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ASHEVILLE, N. C., January, 1888.

In justice to all similarly afflicted with ourselves as well as to Drs. Hargan & Gatchell, I voluntarily make the following statement:

My wife has suffered for several years with severe lung trouble, continuing to grow worse until last November when she was bedridden up, but a part of each day.

No appetite, night sweats, severe cough and loss of flesh. The best physicians of Louisiana, Vermont, advised an immediate change of climate. We reached Asheville November 6th, and commenced taking treatment of Drs. Hargan and Gatchell, using their compound oxygen and balsam Vapor. My wife has improved nearly from the first. Her appetite is fresh, sleeps well, coughs but little, night sweats have ceased, no pain anywhere, takes long walks and climbs the mountains with little apparent exertion, and has gained 8 lbs. in weight. We are fully satisfied that the treatment will affect a permanent cure. As for myself I am delighted with the benefit received from the first treatment, and am nearly well.

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AN ORDINANCE.

TO PROVIDE THAT THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN OF THE CITY OF ASHEVILLE MAY NEGOTIATE A LOAN OF SIXTY THOUSAND DOLLARS FOR THE USE AND BENEFIT OF SAID CITY, AS SET FORTH IN SAID ORDINANCE.

Be it ordained by the Board of Aldermen of the City of Asheville:

That for the purpose of obtaining the consent of a majority of the qualified and registered voters of the city, that the Board of Aldermen of said city may borrow the sum of Sixty Thousand Dollars, to be applied to the construction of a system of Sewers and other necessary permanent improvements, an election shall be held on Tuesday, 3rd day of April, A. D. 1888, at usual voting place, and under the rules and regulations governing such elections in said city; and if the consent of the required majority shall be obtained at such election, then the Board of Aldermen may borrow said sum of money upon the bonds of said city, to be made and issued in their discretion, in the denomination of Fifty, One Hundred and Five Hundred Dollars, with interest coupons attached.

The said bonds shall become due and payable thirty years from their date, and bear interest, from their date, at the rate of six per centum, per annum, payable semi-annually according to the coupons attached, on the first days of January and July, in each and every year; and the same shall be signed by the Mayor and countersigned by the Treasurer, and be under the seal of said city.

The said bonds shall in no case be disposed of, sold, assigned or transferred for a less price than par.

The coupons of said bonds shall be at all times, when due, receivable in payment of taxes due the city.

By order of the Board of Aldermen this the 24th day of February, 1888.

H. S. HARKINS, Mayor.

All persons desiring to register and vote at the election ordered by the foregoing ordinance will call on Mr. C. W. Moore, at the office of the Superior Court clerk, in the Court House.

F. M. HILLIARD, City Clerk.
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SALISBURY—Arrives at 5:58 p. m.; leaves for Morristown at 5:18 p. m.

TENNESSEE Arrives at 12:40 p. m., and leaves at 12:55 p. m. Arrives at 9:41 p. m., and leaves for Spartanburg 1 9:29 p. m.

PATTENSON—Arrives at 7 a. m.; leaves for Morristown at 7:0 a. m. Freight accommodation leaves Asheville at 8:10 a. m., and arrives at 9:00 p. m.

WAYNESVILLE—Leaves Asheville at 8:00 a. m., and arrives at 1:50 p. m.

New Advertisements.

LOST—L. V. Brown.
MUSIC—H. O. Hines.
WANTED—A. B. Sams, Jr.
WANTED—"I. W." P. O. Box 2.
SUMMER TERM—E. Tourjee, Boston.
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This old solid tonic, a sure, steady and faithful remedy for all nervous debility, for sale at Jones Pioneer Bar—strictly for medical purposes.

This term of our Superior court will last three weeks.

No "breaks" at any of the warehouses in the city yesterday.

The New Berne Fish, Oyster and Game Fair commences in that city to-day.

The road to Burnsville is one of the best in the county since it has been repaired.

Quite a number of our friends from the country were in attendance upon court yesterday.

The VanGilder mill on the Beaverdam road, has been sold to Mr. Reuben Lisenbee.

We notice several new residences in process of erection on the Merrimon Avenue extension, this city.

