

Seigle's FEB. 6 1892.

Carpet Remnants.

A large lot of short lengths of Carpets are on hand. These are the accumulations of time to time and are the very choicest patterns of the year. There is a large lot of them both Ingrain and Brussels. They range from half yards to ten and fifteen yards. Your chance is now at hand. They make the very best of rugs and mats and are useful in many ways. We have put them at a moving price. Impossible to give quotations on them here as the varying lengths are too numerous for a place in this column. However we can say that they are of great value. For less than they cost to make. Are you in need. It will pay you 25 per cent to buy them and not make for use, if not needed now. That is what must go and we lay the price on them that will make them go. A word is sufficient to the quick witted and thrifty housekeeper. Chenille Carpets have had the price shared too. The whole stock is at reduced figures. \$20 Carpets now \$15. \$18 Chenilles at \$12.50, and so on down the price ladder.

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Druggists.



OUR SHOES HAVE A WALK-OVER.

For downright, positive cheapness you will find it not difficult, but impossible to match the shoes we are selling. Our artist's private opinion is that they have a walk-over. Well, he might easily be much further from the truth. Don't take our word for it, investigate the matter for yourself. A small margin on a continuous customer knocks out a big margin on a single sale every time. That is why we are selling our shoes at a figure which no other dealer has ever dared to quote, and that is why prudent purchasers are prompt purchasers.

A. E. RANKIN & BRO.

Local Supplies.

The next attraction at the opera house will be Al Field's minstrels.

Colonel John C. Tipton, editor of the Shelby Review, is in the city today.

Sam Jones will deliver two sermons in the Edson street Methodist church, in Raleigh, to-morrow.

Little Frank, the 8 month-old son of J. L. and Mrs. Nan Blakely, died this morning at 5 o'clock at Huntersville.

Mr. Wallace Giffith, one of Mecklenburg's best citizens, is dangerously sick at his home in this county, with pneumonia.

This has been the best cotton day Charlotte has known in some time. One hundred and twenty-six bales were brought in by wagons.

Memorial services in honor of Rev. C. H. Spurgeon will be conducted at Tryon street Baptist church to-morrow night by the pastor.

Services will be held at the Associate Reformed church at 11 o'clock to-morrow morning and 7:30 at night, by the pastor, Rev. C. E. Todd.

Mr. C. W. Tillet will talk to men at the Rally at the Y. M. C. A. to-morrow at 4:30 p. m., on "A Life story." Men cordially invited.

That was truly a superb sight in the western skies last night of Venus and Jupiter, like two big diamonds in the same setting. To-night they will appear as one star.

Rev. Dr. J. B. Stearer, president of Davidson College, will conduct services at the First Presbyterian church at 11 o'clock to-morrow morning at 7:30 o'clock at night.

A roller skating club has been formed with Nat Gray as manager. The spacious floor of the big auditorium building furnishes splendid possibilities for this sport, and the building is crowded nightly.

The Haberdasher is keeping up with the style and will add a new line to his business, in the way of a cigar stand. Nearly all the large gentlemen's furnishing goods houses now keep a line of cigars.

Work on the new city hall has been progressing quite rapidly during the past few days. The tower scaffolding is now going up. The carved stone work of this building is the prettiest to be seen in the State.

John Graham, colored, was arraigned before United States Commissioner D. G. Maxwell, this morning, on charge of retelling whiskey without license. He was sent to jail in default of bond to await the next term of the Federal court.

During the absence of the editor yesterday afternoon, an item got into THE NEWS about the resignation of a Supreme court judge. The resignation of Judge Merrimon, of the Superior court, was correctly given in last Wednesday's NEWS.

Mr. W. W. Phifer, of the Tamora Farm, has a fine line of cabbage plants for sale, the Early Jersey Wakefield, and Henderson's Early Summer varieties. His advertisement came in too late for insertion in today's paper, but THE NEWS knows how to meet an emergency.

New Advertisements To-Day.

Keys lost. Crockery—Jan Harty. Paint—A. B. Reese & Co. Reward—W. R. Talferro. Notice—C. F. Brem, Trustee. Shine your shoes—Gilreath & Co. Carpet Remnants—T. L. Seigle & Co. A glittering turnout—Boyer & Badger.

Crockery and Glassware selling at cost at 63.

JAS. HARTY'S.

PAINT!

We claim that we have the largest assortment of Paints in the City.

Call for Color Card showing Body and Trimming for House Painting.

A. B. REESE & CO.

COL. WILSON'S MEETING.

He didn't show his glasses and Col. Wilson's speech was so good, but the colored folks finally have the "Glee" of them. Then the Colonel thought of one he had overlooked and addressed for a Rehearsal.

