

# Whitlock Clothing House

41 PATTON AVENUE.

## READY-MADE CLOTHING AT COST.

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.

## The Sanitary Still

for family use distills pure water. Made of copper, lined with black 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.

The Cuprigraph Co.,  
105 North Green St.  
CHICAGO, ILLS.



## A Paradise for Santa Claus,

where he makes his headquarters during the Yuletide festivities, is the establishment that makes the finest display of rich and delicious bon-bons, caramels and chocolates. He finds it here. We have an array of exquisite confections put up in tempting boxes, handsome packages suitable for Christmas gifts and the adornment of the Christmas tree.

Asheville Candy Kitchen,  
L. M. THEOBOLD, Prop.  
PHONE 110.

### COMING AND GOING.

#### Personal Notes About Home Folks and Visitors

W. N. Cooper of Murphy, is in the city.  
E. R. Hampton of Sylva, was here yesterday.  
H. E. Evans of Lynchburg, is at the Berkeley.  
Dr. G. W. Purefoy went to Hendersonville yesterday.  
John Y. Jordan has returned from a trip to Yancey.  
Clifford Wiley of Paris, Ill., is at the Swannanoa.  
J. H. Spratt of Sapphire, spent yesterday in the city.  
Joseph Blumenthal of Philadelphia, is here on business.  
William Jose of Washington, was among yesterday's arrivals.  
W. E. Haverstock of Philadelphia, was among yesterday's arrivals.  
P. C. Westmoreland of St. Louis, arrived yesterday afternoon.  
J. R. Stewart, who has recently returned from a trip to Europe, is in the city.  
Porter A. McMaster of Columbia, S. C., arrived last evening and is at the Berkeley.

Miss Nan J. Weaver of Weaverville, has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Judge H. B. Carter, Chestnut street.

Jacob Ambler, Mrs. D. C. Ambler, and Mrs. J. R. Vernon of Salem, Ohio, are visiting at Dr. C. P. Ambler's at the Winyaa.

Mr. Ernest L. Roberts, who has been engaged professionally in the court here, left for his home, Athens, Tenn., yesterday.

Henry A. Smith, representing the district deputy of the Benevolent Protective order of Elks, has been here for several days in the interest of the organization of the proposed lodge of Elks here.

#### 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 dul 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, fulfils 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.

#### CONSUMPTION POSITIVELY CURED.

Mr. R. B. Greeve, merchant of Chilhowie, Va., certifies that he had consumption, was given up to die, sought all medical treatment that money could procure, tried all cough remedies he could hear of, but got no relief, spent many nights sitting up in a chair; was induced to try Dr. King's New Discovery, and was cured by the use of two bottles. For past three years has been attending to business and says Dr. King's New Discovery is the grandest remedy ever made, as it has done so much for him and also for others in his community. Dr. King's New Discovery is guaranteed for Coughs, Colds and Consumption. It don't fail. Trial bottles free at T. C. Smith's drug store and Pelham's Pharmacy.

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, 64 1/2 South Main street.

#### SOUVENIR SKETCHES.....

Local Scenery and Character Studies.  
Room 33, Temple Court, Patton Avenue.

#### MRS. C. B. INGRAM,

FRENCH BROAD AVENUE, CORNER HAYWOOD STREET.  
Miniature painting, Portraits in crayon, oil and water colors. Menu cards decorated. Instructions given in drawing and painting. wed-4-w.

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#### PERFECT MANHOOD

The world admires the perfect man! Got courage, dignity, or muscular development gone, but that subtle and wonderful force known as **SEXUAL VITALITY** which is the glory of manhood—the pride of both old and young, but there are thousands of men suffering the real tortures of a weakened manhood, shattered nerves, and falling sexual power who can be cured by our **Magical Treatment** which may be taken at home under our directions or we will pay \$2.00 fare and hotel bills for those who wish to come here, if we fail to cure. We have no free prescriptions, free cure or C.O.D. take. We have \$100.00 capital and guarantee a cure every case we treat or refund every dollar you pay us, or fee may be deposited in any bank to be paid when a cure is effected. Write for full particulars.  
**STATE MEDICAL CO., Omaha, Neb.**

Our large room is filled with holiday goods.

## Toys, China Glassware, Novelties.

Come and See Them AT THE

# 5 & 10c. Store,

30 Patton Avenue, Asheville, N. C.

## Grand Opera House Monday, Dec. 13.

### INTEREST YOU SURE.

The mere announcement of a Yale show coming means it's worthy of your immediate attention. On the above date Chas. H. Yale's greatest spectacle,

## THE TWELVE TEMPTATIONS

with a company of 60 people, will be with you. The performance embraces all kinds of stage amusements skillfully and deftly rolled into one gigantic whole.

Seat sale opens Friday at Heintz & Reagan's. First time here at regular prices, 25, 50, 75c. and \$1.

