# BIG BALTIMORE

## 10 and 12 Patton Avenue

The Bargain Centre of Asheville.

# A Great and Mighty Sale of Christmas Goods

Will start at our Mammoth Store Monday, December 11th. Thousands and thousands of articles for December Gift-Giving, and at prices we'll guarantee to be the lowest.

#### Christmas Dress Goods.

What's nicer for Christmas gift giving than a nice Dress Pattern? There's nothing more to be appreciated, nothing more appropriate. Nice Worsteds, Flannels and Broad-

10c to \$2.00 a Yard.

#### Big Linen Bargains.

A nice Table Cloth and Napkins, such as we offer at this sale will be highly appreciated as a Christmas present.

#### Corsets. 48c.

Will buy one of these elegant 75c Corsets, many styles to select from.

#### Glove Bargains.

Such quick sellers were never seen in Asheville, 75c for a fine \$1.00 Glove, in black, tan, brown and oxblood. \$1.00 for a fine \$1.50 quality. EVERY PAIR GUARANTEED, in Foster Patent Lace or 2 clasps, latest style.

CHILDREN'S MITTENS at 10 and 15c

#### A Beautiful Line of Underwar

in Wool, Cotton and Muslin Underwear, specially adapted for Christmas gifts.

#### Christmas Umbrellas 95c.

Women's 26 inch Gloria Umbrellas, with natural and silver trimmed handles, worth

\$1.25, for a grand lot of Men's 28 inch Gloria Umbrellas, with case and tassel, fully worth \$1.75.

#### Children's Sets.

A heavy plated Knife, Fork, Spoon, Cup and Napkin Ring at 75c., fully worth \$1.25.

#### Belts.

Leather and Velvet Belts at 15c. Rubber and Jet Belts, worth \$1.50 at 98c.

#### Handkerchiefs.

Nothing more appropriate for a Christmas present. We have them from 1c to \$1.00 a piece in Cotton Linen and Silk.

#### Mufflers.

An elegant Worsted Muffler, beautifully embroidered in silk, worth \$1.25 at 73c. A handsome Silk Muffler at \$1.00 and \$1.25, worth double the amount.

#### Clothing Department.

A fine Mackintosh, a fine pair of Trousers, a fine Suit of Clothes, a fine Vestee Suit, or a fine little Reefer for the little boys are some of the specialties we offer for the Christmas

#### Shoe Department:

In this Department we offer hundreds of bargains for big and little folks. Just received a large line of the world's celebrated Brown Shoe Co.'s Ladies' and Men's Shoes, EVERY PAIR GUARANTEED.

Our Handkerchief Fair Continues Monday, Dec. 18



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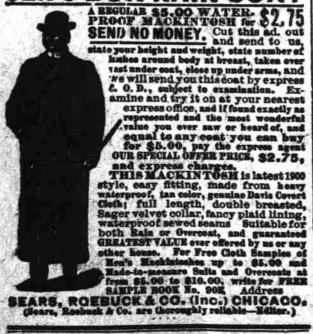
#### Transylvania Railroad Company

(Formerly Hendersonville & Brevard Railway.) In Effect October 22, 1899. STATIONS. 2.01 Lv. ..... Brevard..... Ar. 5.30 \*12.16 ..... Davidson River ..... \*5.20 12.27 ..... Penrose ..... 5.07 \*12.37 ...... Blantyre ...... \*4.58 12.46 ...... Etowah ...... 4.50

\*12.55 ..... Cannon ..... \*4.43 1.00 ...... Horse Shoe ...... 4.33 \*1.10 ..... Yale ..... \*4.29 1.30 Ar. .. Hendersonville.. Lv. 4.10 \*Flag Stations. \*\*Passengers only on Sunday.

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#### SPECIAL RATES.

Tickets on sale between all points in Southeastern Passenger association's territory on December 22-25 inclusive, also December 30 to January 1, 1990 inclusive, final limit January 4, 1900, at rate of one and one-third (1 1-3) first class fare one way limited for the

round trip, On account of the annual meeting of the southern educational association, Memphis, Tenn., tickets will be on sale December 24-25, final limit January 8, 1900, at rate of one first class fare, plus \$2 membership fee, for the round trip,

Rate from Ashevile, \$18.65. Special excursion rates offered by th Southern Railway for the following oc

For full information call on ticke agent or address, F. R. Darby, C. P. T. A., Asheville, N. C., or R. L. Vernon General Manager. Superintendent, T. P. A., Charlotte, N. C.

