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THE... BIG BALTIMORE

10 and 12 Patton Avenue.

The Bargain Centre of Asheville.

Fairest prices for best goods has made this store the Shopping Centre of Asheville.

This fact was strongly emphasized by unprecedented sales during the month of October. The increase in the November business should be even greater...

- Plush Capes from \$1 48 up to the finest. A line of \$6 50 Ladies Jackets at 4 98. Specialties in Dress Goods...

- Kid Gloves.—Kid Gloves. 600 Pair Kid Gloves, the \$1 quality (every pair marked in plain figures) at 75c. 300 Pair of the best \$1 50 Gloves (every pair warranted and marked in plain figures) at 1 00 pr.

Almost 1500 yards of the 7c Bleaching left for this week 5c.

Clothing, Clothing.

Look at our \$5, \$8 and \$9.95 Suits. They are dandies and cannot be touched by any competitor.

KEEP YOUR HANDS WARM.

Our new line of Gloves will accomplish it. We have them in all styles from the 25c Wool Glove to the finest Kid Glove, in silk and fleece lined. Ask to see them.

SHOES, SHOES.

We did not say much about Shoes lately as our sales in our Shoe Department are growing daily and we take it for granted that the public is aware of the fact that we are selling the Best Shoes for the Least Money in Asheville.

Our \$2.33 Mens' Shoe is the Talk of the Town.

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CAROLINA NEWS.

the constitutional amendment. Randolph Argus.

Greensboro is troubled with burglaries highway robbery and petty thieving to an alarming degree.

Leakville people are beginning to boast of their prospective pork supply. Hogs that will weigh from three to five hundred pounds by killing time are numerous.—Leakville Gazette.

The News says that Lem May, a youngster who lives near Lenoir, got his ankle broken a few days ago by his trousers catching in the gearing of a bicycle he was riding.

Robert J. Alfred, a model farmer living near Asheboro, raised fifty-three bushels of corn on one acre of bottom ground. He says his corn crop is the best he has ever made. He is against

Mr. Wm. Shoek, of Catfish, this county, had the misfortune to get his arm broken several weeks ago. We are glad to know he is able to be out again.—Hickory Press.

The second bank for Mt. Airy, will begin to transact a general banking business in a few weeks. We learn that a strong company is behind the enterprise and that not less than \$50 000 capital will be paid to start with.—Mt. Airy News.

Mr. Ed. Berrier was plowing in a field last week where there was an old well that had been filled up for some time. His horse caved in and went down seventeen feet. A rope was placed around the horse's shoulders and he was drawn out, and while bruised very badly is not crippled.—Reedy Items.

A passing locomotive Sunday night set fire to the cotton platform on which were stored 400 bales of cotton. Conditions were favorable for a most destructive fire, but much hard work reduced the loss to 25 bales.—Laurensburg Exchange.

1888 style Shoes at cost at G. A. Mears.

GAME IN NORTH CAROLINA.

Partridges Pletiful—Where Good Shooting May Be Had.

Special dispatch to the Baltimore Sun. Raleigh, N. C., Oct. 24.—The shooting season in this State will begin November 1. It is safe to say that not in many years have there been more partridges. It is feared by many persons that the extreme cold weather and deep snows last February would destroy them. The birds are in all parts of the State east of the Blue Ridge and extending to the tier of counties bordering the sounds. From Danville to Greensboro, thence as far west as Morganton and eastward to Goldsboro there are birds in abundance. Granville county offers good sport, and so does Person.

The Legislature, at its last session, enacted a law for a number of counties, requiring hunters to have the written permission of the landowners when hunting on the latter's lands. This was aimed at "pot hunters." In parts of the State, mainly in the High point and Hickory sections, Northern sportsmen, to a very large extent, pay the taxes on the lands and have all the privileges. East of Guilford county this is not done. The large landowners make things particularly pleasant for sportsmen.

Spotsmen from the Baltimore section will find good shooting in Randolph county. It is evident that the plan of securing hunting rights by paying the comparatively trifling taxes on lands will be widely extended.

HALLOWEEN RECEPTION.

A reception was given by "Sister Ella," on "Hallowe'en," which proved a grand success. This estimable lady opened her doors to the entire community and greeted her guests with a welcome that is characteristic of a "Sister." The decorations consisted of chrysanthemums, pinks, roses and evergreens, which were lovely, profuse and artistically arranged. By 8 o'clock about one hundred guests had arrived to participate in the evening's pleasure. The programme consisted of music, (vocal and instrumental) recitations, etc. At a seasonable hour refreshments were served by the genial hostess.

"Sister Ella" gave this reception for a twofold purpose—as an evening of recreation and pleasure, and to further her acquaintance with the people of the surrounding country, as she is here as a "free" educator, so that the rich and poor children alike may have the benefit of a school. This commendable charity should have the undivided cooperation of every one in this community. The school was opened on All Saints' day and about 35 children were enrolled. "HANS." Old Fort, N. C., Nov. 2 '99.

CASTORIA

The Kind You Have Always Bought, and which has been in use for over 30 years, has borne the signature of and has been made under his personal supervision since its infancy. Allow no one to deceive you in this. All Counterfeits, Imitations and Substitutes are but Experiments that trifle with and endanger the health of Infants and Children—Experience against Experiment.

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Castoria is a substitute for Castor Oil, Paregoric, Drops and Soothing Syrups. It is Harmless and Pleasant. It contains neither Opium, Morphine nor other Narcotic substance. Its age is its guarantee. It destroys Worms and allays Feverishness. It cures Diarrhoea and Wind Colic. It relieves Teething Troubles, cures Constipation and Flatulency. It assimilates the Food, regulates the Stomach and Bowels, giving healthy and natural sleep. The Children's Panacea—The Mother's Friend.

