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ASHEVILLE—Arrives 5:05 p. m.; leaves for Morrisdown at 5:05 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 9:46 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 1:50 p. m.

New Advertisements.

Lost—apply at this office.

WANTED—Miss "South," Marion, N. C.

INFORMATION WANTED—apply at this office.

Andrew Dodge, Esq., of New York, is in the city.

The political stew is beginning to simmer, if we might so speak.

Buncombe inferior court convenes Monday next, at 10 o'clock, a. m.

Judge MacRae hears the mandamus case at chambers in this city Saturday.

The juvenile Italian violinists drew large crowds on the streets yesterday.

Mrs. J. R. Steers and Miss M. A. Beach, of New York, are registered at the Swannanoa.

The commencement at Leicester embraces Thursday and Friday of next week, April 27 and 28.

D. O. Mittimore, Esq., and daughters, of Los Angeles, Cal., are registered at the Grand Central.

Mr. J. M. Boling and lady, nee Miss Eloura Reeves, of Sandy Mush, are spending a few days in the city.

Valuable tract of land in Haywood, about 1,000 acres, offered for sale by W. W. Barnard, trustee. See notice.

Mayor H. S. Harkins yesterday qualified as guardian of the children of the late R. R. Jones, deceased.

The Graham Manufacturing Co., are now working full time, and orders for plaids from their mills is increasing.

There will be a match game of baseball by the boys of Weaverville and Ivy, at the former place on the 28th, inst.

Last night's arrivals at the Swannanoa included P. H. Howelson, Jas. K. White, Richmond, Va; W. Chatterton, Baltimore; K. Kreth, Atlanta.

The hotel property at Black Mountain was sold at trustee's sale yesterday, by Capt. C. M. McLoud, to Mr. J. E. Rankin, of this city, for eight thousand dollars.

A stock breeding farm would be a paying enterprise for somebody. Who will embark in it? No better place under the sun for the purpose could be found than Buncombe county.

The Weaverville Circuit Sunday School convention will be held at Flint Hill church near Alexander's May 3rd and 4th and the one for Leicester and Sulphur Springs circuit May 13th and 14th.

Jake Sharp died in New York trying to get into the penitentiary on account of a street railway. We do not want any penitentiary business here in connection with a street railway, but we must have at least one "full" system for the city if not more. Give us a "complete system"—or death.

Detective Deaver has finally arrived at the conclusion that the box of china stolen from C. E. Graham & Co., has been buried, and hence entertains serious doubts of its whereabouts ever being discovered. No further developments in the case have been reached, and the whole matter is at a stand still at present.

Messrs A. P. Corn & Co., of Henderson county, who have one of the finest granite quarries in W. N. C., have shown us some mantels and other finishing work for the stone mansion of Mr. Brown on Hominy which is very fine indeed. This granite is not only of a superior quality but these gentlemen fully understand how to dress it for market—hence their materials are in constant demand. It can be seen in almost all the principal buildings of this city. Builders can't well do without this granite.

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,
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Landreth's Garden Seeds at Pelham's

An elegant line of fine toilet requisites, embracing Perfumery, Hair, Tooth, Nail and Flesh Brushes, face powder and powder puffs, just received, at
CARMICHAEL'S Drug Store.

The Governor has appointed Maj. J. G. Martin, of this city, a notary public.

Mr. L. M. Brown, of New York, accompanied by his two daughters, is in the city.

Mr. R. D. Gilmer reached the city last night from Raleigh, and leaves for Waynesville this morning.

Mr. T. J. Carland, the successful proprietor of the Buncombe "Standard" Wagon Works, gave us a pleasant call yesterday.

Business was remarkably dull among the merchants in the city yesterday, and very few people from the country were in town.

A "full street railway system or nothing," is the *vox populi* of Asheville. Let no one dare suggest anything short of this.

Mr. T. E. Cunningham, of Lima, Ohio, member of the Board of Pardons of that state, is in the city, stopping with Mr. H. C. Hunt.

Mr. E. H. Fullenwider, of the Graham manufacturing company, is off on a business trip through the Southern States in the interest of his company.

Guests are arriving at the Sulphur Springs hotel. The house and grounds have been completely renovated and everything made ready for the reception of visitors.

The Cliosophic literary society of Weaverville will give a public debate on the night of April 27. The subject for discussion is an important one and will no doubt be enjoyed by a good audience.