Wood and coal were in active demand in the city yesterday. Coal dealers report that they were busy all day filling orders.

The weatherwise say that the old and windy weather of the past few days is what old folks call "the whippourwill storm."

Mesdms. Locke Craig and Edg. D. Carter, who have been at Black Mountain for a few days, returned to the city yesterday.

Dr. J. S. T. Baird has removed from his old place five miles from the city to the property he recently purchased on the Beaverdam road.

All members of the Board of Trade who feel an interest in advertising Asheville will please attend the meeting to-night at the court house.

The postal officials in this city say that Dr. J. W. Vandiver, the Weaverville seedsman, is sending out thousands of his seed catalogues.

The quarterly meeting of the M. E. Church South, which has been in session for several days at Flat Creek church, this county, closed on Sunday.

We learn that the Reems Creek woolen mill, near Weaverville, has been considerably improved, and that new machinery will be added at an early day.

We hope there will be a rousing meeting of the Board of Trade to-night at the court house. Every citizen is interested in the grand move for advertising the mountain city.

Ice yesterday was one and a half inches thick in the basin of the fountain in court square, while the fountain itself was festooned with icicles from one foot to two feet and a-half in length.

Planting and gardening operations which have been going on extensively in this city and country for the past week or so have received somewhat of a set back by the advent of the recent cold weather.

Col. A. B. Andrews, Third Vice President of the R. & D. railroad system gave us a call yesterday. He had just returned from a visit, with the Chief Engineer of the Company to the works at Red Marble Gap. He reports operations as moving satisfactorily.

An old gentleman told us yesterday that on April 15th, 1859, a snow fell in this county that lasted two weeks. The depth of the snow, in places, was nine inches, and stock that was out on the mountain sides had to be fed with food from barns—not a sprig of grass to be found during that time.

REDUCING STOCK AT LAW'S.

We offer extra low prices all this month; we are losing out entirely some lines of Crockery and Glass, and offer small, or odd lots at half prices to close them out. Our large line of best silver plated ware is all greatly reduced in price. Specially low figures all this week.

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You will lose money if you buy your Spring suit before pricing ours.
dtf BREVARD & BLANTON.

Derby's latest,
dlw at WHITLOCK'S.

Eastern mail four hours late last night.

Wood was scarce on the market yesterday, and in much demand.

Capt. W. E. Weaver, of Weaverville, was in the city yesterday in attendance upon court.

Frank Loughran is making many improvements in his "Bonanza" saloon, on South Main street.

In the case of State vs. Sol Edel, indicted for selling liquor without license, his Honor reserved his decision.

A party convicted of carrying concealed weapons in the Mayor's court yesterday afternoon was fined $12.25.

The case of the State vs. Cowan will be called for trial in the Superior court this morning at 9:30 o'clock.

Mr. Frank Lytle, city marshal of Waynesville, was in the city yesterday hunting up evidence in a larceny case.

Auctioneer J. J. Hill yesterday sold the remainder of the stock of dry goods, etc., formerly belonging to E. H. Hunt.

Our young friend Jas. G. Merrimon made his debut as an attorney in the Baird vs. Reynolds suit yesterday afternoon.

Notwithstanding the exceedingly disagreeable weather Sunday, the city churches were well attended both morning and evening.

Deputy Sheriff Thos. B. Young summoned the special venire of thirty men in the Cowan murder case, in an hour and ten minutes yesterday afternoon.

As an evidence of how cheap Natt Atkinson & Son sell hardware, Capt. Atkinson yesterday told us that the best customers he had were the merchants of the city.

The case entitled Brittain vs. Daniel, which was to have been tried in the superior court yesterday morning has been postponed until after the disposition of the cases upon the criminal docket.

The city library has just received a number of excellent works which add largely to its value. Among others are a full set of the International Cyclopedia and a very large and handsome Atlas published by Appleton & Co.

The *News-Observer* says the late Hon. G. C. Memminger of Charleston served "during the war" as Secretary of the treasury of the Confederate States. We think Hon. Mr. Trenholm, of the same city, served in that capacity for a while.

