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ASHEVILLE—Arrives 5:08 p. m. leaves for Morganton at 5:15 p. m.
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HENDERSONVILLE—Arrives at 9:00 a. m. and leaves for Asheville at 9:10 a. m. Freight accommodation leaves Asheville at 9:10 a. m., and arrives at 9:00 p. m.
WAYNESVILLE—Leaves Asheville at 8:00 a. m., and arrives at 4:00 p. m.

New Advertisements.

NEW NOVELTY—at Carson's.
SPOT CASH STORE—W. H. Lea.
"RACKET GROCERY"—Long & Goodman.
CARPETS, WINDOW SHADES, &c—at W. B. Williamson & Co's.

The coon puzzle keeps puzzling.

Mr. Wm. Daly and wife have today for their home at Rockport, N. Y.

Col. H. A. Gudger, who is attending court, gave us a pleasant call yesterday.

Work began Monday on the interior repairs of the First Methodist Church.

Mr. P. G. Fain attended the immigration meeting at Hot Springs yesterday.

Miss Jennie Mingus, of Pigeon River, is visiting the Misses Clayton at "Highlands," near this city.

A large number of our prominent citizens will drive to Hot Springs on [illegible] to meet the visitors.

Several parties from the city left for Hot Springs on Monday morning to be present at the meeting.

A large number of new residences are now in course of construction in all parts of the city. Many of them are very imposing.

The cantata of "Esther" is likely to be a drawing card. The best local talent is engaged in it, and much interest is being manifested.

This being fine weather for farm work and a busy season too, the interior court is only attended by those who are compelled to be here.

About one dozen persons from Catawba county are in the city attending court in the case of the State vs. Bost and others for larceny.

There was quite a heavy frost in this vicinity yesterday morning. It is thought that fruit, tobacco plants and other vegetation was much damaged.

The case of the State vs. Bost and others for larceny will be called this morning. There are about one dozen witnesses in this case from Catawba county.

Notwithstanding yesterday morning was quite cool the day was warm and delightful and much enjoyed by the large number of visitors in the city in riding, driving, and strolling.

The trenches dug across the streets to put down water and gas pipes should be well filled and firmly rammed when the dirt is put back, the looseness with which it is done may result in somebody's horse falling. In this connection mention is made of loose planks across the sidewalks taken up for the same purpose, persons walking at night being liable to mishap.

Mr. N. W. Fain brought to our office yesterday the stuffed and mounted "loon" which was killed on French Broad a short time ago, and spoken of in the CITIZEN at the time. The work is exceedingly well done, each feather seems in place; the body is rounded seemingly as natural as life, with pose of head and position of feet that might will be assumed by the bird on some mossy bank. Mr. Fain's aptitude in taxidermy is wonderful.

The third quarterly conference was held at the First Methodist church Monday. The main business outside of the reports of the work of the church was the election of delegates for the district conference to be held at Hendersonville, June 21st. They are Messrs. J. E. Ray, J. D. DeVault, J. P. Kerr, W. F. Tomlinson, R. P. Walker, J. J. Hill. Alternates: H. A. Gudger, J. S. Adams, P. A. Cummings and Benj E. Atkins. The ministers of the church are also members of this body. The College Street mission chapel was transferred from the mission charge to the First church.

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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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.

Asheville had a fine delegation at the Hot Springs meeting yesterday.

Quite a number from the city will attend the public debate at Weaverville to-morrow night.

Mr. T. Tomlinson, proprietor of the popular Tate Springs, was at the Hot Springs yesterday.

Supt. O. M. Sadler, and Mr. W. J. Crosswell, of the Southern Express Co., are in the city.

Gov. Gordon, of Georgia, and Wm. Cohen, of the New York *World*, reached the city last night and stopped at Battery Park.

The closing exercises of Leicester high school began last night and will continue until Friday night. Several will go from Asheville.

Judging from the way our brick manufacturers are pushing their business, there will be more building done this season than usual.

We hear quite a number of Democrats advocating Capt. S. B. Alexander, of Mecklenburg, as the most available man for the next Governor.

Messrs. Bostic, Blanton, sold yesterday to Mr. C. M. Daugherty two lots in Lincoln Park. Also to Mr. Jonathan Mooney one lot in Shelby Park.

The new Catholic church at Hot Springs was dedicated yesterday, Cardinal Gibbons preaching the sermon. There were nine bishops and a number of priests present.

Col. J. K. Hoyt was to the city yesterday, and informs us that the recent cold spell has injured, to a certain extent, the grape vines. The Concord, he thinks, suffered most.