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SOUTHERN RAILWAY.

IN EFFECT JULY 16, 1899.

Table with train schedules including columns for No. 37-11, No. 35, Eastern Time, Nos. 12-38, No. 36, and various destinations like New York, Philadelphia, Baltimore, Washington, Danville, Richmond, Norfolk, Selma, Raleigh, Greensboro, Salisbury, Statesville, Newton, Hickory, Marion, Blount, Asheville, Tyrone, Hot Springs, Morristown, Knoxville, Chattanooga, Memphis, Nashville, Louisville, Cincinnati, New Orleans.

A. AND S. BRANCH.

Table with train schedules for A. and S. Branch including columns for No. 14, No. 13, Central Time, Eastern Time, No. 12, No. 9, and destinations like Asheville, Blount, Hendersonville, Tyrone, Spartanburg, Columbia, Charleston, Savannah, Jacksonville, Augusta, Atlanta, New Orleans, Memphis, Macon.

MURPHY; BRANCH.

Table with train schedules for Murphy Branch including columns for No. 17, No. 19, Central Time, No. 18, No. 20, and destinations like Asheville, Waynesville, Balsam, Bryson City, Murphy.

Baldness Can be Cured

just so long as there is a particle of vitality left in the hair roots. The fact that the hair is smooth and shining is no positive proof that the roots beneath are dead. Deep down beneath the skin, hair roots may yet exist, filled with latent vitality, and all that is required to develop them into a beautiful head of hair is the faithful application of the proper agent.

Seven Sutherland Sisters' preparations furnish the easiest, surest and quickest way to ascertain if there is or is not latent life beneath a head bare of hair. Why not try them?

SOLD BY DRUGGISTS.

A FRIGHTFUL BLUNDER

Will often cause a horrible Burn Scald, Cut or Bruise. Bucklen's Arnica Salve, the best in the world, will kill the pain and promptly heal it. Cures old Sores, Fever Sores, Ulcers, Boils, Pelons Corns, all Skin Eruptions. Best Pile cure on earth. Only 25c a box. Cure guaranteed. Sold by all druggists.

All Summer Laces and Gentlemen's Shoes at cost. G. A. Mears.

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 druggists, satisfaction guaranteed. 10c, 25c, 50c.

LADY or Man Wanted to appoint agents, \$60 per month salary and all expenses. Ziegler Co. 240 Locust Street, Philadelphia

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Leibig Company's Extract of Beef

COOK BOOK, Telling how to prepare many delicate and delicious dishes. Address LEIBIG COMPANY, P. O. Box 2718, New York.

PARKER'S HAIR BALM. Cleanses and beautifies the hair. Promotes its healthy growth. Never fails to cure itching scalp. Sold by all druggists. Price 25c per bottle.

Not Over the Telephone.

"There is one thing, at least, that the trusts have cheapened," said the man with the worried air. "What is it?" roared the man with the tangled hair. "Talk."—Indianapolis Journal.

And You Bet She Did! "He treated her shamefully." "Did she get a divorce?" "No." "Why not?" "She wanted to get even with him."—Harlem Life.

General White is in command of the British forces in Natal. His headquarters are at Pietermaritzburg, the capital of Natal.

Japanese officials are less corrupt than any other in the world. In strict attention to duty the Japanese officials of all ranks rival the Germans, but while the latter are somewhat stiff and overbearing in manner the Japanese are very polite.

BAD BLOOD

"CASCARETS do all claimed for them and are a truly wonderful medicine. I have often wished for a medicine pleasant to take and that has found it in Cascarets. Since taking them, my blood has been purified and my complexion has improved wonderfully and I feel much better in every way." Mrs. SALLIE B. BELLARS, Latrobe, Tenn.

CANDY CATHARTIC Cascarets TRADE MARK REGISTERED REGULATE THE LIVER. Pleasant, Palatable, Potent, Acts Good, Do Good, Never Sickens, Weakens, or Grips. CURE CONSTIPATION. Sterling Remedy Company, Chicago, Montreal, New York, St. Louis. NO-TO-BAC Sold and guaranteed by all druggists to CURE Tobacco Habit.

REMARKABLE RESCUE.

Mrs. Michael Curtin, Plainfield, Ill., makes the statement that she caught cold which settled on her lungs; she was treated for a month by her family physician, but grew worse. He told her she was a hopeless victim of consumption and that no medicine could cure her. Druggists suggested Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption; she bought a bottle and to her delight found herself benefited from the first dose. She continued its use, and after taking six bottles found herself sound and well; now does her own housework and is as well as she ever was. Free trial bottles of this great Discovery at the drug stores of T. O. Smith, W. C. Carmichael, and Pelham's Pharmacy.

J. H. Howard, Surveyor, Person Co., Roseville, N. C., writes: "I have used Dr. M. A. Simmons' Liver Medicine in my family many years. Its timely use prevents many diseases. It does all claimed for it. I prefer it to Black Draught and Zetlin's."

500 pairs, Gentlemen's Over Gaiters, worth 75c, and \$1, this week 25c. All colors. G. A. Mears.

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Digests what you eat. Artificially digests the food and aids Nature in strengthening and reconstructing the exhausted digestive organs. It is the latest discovered digestant and tonic. No other preparation can approach it in efficiency. It instantly relieves and permanently cures Dyspepsia, Indigestion, Heartburn, Flatulence, Sour Stomach, Nausea, Sick Headache, Gastralgia, Cramps, and all other results of imperfect digestion. Prepared by E. C. DeWitt & Co., Chicago. For sale by Dr. T. C. Smith

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