

...THE... BIG BALTIMORE

10 and 12 Patton Avenue.

Our New York buyer has kept us busy this past week unpacking New Fall goods of all descriptions and the result is that

We're Pushing OUT New Fall-Goods

at lower prices than other stores are offering their "left overs" from Summer Stocks.

But then, that's nothing new for us, we've been the leaders in low prices for many years. People expect to buy cheaper here than anywhere else, and they're never disappointed.

Our Special Sale last week on Dress Goods and Shoes has been a great success and we shall continue same for this week.

THE NEW BLACK CREPONS.

The style forecast predicts a wide wearing of Crepons this fall and winter, especially in blacks, which are more beautiful than ever.

A score of pretty patterns, crisp and new, are on show in our Black Dress Goods Department this week.

Mohair Figured Crepons, worth \$1.25 at 88c.

Mohair Crepons, worth \$1.75, at \$1.15.
Mohair Crepons, worth \$2.00, at \$1.48.
Silk Figured Crepons, worth \$3.00, at \$1.98.

Silk Figured Crepons, worth \$4.00, at \$2.48.

Scotch and other Plaids, a new selection of beautiful styles at 48c and 73c.

Suitings, Serges, Mohairs, etc., at popular prices.

Just received 100 pieces of Percales in new fall styles, all new designs, at 7 1-2, 10 and 12 1-2c.

54-inch wide Dress Flannels, cheap at 50c, for this week 39c.

300 pieces of Flannelettes at 5c, 8c, and 10c; the best goods for the money ever shown.

Just received about 120 cases of shoes which will be put on sale this week.

School Shoes for Boys and Girls, Ladies' Walking Shoes, Ladies' Dress Shoes, Men's Shoes for solid comfort, and all other kinds.

Look at our shoe prices, it will pay you.

The remaining stock of Summer Goods will be disposed of REGARDLESS OF COST.

Our home buyer will leave this week for the northern markets. Watch this space; we will give you interesting reading about styles, quality and prices.

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CAROLINA NEWS

Interesting Items from Various Parts of the State.

Glimpses of Life and Progress in the Land of the Sky.

Notes Gathered for the Gazette and Selections from Latest North Carolina Newspapers.

The enrollment of Mars Hill college has passed the 200 mark. There are 205 on the roll, representing twenty counties in five states.—Mars Hill Enterprise.

A check for \$12,327.05, the second payment on the war claims of the state against the government, was sent from Washington Saturday. There are still claims to the amount of \$9,166.05 unpaid.

Work is now actively in progress on both the alumni buildings and the Julian S. Carr building at the University of North Carolina. Both buildings will be of first-quality gray brick. The designs are striking.

A big copper mining company was incorporated under the secretary of state Saturday. Mr. Ed. Chambers Smith was the promoter of the scheme.

Beauty Is Blood Deep.

Clean blood means a clean skin. No beauty without it. Cascarets, Candy Cathartic clean your blood and keep it clean, by stirring up the lazy liver and driving all impurities from the body. Begin to-day to banish pimples, boils, blotches, blackheads, and that sickly bilious complexion by taking Cascarets—beauty for ten cents. All drug gists, satisfaction guaranteed. 10c, 25c, 50c.

The Copperville Mining company is the name. Rich mines of copper have been discovered in Wake county.

then the train came along, the pilot of the engine plowed into it, raising such a dust that the train had to stop and the dirt had to be scraped away before it could proceed. It got in among the wheels of the engine and was playing smash.—Greensboro Record.

The demand for labor by the railroads and the building trades is greater here than ever. An idle man is the victim of his own laziness. Railroad people here say they daily receive inquiries as to the prospect of securing laborers here.—Raleigh Cor. Charlotte Observer.

Supervisor Summerville, at the Hall-fax farm, against whom witnesses made charges of cruelty to convicts last February, has sued one newspaper for libel. It is said that this was done at the suggestion of Superintendent W. H. Day and that some other papers are to be sued.

John Hill, a son of M. D. Hill of this city, shot and killed a carrier pigeon Saturday which belonged to John Shepherd, 1115 South 15th street, Philadelphia. The number of the pigeon was 6955, and stamped on its wings was: "Give me food and water and let me go." Unfortunately for the bird, it was taken for a wild one and shot by Mr. Hill. Also its mate, which was marked, "F" was killed by the same shot.—Rutherfordton Press.