Mr. B. Walker received yesterday a machine for making about 40,000 pressed brick per day which is being placed on his yard in the eastern portion of the city by Mr. J. D. Bunn.

Let Us Prepare for Them.

The members of the immigration convention, as will be seen in our telegraphic columns are coming to Asheville. Some distinguished men are among them, men of national reputation, whom the citizens of Asheville will delight to honor. Let us put the best foot forward, and give them all a hearty and a pleasant welcome.

It behooves us to meet and for some plan of entertainment for them, while here. A reception committee should be appointed today, and such other matters arranged as will be right and proper.

The Mandamus Case Decided.

In the case of J. M. Israel, *et al.*, vs. the County Commissioners of Buncombe, tried at Webster last Tuesday, before Judge McRae, the mandamus was granted; the defendants demurred; the judge overruled demurrer; defendants demanded leave to answer. Messrs. Featherston, Loughran and others made application to be made parties defendant. This application was denied.

The defendants appealed to the Supreme Court. The appeal was granted, and the bond fixed at $50. As the Supreme court does not meet until December, and the election, if held, can only be held in June it defers an election until next June—twelve months—unless the commissioners refuses to accept the appeal.

The Great Convention

At Hot Springs is one of the most important, in purpose and personel, that ever was held in the South. Eleven Southern States were represented by intellectual and public spirited men, progressive men who, knowing the advantages of this beautiful South-land are earnest in desire to see other less favored people to see them, and unite with them selves in their development to the mutual good of all. Leaders of Virginia, Gov Gordon, of Georgia Richardson of South Carolina, splendid representative, of Southern progress, were there; distinguished prelates of the Catholic church, including his Eminence Cardinal Gibbons, gave their presence and encouragement to the meeting to promote the location of good people in this fair portion of man's greatest heritage. It is a great convention, met for a great purpose, well devised, and can only result in great good to the section. We unite with all North Carolinians in sincerely and heartily welcoming each and every one present to our State.

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. B. Lyons. apl13d&w1m

Fresh, Fashionable and Fine.

Williamson & Co having sold a good many of their carpets, have determined to replace the stock, not old, but on hand since winter, and will next week hang up entirely new patterns. They ordered a duplicate bill of all they have had on hand—in quality and quantity—and of the *newest* and *latest* patterns, unlike anything they have had.

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New carpets! new carpets! new patterns, new colors; every grade from common to fine, at Williamson & Co's. dtf

Pyrmonter is the name of a new imported table water, better and cheaper than Apollinaris, 15c. for full pint bottles, at CARMICHAEL'S Drug Store.

THE CONVENTION.

A LARGE DELEGATION.

AN ENTHUSIASTIC GATHERING AT HOT SPRINGS.

The Convention Will Come to Asheville in a Body on its Adjournment To-Day.

[Special Dispatch to Asheville Citizen.]

HOT SPRINGS, N. C., April 25.—The convention met at the Mountain Park hotel, in this place at 12 m. Gov. Fitzhugh Lee, of Virginia, was elected permanent chairman, and Luther R. Ransom, of South Carolina, was elected secretary. Governor Lee made an eloquent speech accepting the honor conferred upon him. Owing to the absence of Gov. Scales, Col. Wm. Johnson, of Charlotte, represented North Carolina in the convention, and welcomed the delegates. On the platform with Gov. Lee, his eminence Cardinal Gibbons, of Baltimore, Archbishop Elder, of Cincinnati, Gov. Gordon, of Georgia, Gov. Richardson, of S. Carolina, Maj. John D. Kelly, of New York and others. Eleven states were represented, viz: New York, Maryland, South Carolina, North Carolina, Georgia, Florida, Alabama Mississippi, Kentucky, Virginia and West Virginia. The delegation was very large. Speeches were made by Cardinal Gibbons, Bishop Becker, of Georgia, Kenney, of West Virginia, Northrop, of South Carolina, Gov. Gordon and others. Several leading newspapers were represented, the New York *World*, Baltimore *Sun*, New Orleans *Times-Democrat*, Norfolk *Virginian*, *News and Courier* and others. An invitation from the citizens of Asheville tendering the hospitality of the city was read and accepted. The convention will visit Asheville upon adjournment. A very large delegation from Asheville is present. The hotel is crowded with people. A most representative body of men is in session. The weather is fine and was delightful this morning. Cardinal Gibbons preached the sermon, Bishop Northrop dedicated the church, assisted by Rev. Father White, pastor, Archbishop Elder and other dignitaries from all points of the Union. Knoxville tendered an invitation to the convention to visit that city. The Knoxville delegation, sixty strong, was headed by J. Lutrell. About five hundred people are here and more are coming on to-night's train. Untold good will result to Western North Carolina from this meeting.

