

LOCAL NEWS.

High Hammond is to take a course at the Commercial College. The Virginia Dare Circle meets next week with Mrs. J. H. Thompson as organist. The old mill at the Charlotte Oil and Fuel works starts up this morning. Mr. and Mrs. David Kistler, of Asheville, are preparing to go to Europe. The W. C. T. U. of Charlotte met on Friday evening. Mr. J. H. Lockhart, the well-known horse man, was reported yesterday in the city that he had been taken to the hospital. Mr. W. R. Talbot gave a card party to-night in honor of her guests and kind friends. Miss J. H. Talbot, of the city, was the guest of honor. Mr. J. H. Talbot has taken up a position to become a millionaire. He is studying trigonometry under Miss Blane, at the Ladies' Seminary. Mr. John M. Miller, the bank examiner, was in the city yesterday. Mr. J. H. Talbot was in the city yesterday. Mr. J. H. Talbot was in the city yesterday. Mr. J. H. Talbot was in the city yesterday.

THE UNIVERSITY OF M. C. A. Dr. Geo. W. Graham has been appointed as the building committee of the First Presbyterian church. Dr. Geo. W. Graham has served as an efficient member of the building committee of the First Presbyterian church. Dr. Geo. W. Graham has served as an efficient member of the building committee of the First Presbyterian church. Dr. Geo. W. Graham has served as an efficient member of the building committee of the First Presbyterian church.

MISS SANDERS' DEBUT PARTY. A GATHERING OF THE SOCIAL CLASS. Mr. and Mrs. Sanders' hospitable doors were open to a brilliant affair. The party was held at the residence of Miss Sanders. The party was held at the residence of Miss Sanders. The party was held at the residence of Miss Sanders. The party was held at the residence of Miss Sanders.

THE ASSOCIATION LIBRARY. Cataloguing After a Complete System. "One thing at a time and that done well." etc.—the association at present "one thing" is the library. Much time and patience are being given to its perfection at present. The books are being classified and numbered according to the most approved methods. The books are being classified and numbered according to the most approved methods.

A NEW DISCOVERY BY THE SHAKERS. For more than a hundred years the Mount Lebanon Shakers have studied the cultivation of the soil. They have discovered a new method of cultivating the soil. They have discovered a new method of cultivating the soil. They have discovered a new method of cultivating the soil.

W. H. HARRIS' World-Famous NICKEL-PLATE SHOWS WILL EXHIBIT AT CHARLOTTE, FRIDAY AND SATURDAY, APRIL 19th and 20th. Popular Prices. WE'RE SELLING RACKET STORE. \$5.40. \$5.40 for choice of a choice line of spring dress materials in dress lengths, including foulard, percale, or seersia, canvas, caroline or whalebone, V. binding, thread, hooks and eyes. This is a dress with necessary lining, complete, for \$5.40. At 10, 12, 15c a yard you can add any quantity of goods; at 25c the finest imitation hair cloth and so have the most elegant dress at a small cost. All-wool dress goods 25, 37c up. Serpentine Satin Stripes. Crepons and unequalled styles of campines and clouded DeVenes 15c. Fancy turns to Dresden tip umbrellas; and at \$1.50 we have an elegant one; also plain and ruffled white parasols. K D GLOVES. Best fitting, longest lasting, in tan, mode, pearls and white; four large pearl buttons. Biggest level on the market, special sale, 25c. Cray covers and fancy linens of many styles. New lace curtains. HARRIS & KEESLER. T. L. Alexander, Son and Co. W. KAUFMAN & CO. MEN'S SPRING SUITS, \$7.50, \$10, \$12, \$15, \$18. CHILDREN'S SUITS, \$2.50, \$3.50, \$5, \$6. BOYS' LONG PANTS SUITS, \$6, \$7.50, \$10, \$12. You will make no mistake in selecting any of our suits. Choose any one in this vast collection of New Spring Garments, and that very suit will impress you with its extraordinary value, its striking genuine bargain. Hundreds of just such bargains in Spring Suits for large boys at \$6.00, \$7.50, \$10.00 and \$12.00. They are the latest "conceptions" of the Fashion Plate, in handsome effects of Worsteds and Cheviots, Blue and Black Clays, and Vicunas, embodying every feature that satisfaction depends upon. Sizes, 14 to 19 years. W. KAUFMAN & CO., Leading Clothiers. Telephone, 59. Mail orders solicited. Dr. Thos. Campbell's Opinion. Long, Tate & Co. We solicit orders from a distance and will send goods by express on approval to any part of the country, returnable at our expense. GARDEX. Base Lawn Mowers, Garden Tools, Poultry Netting, Wheelbarrows. BROWN, WEDDINGTON & CO'S. —NO MYSTERY ABOUT IT.— THAT WE CAN MAKE SUCH SMALL PRICES ON HIGH GRADE CHINA AND RICH CUT GLASS COULD BE ABOUT IN THE MOST NATURAL WAY. WE TAKE VERY LARGE QUANTITIES OF THESE GOODS—THAT COULD BE IMPORTERS AND MANUFACTURERS ARE ANXIOUS TO DO BUSINESS WITH US—THAT COUNTS. IT IS NOT A MATTER OF SACRIFICE OR ANOTHER'S RUIN—JUST A STRAIGHT FORWARD, LEGITIMATE BUSINESS. AND OUR FIRST THAT IS OUR WAY OF BUSINESS. NO MATTER HOW SMALL IS THE ORDER, IF THE THING IS MEANT FOR YOU, DON'T WANT IT, SHOULD YOU BUY IT, YOU'RE GETTING IT, OUR WARRANT IS BEHIND ALL WE SELL. ROCK BOTTOM PRICES. Don't forget to see our stock before purchasing. THOMAS & MAXWELL. G. S. READ & CO.