## BLOOD POISON

A SPECIALTY. Primary, Secondary BLOOD POISON permanently cured in 15 to 30 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 fare and hotel bills and no charge, if we fail to cure. If you have taken mercury, iodine, potassium, and still have aches and pains, mucous patches in mouth, sore throats, 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 and challenge the world for a cure. This disease has always baffled the skill of the most eminent physicians. \$100.000 capital behind our unconditional guaranty. Absolute proof sent sealed application. Address **COOK REMEDY CO., 675 Masonic Temple, CHICAGO, ILL.**

# A COLD DAY

Will surely come. If well clad you do not shiver because of a drop in temperature. There has already been a big drop in prices at the

## CLOSING OUT SALE

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.,

39 NORTH MAIN STREET.

## A. STERNBERG

Old Ched's Change of Business. Dealer in—Hides, Skins, Furs, Tallow, Beeswax, Wool, Etc.

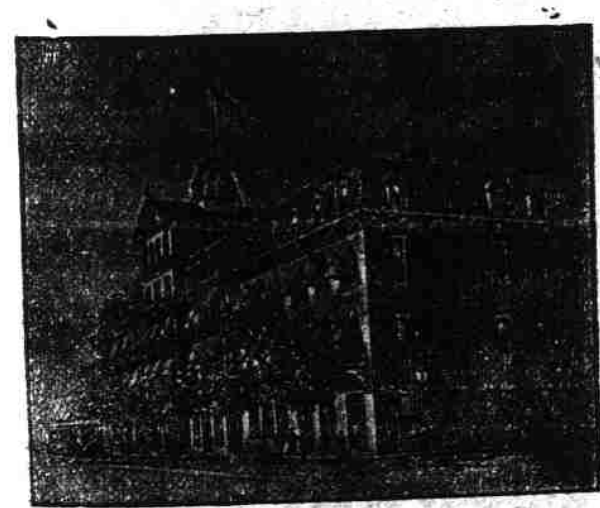
I will pay the highest market cash price for the above articles. Address me at 50 Bailey Street, and I will call. 253-26.

## WINE! WINE!

At 50 Cents Per Gallon. In lots of five or more gallons. ADDRESS THE **PACOLET GRAPE JUICE CO., TRYON, N. C.**

ELECTRIC CARS PASS THE HOUSE **HOTEL BERKELEY** Cuisine and Appointments Unsurpassed Location Central. The Berkeley is an up-to-date hotel. Has all the comforts of a modern home and is Equally Desirable for Families and Transient Guests. **FRANK LOUGHRAN, Proprietor.**

# The Swannanoa



The popularity of . . . The Swannanoa is due to its central location, its home-like atmosphere, the excellence of its cuisine and its very moderate prices. Steam heat, gas and electric lights. Large sample rooms. **F. A. LINCOLN & CO.,** Asheville, N. C. Proprietors Main Street—On Car Line

**BOARD.** 13 STARNES AVENUE. Furnishings almost entirely new. Table supplied with the best. **Mrs. Mary S. Sevier.**

**THE GROVE HOUSE,** Mrs. KOPPELBERG, 31 Grove street, Asheville, N. C. House nicely papered and furnished throughout. Halls well heated. Baths, hot and cold water. Modern conveniences. Northern cooking. Near street car line.

**WANTED.** Four refined, healthy boarders with vigorous appetites, for the winter at Esmeralda Inn, Hickory Nut Gap, situated amidst the finest scenery and climate on this continent.—Thomas Turner.

## Toys and Dolls

Two floors full of—Toys, Dolls, Drums, Wagons, Doll Carriages, Pipes, Cigars, Books, Stationery, Cutlery, Sleds, Fireworks, Silver Novelties, Souvenirs, Canes, Umbrellas.

## The Smith Premier



Typewriter is endorsed by the U. S. government. What more do you want, the earth? If you know anything at all about it, you know it's the best. **L. B. ALEXANDER, Agt., 50 Patton Ave.**

**RAY'S CUT RATE BOOK STORE.** 8 North Court Square.

# We Did Not Anticipate

Such large sales on our \$10 suits for \$7.50. Expected to run a little longer but they won't hold out at the rate they are going so we now offer all boys' and youths' suits, extra pants, reefers, overcoats, and ulsters at absolute cost. Don't come after the sale is over and say you wish you had. You will get no sympathy from us. We notify you in due time and give you a rare chance to secure genuine snaps.

Suits in cheviots, worsted and tricot, prettily trimmed and substantially made. Reefers, Sizes 3 to 20. Plain and cape overcoats and ulsters in chinchilla, astrachan, beaver, and frieze—Sizes 3 to 20. In connection with the above we will sell our 50c boy's waists for 39c, 75c waists for 50c. These in flannel, percale and linen.

## Alexander & Courtney

Drhumor Block. 50 Patton Avenue.