Cantata.

The cantatta of "Esther" will be rendered by a company composed of the city's best musical talent at the Opera Hall on Wednesday and Thursday nights next, under the auspices of the ladies of the Episcopal church. Handsome and elegant costumes have been ordered, and the cantata will be produced in a manner never before rendered here. The object is to purchase a new organ for the Episcopal church, and every one should go who can, and aid this commendable undertaking.

At the Hotels.

Among the arrivals at Battery Park last evening were: E. H. Harris, Boston; Mrs. Sam. Leonard and Miss Leonard, Philadelphia; Hugh M. Jonnson and wife, Great Barrington, Mass.; Mr. and Mrs. Edw. Marble, New Haven, Conn.; Duncan Wright, Petersburg, Va.

At the Swannanoa: N. S. Valk, Mrs. J. R. Steers, Miss M. A. Beach, Jos. D. Morgan, New York; A. V. Boatwright, Ga.; W. C. Arsell, Richmond; E. J. Wells, Newark, N. J.; J. G. Bynum, Morganton; Geo. Croft, Ohio.

At the Grand Central: S. F. Dalton, G. A. Selster, C. F. Camp and D. S. Wilcox.

In addition to these a goodly number arrived last night from Hot Springs and other points.

Margaret Salina—"Dar now, jess stop en cea de green pees—by golly—if here aint cabbage, and beets!! dat beats the d—."

"De laws a massey! Jess—didn't you knowed dat dis is de new Rackout Store? where you git so good cheep goods and—I'll be busted if here aint strawberries and all sorts of good vegitables."

Well, Margaret, I hear dat de drug will *git in* one *car ode* every day from Georgea—we will come when we git our crop planted and buy enuff to do us 'till Fall.

The above happy couple will be in to buy this morning—they will come early to avoid the rush. Very truly,
dlt LONG & GOODMAN

Hat Racks in fine woods, new shapes, at Williamson & Co's. dtf

Mrs. Ayer's New Life, Paine's Celery Compound, and Scotch Oats Essence are among the new remedies just received by
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Wire screen doors, and adjustable wire window screens at Williamson & Co's. Nothing like them for the summer. dtf

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No one that *wants* a carpet need go out of Williamson & Co.'s after looking at their new carpets, they are bound to be suited. dtf

LATE NEWS BRIEFS

Carefully Condensed from Mail and Wire.

The Emperor of Germany is steadily growing worse.

The Senate has confirmed the nomination of Ezekiel E. Smith to be minister to Liberia.

A bill has been reported in the Senate, for the erection of a public building at Fayetteville, N. C.

F. D Blake & Co. Woolen Commission merchants in New York city have failed, liabilities $150,000.

Slugger Sullivan has returned to America. He was granted permission to leave the vessel at quarantine.

Anthony Comstock has been arrested in New York City on a charge of conspiracy to oust the occupant of a saloon.

The Jones and Green feud still exists. Jones house has been burned, and the Joneses have ordered a lot of repeating rifles.

Gilmore's famous band will be at Knoxville, Tenn., April 30th, and perform under the auspices of the Y. M. C. A., for the benefit of the building fund.

Some of the New York papers say that Mr. Jas. Gordon Bennet provided General Boulanger with the sinews for his war on the voters of the Department du Nord.

He Franklin, a citizen of Morristown was killed on the railroad track night on the 24th. It is supposed that he was killed in trying to board a train, while under the influence of liquor.

"Dexter," the famous trotter died in New York, April 21st, at the stable of his owner, Mr. Robert Bonner. He was thirty years old. He was the first horse to trot a mile in 2.17 and cost Mr. Bonner $ 5,000.

Meet this Morning.

All subscribers to the fund for the entertainment of the Immigration Convention, and all citizens who desire to subscribe will please meet this morning at the First National Bank.

Coming To-day.

The convention decided last night, by a vote of 100 to 50, to come to Asheville to day on the 1 o'clock train. Our people must prepare to show these distinguished visitors the veritable "Promised Land."

Georgia Editors to Visit Murphy.