We have all heard of trains being stopped by grasshoppers out in Kansas, the wheels grinding them up into

MEN AND WOMEN Kidney trouble preys up on the mind, discourages and lessens ambition; beauty, vigor and cheerfulness soon disappear when the kidneys are out of order or diseased. For pleasing results use Dr. Kilmer's Swamp Root, the great kidney remedy. At druggists. Sample bottle by mail free, also pamphlet. Address, Dr. Kilmer & Co., Birmingham, N. Y.

grease and making the tracks so slick that the wheels would not turn. We have nothing like this in North Carolina, however; but a train was stopped yesterday on the F. C. division of the Southern by dust. Just this side of Pleasant Garden a lot of ballast had been put down. It is supposed it had not been levelled down low enough and

Mr. R. S. McClamorch returned last night from a very successful trip through the western part of the state. He sold for his concern fifty-eight mantels, ranging from five to forty dollars, to the new sanitarium at Asheville, N. C. This concern, though only a few years old in the business, cut quite a figure in the mantel business of the southern states and even other markets. They have just recently shipped some very good orders in the far southern hustling city of Tampa, Fla. These young men are hustlers and well deserve the success they have attained in so short a time.—Greensboro Record.

From the large number of lumber wagons in town today from the surrounding country and nearby saw mills we feel safe in saying Hickory is the largest lumber center in this division of the Southern railway. Hutton & Bourbonnais load from two to three carloads of boxes a day, besides other classes of material in keeping with their manufacture. In speaking of Hickory's manufactures, I cannot omit a new enterprise owned by Abernethy, Whitener & Co. in the way of a collar manufactory. They have quite an output and a business of which they do not have to solicit the trade. Orders are now far in advance of their work. They secure material for all classes of their work right here in the city for our tannery and manufacturers.—Hickory Cor. Charlotte Observer.

The Winston horse show, in conjunction with which will be held the Forsyth county agricultural fair, October 24-29, will supersede the annual tobacco fairs, and is attracting much attention, says the Salisbury Sun. A half-mile race track, which, it is believed, will be the finest in the south, is being constructed. There will be a spacious modern grand stand, a large exhibition hall, a restaurant building, stables, etc., with complete equipment for a great show. A street for a midway is being laid off and will be lined on each side with genuinely meritorious attractions, selected from a large number offering. The site of the show is about one mile north of Winston and is naturally beautiful. It is expected to have at least one thousand horses participating, many of them from the north and the west and famous on the track. The purses will be liberal.

Dallas Scoggins, an 18-year-old boy, and Miss Mattie Creed, aged 14 years, were to be married last night, but the groom was kidnapped and taken away from the blushing bride just as she was approaching the altar leaning on his arm, says the Durham Herald. The ceremony was to take place at the residence of the bride's parents and quite a crowd had gathered to witness the ceremony. The bridal procession was formed and wended its way from one room to another, where the ceremony was to be performed, when the groom was suddenly seized and hustled out of the room and off from the residence of his bride. The thing was done so suddenly that few of the guests realized what had happened. The plans of the kidnapping were well laid and neatly executed, and the young woman, instead of being the happy bride that she confidently expected to be, is still single. The kidnapers of the groom are supposed to be his brothers, but, in the confusion incident to getting him out of the room, no one could hardly tell who they were.

The news from Hyde county is of a very bad nature, says the Newbern Journal. The county is so low that the big tide of last week's storm covered much of the lowlands and the corn and other crops were destroyed by the combined force of wind and waves. The land, being overflowed by the salt water, puts it in bad condition, entailing additional loss in the future. It is reported that the flood swept over all barriers and flowed into Mattemuskeet Lake, carrying away buildings, fences and all kinds of property. At Swan Quarter an oyster factory was about completed by northern people for the fall business and it was entirely destroyed. The losses suffered by fishermen in eastern Carolina waters and damage inflicted upon coast property does not represent the only losses sustained in this section from the West Indian hurricane. From Pamlico, Craven and Jones counties reports from the farmers show that in the way of destruction of crops their losses have been most severe. In these counties the wind blew the corn fodder in o sheads, besides blowing down corn stalks, and in many localities no fodder will be gathered. While most of the tobacco was gathered, yet this crop also suffered. Cotton damage ranges from a third to a half. In Pamlico the loss to the potato crop is said to be large, as the continued and heavy rains rotted the potatoes in the ground.

Hamilton Clark of Chauncey, Ga., says he suffered with itching piles twenty years before trying DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve, two boxes of which completely cured him. Beware of worthless and dangerous counterfeits. Paragon Pharmacy.

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SOUTHERN RAILWAY.

IN EFFECT JULY 16, 1899.

