THE ASHEVILLE GAZETTE, MARCH 15, 1000.

# THE MARKETS "Great Oaks From BY TELEGRAPH Little Acorns Grow."

YESTERDAY'S QUOTATIONS ON NEW YORK EXCHANGES AND CHICAGO GRAIN BOARD.

Stocks Ruled Uniformly Lower Yesterday.

Highest, Lowest and Closing Quotations for Active Stocks by Special Telegi ph from the various Exchanges.

## Reported by Murphy & Co., brokers, 11 Church street, A sheville.

The stock market opened active and at most uniformly lower. Apparently the chief influence in the dealings fear of stringent monetary condiwas tions before the operations of the new finance bill are in complete effect. Passage by a large majority of the house of representatives yesterday afternoon of the bill appeared without influence. The attitude of London was disappointing, as only irregular changes were shown in Americans, and the general tone of the market was somewhat uneasy. This feeling was said to be owing to fear of continental intervention in the South African war. Dealings this morning were diversified, all quarters of the market receiving a fair amount of attention.

Pennsylvania and New York Central were firm. Substantial declines were common in the railway list, however. Sugar and the Tobacco issues were active and heavy. Third Avenue and the other local traction is uss were all weak also. After the opening the market had a general recovery. In the last hour Third Avenue developed decided strength, advancing to 66 and closed at

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	FINANCIAL BILL SIGNED.
Rep. Dieen.	Washington, March 14The gold
	standard financial bill which passed the
	house yesterday, was signed by the
Miet. St. 1ty	president this morning.
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	ARMOUR INTERESTS.
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W. C. Ich. Hill of	ation of \$20,000,000. Formerly the busi-
COTTON MARKET.	ness was conducted as a co-partner-
Reported by Murphy & Company, 11	ship. Phil D. Armour will be president
	of the corporation.
Church street, Asheville.	
Market closed very steady. Spot,	OBJECTED TO LOYAL ADDRESS,
High. Low. Close.	Dublin, March 14W. M. Redmond
January 7 88 7 83 7.86	today resigned from the Dublin corpor-
marcu	ation on account, it is said, of the adop-
April , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,	tion by the corporation of a loyal ad-
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A Great Play!

# OUR SYMPOSIUM.

# These Men Say the "Grandfather Clause" is Unconstitutional.

A single microbe contains United States Senator William V. the germ of the most malig-Allen-There is to my mind no question nant maladies. The blood is as to what the decision of the court would be. If section 5 of the proposed the means by which microbes amendment in your state is not in violation of the fifteenth amendment of are sent on their deadly misthe United States constitution, then it sion. Small at first, the miwould seem that it would be impossible to violate that amendment. The effect crobe soon becomes a giant. of section 5 is just the same as if the proposed amendment in your state had Hood's Sarsaparilla is the read: "Every citizen shall be entitled arch enemy of all germs of to vote without being required to submit to any educational test, except whatever nature. Its small those who are slaves or who are the descendants of slaves, and no person doses master these microbes who was a slave or who is the descendant of a slave shall be allowed to vote by dissolving and passing them unless he can read or write." Will any one contend that such a provision is constitutional? Yet how would such Female Weakness-"I have had an amendment differ from the proposed female weakness all my life and suffered amendment in your state? In form day and night from headache. I have only; certainly not in effect ...

That the constitutionality of a law is to be determined, not by its form, but by the effect of its operation, is a principle so well established 'that it may be Rheumatism - "If I have a touch of said to be an'axiom of constitutional law. Hence the legal maxim: "Nothing can be done indirectly which cannot be done directly." Inasmuch as there is not a case in the United States reports that is not an authority in support of the above, I do not deem it necessary to burden this letter with citations of authority. In reply to your second question, I

will state that it seems to me equally as clear that the court would declare unconstitutional only section 5, leaving the other sections of the amendment which are clearly constitutional, to stand.

