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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 unable to sit up, but a part of each day.

No appetite, night sweats, severe cough and loss of flesh. The best physicians of Poultney, Vermont, advised an immediate depart for South. We reached Asheville November 17th, and commenced taking treatment of Drs. Hargan and Gatchell, inhaling Compound Oxygen and Balsam Vapor. My wife has improved rapidly from the first. Her appetite is good, sleeps well, coughs but little, raises less, night sweats ceased, no pain anywhere, takes long walks and climbs the mountains with little fatigue and has gained 8 lbs. in weight. We feel certain another month's treatment will affect a permanent cure. As for myself I am delighted to state that I improved rapidly from the first treatment and am nearly well.

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Yours respectfully, A. J. SMITH.

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Arrival and Departure of Passenger Trains.

NALSBURY—Arrives 5:08 p. m. leaves for Morristown at 5:18 p. m.

TENNESSEE—Arrives at 1:25 p. m., and leaves at 1:35 p. m. Arrives at 9:41 p. m., and leaves for Spartanburg at 9:49 p. m.

SPARTANBURG—Arrives at 8 a. m.; leaves for Morristown at 8:10 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 4:50 p. m.

New Advertisements.

TO THE LADIES—W. H. Littleton.
FOR RENT—address J. Post Office.
McABOY HOUSE—address J. L. Bell.
REGISTERED STOCK—apply to W. Daly.

Mr. Locke Craig has gone to Black Mountain on business.

Maj. W. H. Malone has gone to Baker sville on business.

Only one case was tried in the Mayor's court yesterday.

Mr. J. M. Campbell sold $2,000 worth of city property yesterday.

Judge Shuford did not go to Raleigh yesterday as he expected to do.

Mr. W. W. Jones has gone to Raleigh to attend the supreme court.

Arrivals at the Grand Central last night were R. S. Willard, Greenville, Tenn., and T. L. M. Somey, of Virginia.

Services at the Catholic church at 11 o'clock a. m. Sermon by Father White, rector. Daily morning service at 8:30.

The meeting at City Hall Monday night will be largely attended, judging from the amount of street railway talk indulged in by our people yesterday.

Over four million pounds of leaf tobacco have been sold in Asheville this season. Prices obtained for the "weed" were better than those of last season.

Robert Todd Lincoln, Esq., of Chicago, is stopping at Battery Park. Mr. Lincoln is a son of Abraham Lincoln, and is one of the strongest and best men in the Republican party.

Gouche's Peak, North Asheville, is a most attractive point of interest to visitors. The views from that point are sublime. Numbers of parties go out daily to "view the landscape" from that point.

Judging from the loads of good things which leave the popular store of A. D. Cooper almost every hour in the day, that establishment must be taking care of the dollars as well as the cents. Mr. Cooper's goods will sell. He just can't help it.

West Asheville, near the old depot, is booming. More improvements in that section than in any other of the city. And the trade of that section is rapidly on the increase. Several new and important enterprises are soon to be established there.

Mr. Byrd says that the wheat crop of Yancey is one of unusual promise. It has never looked better at this season. Fruit prospects are good, and notwithstanding severe cold weather at a late period peaches will be in plenty, if there is no subsequent disaster.

A gentleman who arrived in the city yesterday from Florida told us that quite a number of people who intended taking in Asheville on their return home from the "Land of Flowers" had been scared off by the recent infamous report circulated to the effect that Battery Park hotel was closed up and an epidemic raging in our city.

Mr. James F. Byrd, of Yancey informs us that the engineers of the CCC's road have determined to change the line of the road from its contemplated course by Cranberry to one running down Toe River, thence on to Erwin, Tenn. This it is thought to insure greater dispatch in the building of the road; and the change is gladly welcomed by the Yancey people.

The *French Broad Voice* says: "The Carolina, Knoxville and Western railroad is still booming. Capt. Ramseur is among the Haywood mountains, on Pigeon River, battling for the best route; and the authorities are building stockades in that section for the convicts.

Col. Rice, who has surveyed a line from the top of the mountain down to the Davidson River section, in this county, is still pushing forward in this direction. A force of hands began breaking dirt in this county, near the Pink Beds, on Monday—and so the good work goes on.

New Goods at Law's.

We are now ready for the Spring trade in all lines of Crockery and Glass, and are able to offer closer prices than ever before. Hotels and boarding houses should get our prices before placing orders. In Spoons, Forks and Knives we are headquarters at wholesale and retail. J. H. LAW,
57 & 59 S. Main street.