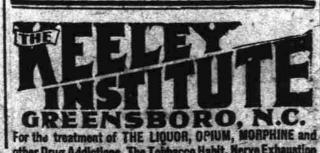
Take Cascarets Candy Cathartic. 10c or 25c. If C. C. C. fail to cure, druggists refund money.

A NIGHT OF TERROR.

"Awful anxiety was felt for the widow of the brave General Burnham of Ma chias, Me., when the doctors said sh

chias, Me., when the doctors said she could not live till morning" writes Mrs S. H. Lincoln, who attended her that fearful night. "All thought she must soon die from pneumonia, but she begged for Dr. King's New Discovery saying it had more than once saved he life, and had cured her of Consumption After three small doses she slept easily all night, and its further use completel cured her." This marvelous medicing superanteed to cure all Throat. Ches is guaranteed to cure all Throat, Ches and Lung Diseases. Only 50c and \$1.00 Trial botles free at all drug stores.

"In winter's cold and summer's parch ing heat," use Camphorline, for chappe hands and face, tan, sun burn, etc. 25c all druggists.



## NOTES FROM MARSHALL.

Marshall, N. C., Dec. 12.-John A. Hendricks left this morning Greensboro on tegal business. Foundation is being laid next to

Senator Pritchard's office for a Presbyterian church. The church will be completed by the latter part of spring. Mrs. Hawkins, Mrs. P. M. Hudgins and Miss Grace Byers arrived here from Hendersonville yesterday. The Marshall academy now has 80 scholars enrolled.

The editor of the Madison Enterprise was in town Saturday.

M. W. Lance has had some improvements made on his store at the depot. Blaylock, who was so severely injured at the dam at Ivy, died on Satur-

Joseph R. Hess left on the noon train for Asheville yesterday. is receiving many applications for the

position of enumerators from all over the district. -J. S. Abernethy, the Southern rail-

way deplot agent at this place, left for his home in Burke county yesterday to be absent about a week. It is reported that Hack Norton, sent from this county to the Buncombe

chain gaing, has escaped. Ivy creek is reported as running over the dam of the North Carolina Electri-

on the tunnel which will convey the water from the dam to the power house. J. E. H. CASTORIA. The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bears the Signature Chart Fletcher. The steel toll bridge spanning the Yadkin between Rowan and Davidson

counties has just been opened to traffic. The principal tolls are 25 cents for a double team for the round trip GREENSBORO, N.C. and 20 cents for a single one. The For the treatment of THE LIQUOR, OPIUM, MORPHINE and length of the bridge is 650 feet; its other Drug Addictions. The Tobbacco Habit. Merve Exhaustion width is twelve feet.

A Charlotte 13-year-old mule has aten over 100 chickens.

The Postal Telegraph company has completed its lines to Charlotte and will have an office opened there in a

The Winston Elk lodige has been chosen to institute a new lodge at Wilmington December 27. The lodge will go down in a private car.

The Hambley and Stone mountain granite properties, about five miles from Salisbury, on the Yadkin railroad, have been united under one ownership and are to be worked on a large scale.

Internal revenue sales at the Statesville office during the month of November amount to \$34,660.82. This does not include the stamps sold for November 17 to November 24, inclusive, when no deputy was in charge.

Private J. J. Watts, a son of Mr. Joel Watts, of Mecklenburg county, has been arrested for desertion. He belonged to the Fourth artillery station ed at Washington. Mr. Watts had two years and ten months' service ahead of him. When he gets back he will have five years and a dishonorable dis-

The directors of the Piedmont Park association have decided to increase the capital stock to ten thousand dollars and to give a big Piedmont exposition next year. A big building will be erected for the industrial exhibit and a man will be employed to devote his entire time to improving the

A school of seventy-five bottle-nosed whales was driven on the Shetland shoals one day last week, and the last one of them was bottled, so to speak. As it was the first time in forty-four years that whales were seen in those waters, the presumption is that these were strangers that didn't know how to steer.-Wilmington Star.

A few days ago E. W. Cews, of Adrance, caught a carp that measured twenty-seven inches and weighed thirteen pounds....Joe Ellis, colored, who ives on the farm of Mrs. W. R. Ellis, raised two pumpkins—one weighing 82 pounds and is 63 inches incircumference and 32 inches long and another weighing 53 pounds .- Davie Record.

