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 you come to the
"BIG RACKET STORE"
 and price the goods
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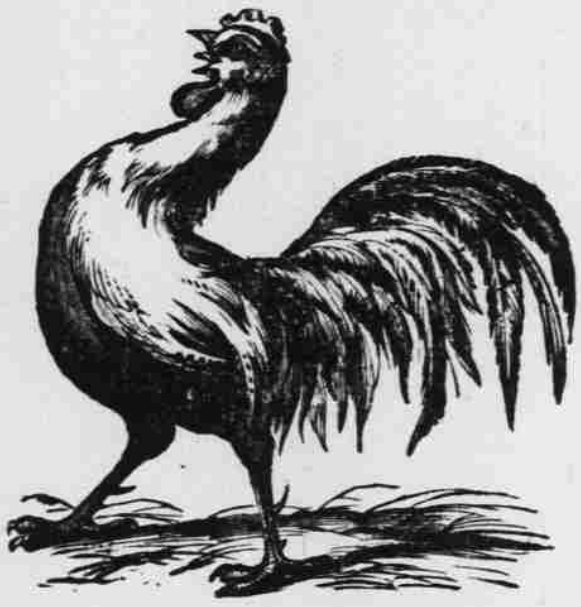
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Has the largest and best line of crockery, lamps, stoves, tinware, glassware, house furnishings, etc., ever offered in the city. The celebrated Charter oak stoves, the best in the world are now sold at actual cost. Any one needing a stove it will pay them to get one. We give you a written guarantee on them for 20 years. Everybody should buy from us as the prices talk for themselves. When in ask to see the dashboard lantern, the little jewel lamp and thousands of other things,

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BUNCOMBE COUNTY'S VOTE.

TOWNSHIPS.	Congress.		Senate.		Representatives.		Register.		Clerk.		Sheriff.		Treasurer		Surveyor.		Coroner.			
	Crawford.	Ewart.	Campbell.	Sprinkle.	Reed.	Lowry.	Harris.	Folsom.	Mackey.	Brown.	Cathay.	Gudger.	Reynolds.	Worley.	Courtney.	Pinkerton.	Starnes.	Hamblet.	McBrayer.	Merrittweather.
Avery's Creek.....	75	64	73	67	73	73	67	63	73	61	76	56	75	64	75	63	72	63	70	63
Lower Hominy.....	151	68	149	67	151	150	70	64	154	66	161	53	133	78	189	63	134	62	152	66
Upper Hominy.....	208	158	203	157	207	200	161	152	211	154	235	116	189	168	211	154	210	155	207	158
Leicester.....	316	211	301	217	307	309	217	207	311	207	273	241	274	241	304	219	293	214	302	212
Sandy Mush.....	94	143	86	143	82	97	152	126	91	136	86	143	75	155	90	142	86	140	88	143
Limestone.....	93	128	90	122	88	90	123	120	95	121	91	122	87	130	90	123	87	121	74	121
Fair View.....	148	129	147	130	141	148	134	122	152	117	153	116	144	134	141	115	147	128	148	128
Swannanoa.....	150	113	141	115	142	137	111	118	149	107	153	106	138	123	144	114	145	111	146	110
Asheville—East Ward	420	387	414	384	410	411	388	383	397	407	418	386	427	365	422	381	420	384	417	388
West ".....	686	361	689	357	683	688	359	358	682	365	686	360	659	375	695	351	682	358	680	363
Biltmore.....	162	95	158	92	172	167	90	88	163	93	168	86	153	102	161	94	161	92	159	92
Hazel.....	106	109	104	109	105	106	111	108	108	106	110	92	104	110	109	105	108	105	110	100
Beaverdam.....	104	60	101	58	100	101	61	60	103	58	104	59	120	44	108	57	99	60	101	59
Haw Creek.....	48	46	48	45	53	48	39	46	52	42	49	45	53	41	47	45	48	45	47	45
Reems Creek.....	144	177	136	175	140	143	175	171	160	156	155	157	158	162	161	167	149	166	149	167
Flat Creek.....	75	157	69	162	90	53	180	142	83	140	72	157	70	164	86	144	70	162	85	144
Ivy.....	152	221	135	237	186	110	267	192	147	178	140	235	158	218	182	190	135	235	182	186
Black Mountain.....	88	73	86	74	88	85	74	75	87	87	89	59	85	75	87	74	85	75	86	74
French Broad.....	175	111	174	114	172	166	115	115	174	115	174	108	167	119	173	116	171	119	172	117
Totals.....	3395	2811	3304	2825	3390	3282	2894	2710	3382	2696	3393	2697	3274	2868	3444	2717	3207	2895	3375	2734