Landreth's Garden Seeds at Pelham's.

Attend church this morning.

Eastern mail thirty minutes behind time last night.

Auction sales on court square were numerous yesterday.

Buncombe inferior court will be held Monday week next.

Mr. J. F. Morphew, of Marshall, was in the city yesterday.

Main street was pretty well crowded with people last evening.

P. S. Blanton, Esq., of Cleveland, Ohio, was at the Swannanoa last night.

Several real estate transfers were recorded in the clerk's office yesterday.

Mr. T. H. Cobb left last evening for Shelby on an important business trip.

Mr. Wm. P. Branch, a prominent banker of Richmond, Va., is stopping at Battery Park.

On Monday and after the public schools of the city will begin the daily session 30 minutes earlier—at 8.45.

Considerable preparations are being made for the evangelical services of the Rev. Mr. Pearson in this city.

Mrs. P. H. DuVernet, of Saybrook, Conn., is at the Swannanoa, as is also Mrs. I. R. Spaulding, of Boston, Mass.

We hear of another "Racket store" being established in Asheville, by a gentleman from Greenville, S. C., in a few days.

Mr. Fred. A. Hull, of the Asheville Tobacco Works, has returned from a business trip in the West and Northwest.

John S. Blair, Esq., Washington, D. C., and J. D. Tipton, Tennessee, were the noon arrivals at the Swannoa yesterday.

The Farmers' was the only warehouse in the city that had sales yesterday. There was very little tobacco on the floor, and prices were small.

No further developments have been made in the Graham robbery case. Detective Deaver is still searching for the stolen box of china.

A party convicted of being drunk and disorderly was fined $7.25 by Mayor Harkins yesterday afternoon, and in less than an hour was locked up for a similar offense.

Messrs. Natt Atkinson & Sons yesterday sold nearly three hundred dollars' worth of hardware to a retail merchant in this city. They are selling their stock out at cost for cash.

Capt. Waddell was yesterday presented with a beautiful bouquet of flowers by the ladies of Doubleday, in recognition of his recent report of the cleanliness of that portion of Asheville.

Mr. Garrett's new hotel in Victoria is rapidly approaching completion. It will be ready for occupancy for summer visitors, and is one of the handsomest hotel buildings in the Southern States.

The meeting of the friends of the general street railway system, decided not to hold the session called for yesterday morning at 11 o'clock. Final action in the matter will be taken by the city council to-morrow night.

Warden Hicks, of the penitentiary, is on the line of the proposed Carolina, Knoxville & Western road in Haywood county looking after the erection of stockades for the convict force which will be put at work thereon.

The Brevard *Voice* says that Mr. Geo. W. Tilson and wife, who left here last year to live in Washington Territory has reached Brevard fully convinced of the superiority of North Carolina. Mr. Tilson is well and favorably known here and through all Western North Carolina. We welcome him home again.

It is said that the Rev. Dr. Deems has paid out in New York a larger sum for street car fare than he used to receive for his services as preacher in North Carolina. The doctor's liberality in that line would suggest him as a good customer for a street railway here. Let him be urged to come. Then such road may be built.

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MECKLENBURG PRESBYTERY.

Thirty-Sixth Session of this Body—Third Day.

[Reported for the CITIZEN.]

Rev. E. E. Erwin conducted the devotional exercises.

The question of allowing Rev. P. R. Law to demit the ministry was postponed until the next meeting.

On account of the press of business, the sermon of Rev. W. O. Cochrane was dispensed with.

A protracted discussion arose over the validity of an installation in which a ruling elder delivered the charges to pastor and people.

HOME MISSIONS.

The report of the committee of Home Missions occupied the attention of the Presbytery. It was presented by Rev. S. Cook, chairman and comprised the three divisions of the presbytery.

Appropriations were made to Highlands, Rutherford, Buncombe, Kings Mountain and Shiloh, Monroe, Hendersonville and Mills River.

Permission was granted to Mr. J. W. Bias, a member of the middle class of Union Seminary to labor within the bounds of the Presbytery along the line of the Murphy Division with headquarters at Charleston the salaries to be governed by the Asheville church. A committee on Church Extension was appointed to prepare and keep on hand plans for church buildings and manses to devise means to raise funds and to hold and disburse those subject to the order of presbytery. The mountain committee of home missions was directed to take charge of the property at Murphy and to take any steps necessary to protect our interests there.

Reports on the records of session sent up for examination, were received from the various committees and approved.

