 1.20

H. BARUCH & BRO.

INSURE

YOUR

PROPERTY

WITH

R. E. Cochrane,

INSURANCE AND REAL ESTATE AGENT.

33 South Tryon Street Telephone No. 56.

1886.

1891.

Racket Store.

Since taking inventory of stock and for convenience and more room we have made several changes in the Departments: The dress goods stock you'll find in the Butler building; The linens, Lace and Chemise Cur-tains, Marcellis, Quilts, &c. is moved to where the dress goods were; Next to these you will find the Notions and Fancy Goods.

The summing up of this recent inventory finds us with a stock amounting to over \$100,000, and they must be sold.

We shall begin first by offering our entire stock of Embroideries and Laces for less than 1/2 their value.

A big stock of Corsets, most of them the best celebrated makes, 25 to 50 per cent cheaper than you can buy them from the manufacturer. We are selling the best 50c Corset in the world. See them.

200 elegant \$1 Nursing Corsets, and really they are worth it, most any size wanted in the lot; only 40c buys one.

Our entire stock of Comforts and Blankets, Ladies and Gents Wool Underwear, must go regardless of cost.

By reason of a big purchase in Ladies, Misses and Childrens Gossamers at a large discount enables us to offer these goods very cheap.

A splendid Childs Waterproof Gossamer at 50c worth \$1.

The largest stock of Umbrellas ever offered in Charlotte; these were bought at 50c on the dollar and will be sold on the same basis.

A good 16 rib Umbrella worth 1.25 for 65c.

We are always in a shape to give you the best values in Carpets and Rugs. We are offering a line of Moquette, Velvets, Body Brussels and 3 ply Ingrains for less money than you could buy them at the mills. Elegant Unions, pretty patterns, 33 1/2 to 87 1/2c per yard; 2 ply all wool carpets in all the latest patterns 57 1/2c.

W. J. DAVIS & CO.

RAILROAD INFORMATION.

REMEMBER AND DANVILLE LINES. Trains leave Charlotte for Washington, New York, Richmond, at 7:00 a. m. and 9:30 p. m. Arrive from New York, Washington, Richmond at 2:00 a. m., 1:30 p. m. Trains leave for Atlanta at 2:30 a. m., 1:30 p. m. Arrive from Atlanta at 9:40 a. m., 8:30 p. m. Trains leave for Columbia at 2:10 a. m., 1:30 p. m. Arrive from Columbia at 3:00 a. m., 9:00 p. m. Washington and Northwestern Venable Limited, operated between Washington and Atlanta, leaves for Atlanta at 9:40 a. m. Arrives from Atlanta 9:10 p. m. Leaves for Washington 9:20 p. m. Arrives from Washington 9:35 a. m. MEMPHIS AND LEXINGTON LINES. Trains leave for Wilmington at 1:15 p. m. and 7:45 p. m. Arrive from Wilmington at 6:30 a. m. and 3:15 p. m. Trains leave for Raleigh at 5 a. m. Arrive from Raleigh at 10:15 p. m. Trains leave for Rutherfordton at 4:15 p. m. Arrive from Rutherfordton at 1:00 p. m.

The Lotus Concert.

The concert of the Lotus Glee Club of Boston, last evening, was a phenomenal success. This club organized 11 years ago has sang in all the principal cities of this country and many of the musical centres of Europe with great success, and it is we think the only notable glee club which has been in existence so many years. Many of their songs were written expressly for them and are unknown to the musical public outside, notably the "Imitation of the Banjo," which set the house in a roar and kept it up during its performance, so perfect was its imitation of that instrument. One feature of their singing deserves especial commendation, their clear articulation enabling all to fully enjoy the words as well as the music, a feature which is too often sadly wanting in many other-wise good organizations. Quartette singers are not often good soloists, but the solos of this club were all given in good shape and received hearty echoes which they obligingly responded to. The reader Miss Marshall was fully equal to her part and held the audience spell-bound to the last as was evidenced by the double encores she received. As a whole it was the best concert Charlotte has enjoyed for a long time, and they who "missed it" missed it mightily.

Central Hotel Arrivals.