Ex-Senator George R. Edmunds, of Vermont:

I am of the opinion, if I am right in supposing the motive and purpose of the section is to disfranchise a mass of colored citizens of North Carolina who, 661-2 under the present equal and republican constitution of that state, are now en-375-8 'titled to suffrage, that it violates the 37 3-4 fifteenth amendment of the constituion of the United States. The matter of motive and purpose is one of fact; and if such motive and purpose exist, then the right of this class of citizens is "denied or abridged • • • on account

plete in itself as a distinct section and a

although the fifth section is held inval-

United States Senator R. F. Petti-

I am of the opinion that if the consti-

tutional amendment were adopted, the

supreme court will hold that section 5

is unconstitutional, and that the re-

mainder of the provisions are consti-

Senator S. D. McEnery, of Louisiana:

In answer, I say that section 5 is

grossly unconstitutional. I have sub-

mitted the same to some of the ablest

democrats of the senate who are able

constitutional lawyers. They all con-

CASUALTIES OF THE WAR.

announces that the total casualties in

the South African war is 14,919, exclu-

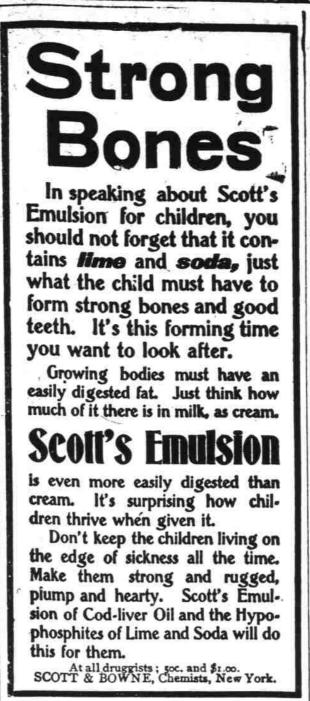
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London, March 14 .- The war office

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**OPPOSITION TO AMENDMENT** IN ALAMANCE COUNTY

### Address by Hon. D. A Long of Ohio-Poll Tax Disfranchisement.

Special to the Gazette. Graham, N. C., March 14.-Hon. Daniel Allbright Long late president of Antioch College Yellow Springs, Ohio, and a strong personal friend of President McKinley, addressed about five hundred people in the court house here today in opposition to the constitutional amendment Mr. Long invited any democrat in North Carolina to reply to him, but no one offered to defend the cause of Simmons, Daniels & Co. Dr. Long spoke for one hour and a

half and was frequently applauded The opposition to the amendment in

# ROBERT DOWNING AT THE GRAND Arrest

# 'An Indiana Romance" Enthusiastically Received.

The pastoral comedy drama as presented by Robert Downing and his company, was one of the best shows that has appeared here this season. It was good from start to finish, and every part | Sour stomach, malaria, indigeswas well taken. Mr. Downing surprised even his admirers, who, although having seen him in "The Gladiator," "The Tallyho," etc., were hardly prepared for the fine character delineation as given in this pretty romance. Miss Harriet Weems was unusually good as Mary Ramsey. The villian was well played by J. W. Downing. W. H. Baker as Cyrus did well.

Mr. Downing's two daughters were girlish and natural. Fred. Edwards' dancing was unusually good .. Those not present at the opera house last might missed a treat. Comparisons were made by many of the audience between "The Indiana Romance" and "The Old Homestead" and "Shore Acres," much to the advantage of Mr. Downing's play. It has much of the pathos and charm of the older plays, and much besides, as presented by Mr. Downing and his excellent troupe. After the play last night Manager Plummer was petitioned by a number of those who had witnessed the play with such pleasure to ask Mr. Downing to repeat it tonight. Fortunately he had the night open and accepted the liberal terms the manager offered him. "The Indiana Romance will therefore be presented again tonight at the Grand.

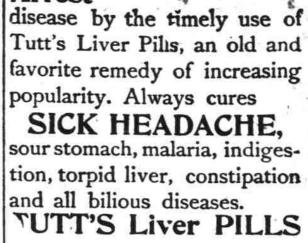
## PLANTING BEGINS.

Farmers Improve Fine Weather in Sowing Oats and Plowing.