Col. John W. Wilson's meeting was held in the court house last night. There were 40 or 50 colored people present, and about the same number of white people. The presence of the latter was undoubtedly a mark of respect to Col. Wilson. They had come to hear his speech. Colonel Wilson had given it out that he was to make two speeches at once, and that he would be protected by a sergeant-at-arms. After satisfying himself that the said official was at his post with a right good sized baton bandy, Colonel Wilson began his speech.

He had rambled along for ten or fifteen minutes before anybody could catch on to his colors, and then the crowd finally realized that Colonel Wilson was in for the rights of colored against white Republicans. He exhibited a political chart of his own design and architecture, showing an astounding condition of political injustice from the standpoint of the colored brother. No one knew whether he was upside down or not but they gathered from the Colonel's explanation of it that the colored republican voter of this State was a very badly downtrodden man. The chart business having been explained to the satisfaction of all, Colonel Wilson then drew forth a paper containing the resolutions which he had formulated. Colonel Wilson fingered the paper nervously for a few moments, and the audience saw that he was painfully embarrassed. A cog had slipped somewhere. But the Colonel got out of it gracefully enough. He remembered that he had left his glasses at home and couldn't read without them. He called upon several colored brethren to come up and read out the paper, and finally one of them tried it. He knitted his brows, screwed up his mouth then boldly confessed that he couldn't come it. "That ain't no writing, no how," he said as he handed it back to Colonel Wilson. Seeing a lawyer present, Colonel Wilson called him out and said: "I makes a requisition on you, sir, as a lawyer, to read my resolutions." The lawyer confidently assayed the task, but he too, had to give it up. Then someone suggested that Colonel Wilson dispense with any attempt to read the paper, but to give a verbal summary of its contents. "I'll sholy do dat," said the Colonel, evidently much relieved. Then he proceeded, in a voice that was quite audible for blocks around. Resolved de first, we de true Republicans of Mecklenburg county, in convention assembled do resolve that hereafter no appointment to office be made of any man who, first, has not been 10 years in the Republican party, and second, who has never split his ticket. Resolved second, that we petition the president not to notice any petitioner who has not been five years a voter in the Republican party.

Here it occurred to Col. Wilson, that the third and most important resolution had, in some way been omitted, and as he couldn't recall it, he asked that the meeting be adjourned to some future date, to enable him to get it in proper shape. As soon as he shapes it up to his satisfaction, he will call another convention, having been offered the generous use of THE NEWS' advertising columns for that purpose.

When Colonel Wilson's meeting began last night, there was a very small crowd present, but in the course of a few minutes, the applause heard emanating from the court house, set the town to going there on the run.

Three Things.

There are three things that Charlotte wants this year and must have. First, a grand music festival; second, the Democratic State Convention and third, a great celebration of the 20th May. This NEWS is in for all of them and if the people will help, we will have some fine times.

An Enjoyable Series of Articles.

THE NEWS to-day publishes the first of what will prove to be an exceedingly interesting series of articles, under the attractive, and yet simple head of "A Drive Around Charlotte." The articles are from the pen of one of Charlotte's most gifted ladies, and will prove not only interesting, but really valuable as a contribution to our much neglected local history.

Leap Year Reception.

The young ladies of Concord, gave a leap year reception at the Hotel Grand last night. Charlotte was represented by the Misses Coker, Miss Laura Wadsworth and Mr. Chas. Wadsworth. The reception was a great success in all particulars. There were over 100 guests present.

Jim Cook, editor of the Standard, didn't have an escort so he went to Albemarle. Two other crack sports of Concord, were also left.

Bishop Lyman's Appointments.

The following appointments have been made by Bishop Lyman: February 20th, Atlanta, Ga. Col. W. R. Marks, Mecklenburg county, 25th Sunday, St. Peter's, Charlotte, 25th Monday, p. m. Monroe, March 2nd Wednesday, Malloy's factory, 4th Friday, Ansonville, 6th Sunday, Wadesboro. Holy communion at all morning services. Collections for Disciplesan Missions. Appointments for spring visitation will be issued later, commencing about the end of March.

A Social Note.

The many friends in this city of Miss Sallie Potter, will be interested in the following, which we copy from the Wilmington Messenger. A dispatch from Nice, under the date of February 3 published in the European edition of the New York Herald and sent by cable to the American edition gives a chapter of the gay life in that famous city. In mentioning the weekly dance at the Cosmopolitan Hotel, the elegant toilets of the ladies are described and in the list of distinguished ladies present we notice the names of Baroness Peterson and Miss Sallie Potter, of Wilmington.

The News Makes a Motion.

Charlotte not only has the best hotels in the State, but she has also the largest public building in the State, and the only one capable of accommodating the delegates to a State convention. The State convention has been held at Raleigh simply "in accordance with a time honored custom," but it is now time to change all that. The convenience of the delegates should be considered, and the city that cannot afford the best inducements, but the best accommodations, railroad, hotel, etc., should have the convention. Charlotte stands unchallenged in this respect, and the convention should come here and be held in good shape.

