BOARDING, WANTS, Por Rent, and Lost Notices, three lines or lens, 26 Cents for first fasertion, 50c. for 3, 75c. for 8. BOARDING, WANTS, POR Rent, and Lost Notices, three Lines or lens, 26 Cents for first fasertion, 50c. for 3, 75c. for 8.

VOLUME V.-NO. 205.

ASHEVILLE, N. C., SATURDAY, MARCH 22, 1890.

PRICE 3 CENTS.

MISCELLANEOUS.

WINNERS.

PURE GOODS,

Correct Weights,

Best Quality,

Low Prices.

POWELL&SNIDER

- THE LEADERS IN -

- AND -

TABLE DELICACIES.

BUN MARCHE, Main St.

CORSETS.

Large variety, all grades

Pongee Curtain Drapery.

New designs, very pretty Reautiful Drapery

SCARFS. Novelties daily.

Main St. BON MARCHE.

FOR A FEW WEEKS ONLY! SPECIAL BARGAINS

IN CITY LOTS.

60 Lots on Catholic Hill,

\$75 to \$150 Each, According to size and location. Worth double and three times the money. Liberal advances made to improve the lots.

POR SALB—2, 3 and 4 room houses, well built, with fire places, on same hill, a property at figures and terms to suit the purchaser. Splendid opportunity for people of moderate means to secure or to build a comfortable some.

POR SALB OR TO RENT—2 large tenement houses, 12 and 8 rooms respectively, on Bagle street. Well adapted for cheap hotel or boarding houses.

Most liberal terms granted. Plans and full particulars with J. M. CAMPBELL, janp d3m Real Bstate Dealer.

JAMES FRANK,

FAMILY GROCERIES AND PROVISIONS

We Keep The Best.

RTIN'S MARKE

50 SOUTH MAIN ST.,

Kansas City Meats.

LARD.

B'KF'ST BACON. MUTTON. SAUSAGES. DRYSALT MEATS PIG'S FEET.

DRESSED POULTRY.

TIRE INSURANCE.

FIRE. LIFE. ACCIDENT.

PULLIAM & CO.

ASHBVILLE, N. C. Represent the following companies, viz.

nesota outern, of Min outhern, of New Orleans Vestern, of Toronto Mutual Accident Association Astan Life Insurance Company, dtmar29

eat reduction in prices, and it will pay you ne and look at my stock, whether you buy or not. Wareroom-Wolfe Building

Monuments and Tombstones

THE "RACKET."

Two important and necessary articles in house furnishing are kept at the "Big Racket Store" in great variety and at very low prices, as DRUGS CHEAP, and if you

worth double the money;

MOQUETTE RUGS in Creams, Tans, and other delicate shades, beautiful goods FINEGROCERIES and at very low prices.

> Wire Foot Mats, Rubber Foot Mats, Cocoa Foot Mats. The other item to which is our line of

CURTAINS

and Curtain Goods. Read the list and the prices:

LACE CURTAINS at 68c. per pair;

LACE CURTAIN material. edge scalloped and bound, beautiful patterns, 13c. per

SCRIM, white and colored, very wide, at 6½ to 13c. per

CRETONNE, different widths, bright figures, 10c. to 13c. per yard;

SHADES, plain solid colors to very handsome fine goods, all on spring rollers, from 33c. to \$1, each complete at about one-half regular prices. Curtain Poles, Pulls and Chains.

A beautiful line of CHINA SILK for half curtains 10c. ers. Fine Teas and Coffees a to 14c. per yard. Everything specialty. for housekeeping at the

"BIG RACKET."

ESTABLISHED 1881

Commissioners of Deed FIRE INSURANCE.

OFFICE-Southeast Court Square.

CORTLAND BROS.,

Real Estate Brokers, And : Investment : Agents.

JOHN CHILD.

REAL ESTATE

--- AND---

LOAN BROKER

Strictly a Brokerage Business

Loans securely placed at 8 per cent.

L. A. FARINHOLT. DEAL ESTATE BROKED And Notary Public.

+++++++ BUYS AND SELLS REAL ESTATE ON COMMISSION.

Room No. 11, McLoud Build'g

SPECIAL ATTENTION TO REST.

ING AND COLLECTING. LOANS SECURELY PLACED ON

REAL ESTATE. REFERS TO ALL THE BANKS OF ASHEVILLE.

MRS. A. P. Labarbe

159 Patton Avenue. Piret-Class Board by the day or month. Terms made known on application.

MISCELLANEOUS.

ESTABLISHED 1874.