PAVEMENT PARAGRAPHS.

Items of Interest Concerning our City and Section.

Senator Vance is resting at Gombroon.

The President's proclamation announces Thursday, the 27th day of November, as Thanksgiving day.

Our good friend J. M. Lowry, Esq., sends us a bag of apples and chestnuts, for which we return many thanks.

Mr. Belote has the contract for plastering Kenilworth Inn, which is being pushed forward rapidly. This branch of the work has certainly been entrusted to good hands.

Mr. J. D. Brevard, whose house near Long's Station was burnt about ten days ago, has bought a house on the corner of Woodfin and Charlotte streets and will make his home there.

The Western North Carolina Conference convenes in Concord, Nov. 26th. The North Carolina Conference convenes at Wilson, Dec. 10. Bishop Keener will preside over both bodies.

Federal court continues this week, but is expected to adjourn Saturday. There are many cases, some more or less serious, but Judge Dick and attorney are humane and punish with kindness.

Deputy Sheriff L. H. Smith last week took two convicts to Raleigh, Nelson Jenkins and Hannah Jenkins, the former under sentence of five years for stealing a horse, the latter for one year for stealing silk dresses.

Oscar Greene, Esq., of Somerville, N. J., arrived in the city on Monday, and intends spending the winter here and may possibly decide to make this his future home. He is at present stopping at the Grand Central.

Ewart's majority over Crawford in Mitchell county is officially announced at 734, a loss of 125, as compared with two years ago. L. M. Banner, Republican, defeated S. W. Blalock, Democrat, for the Legislature, by only 300 votes.

The clear, warm, delightful weather of the past two weeks has been greatly enjoyed by the large number of visitors in Asheville, and the livermen have reaped a rich harvest. The temperature has been at summer heat for several days past.

There is no more fruitful source of disease than vitiated blood. It involves every organ and function of the body, and if not immediately corrected by the use of Ayer's Sarsaparilla, sooner or later leads to fatal results. Be warned in time.

Col. H. C. Hunt left Tuesday for Washington, and from thence he goes to Round Valley, California, his post of duty under the recent appointment given by President Harrison. Col. H. carries with him the best wishes of his many friends in Asheville.

Mr. Peter L. Ray has returned from Greensboro with his bride, nee Williams, of Warren county. The marriage ceremony was performed near Warrenton Oct. 22, by Rev. J. W. Jenkins. The couple are at present stopping with H. A. Gudger, on College street.

Cards are out announcing the marriage of Mr. Allen P. Mitchell, the courteous manager of the Asheville telegraph bureau, and Miss Fannie, daughter of Mrs. Rufus Smith, of Raleigh, to occur in Raleigh on the 19th inst. The many friends of Mr. Mitchell certainly wish him and his expectant bride full happiness.

The combination of ingredients found in Ayer's Pills renders them tonic and curative as well as cathartic. For this reason they are the best medicine for people of costive habit, as they restore the natural action of the bowels without debilitating.

Mr. Bart F. Moore, of Raleigh, well known in this city where he has spent several summers, died suddenly in Philadelphia on Nov. 8th. He was the eldest son of the late B. F. Moore, one of the most distinguished lawyers and wealthiest citizens of Raleigh.