Murphy, N. C., has invited the members of the Georgia press to make her a visit. They have accepted the invitation, and have signified their intention to be there on May 11th. The party will be composed of about one hundred. The *Bulletin* rhapsodises over the coming event thusly:

"When the Georgia and North Carolina editors meet in Murphy on May 11th, they will fall upon each others neck and weep, because they can't all live in Murphy. They will 'swap' fish and snake yarns by the car load. O, ye editors, where is thy conscience?"

We wish them a pleasant visit, and we know our friends in Murphy will "put the big pot in the little one."

Charlotte *Chronicle*: Capt R. S. Carter, who was a long time on the police force of this city, but who is now agent of the Carolina Central Railroad Company at Cronly, has been honored with a gold headed cane. The Concord *Standard* tells us about it: "Capt. Carter must have been a gallant soldier during the days that tried men's souls. In a skirmish in the eastern part of the State he and his men killed and captured a small company of Federal soldiers. Among the number killed was the captain, Julius Bassett, whose sword was taken by Capt. Carter. About three years ago he advertised it in some Northern papers, and shortly afterwards the son of the Federal captain sent for the sword, for which he presented Capt. Carter with a beautiful gold headed cane. Another link in the chain of bitterness broken.

Professonial Etiquette

prevents some doctors from advertising their skill, but we are bound by no such conventional rules and think that if we make a discovery that is of benefit to our fellows, we ought to spread the fact to the whole land. Therefore we cause to be published throughout the land the fact that Dr. R. V. Pierce's "Golden Medical Discovery" is the best known remedy for consumption (scrofula of the lungs) and kindred diseases. Send 10 cents in stamps for Dr. Pierce's complete treatise on consumption, with unsurpassed means of self treatment. Address World's Dispensary Medical Association, 663 Main Street, Buffalo, N. Y.
apl 22 d3t

To Ice Consumers.

The Asheville Ice and Coal Company is ready to serve any who may want ice. They desire that their customers should report any irregularity or dissatisfaction to their office, Barnard Building, Patton Avenue. apl 9 d2w

Thoroughbred Plymouth Rock Eggs for sale. H. A. LINDSEY,
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A few of those *ever lasting* wire screens left at Williamson & Co's. Call and get one before they are all gone. dtf

Whittemore's Gilt Edge Shoe Dressing is the best in the world, and the only polish that contains oil, softens and preserves the leather. Try it, and you will use no other. For sale by
W. C. CARMICHAEL
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Admits the air, and keeps out the flies, bugs, and mosquitoes; the wire screen doors and adjustable wire window screens at Williamson & Co's. dtf

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

STATE NEWS.

The town of Harrellsville in Hertford county, was almost totally destroyed by fire on the 23d. Loss $75,000; no insurance.

The sum of $8,500 was secured for a building of the Y. M. C. A. in Wilmington, through the efforts of Rev. Mr. Pearson.—*Durham Recorder.*

Colonel J. M. Leach, jr., is to be married in July, says the Thomasville *Gazette*, to one of the most accomplished daughters of Virginia, Miss Lucy Green of Culpeper county.

A correspondent of the Mount Airy *News* advocates the name of J. Turner Morehead, of Leaksville, Rockingham county, as a suitable candidate for Congress, in the 5th district.

The Wilmington *Review* says: Mr. Herbert McClammy has accepted an invitation extended to him by the Ladies Memorial Association to deliver an address on memorial day.

Newberne *Journal*: The Powderhorn for Governor seems to be on the increase. Stedman having got a running start will be hard to overtake. The interested in this section are looking on and waiting developments, since Jarvis and Clark are declared off.

Elizabeth City *Economist*: We have abundant pasturage land and a sparse population, and with such agricultural conditions, our interest is to raise stock, stock of all kinds, from a goose and ticky calf, to a bandied horse. That system will solve the labor problem, so most complained of in most parts of North Carolina.

The Sanford *Express* says: Tuesday the grand jury found a true bill against D. F. St. Clair, Editor of this paper, alleging that he had maliciously libeled Judge Fred Phillips in the *Express* of February 24th. Thus another editor has been called into court to give an account for the reason that it is within him. Getting into court costs money, but our friends must not fear as we know what we were doing and are ready to face the music.

Cousin Lucy's Bear-kin.