R M Lauchheimer, Balto; Wm M Francis, Atlanta, Ga; D Green, N Y; S A Strauss, Richmond; C F Burroughs, Norfolk, Va; A P Craddock, Liberty, Va; J C Motley, N C; C E Welch, Miss Annie E Welch, Fort-ress Monroe, Va; H P Johnson, J Alphonzo Young, Jr, N C; J H Hall, N Y; A B Donohoo, St Louis, Mo; J W Shiels and wife, Columbus, Miss; J H Sloan, N C; J S Hutchison, Boston; H M Allport, Miss Ollie C Fleming, Herbert W Phillips, Va; J M Godfrey, Statesville, N C; H T Smith, Newton, N C; Wm H Norris, Stanley Creek, N C; H W Pegram, N C; J P Munson, Davidson College; J H Collins, N C; D G Hall, Tenn; D McDonald, Richmond, Va; R H Holland, city; Robt P Pell, Fayetteville, N C; H E Neill, Monroe, N C; D R Williams, Davidson, N C; A P Tyer, Monroe, N C; Chas F Wadsworth, city; Geo L Patterson, J Y Fitzgerald, Concord, N C; C W Johnston, R L Stough, Davidson, N C; G H Green, Balto; Miss Mattie Lugal, Miss Fannie Poe, Rock Hill, S C; C W Westbury, Va; R A Hoyle, N C; Charles H Wilcox, Atlanta, Ga; I R Bethal, Phila; F S Williams, Boston, Mass; W E Miller, Maxton, N C.

Two More Dwellings.

Chas. Hook is preparing plans for two dwellings, one for Dr. Alexander and one for Mr. Jno. Arrington. Both will be built on Church street. The Alexander house will be built so as to throw the reception hall, parlor, and dining room into one large reception room. The Arrington house will be a two story building with modern conveniences, and also arranged so as to consolidate three rooms into one for reception purposes.

Another Railroad Project South.

A telegram from Lexington Va. says: A man close to the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad officials says that the company will extend the Valley branch of the road south to Roanoke, where a junction for Southern traffic will be made with the Roanoke and Southern, now about completed to that point. He says that work on the extension will begin as soon as the weather will permit. Before the financial panic of 1873 this road was graded to Salem, Va., a distance of fifty-three miles south of this point, and all the heavy fills, masonry, &c., were completed, but the panic put an end to operations. Very little work will have to be done to reach Roanoke. This new line will give the Baltimore and Ohio an independent route to the South—a big reach into the Richmond and Danville line territory.

The Weather.

Following is a synopsis of weather prevailing at 8 a. m., to-day. A high pressure obtains over this section this morning being central about Pittsburgh, Pa. Temperatures from the centre of this area to the Atlantic coast have diminished as much as 20 degrees, and very cold weather now prevails over that area. To the west of this high, extending into the extreme northwest, milder weather prevails, temperatures having risen from 10 degrees to 21 degrees. Light precipitation has occurred in southern Florida, along the middle and upper Atlantic coast, and in the Dakotas; elsewhere fair weather has obtained.

The City Finance.

The Finance Committee of the Board of Aldermen, met yesterday took account of stock and wrestled with the knotty problem of how to make an one inch pin fit a two inch hole. Do what they will, they have only a certain amount of money to meet expenses and every department will have to be cut down. The serious question is how to manage it with such judgements as to do justice to all. If the water and fire departments are curtailed our insurance rates will either be doubled or many companies will withdraw altogether. If the police, then crime will flourish, this department is already too small. If the starts, they will soon become impassable, some of them are even now in that condition. If the graded schools, and our splendid corps of teachers become scattered and get employment elsewhere, it will take years to bring the schools back to their present condition and the man's child will be deprived of an education. We understand the finance committee will insist upon the schools being closed on April 1st. They will likely have a conference with the school commissioners. The latter body have taken such an interest in the school and worked so hard to put them on a first class basis that were will likely be lively times if such a conference is held. It is said by persons competent to know that the citizens of Charlotte pay about \$800,000 a year. The sale of whiskey is not stopped. The \$14,000 is simply taken away from the City, and given to Kew & Co., of Statesville, and our Graded Schools must go. The present school tax lacks \$4,500 a year of meeting the expenses of the schools and the Alderman have been making up the deficiency out of their general fund, now there is no general fund to meet it. THE NEWS in an article some weeks ago predicted this state of affairs. We would be pleased to hear from our able finances how to meet and settle the present financial middle. Possibly the County Commissioners will loan us the money for a year or two, until we can weather the storm or they might rebate to us the Road tax. Prohibition is a good thing but it "comes high" at present and it don't seem to prohibit judging by the number of jugs arriving at the R. & D., depot every day.