Mr. Travis makes the statement that about 300 convicts will be available next month for railroad work. There are now 77 at work on the Ashpole branch of the Atlantic Coast Line. That branch wants more. Other applications for convicts are made by the Raleigh & Eastern the Tarboro branch and John Blue's road in Moore county. -Raleigh Post.

The board of aldermen of Greensboro has granted an unlimited franchise to the American Telegraph and Telephone company (a branch of the Bell Telephone company). The franchise was obtained only after this company had made a hard fight with the local telephone company, which strenously opposed the granting of the franchise. Greensbloro will have a long distance telephone in the near future.

The Greensboro dispensary again appears in court. ohn Kennett, the manager has been indicted for selling whiskey to a minor, David C. Reece. Mr. Kennett says he knew Reece and that he cautioned the latter against purchasing the whiskey if he was under age. By the same token Mr. Kennett will have the young man indicted for falsely representing himself to be 21 years old, which is punishable as a misdemeanor under the disvensary act.

Colonel W. H. Osborn and others have purchased 305 acres of land lying along the Southern railway in the direction of Pomona and within two miles or a little over of the city. It is said that the object is to organize a county fair association and build a race track. It is also said that quite another object is in view, not mentionable yet, but the site is a splendid one for a fair, easily reached by rail, while the expense of building a track and arranging for it would be as light as any spot in the county, for it is all level and nice .- Greensboro Record.

'A Durham special says? A few days ago the remains of a woman Mrs. Martha Kirkland, were moved from Chapel Hill and interred in the Durham cemetery by mistake. The error occurred in this way: Mr. J. L. Kirkland, of this city, decided to have the remains of his father moved to Durham and reinterred here. minister who officiated at the funeral aind several relatives and friends pointed out what was supposed to be the grave of the late Thomas Kirkland to On that information the body was exhumed, brought here and reinterred. those who went after the remains. The error was subsequently discovered and yesterday the remains of the woman were taken back to Chapel Hill and reinterred and the remains of Mr. Supervisor of the Census Hendricks Kirkland's father were brought to Durham. The affair gave rise to great deal of talk by some who had interest in the matter, but has been settled now.

the dam of the North Carolina Electrical Power company and has torn away two or three derricks and that the company has suspended work today. Work will, however, be stopped on the dam within a week and will be started on the tunnel which will convey the



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## SOUTHERN RAILWAY.

Nos. 12-38. No. 36.

12.43pm 6.35am

10.15am 2.56am

IN EFFECT DEC. 10, 1899.

Eastern Time.

Lv New York Ar. Lv Philadelphia Ar.

9.20pm	6.22am	ŧ	Lv	Baltimore	Ar.	8.00am	11.25pm
10.43pm	11.15am		Lv	Washington	Ar.	6.42am	9.05pm
6.10am	6.07pm		L	Danville	Ar.	11.25pm	1.80pm
12,10am	12.01pm		Lv	Richmond	Ar.	6.40am	6.25pm
8.35pm	9.10am	1 A	Lv	Norfolk	Ar.	8.20am	5.55pm
1.10am	2.50pm		Lv	Selma	Ar.	3.50am	12.35pm
2.09am	3.50pm		Lv		Ar.	2.45am	11.85am
5.15am	6.35pm		Ar	Greensboro	Lv.	11.45pm	8.50am
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9.10'm	7.40pm		Lv	Selisbury	Ar.	6.35pm	9.40am
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11.13am	9.20pm		Lv		Ar.	4.41pm	8.01am
12.34pm	10.30pm		LV	Marion	Air.	3.22pm	6.52am
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### A: AND S. BRANCH.

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10.18am	5.00pm	LV	Tryon	Ar.	5.00rm	12.40am
11.17am	6.00pm		Spartanburg	Lv.	3.4upm	11.40am
3.20pm	9.35pm	Ar	Calumbia	L.v	11.40am	8.36am
8.17pm	7.00am	Ar	Charleston	Lv.	7.00am	11.00pm
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111	8.00am	AF	Augusta	Lv.	9.00pm	9.80pm
3.55pm	5.10am	Ar	Atlanta.	Lv.	7.50am	11.50pm
7.40am	8.10pm	AF	New Orleans	Lv.	7.45pm	7.55am
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#### MURPHY BRANCH.

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10.38am	4.10pm	LV	Waynesville	Are	4.55pm	10.38 im	
10.58am	4.30pm	LV	Balman	Ar.	4.30 pm	10.10am	
12.40pm	6.28pm	Ly	Brymen City	Lv.	2.CCpm		
	9.80pm	AF	Murphy	Lv.	12	5.30a.III	

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