A Cincinnati lady tells a good story of an experience she had several years ago with a New Orleans cousin who was visiting her, and who with all his freshness as to Northern ways and fashions, was exceedingly polite. The time was winter, when large muffs were the proper caper here, and muffs in the Crescent City were unknown. The first day out for a walk the New Orleans young gentleman, noticed his fair cousin supporting the huge muff, mistook it for a bandan and said: "Cousin Lucy, let me tote you' bahskin for you?" "No, Cousin Thomas," responded the companion; "all the young ladies in Cincinnati carry them as you see it's the fashion." "Well I never saw but one at them bef—" replied the young Chesterfield, "an I thought that was in New Orleans, and a young lady was not totin it, either. It was in front of a brass bunt and on the head of a Dawn Majah."—*New Orleans Picayune.*

The original 4 enemies are earth, air, fire and water. Fire is the most destructive and water is the most powerful. Fire water, therefore forms a combination that is a teaser.

An Indiana judge did not know what a cartoon was. A lawyer sketched the body of a jackass with his the judge's head and face attached as a specimen and was promptly fined $25 for contempt of court.

A young preacher picked up Bishop Pierce's hat and put it on his own head, and it was exactly a fit. "Why, Bishop," said he, "your head and mine are exactly the same size." "Yes," replied the Bishop, "on the outside."

WHITLOCK'S
New Clothing Department.

In order to supply our numerous patrons with a new class of Clothing for Men, Boys and children, I have opened a new place two doors below "Whitlock's Corner" where I am prepared to offer a *complete new stock* of the most stylish, best fitting, and *best made fine clothing* that have yet been put on this market. The prices will be reasonable and *uniform to all.*

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.

Doubling Up.

In mid season, Williamson & Co have doubled their immense sons of goods. Think of this and know that you can get what you want there. dtf

Advertisers, Notice.

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

Williamson & Co have the *sole* agency for those beautiful Hat Racks, with circular plate glass mirrors. Nothing like them on this market. No one else can get them. Made by the same company who make the *latest thing* in Bed Room Suits—to which they correspond. dtf

Attention, Democrats.

There will be a meeting of the Democratic Executive Committee of Buncombe county at my office in the city of Asheville on Saturday, April 28, 1888.

All the members of the committee are earnestly urged to be present as there will be important business to transact. April 22d, 1888.

H. B. CARTER,
Ch'm Co. Dem. Ex. Com.

A Narrow Escape.

Mr. Burt Webster of this city and a lady friend from Hendersonville had a very near meeting with a serious accident last Sunday morning while driving down Haywood street. Just as they were descending the hill at a rapid rate near river side church the horse began kicking, lodging one leg over the singletree which frightened the animal, and in the effort to run it tumbled down an embankment for some twenty yards with buggy and occupants, but remarkable to say neither Mr. Webster, his lady friend nor the horse were hurt to any extent. The buggy was only slightly wrecked.

The imaginative special once more moves the Pope from Rome across the Atlantic. By the time he is to be located in Mexico, where the Republic is ready to receive him a piece of land to make temporal independance. This midsummer ecclesiastical sensation is built upon the prospect of complications growing out of the Civil Bill of the Italian Chamber of Deputies, and the presence of Rome of the Bishop of Chilapa. As the Mexican prelate is paying a belated jubilee visit, that portion of the foundation of the story, at least, cannot be regarded as strong.

Syrup of Figs.

Is Nature's own true laxative. It is the most easily taken, and the most effective remedy known to Cleanse the System when Bilious or Costive; to dispel Headaches, Colds, and Fevers; to Cure Habitual Constipation, Indigestion, Piles, etc. Manufactured only by the California Fig Syrup Company, San Francisco, Cal. For sale by H. B. Lyons.

Circulate the Citizen.

It is a little over seven months to the first of December, the end of the campaign year. A most important contest is to be fought out this year, one upon which every voter ought to inform himself. In order to get the largest possible circulation of the CITIZEN we will send it as follows, to clubs, money to accompany every order:

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THE WEEKLY CITIZEN.

In clubs of five or more, fifty cents each until December 1st, cash.

Get up clubs. Wherever the DAILY can reach circulate it. Wherever the WEEKLY can reach, circulate it. It will do the country good. Send in clubs, with the cash.

Some New and Readable Novels.

Original Belle, E. P. Roe's List Work, sent by mail 30 cents.
One Maid's Mischief by Fenn.
The Man's Wife. " "
To Love and Be Loved, by E. P. Roe; Only a Coal Girl; A True Magdalen by Clay; Camille, by Dumas; Clarice, St. Michael, by Werner; Count Stolstoll's lost two uncles; Nans Curse, House of Tears, A Queer Race, A Frolic one Girl and a hundred of others to select from. New Libraries arrive each week. The latest magazines and daily papers always on sale; North Carolina Views and Guides, also Stereoscopic views, and Souvenir Albums. A well selected stock of stationery of every description; Base Ball supplies, Tops and Marbles. Toy Books; agency for Linen and Lisle Sleeches, Checks and Badges.

