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**OTTIS GREEN CO.'S BID IS ACCEPTED**

Get Asheville Hardware Co. Stock, Wholesale, at 75 1-4 Per Cent.; Retail, 52 3-4.

**ALL THE RETAIL STOCK SOLD TO SYNDICATE**

Mr. Stikeleather and Associates Will Shortly Announce Plans for Disposing of It.

The stock and fixtures of the Asheville Hardware company, which was placed in the hands of a receiver several weeks ago, were late yesterday afternoon sold to the Ottis Green Hardware company, which made the highest of four bids to Receiver J. E. Rankin. The purchase price, it is said, will amount to between \$38,000 and \$37,000. Mr. Rankin made his report to Judge Henry P. Lane yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock and the sale was confirmed by him.

On the whole stock the Green company bid 75-1/4 per cent of the invoice price; on the retail stock and fixtures, 52-3/4 per cent of the invoice price. Other bids were made by S. Sternberg & Co., J. G. Stikeleather and associates and a South Carolina firm. The Ottis Green Hardware company made a bid of 66-2-3 per cent on the stock and fixtures a week or two ago. After another higher bid and it was agreed that both should be withdrawn and that the stock would be open to new bids.

**Retail Stock Disposed Of.** This afternoon announcement is made of the sale by the Ottis Green company of the entire retail stock of the bankrupt company to the following named gentlemen: J. G. Stikeleather, F. M. Weaver, C. C. Millard and Hugh Brown. These gentlemen, it is understood, intend to conduct a sale of the stock at North Main street store occupied by the Asheville company at the time of its failure, and that Mr. Brown will have the management of the sale. The purchasers will make announcement of their plans with respect to this stock as soon as they have matured.

**Will Sell to Dealers.** The part of the stock retained by the Ottis Green company, it is announced, will be disposed of at once to retailers, who will be given the benefit of the bankruptcy price reduction. This big deal, involving \$28,000 or \$30,000, is owing by a concern that has been markedly successful in the six years of its business. Ottis Green, the active head, was entirely without experience in the hardware business when he took charge of the newly organized company. With a great capacity for work and fine trade judgment, he has built up one of the most important commercial institutions in this part of the state.

The Asheville Hardware company was placed in receivership on petition of one of the principal stockholders in Richmond, when Mr. Rankin was named to take charge of the affairs of the company. It was one of the oldest hardware concerns in the city; was formerly conducted at the east corner of South Main street and Pack square, but several months ago the stock was moved to a store room on North Main street.

**THREE ARE JAILED; MURDER CHARGED**

Two White, One Colored—Crime, It Is Alleged, Occurred Night of July 1, Last.

Three men are now in the Buncombe county jail charged with the murder of Aaron Walker, colored, who was found on the railroad track dead on the night of July 1, last. The men in custody are Wood Hyatt, colored, Will Jasper, white, and Tom Praton, colored. The two former were arrested in this city yesterday afternoon about 5 o'clock and placed in jail and the latter was brought here today from Waynesville by Deputy Sheriff Mitchell. They will probably be given a preliminary hearing some time this week but it is stated that it will be impossible to get the state's witnesses here before Friday morning.

It will be remembered that Walker was found on the tracks of the Southern railway about 9 o'clock at night, and that when found he had been dead for some time. It was reported then that he had been killed by a passing train and the report was accepted. The sheriff has lately received information that tended to show that the man was murdered and an investigation was started.

The investigation began about a month ago and it is stated by one who knows the situation that there is one state's witness who says that he saw these men kill Walker and then place his body on the track. There are other witnesses, too, it is said, who say they have heard the statement from Wood Hyatt that he knew who had killed the man but that he would not tell it. There are various other witnesses to be called but it is not given out what they will testify or what they know.

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ALL DRUGGISTS 11-43

**CITY NEWS**

Except in the event of some extraordinary occurrence, there will be but one edition of The Gazette-News tomorrow—at 2 o'clock.

Bowling in the duck pin tournament will be on the alleys of the Y. M. C. A. this afternoon and night. These games are in the new tournament will be on at the alleys of the Y.

The Central Labor Union committee announces that a Thanksgiving entertainment will be given at the Army hall on Penland street Thursday night for all members of organized labor and their families. All fair contractors and the ministers of the city are invited to be present.

Through their attorneys, Wells & Swain, Eddie Dillingham et al. have filed in the office of the clerk of the Superior court a petition asking for the sale and partition of certain lands, to which there are 11 heirs. Five of the heirs are minors and the petition asks that a guardian ad litem be appointed to act for them.

The men's Bible class at the Y. M. C. A. will be conducted this week by J. C. Martin and will meet Friday night at the association building. An oyster supper will be given from 7 to 7:30 o'clock and the class will hold from 7:30 to 8. The subject for the lesson will be "Nehemiah Rebuilds the Wall." All men of the city are invited to attend.