Now that good weather has set in the farmers have begun their spring work in earnest. Ploughing is being done as rapidly as possible, and oats and potatoes are being planted, while

other garden stuffs are included. On Tuesday a great deal of seed oats and potatoes were sold in the city, the demand being brisk. The planting is going on all over the county and by the end of the week, there will be a good many acres sown. One reason for the haste of the farmers to get seed into the ground is the fact that they want to get it done before there is a chance for any more bad weather. There were very few people from the county in yesterday, and except on Saturday there will not be very many while the good weather continues.

subject.





Berkeley arrivals: J. D. Brevard, Shelby; J. O. Harrison, Franklin; S. I. Albright, Nashville; C. As Reynolds, Limestone; Abt. Saunders and wife. Yonkers, N. Y .; Harriette Weems, Baltimore; Hettie B. Farmum, New York; Robert L. Downing, Miss E. Downing, Miss M. Downing, Washington; F. W. Stanton, Boston; D. C. Cummings, Canton; Charles F. McCauley, Detroit Mich.; J. M. Gauser, Chicago; Charles Waite, Baltimore; J. P. Link, Norwalk; D. M. Coyle Coal Creek; Frank E. Fry, Henrietta; Fred D.Hull Atlanta.

Joseph Geiger, manager of the Indianapolis brewing company, who has been in the city several months left yesterday for his home.

George L. Hackney went to Salisbury yesterday.

Solicitor McCall returned from Marion yesterday. E. R. Chambers and Miss. I. Zent-

myer, of Chicago, are recent arrivals at ingleside.

Charles M. Steele, of Steele's Laundry, went to Cincinnati yesterday for a 🔨 few days on account of the sickness of his daughter.

Clerk of the Criminal Court Wilson and son Herman returned yesterday from Swananoa.

J.H . Sumner of Arden, was in the ity yesterday.

William Farr, the electrician, went to Charlotte yesterday on business.

Miss Allen of California

May .. .. 9 52 June .. ..... 9 50 9 33 9 44 9 43 9 32 August .... 9 38 September ..... 8 41 9 33 9 18 8 37 8 29 8 02 October.... 8 05 7 98 7 86 7 89 November.. . .... 7 91 December .. .... 7 88 7 82 7 85 Steady. Spot 93-4.

CHICAGO MARKETS. Reported by Murphy & Company 11 Church street, Asheville. Steady. Spot 9 11-16.

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strong again." Mrs. Gertie Landon,

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and it soon cures me. It is the best rem-

edy I know of for that trouble." H. W.

Neuralgia - "I took Hood's Sarsapa-

rilla for neuralgia and in less than one

month I was perfectly cured." Annie M.

Hoods Sarsaparilla

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only cathartic to take with Hood's Sarsaparilla

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## DDRESS.

cur in my opinion that if adopted the effect will be to lose in our representa-Redmond tion in congress and in the electoral lin corporthe adoployal adtion by the corporation of dress to the queen.

FAYETTEVILLE POSTMASTER.

Washington, March 14 .--- L. Mc-Caskill was today nominated to be postmaster of Fayetteville, N. C.

### THE DIXIE AT GIBRALTRR.

STEEL WORKS BURN. Gibraltar, March 14.-The United Flint, Mich., March 14 .- The Arm-States cruiser Dixie, which as been here several days, leaves tomorrow for Al- strong steel works burned today. Loss \$150,000. giers.

of race, color or previous condition of Alamance is growing daily and we exservitude;" and this section of the pro- pect to roll up a handsome majority posed amendments cannot be saved by against the amendment and the demoany device of date or phrase. See cratic ticket.