The Farmer's warehouse yesterday sold about fifteen thousand pounds of tobacco. Some of the tobacco sold brought $74, $70 and $50 per hundred. The Farmer's will close its business for this season about June 1st.

Max Marcus, proprietor of the "big 22" clothing store, yesterday received a very large stock of gold sleeve buttons, scarf pins, etc. They are very handsome, and prices charged for them are low. Marcus is doing a big trade, and we are glad to learn of his success.

The *Sun* got names mixed yesterday, when it stated that Matthew Arnold was the author of the "Light of Asia," "a chief political work." Edwin Arnold, and not Matthew, was the author of the "poem of remarkable power and beauty."

The meeting of the city authorites to receive the bond from the street Railway company was postponed last night by request of parties interested in both pending schemes. A compromise is about to be effected whereby, it is hoped, a complete system for the city will be constructed at once. So mote it be.

Capt. and Mrs. Atkinson and their little daughter Lillie, leave this morning for Tate Springs, for the benefit of Mrs. A's health. Capt. A. leaves the matter of the street railway in the hands of his associates, but with the express understanding that no arrangements are to be made that interferes with the general system for which he made the fight. You are right Captain and the whole town will stand with you.

"The New World."

Although a street railway meeting and a fashionable ball drew large numbers of people from Opera Hall last night, a large audience witnessed the performance of "The New World; or, the Land of Gold," by the Meyer-Thorne Company. The plot of the play is somewhat similar to that of "Miliss" and is interesting to a degree. The leading characters were excellently rendered and the support much better than on Monday night. It is a favorite with theatre-goers and Miss Meyer and Mr. Thorne fully sustained their reputation as artistes of a high order. To-night "East Lynne; or, The Elopement," will be presented, and Mr., Thorne, as "Corney" will be seen at his best. Go to see him.

The Asheville Candy Factory.

This industry is located on South Main street, and is conducted by W. C. Jones & Co., late of Chattanooga, Tenn. Mr. Jones, the senior member of the firm, is an expert in the business, having had many years' experience in the manufacture of confections. All kinds of candies and taffies are made at this factory, and the taffies (their speciality,) they claim superior to all others. None but the best sugars and extracts are used in making candies, and the capacity is three hundred pounds of sugar per day. They also manufacture ice-cream, rock candy, syrup, and deal extensively in foreign and domestic fruits. They are prepared to fill orders from wholesale dealers, at the lowest prices.

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&w1m

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.

A Useful Invention.

One of the simplest as well as most useful inventions we have yet seen is the "World Type Writer," exhibited at J. P. Sawyer's store, on Patton Avenue. It does the work of an $80 Remington machine, and is so simple that a person can learn to work it accurately in one day's time. There is no complicated machinery about the instrument, and it occupies but very little space The letters are placed on a semicircular rubber band, and the pressure of a little peg on top of the bar makes the impression. Any width of paper can be used by simply lengthening the bar rod. The price of the instrument is only $8, and outside of New York, Philadelphia and Baltimore, this is the only city where they can be purchased for less than $10. Mr. Sawyer will take pleasure in showing this instrument and explaining its workings to any one who desires to investigate the merits of this truly wonderful little machine.

The Farmers to the Front.

It is indeed gratifying to see that our agricultural friends are manifesting so much interest in their vocation just now in the way of forming organizations.

The French Broad Farmers' Club at Alexanders, which has been in successful operation several years, is exerting every possible effort to encourage the farmers in every section of Buncombe to follow their example. By invitation, Maj. D. A. Blackwell and Mr. E. D. Weaver, representatives of the club above mentioned, assisted in the organization of two clubs in the northwestern portion of the county, one at Big Sandy Mush Church and the other some six miles below, near Canto P. O., at the forks of the two creeks. These clubs were organized on Friday and Saturday of last week, with about forty members each and with the prospects of twice that number to join soon. The officers at Sandy Mush, John A. Reeves, president; Dr. J. H. Reynolds, vice-president; R. V. Wells, secretary, and J. D. Robertson, treasurer; and at Canto: W. H. Reeves, president; J. M. Carver, vice-president; M. Davis, secretary, and R. S. Teague, treasurer. These clubs represent some of the best farmers of Buncombe and Madison counties, and we feel confident their efforts in this direction will prove beneficial to them in many particulars, and be instrumental in inspiring new zeal and energy in other sections to follow their example.

A full report of the proceedings of these meetings, including the constitution and by-laws will be published in the *Country Homes* in a few days.

Yancey County.