DAV BARGAIN. RAIN OR SHINE IT WILL BE BARGAIN TIME TO-DAY. UMBRELLAS—The useful, substantial kind; all a paragon of nobby handles—natural trimmed, crystal, gold-plated and silver finished—26inch twilled silk finished—26inch twilled silk finished—26inch twilled silk finished.

JOE BARUCH & CO. Skirts Only \$3.95 each. They are made of all wool black serge, lined with cashmere, and are very stylish and comfortable. They are made of all wool black serge, lined with cashmere, and are very stylish and comfortable.

GOOD Suits for Ten Dollars. You can have an imported blue serge suit, rightly made, for \$10. We say the serge is imported and we mean every word of it. You can have an all wool cheviot sack suit for \$10. Long, regular or fat men can be fitted in these suits. You can have heavy weight clay worsted suits in black or blue for \$10. We do not know of a bigger money's worth than one of these \$10 suits. See these suits and you can determine whether we preach facts or peddle fairy tales. ROGERS & CO. CHANGES IN THE Drama of the Future! In the days that are soon coming every one will cycle, and then King Richard will rush upon the stage with the cry: "A horse, a horse, my kingdom for a horse!" and from the audience will arise as one man a dozen agents, who will urge upon him the purchase of a Victor, a Columbia, a Stearns, a Cleveland, a Spalding, and a thousand-and-one other makes. King Richard will say: "Agents, I have set my life upon a Ramble, and I will stand the hazard of the die." Just as in Shakespeare Richard will stand the hazard and die in this case from car-ache. Do like Richard. Ride the incomparable RAMBLE. THE W. & S. HARNES CO.

JOE BARUCH & CO. MACKINTOSHES and GOSSAMER CIRCULARS. My stock of rubber goods is entirely too large; this makes your opportunity to secure at just half their value anything you desire in Ladies', Men's and Boys' Rain Coats and Mackintoshes. \$1.75 Ladies' Circulars, 8c. \$2.50 Ladies' Mackintoshes, \$1.25. \$3.00 Ladies' Mackintoshes, \$1.50. \$4.00 Ladies' Mackintoshes, \$2.00. \$5.00 Ladies' Mackintoshes, \$2.50. \$6.00 Ladies' Mackintoshes, \$3.00. \$7.00 Ladies' Mackintoshes, \$3.50. \$8.00 Ladies' Mackintoshes, \$4.00. \$9.00 Ladies' Mackintoshes, \$4.50. \$10.00 Ladies' Mackintoshes, \$5.00. MEN'S. \$3.00 Rubber Coats \$1.50. \$4.00 Rubber Coats \$2.00. \$5.00 Rubber Coats \$2.50. \$6.00 Rubber Coats \$3.00. \$7.00 Rubber Coats \$3.50. \$8.00 Rubber Coats \$4.00. \$9.00 Rubber Coats \$4.50. \$10.00 Rubber Coats \$5.00.

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J. S. PHILLIPS, MERCHANT TAILOR, 81 South Tryon Street. Calls the attention of his customers and the public to his spring stock of SUITINGS and TRIMMINGS and asks their inspection of same before placing their orders for dress or business suits. Goods, workmanship and fit the very best. Tinsley & Wilson, Architects, Lynchburg, Va. W. L. O'Connell, L. J. Walker, W. L. O'CONNELL & CO., Dressmakers. Pure Druggs, Paints, Oils, Etc., Corner Church and Trade Sts.

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