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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

JUST received Ladies trimmed Hats, New style Collarettes, beautiful Scarfs, Linen Collars, Linen Cuffs. Bargains in several departments of Dry Goods. COOPER & WILLIAMS.

A Few styles of Boots that have been on hand several seasons that must be sold. Cooper & Williams.

Trimmings for ladies Hats and Bonnets, such as Turquoise Silks, Grosgrain Ribbons, Flowers and Ornaments, at GRANDY & BRO.

TREMENDOUS Stock of New Boots and Shoes just received at James T. Hunts, Burt's Citymade a speciality.

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A FIRST-CLASS HOUSE.

John Tayloe, late editor Lexington, N. C. Central, now Assistant at Waverly Hotel, will be pleased to see his North Carolina friends.

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LARGE Stock Bacon, Flour, Lard, Meal, Fish, and all kind of Groceries. Constantly receiving at Jas. T. Hunts.

DISTRICT CONVENTION.

A Convention of the Democratic-Conservative voters of the Fourth Congressional District will be held in the city of Raleigh on Tuesday the 13th day of June next, for the purpose of nominating a candidate for Congress and a Presidential Elector, and selecting two delegates to the St. Louis Convention. A full attendance is earnestly desired. Each county will be entitled to one vote for every one hundred votes and fractional part over fifty given for Merrimon in 1872.

By order of the District Executive Com.

H. A. LONDON, JR., Chairman.

March 31st. 1876.

LOCAL & STATE SQUIBS.

Beautiful moonlight nights we are having now.

The ladies of St. Stephens' Aid Society will give an entertainment to-day week.

The Junlor returns thanks for a most delightful serenade last Friday night. It was a violin and guitar, and the music was indeed sweet.

It was night, a soft still night in the month of May, when all was calm and still, with naught to be heard but the voice of nature's myriad insects. In the luxurious parlor of one of our affluent citizens were seated two maidens just budding into womanhood. They were the picture of health and innocence, in whose young heart there was no guile. They were strangers to the sorrows and troubles of this world. The future was bright and beautiful to them. Suddenly the oldest starts from her recumbant position and sighs a sigh, her bosom heaves a heave and her eyes sparkle a spark and she writhes her form as in great pain. A cry escapes her lips as she exclaims:—"For Heaven's sake Mariar, get up and scratch my back."

Cooper & Williams are offering some of the greatest bargains in Dry Goods ever offered in North Carolina.

The Raleigh News learns that Mr. John V. Ryan, special agent for the North Carolina State Life Ins. Co., was arrested Friday in Salisbury and carried to Greensboro hand-cuffed. Supposed irregularities with insurance money.

OPIATES.—There are a great many people who suffer a great deal because they cannot sleep, and therefore, are continually taking some opiate, and keep it up until the last stage is worst than the first. We recommend to such persons two or three raw onions, instead of the opiate, and if it does not have the desired effect then you may say we don't know anything about it. We do not mean this for the ladies, as we know their aversion to this vegetable.

TO THE PUBLIC.—We desire the public to know that if we cease publishing the CLARION on the 10th of June it will not be because we cannot run it, but because it does not pay, and we cannot afford to devote all of our spare time and money to run a paper in the interest of a party who will not support us. Most every one speak in glowing terms of the CLARION, and say, with energy "go it boys" and that is the last of it. We have no doubt we could do a great deal, in the approaching campaign, that would materially benefit the Democratic party in this county, but we cannot afford to sacrifice time, health and money to do it. If you want our assistance come forward like men and help us, or forever, hereafter, hold your peace.

READY-MADE Clothing on hand and daily arriving which will be sold low for cash. Give me a trial as I make clothing a speciality. James T. Hunt.