Judge Chas. A. Moore, of the Inferior Court, arrived home Sunday afternoon. We regret to learn from him, of the illness of his wife and child, who remained behind for treatment at the home of Mrs. Moore's father, in New York.

Patti Rosa said, when here recently, that the Asheville Opera Hall was better managed, was kept neater and more comfortable than any building she had appeared in in the South. This was a well merited compliment, we believe.

The blizzard which was prevailing at the end of the week in the northwest, reached us Sunday morning about 11 o'clock in a modified form. A high northwest wind blew, accompanied with a little fine snow, and a fall of temperature. The mercury Monday morning at sunrise was 20 above. The mountains to the northwest of us were white with snow, and Pisgah to the southwest, had a slight coating of the same.

The entertainment at Battery Park Saturday night, for the benefit of the Mission Hospital, was a most gratifying success, the performances being very entertaining, and the receipts beyond expectation. Besides the receipts two visitors, one of whom is known throughout the United States for charitable deeds, made liberal cash contributions. The entertainment was a kindly act on the part of those engaged, while the receipts will prove a God-send to a most worthy institution.

THE FINE BEEF

Advertised by McIntire was exposed last evening, and will be again this morning until it disappears before the appreciation of the public. We have never seen finer beef anywhere, and no better has ever graced the Asheville market.

No finer nor fatter,
Ever swam in a dish.
Or smoked in a platter.

It was so fine, that after having been hung up in front of the market, Mr. Lindsey came up and made it the subject of a photograph.

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For 3, 6 or 12 months one of the neatest and most attractive cottage homes in the city, 7 rooms, handsomely furnished throughout, stoves in every room, well of pure water under shelter, stable, carriage, coal and wood houses all complete, in one square of Battery Park, good neighborhood. Apply at the CITIZEN office.

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See advertisement "Music" by Mr H. O. Hines, the well known musician of this city. Those wishing thorough instruction would do well to engage with Mr. Hines.

An accident occurred to the engine on the West bound train while near Statesville yesterday, which caused a delay of several hours in the arrival of the train at this point.

The Opera Hall will be beautifully lighted with gas, and well heated to-night and to-morrow night. Manager Sawyer is determined to make the Hall an object of pride for all Ashevillians.

The Morganton *Star* informs us that Mr. A. L. Bright, who moved to Asheville last year, has returned to Glen Alpine Station, where he and the companion he contracted with at Asheville for life will make their future home.

Our friend Mr C. A. Mosely, formerly of Asheville now travelling for the justly popular house of C. W. Thorn & Co., of Richmond, gave us a pleasant call yesterday. Charlie has many warm friends in Asheville who always welcome him to the city. He left last night for South Carolina.

Gen. Johnstone Jones has received an invitation to participate in the great military drill to be held at Nashville, Tenn., on May 20. Twenty thousand dollars will be distributed in prizes among those companies making the best show in competitive drill, and the entire exercises promise to be of a most interesting nature. Gen. Jones will probably attend.

FINE PIANO.

The elegant Piano to be used by the "Boston Stars" to-night and to-morrow night at the Opera Hall was rented for the occasion by Manager Sawyer from the popular music house of C. Falk of this city. It is one of Mr. Falk's very finest imported instruments, and will no doubt contribute largely to the pleasure of the evening.

MAYOR'S COURT.

Only four cases were tried before his Honor yesterday morning, and they were disposed of as follows:

Case 1—a. and b.; defendant fined $4 25.

Case 2.—d. and d.; defendant fined $3 25.

Case 3—d. and d; defendant fined $2.25.

Case—assault; taken under advisement.

AN OLD SUIT.

All of yesterday afternoon was consumed in hearing the case of Baird vs. Reynold, in the Superior Court. This is an action of debt and involves the validity of a note given in *ante bellum* times. Messrs. F. A. Sondley, C. A. Moore and P. A. Cummings appeared for the defence while Messrs. J. S. Adams, W. W. Vandiver and Jas. G. Merrimon represented the plaintiff. The case was given to the jury at 6 o'clock, who, after being out for some time returned a verdict in favor of the defendant.

A SHOOTING AFFAIR.