Old Yancey is one of our special "points of attraction" as a splendid section. We are therefore always pleased to hear good reports from that county. Our friend Maj. J. C. Campbell, who is sojourning therein now, gave us a pleasant call yesterday. He told us the crops of wheat are just as fine as can be, can not be excelled; the oat crop is just as promising, and large crops of both have been seeded; the preparations for a large crop of corn are much ahead of former years; the grass never has never been so luxuriant, and exceeds, Maj. C. says, anything in Western North Carolina. This, of course, means fine cattle and stock. Maj. Campbell paralysed us by saying, "money matters are easy," the merchants have done better than ever before in one season, and every prospect is good for them. This was brought about by the very large sale of splendid timbers with which Yancey abounds, purchased by the Unaka Lumber Company. The people are happy over the prospects of two railroads, the Three C's and the road from Erwin to Asheville. If these two, or even one, shall be built, old Yancey will be heard from along with the rest of the country, by way of improvements. God bless her! let her have all the advantages a good people can ask.

Mr. Campbell informs us that the Rev. Mr. Baldwin, of the Southern Methodist Church has been holding a series of protracted meetings with happy effect; one on Indian Creek, where it is proposed to erect a new and handsome church building and another on Jack's Creek. Mr. Baldwin is a very popular man, and as a preacher has a somewhat remarkable prominence for eloquence and effectiveness.

Maj Campbell adds, on a totally different topic, the tobacco of Yancey, that on Cane and Toe rivers and Jacks Creek, tobacco is produced equal to that in any part of North Carolina, or any other section.

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.

To Have a Street Railway.

Mr. Aesop tells a fable which runs so newhat thus: A lark had built her nest in a wheat field. On one occasion, upon her return home, her offspring, with much concern, told her the owners of the field had been out and arranged with some neighbors to gather the harvest. The mother bird with much wisdom told the young ones not to be alarmed, that they would not be disturbed yet awhile. The next day, sure enough, the neighbors failed to respond The master came the next evening, and said he would send for his cousins and nephews to come and harvest the grain. When the old bird was told this, she again cautioned her pets to be calm, that they would not yet be disturbed. The relatives failing to put in an appearance, the master told his boys to be ready early the next morning, that they would not further depend on others, *but do the work themselves* When the old bird was told this she told the children to prepare at once to move.

Our people have waited upon strangers and others for several years to come and build a street railway, only to be disappointed. Finally, our people began to consult among themselves and determined they, themselves, could do the work. As one and another plan had failed, some gentlemen interested in South Asheville asked the privilege of building a line from the depot, through that section, to the public square, whereupon, Capt. Atkinson whose energies and public spirit comprehends the entire city and section, fearing their short stem-winder might do damage to a larger system, bestirred himself and found other prominent and progressive capitalists of the city to join him and pledge the immediate construction of a system extending from the depot up Depot Street to Patton Avenue, thence to Main Street, up and down Main Street from Woodfin corner to town branch, and from the square down College, Oak, Woodfin, Charlotte, Chestnut *via* Merrimon Avenue to North Main and back to a connection at the Woodfin corner. This system is to be built, that portion from the depot to the public square within six months from the granting of the charter in December last, and completed as above mapped out within two years from December, or all rights, privileges, etc, granted by the authorities shall be forfeited. Capt. A. and his associates accept this charter with all its obligations, and, on condition that no charter or privileges be granted to any other company agreed to file a good bond for five thousand dollars as guarantee of the fulfillment of the contract, to be forfeited in case of failure. Too much credit cannot be given Capt. Atkinson and his associates, Messrs Reynolds, Williamson, W. W. Barnard, J. E. Ray for their energy; but it illustrates the fable we have given, that when our people determine to do for themselves they succeed. The gentlemen who proposed the Soutbside stem winder are also entitled to the gratitude of the community for their proposition, for it immediately breathed the breath of life into that which was a most uninteresting corpse, and will secure for Asheville a very considerable benefit. While they have not succeeded for the present in obtaining permission to build their short line, they have emphasized one fact, that the system when completed, either by the one or the other company, must comprehend the extension of a line through that section at an early date. If one company will not construct it another will.

So altogether the self-dependence of our own people is the greatest reliance for Asheville after all. We will have a street railway, now that our own people have taken hold of the matter.

Sharp to the End.

