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THURSDAY, AUGUST 20, 1898.

A PORTENTOUS RAID.

The Louisville Courier-Journal of yesterday in speaking of the demands made through the Republican press of the country for subsidies to certain steamship lines vigorously and pertinently remarks:

Demands for subsidies to steamship lines become more and more frequent to the Republican press at the time for the meeting of Congress approaches.

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WE ARE BUSY.

Think of it! At this season of the year, when everyone is complaining of dull trade.

We have more than we can do. Our store is crowded from morning till night with customers making purchases.

The reason—OUR PRICES EXPLAIN ALL! Our buyer is now in the Northern markets, selecting one of the finest stocks of Dry Goods and Shoes

And to make room for Fall Arrivals, we are offering some SPECIAL BARGAINS in the following goods:

An elegant pair of Lace Curtains for \$80.; formerly sold for \$1.10.

PARASOLS—We have a few plain Black Silk, and fancy colors, which we are closing out at cost.

A few hundred Remnants of Dry Goods left, which are going at half their value.

We are giving some special inducements in Ladies' Fine Dress Goods, Trimmings, Satines, Ginghams, Hosiery, etc.

We especially invite the Ladies to call and examine our unequalled line, whether they want to buy or not, as it is a pleasure for us to show our goods.

You will never know how cheap you can buy until you trade once with us.

Respectfully, BOSTIC BROS. & WRIGHT, BOOKS AND STATIONERY, ARTISTS' MATERIALS, ENGINEERS' SUPPLIES, PICTURES AND FRAMES, FANCY GOODS, BLANK BOOKS, EVERY GRADE, TOYS AND GAMES, WESTERN N. C. SCENES, BOTH PHOTOGRAPHIC AND HAND-PAINTED.

—AT— ESTABROOK'S, 22 S. Main Street, ARTHUR M. FIELD, LEADING JEWELER, MECHANICIAN, GRADUATE OPTICIAN, ALL GOLD GOODS Warranted to assay as represented.

—ALL Sterling Silver Goods Guaranteed 900-1000 fine. —THE GREATEST ATTRACTION— Is that fine lot of ENGLISH BRIDLES and THREE-HORN CHAMOIS SEAT SADDLES at J. M. ALEXANDER'S

And the low prices at which he is selling all goods in his line. He has increased his force and intends to meet the demand. SATISFACTION GUARANTEED. ATLANTIC COAST LINE On and after this date the following schedules will be run over the Columbia Division.

No. 63—Leaves Columbia 5:20 p. m. Arrives at Charleston 7:30 a. m. No. 62—Leaves Charleston 7:30 a. m. Arrives at Columbia 11:55 a. m.

Connecting with trains to and from all points on the Charlotte, Columbia & Augusta and Columbia & Greenville Railroads. T. M. EMERSON, Gen. Pass. Agt. J. P. DEVINE, Gen. Supt.

THE RACKET COLUMN.

We are preparing to go to New York to select our Fall and Winter Goods and we want a lot of Money.

Our offers of Bargains have panned out very well. We have sold lots of goods, but we had lots of them, and we have quite a lot yet which you can buy at your own price.

We think we put away for the next season fewer goods than any merchant in Asheville. We don't want to put away any.

We want to sell them, and we want to sell them badly. We are going to buy a big stock and we want the room to place them in, but more than that.

This has been the secret of our low prices. We represent a man who has an ocean of money.

He buys thousands where other people buy dozens. He expects us to sell goods quick, at a small profit, and to send or carry him the money.

So far we have not disappointed him. Our sale of Dress Goods at cost continues, and will until all are sold.

We have six Ice Cream Freezers, two each of 2, 3 and 4 quart sizes. We shall buy no more this season.

You can get either of these Freezers lower than they have ever been offered before.

You will want one next summer if not now. A few Hammocks and Croquet Sets are yet with us.

We shall let them go very low. We need the room and want the money they represent to put into something for Fall and Winter use.

A few dozen Fruit Jars (Mason's) on hand. They are going very fast. As soon as it is known that we are out prices will advance—mark the prediction.

We shall have in store by the time you read this the largest stock of Ribbons, Velveteens, Plushes, and Velvets ever shown in Asheville.

Fall Styles, New Goods, at "Racket Prices." Come and see them.

Respectfully, GEO. T. JONES & CO.

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J. W. SCHARLE, MERCHANT TAILOR, 42 N. Main St. feb20d1y

NOTICE. Will collect debts for anyone in the city for per cent. Good facilities for renting and collecting rents on houses.

JAMES FRANK, DEALER IN FAMILY GROCERIES AND PROVISIONS, Agent for Reems Creek Woolen Mills.

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THE YOUTHS', BOYS' AND CHILDREN'S DEPARTMENT

Will receive our special attention, and to this we will call the especial attention of Mothers, Sisters and Aunts.



OUR GENTLEMEN'S FURNISHING GOODS

Will be replete with all the Novelties of the season in the way of Neckwear.

OUR HAT DEPARTMENT

Will receive due attention, and in it can be found from the conventional High Hat down to the Soft Knock-about.

MEN'S FINE SHOES

With one of the most popular makers. Our mode of business shall be STRICTLY ONE PRICE, and all goods warranted as represented or money refunded.

Our opening will be announced in due time.

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