WE buy the finest Green Coffee, and roast it every week. BONNEY & VAN NESS.

A Fine Line of Perfumeries and Toilet Articles, PURE DRUGS.

A T J. H. McADEN'S DRUG STORE, 7 North Tryon St. Charlotte, N. C.

Lehman Brothers cotton letter to Smith & Watts today says: The market today has, generally speaking been quiet and steady throughout, the general trading having been confined almost entirely to local operators. The decline in Liverpool was larger than had been anticipated and of course exerted an influence upon our opening which was from 7 to 8 points down. After this business as remarked continued of a spasmodic nature and after a few fluctuations values closed at about opening figures, showing a net loss from last night, often points through out the list. Receipts were fairly moderate though it is still said here that the weather has had a bearing upon smaller movement which probably to some extent is true. It looks for the moment as if we should hardly see any such demoralization as we have recently gone through. It may be that from time to time we have breaks, but the weak interest seems to have been pretty well liquidated and we still think that purchases are in order.

NEW YORK COTTON.

Table with columns for Month, High, Low, Close, and Change. Rows include January, February, March, April, May, June, July, August, September, October, November, December.

CHICAGO GRAIN AND PRODUCE.

Table with columns for Commodity, High, Low, Close, and Change. Rows include WHEAT, CORN, OATS, PORK, LARD, RIBS.

STOCKS.

Table with columns for Stock Name, High, Low, Close, and Change. Rows include New Jersey Central, Chicago Gas, Richmond Terminal, Atchison, St. Paul, Lake Shore, Missouri Pacific, Louisville and Nashville, Texas Pacific, Western Union Tel., Burlington and Quincy, Chicago and North West, C. C. & I., Pacific Mail.

Table with columns for Commodity, Price, and Change. Rows include Delaware and Lackawanna, Reading, New England, Rock Island, CHARLOTTÉ COTTON MARKET, TODAY.

COLUMNS RENTED.

This column is rented for the purpose of informing the public of the nature of the controversy with regard to the issuing of a license to sell liquor in this city. Whether it is a question of spirit or of morals, character or of character, or whether it is simply a question of irresponsible men, over riding the law in the name of morality.

FOR RENT—A 5 room cottage, convenient to business. Apply at 293 W. 4th street. 2t

William Wellock desires permanent and transient boarders at 211 West Trade street, opposite 1st Presbyterian church. It

WE have just finished our 7th batch of Home made Mouse Meat and it is better than ever. BONNEY & VAN NESS.

FOR RENT—Store room No 15 East Trade street, possession given March 1st. Four offices on second story under Charlotte Commercial College. Also one furnished office with roller topped desk. Apply to 162 W. BAXTER DAVIDSON.

THE 6th SERIES of the Charlotte Building and Loan Association are now open for Subscribers. First payment to be made Feb. 1st, 1892. New members can get applications for loans at once. F. M. BROWN, Secretary.

NORTON YAMS. The finest potato that grows. Now in season. Also dress for kindling fires. Orders promptly filled. Address, J. ED. CARTER, Jan 16th, Clarkton, N. C.

NOTICE. The firm of Ross & Adams has made an assignment of their stock of goods, etc., to me for the benefit of their creditors. The stock, consisting of a good assortment of Stationery, Books, etc., will be disposed of at greatly reduced prices for cash. A. BURWELL, Trustee.

FOR CASH—We will sell our \$50 Sewing Machines at \$30. C W BRADSHAW, Manager.

Fruits, Candy, Nuts, Raisins, Dates, Figs and anything to please the little ones, at RIGLER & LAIRD'S.

Mrs. Jane C. Latham desires transient and permanent boarders at the old Bank of Mecklenburg building, No 34 South Tryon street. Dec 22th (Chronicle copy, 10)

FOR RENT—Nine newly finished rooms in Bryan building. Cheap to desirable tenants. (dec 17th) GEO W BRYAN.