Court is in session here this week, J.dge Williams vs. Mississippi, 170 U. S., W. S. O'B. Robinson, presiding. Among and cases there cited, where the principles applicable to cases under the onel James T. Morehead, Solicitor the prominent lawyers present are Colfourteenth amendment are stated. I am | Brooks and Ex-Judge William P. Byfor these reasons of opinion that the num, of Greensboro.

fifth section referred to will be held An examination of the tax books of void when brought to judicial decision. Alamance county shows that there are 1267 white men that had not paid their Applying the tests established by the pold tax before the 1st day of March. supreme court of the United States in | If the pending constitutional amendment regard to such questions, it would seem was now in operation every one of these that section 4 may stand perfectly well white men would be disfranchised. without the fifth section. It is com-

# BISHOP GALLOWAY.

# His Talks on Education are Particu-

larly Fine.

committee is as follows: A. M. Good-President George F. Kirby, of Weavman, J. B. Brooks, W. A. Peterson, S. erville college, was in the city yester-I. Bean and J. B. White. day, returning from Charlotte, where The committee will meet in J. W. he attended an educational meeting of Summer's office next Tuesday evening. the Charlotte district M. E church,

south. He is very enthusiastic over Bishop Galloway, who spoke on the twentieth century educational movement of the tague says Waynesville is fast filling up Methodist church at the meeting. Bishop Galloway is speaking through with visitors. The mild epidemic of the state in aid of the twentieth century educational movement which the Methodist church is now putting on foot. The southern Methodist church has pledged itself to raise \$1,500,000 this year to start the twentieth century with better educational facilities

neys. Hi- back got so lame he could Bishop Galloway is speaking on benot stoop without great pain, nor sit in a chair except propped by cushions. No half of the movement, and will be in remedy helped him until he tried Elec-Asheville tomorrow evening, at the tric Bitters which effected such a won-Central church. derful change that he writes he feels

like a new man. This marvelous medi-The Rev. Charles M. Sheldon. who cine cures backache and kidney trouble, took charge of the Topeka Capital purifies the blood and builds up your Monday for one week, ordered that the health. Only 50c. at all druggists. employes of the paper abstain from the use of tobacco or liquor in any form. The Dangers of a Malarial Atmosphere The editorial and reportorial force held may be averted by occasionally taking a meeting Sunday morning and re-Dr. M. A. Simmons Live Medicine. solved to quit smoking and drinking.

In the last few days there has also Thomas of Washington. D. C., are visbeen considerable gardening in the city.

TEMPORARY ORGANIZATION

Asheville Economic Club Formed Last

Evening at C. L. U. Hall.

last evening to study economic and kin-

dred questions was well attended, and

a geat deal of interest was shown in the

A temporary organization was effect-

The name was decided upon as the

The chairman appointed a committee

to select officers and draft by-laws for

a permanent organization to report at

the next meeting-next Thursday. The

AT WAYNESVILLE.

Waynesville Inn, Waynesville, N. C ..

was in Asheville yesterday. Mr. Mon-

smallpox has entirely disappeared.

A FIENDISH ATTACK.

Collier of Cherokee, Iowa, that nearly

proved fatal. It came through his sid-

An attack was lately made on C. F.

There is not a case in the town.

J. E. Montague, proprietor of the

ed. with J. W. Summers chairman and

W. C. Frank secretary.

Asheville Economic club.

The meeting held in C. L. U. hall

iting Mrs. Bond, on Chestnut street. J. M. Foster of South Omaha Neb., is in the city.

J. E. Montague, proprietor of the Waynesville Inn, is in the city.

G. Streckewald and Miss Anna Streckewald of Los Angeles, Cal., are visiting here.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Alford of Wilingham, Ga., are visiting in the city.

Mrs. J. B. White and children will leave today for Hildebrand, N. C., to visit Mrs. N. J. Burge.

Baxter Shemwell went to Raleigh yesterday.

Wm. Orr, Newark, O., says, 'We never feel safe without On Minute Cough Cure in the house. It saved my little boy's life when he had the pneumonia. We think it is the best medicine made." It cures coughs and all lung useases. Pleasant + take, harmless, and gi es immediate results. Dr. T. C. Smith.

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EXPRESSIONS OF THOSE WHO WITNESSED THE PLAY ;- "A Greater Play Than 'Old Homestead;' " "Charming;" "Delightful Story of Real Life;" "Simply Grand;" Etc., Etc.

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