Mrs. Leonard received an Observer man in the parlor of the home where

she is domiciled. When asked to tell all that she would about Mrs. Powers ahe began: "Well, Margle, as we knew her, was born in Asheville 24 years ago the 20th of last June. She whiskey he was irresponsible and had was a beautiful, bright, attractive a homicidal mania. child with good manners and five sense. We sent her to a private school taught by the Misses Sawyer. two maiden ladies of Asheville, and later to the graded school. Misfortune overtook us when she was 13 and she had to go to work. For a year she was employed by the owners of the 5 and 10 cent store at Asheville. Quitting this position she took a business course, studying bookkeeping and stenography. About the time she pany and after working for the mannamed place three months, stopping at the Kimball House.

"On the 25th of January, 1900, we been here about three months when manners. I knew nothing of his people. Soon after he started to going with my girl he came in one Thursday night and asked me if he might have her. I had noticed once or twice that he was drinking. There-Margie for he was dissipated; knowing that my daughter would not stand that sort of behavior and I did Christian Association, The following Sunday, on the 8th of June, I think, they ran away and married near Pincettle. married near Pineville. I didn't know where the child was, but when she failed to come home as usual I whom she associated occasionally, and which \$4,000 must be raised within called Louise Henderson, a girl with inquired as to her whereabouts. Monday Harry came to tell me of

MOVED TO CHARLOTTE.

the marriage. He handed me a pa-per saying: Here is the certificate of per saying: Here is the certificate of ing more each year the Mecca of re-our marriage, and I slapped it out of ligious conventions. This cummer his hand and would not look at it. "Oh, how I wish that I had taken It and kept it!"

them fall quietly to her knees. THE MARRIED CAREER BEGINS.

asked the reporter.

"They came around to see me on

Tuesday. I was disposed to have fermice centre of the South is ideal nothing to do with them, but my Near its western boundary flows Fl.t. husband said that it was foolish to treat them that way, and we wel- awannance river. Its castern bouncomed them to the home. They dary is the top of the Blue Ridge went to keeping house on West Trade mountains, nearly 4,000 feet high.

Trade?" "Yes. I knew nothing of their

neighbors or their quarters, for we left here in August, for Asheville. into trouble over a game of cards and struck a young man by the name of Davis over the face. The affair created considerable excitement, as the hit man wore glasses and was right badly hurt. The officers were after Harry; he ran away, went to Charleston and was there at the time of the exposi-Margie joined him. Mrs Captain Ahrens not get on well. went there to see them. good to Margie and she liked him. HARRY THREATENS VIOLENCE.

to live. Harry was drinking and dence. Yesterday afternoon Mr. and gambling. He came in one night. Mrs. Balles left on the Taylorsville and made trouble for us. He and spend several days.

Margie were in their room when I Mr. Bailes is employed by the Caheard her scream. I ran up and tawba Power Company, being a line-Harry slapped me. He looked as if man. He is a young man of good he were crazy. He got his razor and cheracter. Mrs. Bailes is the popular and pretty daughter of Mr. and mrs. I called a policeman to quiet him. No sooner had the officer determined than he reas up secured all parted than he rose up, secured als to learn of their marriage. razor and threatened us again. Captain Jordan, chief of police, came and took Jamestown Exposition Special Beginhim to the station, where he remained until his wife took him out

don. He wa

tanooga in March. Harry and Margie coach, one Pullman sleeping car be-accompanied us and had rooms next to us in our home. One night I heard Margie cry out. Harry was on an-

other tear and threatening to kill on Nos. 37 and 38. There will also everybody in sight. Mr. Leonard, be a dining car between Atlanta and was a powerful man at that time. Danville. ran in to protect Margia. Harry and 4 on the Norfolk division between bread him and was caught and held Danville and Norfolk will be abolished and Harry was sent to jail. Margie same schedule. took him out. He stayed out one night in 1996.

He was crazy drunk and seemed to "Dear me," remarked a lad at a be in deep trouble. Margie was hotel dining table yesterday. "We hearly wild about him. He and Law- haye the whole world's resources subrence Wainscote, an Asheville boy, were running together. After acting queerly for several days Harry came in, packed up and left. He would not tell Margie what was the matter. But, after he was gone, several people called up and said that he had with Venetian ice cream."

HARRY RETURNS HERE TO LIVE.

when she received a telegram giving the street at Asheville lest some man the sad news of the terrible death of her daughter.

THE STORY OF THE GIRL.

The street at Asheville lest some man the street at Asheville lest some man gaze at her. He said that when men saw good looking women they could not keep their eyes off of them."

THE STORY OF THE GIRL. Mrs. Leonard was born in Asheville. She was a Goodlake or Goodling, the

> This story of Harry Powers proves This story of Harry Powers proves the theory of temporary insanity caused by heavy drinking. When full of whiskey he was irresponsible and had a homicidal mania.
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> FOR A CONFERENCE CENTRE.
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> Several Allied Religious Organizations
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> The Observer tried to learn the latter. The bars were up. The telephone girls were advised to cut everybody off. This was not the case when the Charlotte hospitals were struggling to get along.
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> There is something wrong somewhere. The public is entitled to more consideration.

Several Allied Religious Organizations of the South Combine to Buy Place Near Asheville and Equip it For Holding Conferences — Mr. F. C. Abbott Secretary and Treasurer.