Rev. C. W. Robinson and Rev. G. L. Cook were elected principal and Rev. W. O. Cochrane and Rev. S. T. Martin, D. D., alternate ministerial commissioners to the General Assembly which is to meet in Baltimore in May next and elders A. G. Neal from Steele Creek church and John E. Brown, from First Church, Charlotte, principal, and J. Q. Holland, of Gastonia, and John E. Oates of Second Church, Charlotte, alternate elder commissioners to the same.

Certain changes in the Book of Church Order proposed by the General Assembly were consented to. These were designed to remove certain in the phraseology of the book arising from the recent adoption of the elder-moderator overture.

By an overwhelming vote a paper was laid on the table criticising severely the action of the last Assembly in appointing a committee of inquiry as to our relations with the Northern Church.

Rev. S. C. Boyce was received upon dismission from Transylvania presbytery (North.)

Rev. W. S. P. Bryan was elected a trustee of Davidson College.

"The Racket"

Fires off some more solid shot this morning. Mr. Jones keeps his store full loaded all the time, and just can't help firing off. Read his rackelings in the CITIZEN.

Attention, Boys.

The members of the "Asheville Amateur Athletes" are requested to meet in room No. 5, Hendry block, Monday, April 16th, at 8:30 p. m.
By order of W. J. ATKINS,
Vice President.

Weaverville College Commencement.

Rev. W. B. Baldwin, will preach the annual sermon at the commencement on Sunday 10th June; Rev. G. C. Rankin, of Asheville will deliver the annual address on Wednesday 13th June.

Masonic.

Mt. Hermon Lodge No. 118, A. F. & A. M. meets to-morrow (Monday) night, 16, in their Hall over Brown, Gudger & Co's store, at 8 o'clock, sharp. Members hereby notified, and visiting brethren cordially invited.

How Pale You Are!

is frequently the exclamation of one lady to another. The fact is not a pleasant one to have mentioned, but still the act may be a kindly one, for it sets the one addressed to thinking, apprises her of the fact that she is not in good health, and leads her to seek a reason therefor. Paleness is almost always attendant upon the first stages of consumption. The system is enfeebled, and the blood is impoverished. Dr. Pierce's "Golden Medical Discovery" will act as a tonic upon the system, will enrich the impoverished blood, and restore roses to the cheek.
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Advice to Thousands.

Men without number are at this very hour straining their brain by close application to business, regardless of the most important member of the human body, the eye. Thousands of women are overworking and straining the eyes hourly and daily, not thinking when the eyes give out and cease to guide the hand, their ability for usefulness and enjoyment of life is done. Clerks, students and laborers from close confinement, and long hours' strain upon the eyes are rapidly impairing the same.

There is no one after passing the age of thirty, that cannot find relief and protection for the eyes when at work, by using a properly adjusted lense, and hold the eye for years to its youthful vigor.

We cordially invite all to call upon us at our rooms, and examine our stock of goods and scientific instruments for adjusting lenses for every condition of the eyes, cross eyes, near sighted, far sighted and all other defects.

Room No. 2, entrance 20, Grand Central Hotel.
JACKSON & NEWKIRK.

Dry and dusty yesterday.

F. P. Tate, of Knoxville, is at the Swannanoa.

Mr. I. R. Saxton, jr., of Knoxville, is in the city.

Mr. C. A. Smith is building a house, on Bailey street.

Capt. McLoud returned from a business trip North last night.

Regular services at all the churches in the city this morning.

Capt. M. E. Carter went to Raleigh yesterday to attend the supreme court.

Mitchell superior court convenes at Bakersville to-morrow—Judge Gilmer presiding.

Mr. W. W. Jones left yesterday for Raleigh, where he goes to argue important cases before the Supreme court.

"A Wife's Devotion," at Opera Hall to-morrow night. Reserved seat tickets on sale at Sawyer's, at usual prices.

There are forty five cases on the dockets of the Inferior Court, for trial Monday week, and twenty-three prisoners in the county jail.

Maj. Walter Arthur Metts and his charming wife, *nee* Miss Youmans, daughter of U. S. District Attorney Youmans of South Carolina, left this city last night for their home in Columbia. They have spent several days at the Hot Springs and in this city enjoying their honeymoon, and their many friends greatly regretted their departure. All wish they may soon return for a longer stay in the Land of the Sky. They are both not only prominent but very popular wherever known.

Still Another.

