

BARGAINS

AT THE
PALAIS ROYAL
17 South Main Street
For Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday.

All our 18 and 15c Lawns and Dimities in fancy colorings, special reduced for..... **10c**

All our 10 and 12 1-2c Lawns in fancy colorings special reduced for..... **8 1/2c**

5000 yards half bleached Sea Island Domestics..... **5c**

72-inch Table Linen the 75c kind reduced to..... **49c**

3 Cakes of Pure Buttermilk Soap for..... **10c**

1 Lot of Embroideries worth 10 and 12 1/2c reduced..... **5c**

Sale of Silk Waists. All our \$5 and \$6 Ladies Silk Waists special for..... **\$3.39**

Bargain sale of Ladies' Dress Skirts.

Bargain sale of Ladies' Rainy Day Skirts.

See our \$6 Rainy Day Skirts, special..... **\$3.98**

See our \$4 Rainy Day Skirts, special..... **\$2.98**

See our \$2.50 Rainy Day Skirts, special..... **\$1.50**

One lot of Rainy Day Skirts, worth \$2. will close this lot for sale days..... **98c**

We will offer our entire line of Millinery regardless of cost. Come and see us. New line Felt Walking Hats.

Bargains Throughout the Entire Store

STATE LEAGUE ON ITS LAST LEGS

It will Go to Pieces in a Day or Two—Attempted Suicide Follows Spree—You will Be Nominated Today—Other News.

Special to the Gazette.
Raleigh, July 14.—Yesterday morning, while in a highly nervous state in consequence of a protracted debauch, C. B. Edwards, Jr., cut his throat and inflicted wounds on his arms. It is said today that he will recover.

The state baseball league is on its last legs. Raleigh played today in Greensboro and lost by a score of 8 to 1. Durham was ordered to Newbern but did not go. It is learned that the team has disbanded. It is expected the league will be dissolved in a day or two. There is no interest in the game since Wilmington dropped out, and the players have been looking for other jobs.

There is little interest in the congressional convention to be held tomorrow. It will be a ratification meeting, as there is no opposition to Pou.

Col. A. B. Andrews is back from Atlantic City, much improved in health. He left today for White Sulphur Springs to remain a month.

CAPT. JOHNSTON'S WILL FILED FOR PROBATE

Leaves Property Approximating \$250,000 in Value.

The will of the late Thomas D. Johnston is on file in the Superior court clerk's office. The property is estimated to be worth nearly \$250,000 and is willed to his two daughters, Misses Lelia and S. Eugenia Johnston.

Miss Lelia Male Johnston is made the co-executor of her father's estate with Howard B. Carlisle. Miss Eugenia Johnston being a minor, Capt. W. T. Weaver is appointed her guardian. The will bears the date of June 17, 1902. It was made only six days before Captain Johnston's death.

Among other provisions contained in the will is one that a stone or marble monument be erected over the grave of the late Mrs. Thomas D. Johnston, also that the estate of the deceased be kept as nearly as possible as it is now; that an appropriation from year to year be made for improving and building up the lots owned by the deceased, and now unimproved, lying on Patton avenue.

GOVERNMENT'S REFUSAL TO PAVE GOVERNMENT STREET

The short strip of street behind the postoffice, extending from Haywood street to Patton avenue, known as Government street, has not been paved by the city for the reason that the board of aldermen were quite confident that the government would do the work.

After a careful preparation of proper specifications and requirements, papers were sent to Washington for the purpose of getting an appropriation for the work. Major Rollins is in receipt of a communication bearing the unwelcome news that the request will not be granted. The appropriation, Postmaster Rollins says, was recommended by the secretary of the treasury and the postoffice department.

Chairman Cannon of the appropriation committee would not grant the request on the grounds that there was a law prohibiting such an act by the government.

EXCURSION FROM KNOXVILLE

Saturday there will be an excursion run from Knoxville to Asheville and Hot Springs. Mostly teachers who are attending the Knoxville summer school will constitute the 300 or 400 who will be on the excursion. The fare to Asheville will be \$2 and the fare to Hot Springs \$1.00.

The excursion train will leave Knoxville promptly at 7:30 Saturday morning, arriving here at 11:30, central time, or 12:30 eastern time. Returning the train will leave here at 7:30 p. m., central time or 8:30 p. m., eastern time, arriving at Knoxville at 11:30 p. m., central time.

A Browning Anecdote.