A New York telegram of the 15th gives the following sensational item:

Rumors are rife in this city, and it meets with much comment and is believed by a great many good people, that Jake Sharp is not dead. That early, empty funeral procession is said by many to have been a sham. Nobody outside of the family saw the old man die, and Wall street policy forbade that he should go to Sing Sing. It is further believed that his friends substituted a "stiff," which was enclosed in the coffin and buried, and that Jake Sharp himself is in Canada or elsewhere, alive and well.

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FRANK M. VANCIL, Editor,
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A Puff.

Mr. Frank O'Donnell, of the Carolina Saloon, did our office the kindness to supply it with a box of his splendid "Champion Panetelas" cigars. It is a very fine brand, and we hope he will enjoy this puff as much as we do puffing the cigars.

"East Lynne."

The Meyer-Thorne Company will present the above entitled emotional drama at Opera Hall to-night, with Miss Bonnie Meyer in the dual *roles* of Lady Gabel and Madam Vine. "East Lynne" is an old favorite with theater-goers, and we have no doubt but that a large audience will great the popular company with their presence to-night. Tickets at popular prices, at Sawyer's.

The Dance Last Night.

Quite a number of the young people of the city enjoyed a full [illegible] ball in the new Barnard building last night. Refreshments were served and the dance was kept upto a late hour. Among those present and participating were Mr. D. C. Waddell, Jr., and Miss Addie Davidson; Mr. L. P. McLoud and Miss Minnie Bearden; Mr. Frank Chapman and Miss Minnie Rankin; Mr. Clarance Rankin and Miss Minnie Reynolds; Mr. Clarence Sawyer and Miss May Reynolds; Mr. Joe Sluder and Miss Bessie Fagg; Mr. Max VanGilder and Miss Bertie Patton; Mr. T. J. Waldridge and Miss Hopkins; Mr. J. L. Carroll, Jr., and Miss O. Reynolds; Mr. A. L. Hanna and Miss Lily Jones; Mr. C. S. Jordan and Miss King; Mr. R. P. Johnson, and Miss L. Weddin; Mr. Weldon Williamson and Miss Walker; Mr. J. H. Herring and Miss Stevens; Mr. E. E. Heston and Miss F. Hunt; Mr. F. R. Grant and Miss M. Hunt.

Starnes Brothers and Roberts,

Real Estate Agents, are fortunate in the possession of a piece of property so eligible in all respects as the Howell property. The tract contains 13½ acres, and lies fronting on North Main, Cherry and Mulberry streets. Through the center there has been opened an avenue of fifty feet width extending from Maine to Mulberry with a probable extention to Academy street. This Avenue has been admirably well graded, the banks in the cuts nicely turfed and shade trees planted along the border. There was a remarkable fine and bold spring in the very line of the avenue. The spring has been covered with rock, cemented, and the water conveyed to another point, where it bursts out in its original volume and purity.

The lots vary in size, from 50x75 to 75x200, with a few of still larger size.

The whole property is a beautiful one. The old Howell property was always noted for its real beauty, and though losing some of its charms by sub division still leaves each purchaser of lots a sharer in the original charms of the locality.

The Secretary of State of South Carolina Dead.

A Columbia telegram of the 15th says: The Hon Z. W. Leitner, secretary of State, died suddenly at his residence in this city, at 10:30 a. m. to day. The news will give as great a shock to the people of South Carolina as it does to those of Columbia, who have been among the warmest friends of the secretary. Major Leitner complained yesterday of feeling rather badly, and when he rose this morning spoke of feeling stricture across his chest. He would not, however, allow a physician to be sent for and thought that he would be presently relieved He sat down to breakfast, but ate very sparingly. After breakfast he walked out to the State House grounds and conversed for a little while with friends, and then returned to the house, lay down on a sofa in his sitting room while his family were preparing to go to church A few minutes afterwards, when one of the household returned to the room, Major Leitner was found lying on the floor convulsed with pain.

Secretary of State William Z. Leither was born in Fairfield county near Winnsboro', on September 23, 1829, and was, therefore, in his 59th year. He entered the South Carolina College in 1847 and was graduated in the class of 1849. In 1853 he was admitted to the Bar.

DON'T

let that cold of yours run on. You think it is a light thing. But it may run into catarrh. Or into pneumonia. Or consumption.

Catarrh is disgusting. Pneumonia is dangerous Consumption is death itself.

The breathing apparatus must be kept healthy and clear of all obstructions and offensive matter. Otherwise there is trouble ahead.