The death of Mr. W. L. McAfee will be severely felt in Asheville, where his activity had added a great deal to the improvement of the city. After funeral services at his residence on Bailey street, on Sunday, the remains were taken to Wheeling, W. Va., for interment. Mr. McAfee was a native of Harrodsburg, Ky., and was 71 years old.

Gen. E. R. Hampton, Solicitor Moody, G. H. Smathers, Esq., Hon. Kope Elias, Hon. J. W. Cooper, Capt. R. L. Cooper, Judge F. C. Fisher, W. E. Moore, Esq., R. L. Leatherwood, Esq., N. Newby, Esq., A. E. Posey, Esq., J. W. Gudger, Jr., Col. Sinclair, Col. Morphew, J. W. Bowman, Hon. J. C. Pritchard, are among visiting attorneys in attendance upon Federal Court.

Work on the Asheville Loan, Construction and Improvement Company's electric railway is to be begun in a short while. The Biltmore extension of the Asheville electric railway is also to be begun soon. The extension to the Sulphur Springs is already graded. The iron is to be laid soon. The matter of the bridge at the foot of Connelly's Hill across the French Broad has been arranged.

We have had the pleasure of meeting Messrs. A. S. Nichols and Joseph Oliver, of Michigan City, Indiana, who are spending some time in Asheville. They are evidently pleased with our city, surroundings and advantages, as a very well written letter, descriptive of the section, from Mr. Nichols in the Evening News of his city, fully attests. We hope their stay may be a long one, and both profitable and pleasant.

The Season Opened.

The social season for the winter was opened Tuesday evening by a most delightful "At Home" reception given by Mr. and Mrs. Platt at their hospitable home at VanGilder Place. A large number of society people and friends were present. A most agreeable feature of the evening was some very superb music, vocal and instrumental, rendered by Messrs. Garrett and Chandler on the violin, Miss Goertz, late of Cincinnati, and sister of Mrs. Dr. Longstreet Taylor, as vocalist, and Miss Minnie Williams as pianist. Every number was admirably rendered, and greatly enjoyed. Refreshments were served, and the younger people closed the evening with a very pleasant german. Mr. and Mrs. Platt have opened the season most auspiciously.

In New York.

Mr. J. H. Law is in New York selecting his Christmas stock of chinaware silverware and other curiosities. Mr. Law's taste is proverbial, and his store will certainly be an attraction this Christmas.

Take Notice.

All administrators, executors and guardians are notified to come forward and make settlement at once and save cost. W. T. REYNOLDS, C. S. C.

COWEE SCHOOL EXERCISES.

An Auspicious Occasion and a Large Crowd in Attendance.

Dear Democrat:—On last Saturday evening the people from all directions in the vicinity of West's Mills began to assemble at the Cowee school house to witness the closing exercises of the Cowee school, which has been under the control and management of Miss Maggie Morrison for the last two seasons. The weather being fine and the circumstances of rather an auspicious nature, everything was conducive favorable to a large attendance and by the time that the shadows of evening had crept over the surrounding landscapes and wrapped old mother earth in their gentle but strong embrace the house—a large and commodious one too—was packed to its utmost capacity with a very attentive and appreciative audience except the very few ill-bed and drunken rakes that unwarily aspeared to get into a dark corner. The exercises, consisting for the most part of recitations, declamations and dialogues, opened at the ringing of the bell just at dark and closed after several hours of pleasant and happy enjoyment. They were arranged with great skill, and being of a highly interesting and entertaining character could not fail to captivate the entire audience. Some of them were impressively grand everything taken into consideration, and many of them deserve special mention and comment. The recitations "Poor House Man" and others by Miss Maggie Morrison were very impressively rendered, and would have been creditable to a theatrical stage. The music for the occasion, furnished by Messrs. James Corbin and Chas. Brown, proved a very enjoyable feature of the exercises. The program was well arranged and happily selected and was in just keeping with the cultivated taste of Miss Morrison, who—as a teacher abreast of these times of advancing civilization—is always in ready demand and arousing success. The exercises and the creditable manner in which the students acquitted themselves told much to the credit of the teacher, pupils and community, and showed but too plainly how deeply and well the foundations for intellectual and moral culture and training had been laid. The community acted only in keeping with the better dictates of wisdom by raising a subscription to continue the school for another session under the same management. If Miss Morrison can be kept as teacher Cowee will yet live to see brighter days.