HOLIDAY GOODS.

We have opened our Holiday Goods and can show you one of the most complete lines ever brought to the city.

We invite you all to come and inspect our stock before you buy, as we are sure we can save you money.

Rigler & Laird's F-A-N-C-Y B-A-K-E-R-Y.

Novelty Presents.

- Seal skin card cases, lined with Russia leather and edged with red... Vintigrettes with and without chains, from 1.50 to 3.00. Silver court plaster case 2.50. Silver envelope openers 1.50. Silver stamp boxes 3.50. Silver match case for pocket, 2.50. Silver handle paper cutter 1.50 to \$3. Silver chatelaine 4.00. Silver top purse with silk bottom, at 3.00. Garters buckle solid silver and gold plated, 2.00 to 6.00. Very odd designs in canes, from 1.00 to 15.00. Umbrellas for ladies and gentlemen 3.00 to 14.00. Entirely new odd designs in handles. No duplicates. Cut glass tumblers 8.00 for six. Cutglass decanter, finest ever seen here, 12.50. Cutglass ice tub at 8.50 that everybody charges 10.00. Berry bowls, finest cut glass on earth, from 12.50 to 15.00. Gold pens, pencils, toothpicks, glove buttons, whistles and pendants for watch chains, 50c to 12.00. Fish dish, German plate, with shad engraved in dish, for 12.00. No duplicates. Beautiful imported German tea sets, frosted, four pieces, coffee pot, tea pot, sugar bowl, and cream pitcher, for 30.00. This is our own importation, and 10.00 cheaper than larger cities can get easily for the like.

IMPORTED GERMAN PLATED WARE

Cracker jar of that imitation tile china, solid plate top, rim and handle for 9.50. This is far cheaper than the gaudy fancy presents made for Xmas. German castor, quadruple plate, antique design, exquisite bottles, hand-painted in gold, five bottles 10.00. Cutglass bottles castor, in filigree plated holder for 12.00. This is a rare piece and we direct housekeepers' attention to it. Sugar bowl of colored glass in filigree basket of plated ware, on stand, for only 5.00. Handsome pair oxidized candlesticks, old designs, finest figures wrought in high art, for only 10.00.

BOYNE & BADGER. Leading Jewelers, Charlotte, N. C.

A Diabolical Intrigue, EVERYBODY COME

This morning the proprietor and clerks at the hotels were frantic with excitement. In fact their hair stood on end. The office boy was rushing hither and thither through the halls, foaming and panting. The chief of police was slightly rattled, but his eyes beamed with confidence, that before sundown he would have the culprit in his clutches. The mayor was in close conversation with the aldermen. The excitement was caused by Ray Scribner, who had been to see his girl and when he returned to the hotel about 12 o'clock he saw a man with light clothes and straw hat, with a pack in one hand and a valise in the other, steal up to the north-east corner of the hotel. He sat the valise down and looked around to see if any one was shadowing him. He then took his pick and removed several bricks, and taking a package from his valise placed it in the hole, and then replaced the bricks. Having done his diabolical work, he stole away in the darkness. Ray, who had been watching the proceedings, crawled to the spot the dynamiter had left, removed the brick and secured the package. At daybreak he presented the package to the mayor and related the story. Of course everybody thought it was an attempt to blow up the hotel. The mayor took the package to a back lot for an examination by the constable. He then carefully opened the package, and to his chagrin found it to contain a sample pair of our ladies shoes, which were selling so low. Received today ten cases of Mens Ladies and Childrens rubber shoes in all sizes which will be sold as low as the lowest, quality considered.

WE ARE PREPARED FOR YOU, OUR STOCK IS COMPLETE, OUR GOODS ARE BEST QUALITY.

OUR PRICES ARE RIGHT DOWN TO THE BOTTOM.

You get from us the finest Coffees, Teas, Hams, Flour, Cheese, Canned Goods, Pickles, Syrups, Candies, Nuts, Raisins, Figs, Prunes and Cocoanuts.

Don't fail to get some of our home-made mince meat, none equal to it in the city.

Jas Harrison & Co. 30 South Tryon Street.