All the diseases of these parts, head, nose, throat, bronchial tubes and lungs, can be delightfully and entirely cared by the use of Boschee's German Syrup. If you don't know this already, thousands and thousands of people can tell you. They have been cured by it, and "know how it is, themselves." Bottle only 75 cents. Ask any druggists.
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Prescriptions filled from a well kept stock of drugs and chemicals, and delivered free to any part of city. Night bell promptly answered.
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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

Landreth's Garden Seeds at Pelham's.

LATE NEWS BRIEFS

Carefully Condensed from Mail and Wire.

A fire in Owensburg, Ky., on the 16th, destroyed half a block in the business part of the city.

Mr. Conkling's condition is more hopeful, his chances being considered by his physicians as one in five.

John Inman has been elected president of the Richmond Terminal in place of Alfred Sully, resigned.

The brewery lockout in New York is an earnest one, and 5,000 men are thrown out of employment.

The gamblers of Knoxville were suddenly interrupted by the police on Saturday, many of them arrested and fines to the amount of $[illegible] assessed.

Maj. John E. Rudd, a soldier of the Confederate Army on the staff of Gen. Longstreet, and a graduate of West Point, committed suicide in Charleston, W. Va., on the 16th, by taking chloroform.

Officer Torbett, of Knoxville, is in trouble for free use of his police pistol and club. In a scuffle with a prisoner he had arrested he shot one man in the bowels and another in the groin. Torbett is under arrest.

He Had More Left.

A Northern tourist reached Florida a few days ago and stopped at the celebrated Ponce de Leon. He stayed two days and concluding to come to Asheville to spend a season, called for his bill. It was presented. It was: "Mr. ———," with an immense amount of flourishes, "to Ponce de Leon, &c., Dr., two days, $45." After scanning it, with all the flourishes etc., for a moment, the gentleman said:

"Is there not some mistake about this?"

"No Sir," said the diamond—pinned young dude behind the desk, "that is your bill."

"You have evidently made a mistake," said the guest, "*I've got more money than that left*"

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 apSd1w

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

Art Squares, Rugs, and fresh Mattings, dtf at W. B. WILLIAMSON & Co's.

At Carson's Stationery and News Store near the Post Office will be found the latest Seaside, Munros, Ogilvies, American Series, Beadles, Cap Collar and many other Libraries as soon as published. All the principal magazines and illustrated weeklies. The New York Herald, World, Times, Atlanta Constitution and Cincinnati Enquirer are among the dailies always on sale. The very best brands of smooth and rough, ruled and plain writing paper with envelopes to match always in stock, also Pen and Pencil tablets, some new styles just received, others on the way. More of those stiff cover composition books that are so good and cheap. Reliable brands of Ink, *extracted*. Stereoscopic and other Views, also Guide to Western North Carolina and Vicinity. Agent for Rubber Stamps and Stencils. Books ordered without extra charge.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

LOST.

A mile out driving yesterday morning, a lady's white and black shawl, valuable to the owner. Will the finder kindly return it to the
dtt CITIZEN OFFICE.

WANTED.

A lady who is an experienced Music Teacher, desires a situation in a school on or about the 1st of September next. Address
MRS. "SOUTH,"
apr18d4w*23 Marion, McDowell Co., N. C.

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA,
Buncombe County.

Notice is hereby given, that if the heirs of David Allison, who departed this life in the year 1796, or within a few years thereafter, in the state of Pennsylvania, will make themselves known to the editors of the "Asheville Citizen," a newspaper published at Asheville, N. C., they will receive information of great importance to them It is desired that such persons if to be found, make themselves known within sixty days from the date of this publication, as a longer delay may be detrimental to their interest.
April 18, 1888.

FOR SALE,

A good family horse and gig, with harness complete Apply to JAMES FRANKS,
apl17 dtt North Main St.

Asheville Military Academy

CORNER OF [illegible]

Academy street, and Bearden Avenue

Pupils admitted at any time for regular or irregular course. For terms, &c., apply to
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MEYER-THORNE COMEDY CO.

Miss BONNIE MEYER,
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carefully selected for their merits.

CHAS. J. WARNER, MANAGER.

6 Nights

AND SATURDAY MATINEE,

COMMENCING

MONDAY April 16th,

In the beautiful Drama entitled Blind or

WOMAN'S DEVOTION

POPULAR PRICES 25c., 35c. and 50c.

Entire change of bill each night.

Reserved seats now on sale at Sawyer's, 15 Patton Avenue.

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

rules 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	" " "
½ 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 grocers 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,	50 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