CARLYLE.

West's Mills, N. C., Nov. 8.

James P. Sawyer

Has moved his carpets to the old "Asheville Club Rooms," No. 49 South Main street, which are located over the Richmond and Danville railroad offices and S. R. Kepler's store. He now has the finest carpet-rooms in the South. His stock is immense, consisting of carpets, of all grades from 18 cents to \$2.00 per yard; rugs from 50 cents to \$35.00 each; art squares of different sizes and grades, floor oil cloths, Linoleum, Cocoa, Napier and straw matting, Chenille, Portieres, lace curtains, etc. His large stock of clothing and gents furnishing goods has been moved from second to first floor of his old stand, No. 15 Patton avenue. He informs us that he has just returned from New York where he bought largely for both his clothing and carpet stores. The McKinley bill, which means higher prices for all kinds of goods, caused him to lay in big stocks before the inevitable advance in prices.

J. S. Grant, Ph. G.

(Of the Philadelphia College of Pharmacy.)

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If your prescriptions are prepared at Grant's Pharmacy you can positively depend upon these facts: First, that only the purest and best drugs and chemicals will be used; second, they will be compounded carefully and accurately by an experienced Prescriptionist, and third, you will not be charged an exorbitant price. You will receive the best goods at a very reasonable profit. Don't forget the place—Grant's Pharmacy, 24 South Main street.

Prescriptions filled at all hours, night or day, and delivered free of charge to any part of the city. The night bell will be answered promptly. Grant's Pharmacy, 24 South Main street.

At Grant's Pharmacy you can buy any Patent Medicine at the lowest price quoted by any other drug house in the city. We are determined to sell as low as the lowest, even if we have to lose money by so doing. We will sell all Patent Medicines at first cost, and below that if necessary, to meet the price of any competitor.

We have the largest assortment of Chamois Skins in Asheville. Over 200 skins, all sizes, at the lowest prices.

We are agents for Humphrey's Homoeopathic Medicines. A full supply of his goods always on hand.

Use Buncombe Liver Pills, the best in the world for liver complaint, indigestion, etc.

A thoroughly reliable remedy for all blood diseases is Buncombe Sarsaparilla. Try a bottle and you will take no other.

J. S. GRANT, Ph. G., Pharmacist,
 24 S. Main St Asheville, N. C.

Looking Backward

Over the past eight years of our successful business life in Asheville has demonstrated to us the fact that our determination to sell only pure goods, guaranteeing weights and quality, and asking a small profit on everything sold, commends itself to the good sense of purchasers.

Second, That desirable customers cannot be gained by the oft-tried practice of some dealers in cutting prices on a few leading articles, hoping to make it up on something else.

That hard work and close application to business is the price of success.

That our business for 1889 shows an increase over the previous year of 20 per cent., which is very gratifying, and for which we wish to thank our many friends in Asheville and Western North Carolina.

Looking Forward

We are encouraged to enter upon the year before us with renewed energy and a determination to give our customers the benefit of our increased facilities for buying and selling the very finest goods to be had, at small profits.

Our stock is now the largest ever offered in this market and embraces everything in the line of Staple and Fancy Groceries, Table Delicacies, Fruits, Grain, Flour, etc. Respectfully,
 Powell & Snider.