C. CARMICHAE APOTHECARY,

20 SOUTH MAIN STREET, ASHEVILLE, N. C. WE DO NOT SELL CHEAP DRUGS, but WILL SELL YOU don't believe what we say give us a trial and be con-SMYRNA RUGS, alike on vinced. Our prescription de-both sides, from 68c. to \$6 It is equipped with the best It is equipped with the best goods that money can buy from E. Merck, E. R. Squibb, BRUSSELS RUGS in all Parke, Davis & Co., Jno. sizes, from 60c. to \$1.38, Wyeth & Bro., and from other leading manufacturing chemists in this country and Europe, whose goods for purity cannot be questioned. Pre-scriptions filled at all hours, day or night, and delivered Patent Medicines and Druggists' Sundries is complete. and at prices that defy competition. Don't forget the place, No. 20 S. Main street, particular attention is called where you will at all times be served by competent prescriptionists.

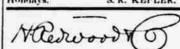
S. R. KEPLER,

GROCERIES. Purveyor to intelligent and

American families. Palates and tastes of people who beieve in good living cannot be humbugged by "Cheap John" goods. Cheap goods and first quality are not synonymous. I have in stock and to arrive, all seasonable specialties, comprising in part Fruits, Oranges, Lemons, Cranberries, Raisins, Figs,

Nuts, etc. Miscellaneous-Choice O.K. New Orleans Molasses, for table use, Prime New Orleans Molasses, for cooking. Extra fine Assortment of Crack-

Mince Meats—Gordon & Dilworth's, and other brands. Plum Pudding, Calf's Foot Jelly, etc. Pressed and Crystalized Ginger. Shad Roe in kits. Roe Herrings and all other goods in demand for the Holidays. S. R. KEPLER.



Stiff Hats, "Second to None" for style and quality. Spring

shapes and colors just in. H. REDWOOD&CO.

Clothing, Gents' Furnishings. Hats and

We have in stock a large

and complete line of House Furnishing Dry Goods.

RUGS, DRUGGETS AND ART SQUARES

a specialty also. Sheetings (all widths), Towels, Nap-kins, Table Linens, Curtains, Curtain Materials, Upholstery stuff. Particular attention is given to the higher qualities of the above stuffs.

H. REDWOOD & CO.

Dry Goods, Fancy Goods, Notions, 7 and 9 Patton Ave.

THE

Herring & Weaver,



IN SHOES OF ALL GRADES,

FINE HATS.

39-Patton Avenue-39 Asheville, N. C.

"ON EARTH PEACE, GOOD WILL TOWARDS MEN."

At last we hear a voice unheard for generations, the voice uplifted in the name of Christianity, sounded in the interests of peace. The cry for war has grown louder and louder, the clash of rms rings more and more resonantly upon the alarmed ear, all Europe is a vast military camp, and nations stand ready to rush at each other in mutual slaughter, awaiting only the perfection of the new implements of destruction receiving their finishing strokes of death from armories whose skill might be infernal regions. Peaceful industries are paralyzed or oppressed, the pursuits of agriculture loaded with the charges o maintenance of a soldiery improductive and a burden on peace, heavy taxation weighing down every energy, debt, individual and public, loading ver enterprise, want and starvation gnawing into all vitality, universal misery and hope lessness darkening every prospect, and only release and relief attainable through conflict involving all the nations, decid free of charge to any part of ing with its certainty of horrors the the city. Our stock of Drugs, more dreaded uncertainties of inaction with certain existing miseries and op

of the Roman Catholic church, the Pope himself, proposes to interest himself, and mediate with the nations for a general disarmament. Whether he is impelled by the great fundamental idea of Christianity itself, the spirit of peace, or whether it is sympathy with humanity tself as represented by the burdens from which relief is sought through the denands of organized labor, is immaterial. It is enough that the Pope has expressed in active sympathy with the wage workers whose claims touch humanit and Christian duty more nearly tha those of the hirelings for blood money appreciative Asheville and Between the two there is a conflict irre concileable. It must precipitate itself either in universal war or in internal commotions bringing ruin upon every civil and industrial interest; or it must be appeased by decided movement towards general pacification as empha

sized by general disarmament. The Papacy for centuries has not given such evidences of vitality, has not as serted its claims to universal influence has not claimed for the church the right and duty to interpose in secular mat ters. It does not do so now in matter political; it does so only as inspired by its spiritual obligations. Christianity in all its phases, must approve the noble inspiration which has peace for its ob ject. In it there is no element of politics, no adjustment of the balance of power, no balancing of claims between rival dynasties, no setting up one king and pulling down another. The weapons are all spiritual, the agencies all Christian the aims all beneficent.