We had it intimated yesterday that still another mammoth hotel would soon be commenced near the city limits, on one of the grandest locations nature could possibly afford for such an establishment. It will eclipse anything in the South, possibly, save the Ponce de Leon in Florida. There is to be no money spared in the lay out; and when both the building and the surroundings are completed it will be a feast for the eyes, sure enough. Let us have it at once. Asheville cannot have too many such elegant hotels. The demand for such is upon us now and will rapidly grow.

Yancey Cattle.

We were glad yesterday to meet Mr. James F. Byrd of Yancey county, who had brought down a lot of beef cattle. They were in unusually fine condition, as fat as any we have seen brought to market this spring. They are the last that will be driven out of the county this season. It has been said that cattle passed through the winter in better condition than usual. This lot proves the truth of this assertion.

We are glad to see that the young farmers are availing themselves of a home market. That county has little valleys but its hill and mountain side pastures are without equal in fertility and productiveness, the mountains being exhaustlessly rich to the very top.

Knights of Pythias.

Through the untiring efforts of Mr. J. C. C. Levy, of this city, Pisgah Lodge, No. 32 Knights of Pythias was organized in this city Friday evening. The meeting was held in Masonic Hall, at 7 o'clock, and Grand Chancellor Thos. H. Pearsee of Wilmington, was the presiding officer. Twenty charter members were present, and the following officers were elected:

V. C.—Fred A. Hull.
C. C.—F. L. Jacobs.
P. C.—Chas. A. Nichols.
P.—E. V. Jones.
M. of E.—R. P. Portner.
M. of F.—J. L. Morgan.
K. of S. and R.—J. M. Young.
M. at A.—F. W. Burkhalter.
I. G.—J. M. Campbell.
O. G.—J. M. Lorick.

The order of Knights of Pythias is founded upon Faith, Charity and Benevolence, and is one of the foremost secret orders in the land. The material of Pisgah Lodge is of the best, and received much praise from Grand Chancellor Meares. Three old Knights deposited their cards in the new lodge. We learn that Pisgah bids fair to be rapidly built up, and we wish it much success. After the organization of the lodge, the officers and members repaired to Sumner's restaurant where a nice lunch was prepared, and heartily enjoyed.

Its Delicacy of Flavor

And the efficacy of its action have rendered the famous California liquid fruit remedy, Syrup of Figs, immensely popular. It cleanses and tones up the clogged and feverish system, and dispels Headaches, Colds, and Fevers. For sale by H. H. Lyons. apl13d&wlm

THE Valley Mutual Life Association of Virginia paid to widows and orphans in North Carolina last year $48,000, one hundred cents in the dollar in every case. Paid taxes to the amount of $1,077 to the State Treasury. No company can furnish cheaper or safer insurance.
THOS. W. BRANCH,
d3t Agent for Asheville.

Sudden Changes.

The changes in the season from Winter to Spring admonish us to be guarded in our personal treatment. If you contract a cold dont wait until pneumonia develops. Prudence suggests a timely remedy. Pelham's Pectoral Syrup for 25 cents a bottle is a certain specific for Coughs, Colds, Hoarseness, Bronchitis, Whooping Cough, &c. Beware of counterfeits. W. E. PELHAM,
dtf Pharmacist.

The McAboy House

At Tryon, on the Asheville and Spartanburg road, about forty miles south of Asheville, in the celebrated thermal belt, is one of the best in the South. Read the advertisement in to-day's CITIZEN.

Bellvue Park.

Messrs. J. J. Hill & Sons had a good time yesterday selling lots in this beautiful park, on Sunset Drive. Messrs. Watson & Farinholt offered the property, and the result shows how well the auctioneers did their work. There were five lots sold for $2,110. Asheville real estate is still worth money.

Interesting Services.

Mr. J. D. K. Sleight of Richmond Va., is in the city, and by special invitation will deliver an address to to Sunday school workers and children in the afternoon, and also the Young Men's Association, in the Presbyterian Church at 8 o'clock p. m. to-day. Mr. Sleight has been one of the most prominent and active workers in both these branches of christian work in Virginia for many years. All denominations in Richmond seek his assistance and rely on his gift in making appropriate and entertaining addresses in their general meetings. The public is cordially invited to attend these meetings at the Presbyterian Church this afternoon at 4 o'clock, in the interest of the Sunday school and at 8 o'clock in the evening, when the young men will be addressed on the general subject of activity and usefulness.

The Tobacco Association Appoints Delegates.

