

# Whitlock Clothing House

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Custom Clothing at our prices. We make clothing to order and do it well at small profit. We can save you from \$5 to \$10 on the suit and \$2 to \$3 on a pair of trousers. TRY US! We have just received the largest assortment of Gloves and Neckwear for Christmas presents ever brought to the city. See them in our windows.

# Whitlock Clothing House.



## Live 100 Years

Drink Pure Water aerated with sterilized air—the only absolutely pure water—and you may.

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for family use distills pure water. Made of copper, lined with block tin; easily cleaned; simple as a tea kettle; fits any gas, oil, coal or wood stove. Four styles, \$10.00 and upward. Write for booklet.

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Asheville Candy Kitchen,  
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PHONE 110.

### COMING AND GOING.

Personal Notes About Home Folks and Visitors

R. J. Galloway of Winston, is in the city.  
F. C. Hunt of Knoxville, is at the Berkeley.  
Frederick Rullledge is away on business.  
R. L. Porter of Franklin, was here yesterday.  
S. A. Jones of Hillsboro, was here yesterday.  
Editor Shipman of Hendersonville, is in town.  
C. P. Spaulding arrived last night from Atlanta.  
T. E. Holland of New Orleans, is at the Berkeley.

A. B. Bullam was here from Franklin yesterday.  
Edward H. Gaines of Winston, was here yesterday.  
John L. Forda of New York, is at the Swannanoa.

Thomas McBee of Salisbury, has been here for several days.

George W. Johnson arrived last night from Atlanta.

J. B. Michael of Knoxville, is here for a few days' stay.

John B. Crocker of Hamilton, Ohio, arrived last evening.

F. A. Knowles of Cincinnati, arrived yesterday afternoon.

E. B. Hartman of Hendersonville, was in the city yesterday.

David Evans and William Freeman of Chicago, are at the Glen Rock.

Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Marshall of Middletown, Ohio, were among yesterday's arrivals.

J. H. McAden and George E. Wilson of Charlotte, were among yesterday's arrivals.

D. W. Vaughn and Prof. J. V. Maurice of New York, were among yesterday's arrivals.

Prof. Rossel and his optician, Mr. L. B. Thornton, left for Washington on the early train this morning.

J. H. Tucker, James M. Brookshire of Baltimore and Rev. T. M. Honeycutt of Mars Hill, have gone to Oxford, to be present at the Baptist state convention.

### IT IS EASY TO TELL.

People who fail to look after their health are like the carpenter who neglects to sharpen his tools. People are not apt to get anxious about their health soon enough. If you are "not quite well" or "half sick" have you ever thought that your kidneys may be the cause of your sickness?

It is easy to tell by setting aside your urine for twenty-four hours; a sediment or settling indicates an unhealthy condition of the kidneys. When urine stains linen it is evidence of kidney trouble. Too frequent desire to urinate, scanty supply, pain or dull ache in the back is also convincing proof that the kidneys and bladder are out of order.

There is satisfaction in knowing that the great remedy Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, fulfills every wish in relieving weak or diseased kidneys and all forms of bladder and urinary troubles. Not only does Swamp-Root give new life and activity to the kidneys—the cause of the trouble, but by treating the kidneys it acts as a tonic for the entire constitution. If you need a medicine take Swamp-Root—it cures. Sold by druggists, price fifty cents and one dollar, or by sending your address and the name of this paper to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., you may have a sample bottle of this great discovery sent to you free by mail.

This is positively the last week Madam Elrado will be here. Don't miss the opportunity to have your hand read, at the Eagle Hotel, 64½ South Main street.

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(In Water Color.)

Local Scenery and Character Studies.  
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Miniature painting, Portraits in crayon, oil and water colors. Menu cards decorated.  
Instructions given in drawing and painting.

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For Ten Cents

AT THE  
**5 & 10c. Store,**  
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### HOUSEHOLD GODS.

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### Perseus and Andromeda.

"I have come," announced Perseus, "to strike off thy chains!" Andromeda cast down her eyes and fingered her dance programme nervously. "Do you really think the level gear is an assured success?" she finally faltered. It was rather difficult, in fact, for the unhappy maiden to protect her own interests and yet not appear ungrateful.—Detroit Journal.

It is not generally known that by an act of the English parliament, passed in 1855, it is enacted that all wedding rings must be of standard gold, the enactment being intended more to raise the amount of the gold duties than to protect the public from imitations.

Find a way or make one. Everything is either pusher or pushed. The world always listens to a man with a will in him.—Marden.

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A SPECIALTY Primary, Secondary, Tertiary, or any form of BLOOD POISON permanently cured in 15 to 35 days. You can be treated at home for same price under same guarantee. If you prefer to come here we will contract to pay railroad fares and hotel bills and no charge, if we fail to cure. If you have taken mercury, iodide, potassium, and still have aches and pains, Mucous Patches in mouth, Sore Throat, Pimples, Copper Colored Spots, Ulcers on any part of the body, Hair or Eyebrows falling out, it is this Secondary BLOOD POISON we guarantee to cure. We solicit the most obstinate cases. \$100,000 capital behind our unconditional guaranty. Absolute proofs sent sealed on application. Address **COOK REMEDY CO., 675 Masonic Temple, CHICAGO, ILL.**

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39 NORTH MAIN ST.,

and now is your opportunity to prepare for the cold day, by at once taking advantage, as many are doing, of the bargains offered in Men's Underwear and Sweaters, Men's and Boys' Suits and Overcoats, Hats, Caps, Gloves, &c.

T. S. MORRISON & Co.,

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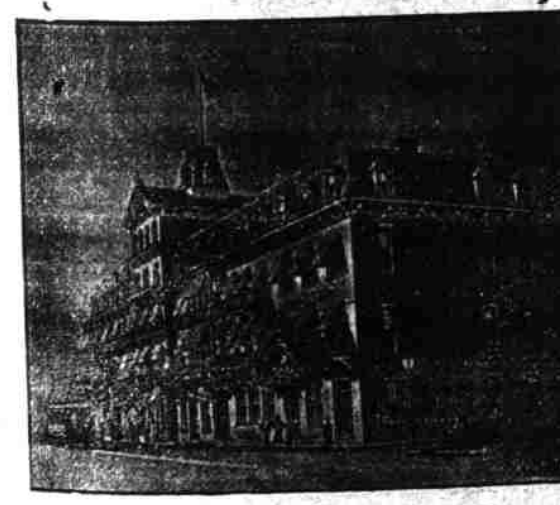
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Dolls,  
Trains,  
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