Yesterday afternoon about two o'clock, C. L. Jenkins and John R. Wright became involved in a difficulty on South Main street, about some business transaction. High words ensued and Wright went into Herring & Weaver's shoe store, closely followed by Jenkins. After getting into the store, Jenkins drew his revolver and fired at Wright, the ball passing through his overcoat, undercoat, and glancing downwards, passed through his breeches just below the waist. Officer Hampton arrested Jenkins, and after a preliminary examination before Mayor Harkins, he was bound over in the sum of two hundred dollars, for his appearance at the present term of the superior court to stand trial for the offence.

BOARD OF TRADE.

A meeting of the Board of Trade is hereby called for to-night, the 13th at 8 o'clock sharp, at the Court House to receive the report of the advertising committee and to transact such other business as may come before the Board. A full attendance is specially requested.

C. E. GRAHAM, President.

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Fresh lot of Florida oranges, Sicilian lemons, apples &c., just in at
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PERSONAL.

Walter W. Vandiver, Esq., has returned from Marshall.

W. A. Leslie, Charlotte, N. C., was on our streets yesterday.

Capt. J. W. Cooper, of Murphy, was in the city yesterday.

Mr. A. L. Jones, of Cleveland, O., spent yesterday in the city.

Mr. J. M. Rowan has resumed his position on the city police force.

Squire Isaac Harcom, of Flat Creek, was in the city yesterday.

Mr. R. Hallyburton, of the Three Cs road, was in the city Sunday.

Rev. Jos. E. Carter, of Hendersonville, was in the city yesterday.

E. M. Wooten, Esq., of New York, is stopping at the Grand Central.

J. M. Brookshire, of Asheville Junction was in the city yesterday on business.

Capt. W. F. Parker is very ill at his residence near Weaverville we regret to learn.

W. A. James, Esq., a prominent citizen of Salisbury, spent yesterday in the city.

Dr. J. A. Reagan, one of Buncombe's county commissioners, was in the city yesterday.

Dr. I. A. Harris, of Flat Creek township, was in the city yesterday in attendance upon court.

Prof. J. J. Reagan of Weaverville, who has been quite sick for some time past, has entirely recovered.

Dr. W. W. Wing, of Weaverville, who has been confined to his bed for several weeks, is convalescing.

Mr. W. R. Chambers, one of the best men in the Weaverville section is one of the jurors for this week of court.

G. H. P. Cole, M. D., of Hendersonville, and a ranger at that place, was in the city yesterday, registered at the Swannanoa.

Messrs. J. L. Cobb, of Richmond, Va., G. A. Snyder, Philadelphia, J. L. Fonda, New York, and A. B. Meyer, Baltimore, were at the Swannanoa yesterday.

BULBS &c.

Law, of the China Store, is fond of flowers, and choice in his selections. He has certain advantages in New York city by which he is enabled to secure the best of seed and bulbs. He has conferred a boon upon the lovers of such things by supplying them—he has them on hand—with a large variety of the choicest Japan lilies and lilies from other parts of the globe, among them fine ones from California, of all the colors appropriate to so beautiful a plant, also Amaryllis, Tuberose, Gladiolus and Dallias. All of these are direct from the importer and are of the best American growth.

Buyers should make haste to supply themselves.

THE "STARS" TO-NIGHT.

One of the most brillant entertainments of the season will be the advent of the Boston Stars at the Opera Hall to night. We shall expect to see an immense audience out to to listen to the following programme:

1. Piano a Rando, b valse in A Flat, Rudolph King.
2. "Emersonian,"—Walter Emerson.
3. "The Chariot Race,"—Nella F. Brown.
4. Aria, "Mignon,"—Medora Henson-Emerson.
5. Piano—"Southern Echoes,"—Rudolph King.
6. Song—Cornet Obligatos—Medora Henson-Emerson.
7. Reading—selected—Nella F. Beown
8. Cornet — "Carnival" — Walter Emerson.
9. Song—English Ballard—Medora Henson-Emerson.
10. The "Bivouac on the Battlefield,"—Nella F. Brown (assisted by the entire company).

Woman and Her Diseases,

is the title of a large illustrated treatise by Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y., sent to any address for ten cents in stamps. It teaches successful self treatment.
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New Clothing Department.