In the Cornhill Magazine, in an interesting paper entitled "On a Few Conversationalists," the writer tells an amusing story of Browning and how he received certain flowers from a lady who, on being pressed to give the English names, shyly confessed they were called "bloody noses." I happened many years ago to be staying in a country house when Browning told this story in his inimitable way, and he ended with the following lines, which I then and there committed to memory, and which will, I think, interest your readers:

I'll deck my love with roses,
I'll cover her with roses;
Should she protest
I'll do my best
To give her bloody noses.
—London Spectator.

Vladivostok possesses the only crematorium that has been erected in the whole Russian empire.

CAPUDINE
Cures Headaches, LaGrippe, Neuralgia, Etc.
Leaves no bad effects what ever. Sold by all druggists.

W. E. Rankin. G. J. Williamson.
Rankin & Williamson
PRESSING CLUB
Membership \$1.00 per month. Repairing and cleaning carefully done. Ladies' work given special attention. All goods called for and delivered promptly. Phone 322.
Office Opera House Block.

ASHEVILLE HAS A BASEBALL TEAM

After many baseball meetings, much talk and resultless planning, the proposed Asheville baseball club fell flat. For about a month baseball was not talked by anybody other than those who play the game for the real enjoyment they get out of it. Enthusiasts, who were always spectators did not say much say.

But by degrees an organization of baseball players has been worked up, and now, it will surprise many to learn Asheville has a team that is receiving challenges from all over the state as well as from towns outside.

Manager Redwood has booked the Newport team for a game tomorrow, and will pitch for the visitors and armette for Asheville.

J. A. Nichols had a letter from the Augusta, Ga., team—a strong one—asking for a game with our boys. He replied favorably but has not yet had time to get an answer.

Manager Clark of the Brevard team after a series of six games, three of which were played in Brevard and three here, will challenge us to go, the games will be played the latter part of July.

Nothing is going on every day and the splendid work is being done. Harry Redwood says that before the season is over he hopes to have a long list of victories to the credit of the Asheville boys.



Our Shoes
Appeal to Careful Buyers.

The linings, the sewing, the quality of the leather, the general make-up, in fact the outside and inside that you see will stand the closest scrutiny. More than that, the inner-soles and inners, the vital parts, though hidden, are as good as those things you see. It is good that we warrant them. For children, women or men's shoes or Oxford shoes, try

Spangenberg,
COURT SQUARE.
Trunks.

WAYNESVILLE

Special to the Gazette.
Waynesville, N. C., July 14.—B. W. M. Simms, the new Baptist pastor, preached his first sermon yesterday morning. A large congregation was present and the discourse greatly enjoyed. In addition to being a strong and forceful speaker, Mr. Simms is a good mixer, and the Baptist congregation feel that they have found the pastor they need.

Children's day was observed at the Methodist church yesterday morning. An interesting program was rendered. There was no Sunday school or preaching at the morning hour.

Rev. E. N. Joyner of Columbia, S. C., occupied the pulpit at Grace Episcopal church morning.

There were no services at the Presbyterian church yesterday. Pastor Hunt being absent at his Bethel appointment.

Mr. Edgar Parsons, who has been playing ball at Charlotte, is at home. He will leave tomorrow for Shreveport, La.

The waterworks dam on Hyatt's branch has washed away three times in less than that many weeks. The town authorities would perhaps save money by having a rock or wood dam built. Dirt gives way when the storms come.

Every few days some Haywood democrat come out for Moody. The democrats of this county are becoming more independent each year.

MISSIONARY MEETING

O. B. Van Horn spoke last evening at the missionary meeting held at the Bethel church on Bailey street. Missionary meetings will be continued throughout the week. Rev. J. W. Moore will speak tonight and Rev. R. A. Parker tomorrow night. Mr. Van Horn spoke last evening of the work being done in China and Japan. He said that more money would be needed in the future to promote the missionary work than had been subscribed in the past.

ELLER CHILDREN LEAVE FOR PASTEUR INSTITUTE

The three Eller children, bitten by a supposed mad dog last Wednesday, left yesterday afternoon for New York where they will be treated in the Pasteur Institute. Their father and a friend accompanied them. Thomas Stepp, who was also bitten by the same dog, left for New York also.

The liberal way in which the Asheville people have responded to the call for money to send the unfortunate ones to New York is worthy of commendation. Hardly was it known that the victims were liable to the ravages of the disease, hydrophobia, before subscriptions were pouring into the Gazette office for the purpose of sending the children to a place where they could be properly cared for. W. R. Patterson, S. T. Dorsett and M. Van Moore gave the boys a nice suit of clothes yesterday and John Neely of II.