A called meeting of the Asheville Tobacco Association, held Friday 12th inst., at the rooms of the Association, Mr. C. C. McCarty, president, in the chair, B. M. Perrow acting secretary.

The president explained the object of the meeting to be to appoint representatives of this Association to the immigration meeting to be held at Hot Springs on Wednesday 25th inst.

On motion the following were appointed:

J. A. Porter, R. P. Walker, R. F. Drummond, Nat Chandler, J. L. Morgan, B. M. Perrow, George Henderson, W. W. Rollins, J. M. Smith, Dr. J. M. Stevens, J. W. Walker, Capt. H. C. France, D. C. Waddell, Jr., B. F. Bernard and J. H. Carter.

On motion the president and secretary of the Board were added to the delegation.

B. M. PERROW,
Acting Secretary.

The Meyer-Thorne Company.

Don't forget that the above named company commence a week's engagement at Opera Hall to-morrow night. Read what the press says about members of this company:

Miss Bonnie Meyer is a fine vocalist and possesses a rich harmonious voice which she uses to good advantage.—Binghamton, (N. Y.,) *Democrat.*

Miss Bonnie Meyer is a clever actress and always gains the admiration of her audience.—Louisville *Journal*

Miss Bonnie Meyer is very pretty, has a fine wardrobe, and is one of the best actresses in her line in the profession.—Ft. Wayne (Ind.) *Independent*

The Bonnie Meyer company is one of the best on the road, and every member of the troupe is an artistic. They are too well and favorably known in Asheville to need newspaper praise. We expect to see Opera Hall crowded to morrow night, by a fashionable audience to witness the presentation of "A Wife's Devotion," by this excellent comedy combination.

Prosperity.

The country has not for a long time been in as prosperous a condition as the present. Every one feels that good times have come at last, and come to stay, unless driven away by their own foolishness. This may be done, of course, by extravagance, debt contracting, &c., but if we will be careful, live within our incomes, and not allow ourselves to believe that any other relief is as good as Dr. Hart's Great Relief, all will be well; but there is just now an effort being made to sell other Relief instead of the old reliable Dr. Hart's. We warn our friends to be on their guard.

At Little Ten

Patton Avenue, will be found the largest and best made line of Clothing, fine, medium and cheap in the city. We are truly the only house in the town that manufacture clothing. Our prices will positively convince you that the jobber's profit is saved to you in buying from us. Men's suits at $4.50, worth $7.50; $6.50, worth $9.50; $12.50, worth $15.00. Cheviot and Corkscrews from $12.00 to $30.00. A beautiful line in cheap and fine pants, also Boys' and Children suits. We also call special attention to our very complete line of stock of crush, soft and stiff hats; a nice line of rock wear and Gents' Furnishing Goods always in stock and positively cheaper than any house in town can sell you. Call at Little 10 and be convinced. Respectfully,
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The Leading Clothier.
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Landreth's Garden Seeds at Pelham's.

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To make room for our large Spring stock we will sell goods exceedingly cheap for the next ten days.
dtf W. A. BLAIR & Co.

Pure flavoring extracts in bottles or bulk, whole and ground Spices, Cream of Tartar and English Bi Carb Soda, for domestic uses, at CARMICHAEL'S

Visitors should note the fact that Alexander Hotel, 10 miles North of Asheville, on the Western North Carolina Railroad and French Broad River, is one of the most desirable places in this vicinity. J. M. JOHNSON, Proprietor, Alexander's, N. C. tf

The supposed murderer of the millionaire Snell of Chicago has been arrested at Oneida, Tenn.

Mr. Conkling is evidently worse, and his physicians are alarmed. We fear the worse may be expected.

The First National Bank of St. Johnville, N. Y., was robbed of over $10,000 by burglars Friday night. No clue.

The reported inhuman treatment of the county and state convicts at Birmingham, Ala., has been partially sustained.

Boston had a $50,000 fire, DePerre (Mis.) a 75,000 fire, Wheeling W. Va., a $50,000 fire on Friday. Covered by insurance.

The legislative, judicial and executive appropriation bill as agreed upon in the house committee makes a total appropriation of $20,472,394, which is $937,606 less than the estimates and $209,246 less than the current appropriations for the same service.

There is a prospect now that the difficulties in the Protestant Episcopal church disease of South Carolina, which involved the withdrawal of a large number of clerical and lay delegates from the convention last May will be adjusted at the convention to meet at Anderson on the 2nd. The cause of the difficulty was the admission of colored clerymen to seats in the convention.

Is It Really Consumption?