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I will devote my personal attention to this branch, and can safely assert that there are *few men in any State* who are better equipped with experience and facilities to furnish the best class of clothing at lowest possible prices than I am. I can save you the trouble of ordering from abroad. I guarantee satisfaction in all classes and *fit you better* than you can get anywhere else.

CUSTOM DEPARTMENT.

I will make Clothing to order of the *best grades* of Imported and Domestic goods only.

I can safely promise you as good fitting, and stylish garments as the best merchant tailors in the largest cities can produce at less than city prices for same class of work.

No misfits will be passed to any customer. One trial will convince the best critic of custom clothing that I exaggerate nothing.

Respectfully,
A. WHITLOCK, Agent.

Bulk Toilet Extracts, Perfumery of Foreign and Domestic makes, Fine Toilet Soaps in great variety at
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New Spring shape Dunlap Derbies, just in, at WHITLOCK'S.
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If you want a hair, tooth nail, or shoe brush, a full and complete stock is kept by
W. C. CARMICHAEL.
mch 11 dly Apothecary.

THE SUPERIOR COURT.

The Spring term of the Superior court, convened promptly yesterday morning at ten o'clock, Judge Jas. C. McRae presiding. The first business of the morning was the selection of a grand jury, which is composed of the following: D. M. Gudger, foreman; Jesse Case, N. F. Pendland, W. B. Cheek, John Hensly, N. W. Fain, D. E. Cunningham, M. S. Alexander, D. S. Watson, J. C. Hirst, F. M. Burgess, E. H. Britt, L. H. Smith, W. R. Bearden, J. H. Cordell, Alfred Easly, W. T. Clinton and A. Carter.

His Honor's charge to the grand jury was able and exhaustive, and he dwelt at some length upon the commission of capital crimes and the penalties prescribed therefore by statute law.

Mr. J. C. M. Felmet, who was appointed messenger to the grand jury, was sworn in and entered upon the discharge of his duties.

The jurors for the first week were next called and sworn in, and fines ordered up against those who were not present.

The criminal docket being called over the following disposition of the cases thereon was made:

Nos. 1. 2. 3 and 4 were nolprossed, with leave, by the Solicitor, and in No. 5. the State took an alias capias. No. 6. State vs. Cowan, was next reached and the defence announced its readiness for trial. The State asked for a special venire of fifty men to try this case, while the defence only wanted twenty. His Honor instructed the Sheriff to summons a special venire of thirty men, "good and true," to be present at 9:30 o'clock this morning, when the cause will be called for trial.

No. 7. State vs. Wm. Button, accessory, was set for trial immediately after the conclusion of the above, and Nos. 8. 9 and 10, appeals from the Inferior court, will follow in order.

The Judge then announced his readiness to hear motions, etc., and after these had been heard, the case entitled Baird vs. Reynolds, was called for trial at 2:30 p. m.

Mr. Jas. G. Merrimon was sworn in as an attorney to practice before the court.

A desperate effort will be made to clear the dockets at this term, and to that end both Judge and attorneys are actively at work.

A Woman's Discovery.

"Another wonderful discovery has been made and that too by a lady in this county. Disease fastened its clutches upon her and for seven years she withstood its severest tests, but her vital organs were undermined and death seemed imminent. For three months she coughed incessantly and could not sleep. She bought of us a bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption and was so much relieved on taking first dose that she slept all night and with one bottle has been miraculously cured. Her name is Mrs. Luther Lutz." Thus write W. C. Ramsick & Co., of Shelby, N. C.—Get a free trial bottle at H. H. Lyons' drug store.

LATE NEWS BRIEFS.

A destructive fire occurred in the building of the Stanton & Co., stove manufacturers, of Louisville, Saturday.

The new German Emperor is well received by his people. He promises to follow in the footsteps regarding the integrity of the Empire and trade interests, of his late illustrious father.

Our highly respected Bostonian, Mr. Sullivan met the English bruiser, Mitchell, near Paris, Saturday. After thirty-nine rounds it was declared a "draw." Sullivan evidently was too far away from his beans.