No. 37-11, No. 35, No. 33.	Eastern Time.	Nos. 12-38, No. 36, No. 34.
4.30pm	12.05am	Lv New York Ar. 12.43pm 6.35am
6.55pm	3.50am	Lv Philadelphia Ar. 10.15am 2.56am
9.20pm	6.22am	Lv Baltimore Ar. 8.00am 11.25pm
10.43pm	11.15am	Lv Washington Ar. 6.42am 9.05pm
6.10am	6.07pm	Lv Danville Ar. 11.25pm 1.30pm
12.10am	12.01pm	Lv Richmond Ar. 6.40am 6.25pm
8.35pm	9.10am	Lv Norfolk Ar. 8.20am 5.55pm
1.10am	2.50pm	Lv Selma Ar. 3.50am 12.35pm
2.09am	3.50pm	Lv Raleigh Ar. 2.45am 11.35am
5.15am	6.35pm	Ar Greensboro Lv. 11.45pm 8.50am
9.05am	7.50pm	Lv Salisbury Ar. 6.30pm 9.30am
9.55am	8.30pm	Lv Statesville Ar. 5.44pm 8.43am
10.35am	7.07pm	Lv Newton Ar. 5.03pm 8.02am
10.52am	9.25pm	Lv Hickory Ar. 4.45pm 7.52am
12.12pm	10.34pm	Lv Marion Ar. 3.28pm 6.45am
2.15pm	12.03am	Lv Blount Ar. 1.30pm 5.21am
2.25pm	12.10am	Lv Asheville Lv. 1.20pm 5.15am
2.35pm	12.15am	Lv Asheville Ar. 1.10pm 5.10am 5.50pm
3.52pm	1.33am	Lv Hot Springs Ar. 11.40am 4.00am 4.25pm
2.55pm	3.00am	Lv Morristown Ar. 9.50am 2.30am 2.30pm
7.40pm	4.25am	Lv Knoxville Lv. 8.25am 1.15am 12.55pm
11.35pm	7.40am	Ar Chattanooga Lv. 4.20am 10.00pm 9.40am
7.10pm	7.10pm	Ar Memphis Lv. 9.15am 8.00pm
6.40am	6.33pm	Ar. Nashville Lv. 10pm 9.10am
7.50am	7.50pm	Ar. Louisville Lv. 7.45pm 7.40am
7.30am	7.30pm	Ar. Cincinnati Lv. 3.00pm 3.20am
8.25am		Ar. New Orleans Lv. 7.30pm

A. AND S. BRANCH.

No. 14.	No. 10.	No. 34.	Central Time.	No. 13.	No. 9.	No. 33.
7.05am	2.05pm	8.3pm	Lv Asheville Ar. 6.00pm 1.40pm 8.45am			
8.13am	3.15pm	9.10pm	Lv Statesville Ar. 6.52pm 2.30pm 9.35am			
10.18am	5.1pm	11.03pm	Lv Hendersonville Ar. 6.03pm 1.45pm 8.50am			
9.08am	3.57pm	9.58pm	Lv Tryon Ar. 5.00pm 12.42pm 7.48am			
11.22am	6.15pm	12.10am	Ar Spartanburg Lv. 3.10pm 11.25am 6.50am			
3.20pm	9.35pm		Ar Columbia Lv. 11.40am 8.30am			
8.17pm	11.00am		Ar Charleston Lv. 7.00am 7.20pm			
5.20am			Ar Savannah Lv. 12.24am			
9.15am			Ar Jacksonville Lv. 3.00pm			
8.00am			Ar Augusta Lv. 9.00pm 9.30pm			
9.55pm	5.10am	5.10am	Ar Atlanta Lv. 7.50am 11.50pm 11.50pm			
7.40am	8.10pm	8.10pm	Ar New Orleans Lv. 7.45pm 7.55am 7.55am			
7.40am			Ar Memphis Lv. 9.00pm			
8.20am			Ar Macon Lv. 7.10pm			

MURPHY BRANCH.

No. 17.	No. 19.*	Central Time.	No. 18.	No. 20.*
9.15am	4.45pm	Lv Asheville Ar. 7.15pm 12.05pm		
10.38am	4.10pm	Lv Waynesville Ar. 5.53pm 10.38am		
10.58am	4.30pm	Lv Balsam Ar. 5.30pm 10.10am		
12.40pm	6.23pm	Lv Bryson City Lv. 3.50pm 8.40am		
9.30pm		Ar Murphy Lv. 5.30am		

*Daily except Sundays. *Daily except Sundays.

Trains 37 and 11, and 12 and 38 carry Pullman sleepers between New York, Washington, Asheville, Hot Springs, Chattanooga, and Nashville. Trains 9 and 11, and 10 and 12, between Jacksonville, Savannah, Columbia, Asheville, Hot Springs, Knoxville, and Cincinnati.

Trains 35 and 36 carry Pullman sleepers between Salisbury, Asheville, Hot Springs, Chattanooga, and Memphis.

Trains 33 and 34 carry Pullman sleepers between Asheville, Spartanburg, Atlanta, and Macon.

Trains 13 and 14 carry Pullman parlor cars between Asheville, Spartanburg, Columbia and Charleston.

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