It should be held on May 10th, so that the delegates could help us to celebrate our famous 20th May, the following day. Who will second THE NEWS' motion?

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

One great case of imported hosiery fresh from the factory, of superior dyes, absolutely fast, and so made that they will well endure long service. The rapture of this sale must be our profit.

Come to the Imported Hosiery Sale. Important.

Another flashy attraction seen is the new Spring Goods just opened—fancy Bedfords, etc., shown in latest styles.

Hundreds of new Gingham ready and waiting.

Fresh Kid Gloves that will bear a guarantee.

Excuse us for talking Cloaks so much but we must let you know our Capes are going at half price. A beauty now goes at \$5.

Good success attends our White Goods sale.

Appreciative multitudes gather round our Linen Lace sale.

Ask for our pretty new Apron material; it's a regular trouble savor.

Don't be backward about coming. We can divert your mind from house hold duties and start you smiling and happy homeward.

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A young North Carolina man a Street Vendor's Success With a Society Ball.

A special from Bristol, Tenn., yesterday says Alexander W. Wilson, a prominent young railroad man of North Carolina, was a passenger on train No. 4, which went east from here yesterday. At a small station near here he asked an other passenger for a pistol, saying that a young woman who was on the train had remarked: "I'll kill you for a dime."

It is alleged that at that moment the woman stepped up to him with a pistol in her hand and said: "If you don't marry me I'll murder you for you have robbed me of my honor."

The train crew, as the story goes, separated them and the woman agreed not to marry Wilson further if he would give her a large sum of money. At Roanoke she left the train. Wilson went on to Lynchburg where he telegraphed the Mayor of Knoxville to see if the woman could be identified. The response came that Ida Barnett, a woman of easy virtue had gone east on the train. To-day he satisfy Wilson. He insisted that the young woman was a well known Knoxville belle, whose name he gave.

Wilson is the son of Major W. C. Wilson, one of the wealthiest men in Morganton, N. C., and was chief engineer of the K. C. & E. road. He was injured in a wreck two years ago and was cared for at the house of the young society woman whom he accuses of having attempted to blackmail him on the train.

The Gingham Mills.

Charlotte's new gingham mills will be in operation within the course of a few weeks. The buildings are completed, the shafting has been placed, the boilers are set, and the engine is ready to be put in. The mills will start out with 20 looms.

What About It?

A committee from the board of school commissioners will meet with the finance committee of the board of aldermen at the city hall, Monday night, to see what can be done to keep the city graded schools going. The result of this conference will be anxiously awaited.

We Must Have the Music Festival.

A number of business men of the city have expressed a desire that a Music Festival be held this year. The Philharmonic society had thought it advisable not to hold a festival, but as there seems to be a public sentiment in favor of one, the Philharmonic is ready and willing to push it through and to that end ask all interested to meet with their representatives immediately after the auditorium Co's meeting Monday evening in Jones & Tillet's office when the matter will be finally disposed of.

Preparing for Summer.

THE NEWS mentioned a few days ago that the Four C's company was arranging to build a large pavilion at Dilworth park for the exclusive use of the colored people. The plans for the pavilion are being drawn by architect Hook, and it is to be a very imposing structure.

The C's are also arranging for many very excellent attractions at Dilworth, the coming summer, and the popularity of that resort will be greater if an ever. Bathing houses and boat houses are to be added to the attractions of the place.

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A GLITTERING TURNOUT,

We can give you a chance to display your judgment. It has never been out good fortune to offer for inspection such an enticing display of Knives and Forks as we are now showing. There is so wide a diversity of style, design, workmanship and finish that perhaps you will be a little puzzled to make a choice, but you certainly can make no selection with which you would be pleased, if you take your pick either at random or with your eyes shut. It is not often that you have a chance to see anything handsomer than our line of Sterling Silver in every imaginable article for table use.

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

Ruth Cleveland's Moccasins.

We have just received a nice assortment of these celebrated Soft Shoes for infants. They are the latest craze of the season and are surely the handsomest infant shoe ever put on the market, being made of the finest French Kid. We have them in white, canary, terra cotta, fawn and tan colors, each one being lined and trimmed with a different color; making them the most stylish thing in the way of a baby's soft shoe ever put on the market; And being named after the most popular baby in the world they are now being sold in every city in the United States. Come or send and get a pair, sizes 1 to 4; Price 50c; By mail on receipt of price.

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19 East Trade Street, CHARLOTTE, N. C.
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Produces a brilliant, lasting gloss, and is really beneficial to the leather. Owing to its fine quality and small quantity required, is the most economical to use. Put up in large boxes 10c, small 5c; This Blacking is for mens shoes only, and must never be used on ladies shoes or any kid or goat leathers. Have the leather clean and dry, apply a small quantity with a Royal Dabber, brushing briskly with a stiff brush and you have the best shine in the world, not excepting patent leather. For sale to dealers at manufacturers prices.

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