A Columbia, S. C., telegram of the 10th inst. says: Col. E. B. Cash died this morning at his home in Chesterfield county of apoplexy. He will be buried to-morrow. He was the last of the duellists of his State.

At Hopkinsville, Ky., Ben Horton became enraged at W. L. Bradley and seizing a five pound iron poker, crushed in the latter's skull. Bradley is the man who shot and killed Robert Nelson two weeks ago. Horton has escaped.

The Washington correspondent of the New York *Herald* says that he thinks the fisheries treaty will fail to be ratified by the Senate. The New England Senators are much opposed to its ratification, and they say it will have opposition from Northern Democrats as well as Republicans.

Chas. Willoughby, a United States marshal, got on a big drunk at Jacksville, Va., and went to the home of a widow named Montaine and insulted her. An 18 year old son of the widow seized a shotgun and shot Willoughby dead. The youthful murderer has escaped and no attempt has been made to arrest him.

The House Committee on Commerce has reported favorably a bad bill. It proposes to expend $8,000,000 to start a Government telegraph. The men who vote for that bill ought to be held to a strict account. Of course it will increase the number of appointments by some thousands. The army of office holders is big enough now—between one and two hundred thousand strong.

A Lynchburg telegram says: Geo. Brown, a white man, living in Crawford county, waylaid and shot his father-in-law, named Saunders, yesterday. Brown's wife had secured a divorce, and, being afraid of violence, sent for her father. On his arrival Brown, who was lying in ambush, shot him through the back. The entire neighborhood is armed and a large party is hunting for the murderer. It caught he will be lynched.

[For the Asheville CITIZEN.

GRATIFYING.

EDITORS CITIZEN:—It is truly gratifying to learn through your popular and widely circulated paper that the ever vigilant Chief of Police (than whom no better can be found) has recently made an extended inspection of the sanitary condition of Asheville, and finds it to be in a more satisfactory state than has been for several years. Very gratifying and satisfactory to many interested on the subject. It is to be hoped the work of inspection will be continued until every section of the city has been made to realize the fact that decency must be observed and public interests respected.

Our city authorities we know are alive to the importance of sanitary vigilance and will do all in their power for the health, reputation and advancement of Asheville. Let every citizen willingly lend a helping hand, and put the city in order for the comfort of citizens and to please and captivate visitors.

Sewerage for Asheville is the important question at present. Every voter should give the subject due consideration and vote for the appropriation asked for. Let us keep the ball in motion and push the good work vigorously until Asheville shall enjoy the merited reputation of being the best kept city and the most attractive resort of health or pleasure to be found in any section.

As citizens we must be a unit on the subject of sanitary reform, enterprise and progress, and must cheerfully render to our city officials the needed support for the accomplishment for all that is desired. X.

RACKET STORE ITEMS.

We invite the attention of the people to the fact that we continue to receive new goods. Barred Muslins, Lawns, a new lot of Hamburgs, Torchons, Corsets, Kid Gloves and a job in ladies' Dongola Kid Shoes at $2.44 a pair, which we defy the trade to match for the price. Children's and Misses' School Shoes ingreat variety, at prices which always sell them. A full line of all the standard novels at 12c. per volume, 25c. elsewhere. A new lot of Mats, Rugs and Hassocks, while our stock of household using things is kept complete, with additions made daily in all the labor saving and convenient utensils we can find. CHEAP PENCILS! well, you would think so if you could see the lot we have in store. *One* dozen or *one thousand* dozen, just as many as you want, at 6 CTS. PER DOZEN. Our price is less than nine-tenths of the merchants in Asheville paid for the same pencils at wholesale. We are fortunate in being connected with a house that has ample capital to hunt up and buy everything that the people want, *wherever it can be bought below its market value.* A lot of Men's Fur Hats, fine goods, just in, are an example of our facilities for getting goods under the market, only one or two of a style, we are selling them at 98c. to $1.58 each, and we could not buy them in the regular way under $21 per dozen. We ask doubters to call and examine them. They were sent to us as a job. We did not know they had them, but knowing that we can place bargains, they sent them to us. Our Headquarters never get hold of a particularly good thing without sending us a part of it. Our store has lost none of its prestige as the *Bargain Store* of Asheville, and we contemplate putting in such a spring and summer stock as will show our appreciation of past favors. We can show enquirers beyond the shadow of a doubt that we (through our connection with No. 466 Broadway, N. Y.) possess facilities for getting goods unequaled by any other store in Asheville, and we guarantee that *we can, and will,* undersell any house in town upon all lines except domestic goods bought in this State, which one man with money can buy as cheaply as another. Come and see our goods, and learn our prices; by this means satisfy yourselves. Don't buy of us unless price and quality suit. We have placed a larger order for our Woven Corset, which has been so highly praised, and which at 86c. is the best value we have ever seen in a corset. We shall continue to make a leader of it until we find something we regard as better. We beg the ladies not to buy a high-priced corset until they have compared it with this corset.