Mail orders promptly filled and goods not in stock ordered without extra charge.

CARSON'S
Stationery and News Stand,
by the Post Office.

Williamson & Co. have on hand yet, some of those wire mats, that no one has ever seen but says they are *the thing.* dtf

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Spot Cash Store!

New goods coming in every day and night.
Dress Goods! Dress Goods! Dress Goods! Ginghams! Ginghams!! White Goods! Crossed Barred Muslins, (Lawns and Percales). Shoe Blacking at 10c. per dozen boxes;
Carts Goods, Straw Hats and Shoe Blacking at 10c. per dozen boxes;
Hamburg Edgings, Swiss Edgings, and Blacking at 10c. per dozen boxes, with Buttons to Match;
Silk, Linen, and Cotton Lace, Netting, Mosquitoe Bar, and Blacking at 10c. per dozen boxes, with Trimmings to Match;
Bleached Domestics in such brands as New York Mills at 12½, Wamasuta at 12½, Lonsdale at 12½, Fruit of Loom at 10c. per yard, and Blacking at 10c. per dozen boxes;
Figured Lawns, Baptiste Cloth, French Zang Cloth, Irish Ostoska Cloth, Italian Gobim Cloth, Table Linen in white and colored, with Napkins to match, and Blacking at 10c. per dozen boxes;
Cotton Yarn, Summer Silks, Fine Dress, Trimmings of all kinds, Button Braids, Blacking at 10c. per dozen boxes;
Towels, Bed Quilts, Blankets, Plush, Satcens, Black Silks and Blacking at 10c per dozen boxes;
Valises, Oil Painting, Oil Table Cloths, Ladies' Shoes, every pair warranted, and Blacking at 10c per dozen boxes;
Men's Shoes, in high and low cut, Cotton Plaids, Heavy Domestics, and Blacking at 10c per dozen boxes;
Fine Black Dress Goods, Ladies' handmade Shoes, Slippers and Blacking at 10c per dozen boxes;
Lots more soon, and Blacking at 10c per dozen boxes.

W. H. LEA,
Asheville, N.C.
New York office No. 4 & 986 Broadway.

FOR SALE.

The Catholic Church Property
on Eagle and Valley streets, containing
Seven Acres
and a half more or less with well built
Brick Church and Rectory
is now for sale on reasonable terms.
Apply to
apl 22 d1mo REV. J. B. WHITE,
on the premises.

CHANGING

Our advertisement this week goes on an opportunely to [illegible]

who have [illegible] made some time [illegible]

Our Trade is Booming

and our lower prices may [illegible] for. We scarcely think there [illegible] been reached on some goods.

We are now receiving this week the largest [illegible]

BEST SELECTED STOCK

that we have ever had in our store. Having it all bought [illegible] and to light at the lowest [illegible] and patronage cannot [illegible] extremely one to sell for cash.

This means that we have simply bought some

Immense Bargains

and propose to share them as such.
Thankfully yours

SUGARS

Index [illegible] Sugars [illegible] We quote:

Standard Granulated	12lb	$1.00
Coffee "	14 "	1.00
Yellow "	17 "	1.00

COFFEE

is [illegible] higher and [illegible] very firm. We still hold prices [illegible] Green Rice at 6 lb. for 25c.

For Good Coffee.

Arioca 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.

1 lb. Canned Beef at 15 cts.		
2 lb " " 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 wharf on arrival, and you can rely on 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 55 cts. per dozen.
Blacking at 20 cts. per dozen,
Blacking from 25c. 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 Cloth: Y. H. Tea, 50 cents per lb.
" G. P. Tea, 50 cents per lb.
" B. Tea, 60 cents per lb.
Best 2 lb. Tomatoes at 21 cts. per doz.

Good 2 lb. Corn	"	12½ " "
Hard 2 lb. Peach	"	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 Grits	" 3½	"
Oat Meal	" 5	"
Oat Flakes	" 12	"
Soda Crackers	" 7	"
Waterloo Flour	" 2.25 per sack	
Blue Star	" 2.00	"
Obelisk	" 3.00	"

Our assertion that Obelisk Flour is the best has been fully borne out by many of the best judges in W. N. C. We now have a carload of fresh flour in this week.

We have on hand yet a few dozen brooms that we will close out a from 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 order through the mails, we will say that your orders will receive the same care and attention as if given by person.

Respectfully,
POWELL & SNIDER