A movement which is of interest to many people is an effort being put forth to purchase a trac' of 950 acres of land lying 16 miles east of Ashacompleted this course we moved to the character of land lying in lines from the character of the character of land lying in lines from the character of lines from the land lying in lines from the character of lines from the character of lines from the lines from the lines from the work with the Southern Grain Jom- place for conventions of religious organizations. To this end an association has been formed and chartered lanta for him. She was at the last by the State with the name, "The Blue Ridge Association for Christian Conferences and Training." It is managed by a board of directors, whose executive board is as follows: Messrs. J. W. Fisher, Newport, Tenn.; presimoved to Charlotte and kept house Cont; J. D. Murphy, of Acheville, vice on South Church street. We had president; F. C. Abbott, of Charlotte, secretary and treasurer; and Dr. A. L. Margie met Harry, who, at that time, Phillips, of Richmond; W. D. Weathwas a handsome boy with pleasant orford, student secretary of the South; erford, student secretary of the South; C. A. Rowland, secretary of the laymen's movement in the Southern Pre-byterian Church.

It is proposed to erect on this place 500 or 600 people, an administration an assembly hall with c. capacity of fore, when he explained his mission I building, a dining hall and so forth. and control of the Young Men's Chris tian Association, the Young Women's conventions of the city associations The work proposed may be held. few days as the option soon expires. can be done for about \$30,000, of Much interest is being manifested and some money is in hand.

Western North Carolina is becomthere was 367 delegates present at the Southern student conference, and un-Here Mrs. Leonard showed signs of dear the influence of the meeting 28 breaking down. She threw up her were induced to make a definite dethought, but, after a few seconds, let slonary work and 13 decided to enter the ministry. It is desired that there may be built up here in this section

"Did you ever see it any more?" South what Northfield, Mass, is to the East and Lake Geneva is to the That was the only glimpse of it."

The Past and Mr. Roby C. Day, a recent graduate of the University, is in "What became of the young could the city in the interest of this enter-

The proposed location of the concreek, which is one branch of the "You mean above a store on West will be invaluable in training eligious The influence of such an institution

COSSEY-BAILES.

Surprise Marriage in Sugar Creek Yesterday Morning — Young Couple Wed at Home of Rev. H. M. Pressly. Leaving For Hiddenite Yesterday Afternoon. At the home of Roy. H. M. Pressly,

pastor of the Presbyterian church at Sugar Creek, Miss Hattle Cossey, of Steele Creek, and Mr. A. R. Bailes, of Laura Powers, his mother, visited Charlotte, were married yesterday them there, and she and Margie did morning. It was a surprise affair, not get on well. Captain Abrens Mr. Pressly officiating. There was He was no parental objection, but there had ked him, been no announcement of the marriage, the parents of the bride knowing "In November, two years after they groom drove to the home of the bride were married, they came to Asheville and took her to the minister's resiwhen under the influence of whiskey, train for Hiddenite, where they will

He is a young man of good

ning Next Sunday Morning.

Beginning next Sunday, August "He came in and begged our par-Beginning next Sunday, August th, the Southern Railway will operate section numbers 37 and 38, to be "After this experience Margie told known as the Jamestown Exposition The of a spree that he went on in special, between Atlanta, Ga., and Charleston. She had to jump through Norfolk, Va., via Danville. This train will handle one combined bag-"We moved from Asheville to Chat. gage car and coach, one divided Present train numbers 3

Geography of a Hotel Menu.

helped Wainscote to pass some worth-less checks. Tals matter was adjust-A MEMORABLE DAY.

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Mrs. Charile Leonard. mother of Mrs. Madge Powers, who was killed here last Friday night, spent yesterday in the city. She came in Sunday afternoon and was met at the station by several friends of her daughter and carried to a boarding house on Church street.

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Mrs. Leonard is a quiet, modest, plucky-looking little woman, with a clear, soft eye and broad chin. She bore up under the fearful strain that has been on her for the last three days and was able to talk to the newspaper reporters of the recent tragedy. She was at her home in Chattanooga, Tenn., when she received a telegram giving the street at Asheville lest some man dertaking establishment to await the undertaking establishment to await the arrival of the widowed husband, who had be call the hospital to find that his wife had died several hours before.

The patrons of the hospital are not treated right. The telephones are put in there for the use of those interested in patients. The Observer and other city papers print the monthly statements for the hospitals.

Mrs. Leonard was born in Asheville.
She was a Goodlake or Goodling, the daughter of an Englishman. She has five children living.
This story of Harry Powers proves

consideration.

New Mill at Monbo, Catawha County. The Turner, Mills Company, Statesville, has been organized for the purpose of erecting a cotton mill at Monbo, in Catawba county. Of the capital stock, \$125,000 has already been subscribed. The leading spirits in the movement are Ex-Lieut, Gov-ernor W. D. Turner, J. C. Steele, W. W. Turner, and associates. The pro-posed mill will be placed on the east side of the Catawba river where a new town will likely be built. There is one mill already in Monbo, that of the Monbo Manufacturing Company. meeting of the stockholders will likely be held soon for the purpos of electing officers.

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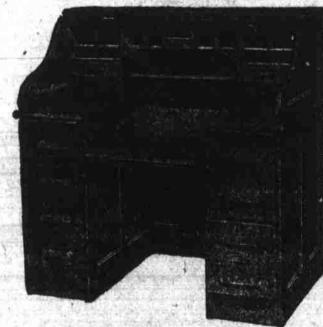
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