Very respectfully, &c.,
GEO. T. JONES & CO.
N. Y. office, 466 Broadway.

About the middle, or last of this week Carson's Stationery and News Store will be moved to the store now occupied by J. N. Morgan, the second store north of the Post Office. This store has been known as a book store for the last 10 or 12 years. It is the most desirable store in the city. We understand that he intends to increase his stock in quantity and quality, and will make a specialty of fine ruled and plain, rough and smooth finish writing papers and tablets, daily papers, magazines and novels. He will carry no bound books, but will have a full supply of staple, school, stationery, and seasonable toys. In fact he intends to conduct a first-class Stationery and News Store, and we wish him success.

A large lot of nice bath, slate and carriage Sponges, Chamois Skins of all sizes, just received at CARMICHAEL'S
mch 11dly Drug Store.

Brevard & Blanton's mammoth stock of Spring Clothing has arrived. Come and see it. dtf

Why do Brevard & Blanton sell such nice Clothing cheaper than anybody else? Because they buy and sell for CASH. dtf

New Millinery, all the new Spring shapes from New York, just in, at
dlw WHITLOCK'S.

Extract of Vanilla and Lemon, made full strength and sold in bulk, also pure powdered Spices, Cream of Tartar, &c., at CARMICHAEL'S
mch 11 dly Drug Store.

[For the Asheville CITIZEN.

OUR BURNSVILLE LETTER.

BURNSVILLE, N. C., March 9th, 1888.

Last Monday was the regular meeting of the County Commissioners—amongst other duties performed, they drew the jurors for the Spring Term of the Circuit Court. The clerk informs me, there is not a single case of felony to be tried at this term of the court, that the misdemeanor docket is light, as is also the civil docket. He thinks court will not hold longer than a week. There is not new, nor has there been for several months a State prisoner confined in the county jail. At present there is one United States prisoner in jail, charged with violating the internal revenue laws. Can any county in the State show a better record?

The county of Yancey is out of debt and her claims are good, dollar for dollar.

The wheat looks well and the farmers are making preparations for a large crop of food and grass crops, with an increased acreage of tobacco.

Money is easy in the county, our merchants are all doing a thriving business, the removal of large amounts of timber on Cane and Towe Rivers to be floated to Knoxville, Tenn., adds greatly to the business interests of this county.

The indications are that other lumber enterprises will be engaged in, in the early Spring.

The political cauldron is beginning to simmer. I believe it is safe to say that our present faithful representative Thos. D. Johnston is the favorite with the Democrats of this county. Yancey.

ADVERTISERS, NOTICE.

Advertisements or changes for Sunday's CITIZEN should be handed on Friday evening or early Saturday morning to insure insertion.

How often is the light of the household clouded by signs of melancholy or irritability on the part of the ladies. Yet they are not to be blamed, for they are the result of ailments peculiar to that sex, which men know not of. But the cause may be removed and joy restored by the use of Dr. Pierce's "Favorite Prescription," which, as a tonic and nervine for debilitated women, is certain, safe and pleasant. It is beyond all compare the great healer of women. dlw&w

Do Men Gather Figs of Thistles

It is as reasonable to expect figs from thistles as to look for good results when poor seeds are planted. If you plant an acorn you cannot gather apricots, and if you sow poor and old seeds you cannot have large and solid cabbage heads, nor round and regular tomatoes, nor perfect and juicy cantelouples. The moral of this is, Be sure you get good seeds to avoid disappointment. Landreth's seeds are regarded the best all over the United States, and you can get the best crop at Pelham's Drug Store.
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Smoke "Game Cock," best 5c cigar in Asheville, at
mar31dw COOK & LABARBE'S.