The proposition for mediation is made to the German Emperor. The Pope holds that the nations must adopt the principles of Christianity. The churchto which we give a wider range than im plied by the Pope-is the only power competent to meet the issues involved in R. Q. Taylor's celebrated the social and industrial movement; and the German Emperor admits that governments cannot accomplish much unless

Thus far they agree. Bismarck is ou of the way. He opposed to the last the idea of disarmament; proposed to the last demands for farther increase of the army, and consequent heavier burdens upon civil industry. His removal is perhaps the removal of the great menace which has so long overshadowed the peace of the world. His absence may make possible what the Pope has so much at heart, and which all mankind are so much interested in seeing accom-

A letter in the Atlanta Constitution ostensibly written from Raleigh, and thereby calculated to intensify the some what bitter feeling existing at present be tween the two communities, has angered Durham with an exaggerated, and to a large extent, false presentation of the condition of the latter town. It represents decay, business stagnation, decline in property valuation, abandonment of enterprises, loss of confidence, exhaustion of resources even to the extent of loss of reputation in its great staple, burtful to the present condition of the place so noted for its energies, industries and Mr. E. A. Oldham, late editor of the Durham Globe, we do not think the people of Durham need concern themselves to refute his statements. The motive is apparent. Mr. Oldham was not appreci-

One quotation illustrates Mr. Oldhan as well as his motives. He now endeav ors to blacken what he failed to brighten. and throws stones, or mud, at the house from which he could not get bread. He

The fall business of the past year brightened the faces of the people some-what, and an effort was made to pull the town back into line. By offering assurances that were more alluring than genuine, newspaper men from Charles-ton, S. C., and Richmond, Va., were in-duced to go to Durham and start a bright hustling daily, that for several months performed its part heroically to-wards rehabilitating the former boom. But the stimulant had come too late, and the business men appeared to be lacking in energy and inclination to sus-tain the journal. Then, like rats that have a way of knowing when to leave a ship that is imperiled, the newspaper men stopped their journal, folded their tents, and took their departure.

utes, including fourteen stops.

FOR A MARKET HOUSE.

THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN VOTE \$20,000 BONDS.

The Proceedings of the Meeting Last Evening—Mr. Richmond Pearson Makes the City Three

The regular meeting of the City Council was held last night and a great deal of

mportant business was disposed of. Mr. W. T. Reynolds was present and uggested to the board the advisability of opening a street from Walnut to College, being a continuation of Penland Street. He was told to see the owners of the property along the proposed route, and if they assent, the city will do the work.

Mr. H. C. Hunt appeared and asked hat Atkins street be widened according o the stakes that were put there someime since by the city engineer. It was eferred to the street committee.

Mr. Richmond Pearson made several offers relating to work on his new pro perty. The council is willing that Mr. Pearson shall make the street from the old jair to Sycamore street, and let the amount expended be deducted from his next city tax. Mr. Pearson also com-This is the condition in which the Hend plained of the filth, at the livery stable on the corner of Sycamore an South Main, and told how the water rom washing vehicles ran into the street. He also offered the city \$10,000 for the old jail building and lot, and if they would not consent to that plan he makes

them three other offers. "My second offer," he said, "is to erect market house and city hall, costing \$20,000, on the property, lease it to the ever before at this season of the year. city for fitty years, and then let it revert to the city. Or if this is not accepted I will make you another one. I will put up the building and allow it to the city. rent free, for five years. I have still another one to make, if you issue bonds for the building of a market house, as you art allowed by law to do, I will take all

the bonds paying six per cent. at par." After hearing these offers, Mr. Pulliam noved to issue \$20,000 worth of six per cent, bonds, running twenty years, and appoint a committee to advertise for Randolph county, was burned to the ground, the loss being several thousand dollars, with no insurance. ouse. The motion was carried and Messrs, Pulliam, Leonard and Miller were appointed as the committee.

Prof. B. E. Atkins asked that the owner of the college property be allowed money to erect a neat paling fence on Oak street when the street is widened. No action Mr. J. S. Adams was present and asked the council to refund the money to the

roperty owners that was spent on makng the park in front of the Cosmopolitar Ch. House, and said the owners had built the park, expecting the city to allow it to remain, and they thought, that as the city had caused it to be removed, this money should be paid back to them. A ommittee consisting of Messrs. Pulliam, Wolfe and Miller was appointed to inves-

rigate and report at the next meeting. Capt. T. W. Patton asked in behalf of the Street Railway company that the discwned by his own race need apply. money spent by them in grading Charlotte street be refunded them, and a committee consisting of the Mayor, and Messrs. Pulliam and Wolfe was appointed

The city engineer was instructed to ay off the extension of Grove street, and Winder, general manager of the Caro

a jury ordered on it. It was allowed to the Street Railway company to leave their cars on the square Sundays in charge of two men, for a sufticient time to allow the other employes to attend church.