AT THE CASINO

Was it accidental or meant? Referring to the really good aggregation of talent Mr. Martin is presenting at Riverside casino this week. The bumpiest stunt that ever obtained money under false pretenses would not be hissed at the casino, for the crowd out there is good natured; but there is nothing in the bill this week that would be hissed anywhere. Not a single "slap stick motif" from beginning to end.

The program:
Leland and Mack, Irish knockabout comedians.
Grace Mantell, the charming operatic vocalist.
She is it—a vocalist, operatic, and undoubtedly charming. It cannot be denied that Miss Mantell is what she is advertised to be—the feature of the show. She sings three of Harry Von Tilzer's latest songs in a way that makes the audience uproariously ask for more, she wears a pretty dress, and she is good to look at, being, like Little Buttercup, "a plump and pleasing person."

Hayman and Hayman, singing and talking comedians.
A good act. Has new business in it.
Billy Barlow, the pre-eminent entertainer.
Billy doubtless means well.
Everette trio, European acrobats and equilibrists.
Emphatically the best thing of the sort ever seen at the casino. This act is well worth the price of admission. Take a tip and do not fail to see them.
Attendance last night—good, even if the weather was cool.

A Story that Bears Repeating.
We have told it often, no doubt, but we feel that the favorable comment of our many customers as well as our own experience, justifies us in repeating the fact that "Clifton" flour possesses strength above all other flours.
This is a quality which keeps it constantly rising in public esteem—and in the public breadpan, as well.
It is a quality which it gets from wheat grown on Kentucky's richest soil.
All we ask of you is a test. Test our guarantee. Test our honesty and ability. Test the completeness and efficiency of our mill. Test us in any way, and we will prove to you that we make the best flour offered on the market.
BRANSFORD MILLS.
Owensboro, Ky.

The woman who never sees a hat she would rather have bought than the new chapeau she is wearing, is certainly a rarity.

\$12 Golf Suits Reduced to \$5
We have several very handsome golf suits in brown and brown and green mixed, all wool, the regular price of which is \$12. We offer now for \$5.
H. S. COURTNEY, 18 Patton Ave.

Every Diningroom Should Have a Sideboard.



It is not complete without one, and with such very small prices asked here. You will wonder why you have not bought one before. They are made of well seasoned oak, highly finished, beveled mirror at

\$14.50, \$18, \$25, \$27.40 and \$50.

For the fine china you should have a

Splendid China Closet.

which we have in square and round corners which shows off the pretty china to good advantage. The prices range from

\$21 00 to \$48.00.

CHAIRS FOR THE DINING ROOM should be good, comfortable ones, and there's no such stock of really good chairs ever brought to Asheville as we show. We have them with seats in cane, cobler, and leather at

75c, \$1.00, \$1.50 and up to \$3.75.

Lubin-Schiller Furniture Co.
16 Patton Avenue, Asheville.
Clocks, Mattings, Porch Shades, Pictures.

Riverside Casino
Vaudeville Every Night
(Except Sunday)
CARS LEAVE THE SQUARE EVERY TEN MINUTES
Curtain Raises 8:40 P. M.

For Sale: Real Estate.
As receiver of the Western Carolina bank, I offer for sale the real estate belonging to said bank in the city of Asheville named as follows:
Five lots on Woodfin street near the Oaks house.
One house and lot in Doubleday.
One house and lot on Pine street.
One vacant lot on Hill street.
One brick warehouse and lot on South Main street.
One lot on Haywood street.
Two lots on Buttrick street.
One house and lot on Depot street.
One house and lot on East street.
One house and lot, 416 North Main street.

For Sale
11,000 Acres
Fine Hardwood
Timber.
Best water power in the State. Apply to
Bass & Corkran,
Real Estate Agents,
WAYNESVILLE, N. C.

NOTICE.
A number of boarders can obtain board at the Luther House, located 8 miles west of Asheville on the Murphy branch of the Southern Railway. The house is situated one hundred yards from the station, surrounded by beautiful trees, abundance of pure water, in full view of Mount Pisgah. Double daily mails each way. Depot, Express office and post office near by. The table will be supplied with the best the country affords. Terms reasonable.
Address Mrs. S. J. Luther, Hominy Creek, N. C.

The Best Spring Lamb and Spring Chicken
Lutz Meat Co.
City/Market.
Phone 754.

Fine large Potatoes \$1.00 per bushel, nice Roasting Ears 15c dozen, fine large Tomatoes 7 1/2c pound. Hiram Lindsey, 450 South Main street, Phone 200. City Market, Phone 173.

Nice fresh Celery 25c bunch, Home Grown Cabbage 3c pound, Home Grown Cucumbers 10c dozen. Hiram Lindsey, 450 South Main street, Phone 200. City Market, Phone 173.

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