Many a case supposed to be radical lung disease is really one of liver complaint and indigestion, but, unless that diseased liver can be restored to healthy action, it will so load the lungs with corrupting matter as to bring on their speedy decay, and then indeed we have consumption, which is scrofula of the lungs, in its worst form. Nothing can be more happy calculated to nip this danger in the bud than is Dr. Pierce's "Golden Medical Discovery." By druggists. dlt

To the Ladies.

Now is the time to have your sewing machines cleaned up, repaired and adjusted for the spring and summer work. Mr. W. H. Littleton, a practical machinist is in the city and is prepared to do all work on all sewing machines. He furnishes needles, shuttles, rubber bands, and parts to all sewing machines. Office at Green's grocery store, near old depot, West Asheville. ap8dlw

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CHANGING

Our advertisement this week gives us an opportunity to express our thanks to the many good, economical buyers

who have taken advantage of our offer made some time since.

Our Trade is Booming

and still lower prices may be looked for. We scarcely think the bottom has yet been reached on some goods.

We have been receiving this week the largest and

BEST SELECTED STOCK

that we have ever had in our store.

These goods are bought for cash and bought at a time when manufacturers and packers of canned goods were extremely anxious to sell for cash.

This means that we have simply bought some

Immense Bargains

and propose to offer them as such.

The market for

SUGARS

runs about same as in our last. We quote:

Standard Granulated Sugar	12 lbs.	for	$1.00
Coffee C.	" 14 "	"	1.00
Yellow C.	" 17 "	"	1.00

COFFEE

is considerably higher and holds very firm. We still hold prices down on Green Rio, at 6 lbs. for $1.00

For Good Coffee.

Ariosa we have advanced to 22 cts. We make a specialty of fine brands of roasted coffee, and can suit the most fastidious.

We have just received and are now offering Libby's 1 lb. Chipped Beef at 24 cts per can.

1lb. Canned Beef	at 15	cts.	
2lb. " "	24	"	
Domestic Sardines in oil	8½	cts.	
String Beans 10 cts. per can.			
Lima " 20 " "	"		
Marrowfat Peas at 15 cts. per can.			
Fine Mixed Table Nuts 20 cts. per lb.			

We have made arrangements with one of the largest fruit dealers in New York to supply us with

ORANGES AND LEMONS

this season. The fruit will be

SHIPPED DIRECT

from vessels on arrival, and you may expect nice fresh fruit.

We are now putting in a full line of Baskets and Wooden-ware which we propose to sell at grocery prices.

Colgate's New Soap, at 35 cts per dozen.
Blueing at 30 cts. per dozen,
Blacking from 25 cts. to 50 cts. per dozen,
Potash 5 cts. per ball,
Lye 5 cts. per box,
Candles at 10 cts. per pound are bargains that close buyers are taking advantage of.

We have had an immense demand for

Choice Y. H. Tea,	30 cents per lb.		
" G. P. Tea,	50 cents per lb.		
" E. B. Tea,	60 cents per lb.		
Best 2 lb. Tomatoes at	$1.35	per	doz.
Good 3 lb. Corn	" 1.35	"	"
Hart's 3 lb. Peaches	" 25	"	can.
2 lb. " "	20	"	"
Pint Bottle Pickles	10 cts.		
Quart Bottle "	20 cts.		
Half Gallon "	30 cts.		
Gallon Bottle "	40 cts.		
Acme Sauce	10 cts.		
" Catsup,	15 cts.		

And it is right that we should have, for these goods are very cheap at these prices. Our energy has been taxed to supply the demand for

Magnolia Hams at 13 cents.			
Jowls	" 8½	"	
Pearl Grist	" 3½	"	
Oat Meal	" 5	"	
Oat Flakes	" 17	"	
Soda Crackers	" 7	"	
Waterloo Flour	" 2.25	per sack.	
Blue Bird "	" 2.66	"	"
Obelisk "	" 3.00	"	"

Our assertion that Obelisk Flour is the best has been fully corroborated by many of the best judges in W. N. C. We will have a car load of fresh flour in this week.

We have on hand yet a few dozen brooms that we will close out at from 8 to 20 cts., made from good stock.

We have a bargain in Colgates Toilet Soaps. The prices quoted above are for small lots.

We will make special prices to parties who wish to buy in unbroken packages.

To our many customers throughout W. N. C., who favor us with orders through the mails, we will say that your orders will receive the same care and attention as if given by person.

Respectfully

POWELL & SNIDER