District Passenger Agent J. H. Wood of the Southern railway left this morning for Charlotte to meet the special train carrying the "Girl of the Golden West" company, and will accompany the troupe to this city, where a performance is to be given tomorrow night. The train is always in the care of a district passenger agent and Mr. Wood will accompany the troupe to Knoxville from here.

The services at the Christian church on Haywood street will be conducted next Sunday morning at 11 o'clock by President O. S. Dean of Weaverville college. Mr. Dean is a strong speaker and the members of the church are fortunate in getting him to fill the pulpit for this day. The church has been without a pastor for some time; but it is hoped by the officials that a regular pastor may be secured by the second Sunday in December.

There was only one new case in police court this morning, that of Mozelle Brown, charged with an assault. She was found not guilty and was discharged. The case against Latt Sherin, charged with maliciously injuring personal property, continued from yesterday's docket, was again continued on account of the fact that the chief witness could not be present. It will come up again on December 28.

Robert H. Hancock of Hancock & Green, lessee of the Grand opera house, announced this morning that he was unable to pay any part of sums due the vaudeville actors and employees of the house. These amount in some cases to several weeks' pay. These people will give a benefit at the Grand tonight helping those of them who do not live here to raise money enough to get out of town.

Judge G. S. Reynolds appeared in Superior court yesterday in an effort to have Investor Ingie released from jail on habeas corpus proceedings, and to have him recognized for his appearance at a preliminary hearing Friday. Ingie is held for complicity in the theft of a steer from O. J. Jenkins at his Crazy farm, having been arrested after he had given o'ate's evidence against George Moody for the theft of the steer before Magistrate M. A. Creaman last Saturday. Judge Lane required that Ingie give bond and he was again remanded to jail in default of this.

A horse belonging to D. A. Jackson dropped dead yesterday on South Main street, while coming in the direction of Pack square. It was hitched to a wagon at the time, in which there was a light load of cotton seed hulls. No cause is known for the death of the horse. The occurrence was the cause of a slight accident a short time afterward, when a delivery wagon belonging to the Coca-Cola Bottling works passed and the horse drawing it shied at the dead animal and overturned the wagon, breaking quite a lot of the bottled goods in the wagon. The accident, however, was not a very serious one.

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**STREET CAR SCHEDULE IN EFFECT OCT. 1, 1911.**

<b>ZILICOA AND RETURN</b>	6:00, 6:15, 6:30 a. m.
	6:30 and every 15 min. until 8:00 p. m.; then every hour until 11 p. m. Cars to Santee St., this line, every 15 min. 8:00 to 11:00.
<b>RIVERSIDE PARK</b>	5:45 and 6:00 a. m. and every 15 minutes until 1:15 p. m.; then every 7 1-2 min. until 3:45 p. m. Then every 15 min. until 11:00.
<b>DEPOT VIA SOUTHSIDE AVENUE</b>	6:00 and every 15 minutes until 10:00 p. m.; then every 30 minutes till 11:00.
<b>DEPOT VIA FRENCH BROAD AVE.</b>	6:00 a. m. and every 15 minutes till 11:00 p. m., except no car in to Square at 10:15 p. m.
<b>MANOR</b>	7:00 a. m. then every 15 minutes till 8:00 p. m. 10:00 and 11:00 o'clock cars run through to Golf Club.
<b>CHARLOTTE STREET TERMINUS</b>	6:00 a. m. and every 15 minutes till 11:00 p. m.
<b>PATTON AVENUE</b>	6:00 a. m. and every 15 minutes till 11:00 p. m.
<b>EAST STREET</b>	6:00 a. m. and every 15 minutes till 11:00 p. m.
<b>GRACE VIA MERRIMON AVENUE</b>	6:00 a. m. and every 30 minutes till 8:00 a. m. Then every 15 minutes until 11:00 p. m.
<b>BILTMORE</b>	6:15 a. m. and then every 15 minutes until 3:00 p. m. Then every 30 minutes until 11:00, last car.
<b>Depot and West Asheville via Southside Avenue.</b>	5:45 and 6:00 a. m. and every 30 minutes until 10:30, last car.

Sunday schedule differs in the following particulars: Cars leave Square for Depot via Southside Ave. 6:15, 6:30, 7:30, 8:00 and 8:30 a. m. Cars leave Square for Depot via French Broad Ave. 6:15, 6:30, 6:45, 7:15, 7:45 and 8:15.

Car for Depot leaves Square 8:45, both Southside and French Broad. First car leaves Square for Charlotte street at 8:45. First car leaves Square for Riverside 8:30, next 8:45. First car for West Asheville, leaves Square 8:30.

With the above exceptions, Sunday schedules commence at 9 a. m. and continue same as week days.

On evenings when entertainments are in progress at either Auditorium or Opera House, the last trip on all lines will be from entertainment, leaving Square at regular time and holding over at Auditorium or Opera House. Car leaves Square to meet No. 35, night train 30 minutes before schedule or announced arrival.

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