The Grand Republic Cigars, to be found at the Pioneer Saloon, is made of the finest long Havana filler and Sumatra wrapper, and sold under a bona fide guarantee, cannot be surpassed in this market. t

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

WANTED.

A good Engine and Boiler from fifteen to twenty horse-power.
mch 13 diw,4wtf L. W., P. O. BOX 2, Asheville, N. C.

MUSIC.

H. O. Hines will take a limited number of pupils in music. Full information and rates given by D. F. Summey at W. H. Bearden & Co's.
mch 13 d2w

LOST.

A Red Cow, medium size, branded "C" on each hip, strayed from my lot the 10th inst. A reasonable reward for her return to
L. V. BROWN,
mch 13 d2t 52 College street.

LOST, MISLAID OR STOLEN,

A note held by R. M. Myers and given by N. J. Roberts, Sr., W. J. Roberts, Jr., E. Roberts and Willis Carter. Amount $84 00; two credits thereon of $9 and $12. Date of note 1887. All persons are warned against trading for said note.
mch 13 d2t

WANTED.

All kinds of Laborers. Also Soldiers, &c. Those desiring to enter the Marine Service of the United States or the U. S. Army can find good openings, possessing the necessary qualifications. Apply for information to
SAMS INTELLIGENCE OFFICE,
Room 4, Hendry Block,
mch 13 d1f Asheville, N. C.

SUMMER TERM

Begins April 16, Ends June 23, 1888.

New classes and private instruction in Voice, Piano, Violin, and all Orchestral Instruments, Piano and Organ Tuning, Oratory, English Branches, French, German and Italian Languages, Drawing, Painting, Modeling and Portraiture. Tuition, $5 to $25 per term. Lectures on Music, Art, Literature, etc., by eminent specialists and General Classes, Recitals, etc., free to all students. Board and room in the New Home, $5.00 to $7.50 per week. New Calendar free. Address
NEW ENGLAND CONSERVATORY,
E. TOURJEE, Dir., Franklin Sq., Boston.
mch 13 d&wtwlmo

WANTED,

A woman to cook and do general house work—one well recommended—will be given good wages and good home. Apply to
J. A. TENNENT,
mch 11 diw No. 12 Hendry Block.

DISSOLUTION.

The firm of Sumner & Greenwood 581 is dissolved, by T. J. Sumner selling out his interest of J. J. Greenwood. The market business will be carried on by T. J. Sumner, who will assume all debts of said firm and collect all accounts due to them. All persons owing said firm will please call and settle with T. J. Sumner.
T. J. SUMNER,
J. J. GREENWOOD.
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SHORT-HAND.

Short Hand thoroughly taught by our improved method on Munson's system in from four to five months by correspondence. Assistance rendered students in getting good positions. Success guaranteed. Don't go to short-hand schools at great expense when we can teach you as well by mail at a normal cost. Our instruction is just as satisfactory, as all exercises and mistakes are corrected and returned, and new instruction given, thereby making it just as thorough as personal instruction. We will guarantee to carry a student to 75 words in four months if instructions are carefully followed. All of our students are placed in positions immediately upon graduation. Tuition, time unlimited $10.00, $5 payable in advance and $5 up in completion of course. Text-Books and complete outfit, post paid $2. Write us if you wish further information.

BOOK-KEEPING.

Both Single and Double Entry, forms of Mercantile, Manufacturing, Insurance, Banking, etc., together with all forms of Commercial Paper Calculations, etc., taught practically by our method of correspondence. Sets are worked and sent for correction. We will guarantee to teach practical book-keeping in from three to five months if instructions are followed or will refund tuition. Tuition, time unlimited $40.00; $5.00 payable in advance and $5.00 upon completion of course. Books, Blanks, etc., complete by mail $4.00. Address,
SOUTHERN SHORT-HAND BUREAU
mch 10 d1mos Chattanooga, T