A jury was ordered on the widening Several bills were presented and ordered

A PLEASANT AFFAIR.

The Entertainment at the College

Last Evening. The entertainment given last night by the Young Ladies' Society of the Asheville Female College was a success. It was well attended and the receipts were over \$30. The program as it had been over \$30. The program as it had been arranged was changed because of the sickness of some of the young ladies, but Sanford and destroyed 3,000 gallons of the numbers were well arranged and rendered and enthusiastically received by the dered and enthusiastically received by the

audience. The "Colloquy of Nations" was par ticularly pleasant. It was participated prosperity. Since the letter is traced to in by eleven of the students. The cos

tumes were beautiful. The entire praise for the success of the affair is due to the young ladies them selves. They received no assistance from the teachers. Miss Allie Johnston originated the idea and superintended the re-

hearsals and last night's exhibition. The names of those who took part in the interesting program are as follows Misses Florence Doggett, M. Burmeister Hattie Tate, Awa Orr, Ella Scales, Ida Holloway, Amelia Bentley, Addie Charles, May Love Stringfield, Glennie Tomlinson, Ida Hopkins, Lise Barrow, Allie John-

ANOTHER VETERAN GONE.

dden Death of General George Crook at Chicago.

Cincago, March 22.—Major-General George Crook, United States Army, in command of the department of Missouri, lied at the Grand Pacific hotel at 7.15 o'clock a. m. yesterday, of heart disease There had not been the slightest warning

THE OLD NORTH STATE.

Sanford is to have a furniture factory. Durham will entertain the next State onvention of the Y. M. C. A.

A carrier pigeon at Raleigh recently nade a mile and a half in 54 seconds. Sam Jones will deliver an address a

frinity during commencement week. Farmers around Concord are plowing up their wheat and instead are sowing

Reverend Edward Howland, of the forth Carolina M. E. conterence, died at The Mormon elders are said to be mak-

ing many converts in the eastern part of the State. Major A. A. McKeithan will shortly begin buil etteville. uilding a bucket factory at Fay

Any amount of shad and herring are being taken along the sounds and the rice is good.

There is a rumor to the effect that Rutherford College may be moved to Morganton. New York men have arrived at Winston to begin work on the electric railway line and buildings.

F. B. Dancy, A. B., of Raleigh has re ceived an offer from the Minnesota exper nental station. Although 79 years old Rev. E. M. Forbes, of Beaufort, holds service at his

burch every Sunday. Governor Fowle states that the \$400 reward offered for the capture of Walter Bingham is still outstanding.

The recent cold weather in the eastern

pletely destroyed the plum crop. Farmers near Washington are said to be farther advanced in their work than

Rights of way are being secured for the ailway to be built by the Wilmington and Weldon company from Springhop to Raleigh. Mary Robinson, a colored servant of the hotel Messenburg, of Henderson, stepped on a rusty nail two weeks ago and has just died of lockjaw.

Miss Kate McQueen, a young lady of Sanford, was horribly burned while stand-ing in front of a grate in her father's home. Her clothing caught. The residence of William Brown, i

The Governor has appointed Chas. I Rawson, of Worcester, Mass., and Chas Taylor, of New York, commit deeds for North Carolina. The Carolina spoke and handle factor

of Charlotte ships its goods to German and Australia and has never been abl

to get ahead of its orders. A large and valuable deposit of phophate has been discovered in Cumber land county and the State chemist will be called on for an analysis. Charlotte is building a tabernacle for the accommodation of the crowds who will want to hear Sam Jones when he

comes to that city on April 25. During the month of February Win ston sold 15 per cent, more of manufac tured tobacco than Danville, Va., hereto fore a recognized tobacco market.

The colored Methodists of Raleigh say There is yet much snow in the me tains. This is notably the case in Wa

tauga county, where the temperatulast Sunday was as low as 4 degrees. A pegro man is in jail at Elizabeth window in the private car of John C

Christopher Overcash died at Enoch christopher Overcash died at Enoca-ville aged 81 years. He leaves a wife, with whom he had lived fifty years, and fifty-four children, grandchildren and great grandchildren.

lonas Kellar, an aged resident of Cald

well county, has met his death in a singular way. He fell in the fire and his fee were nearly burned off. The acciden on caused his death. Reverend J. N. Stallings, principal of the High Point Baptist college, is a "jack at all trades." Just at present he combines the minister, lawyer, teacher

ournalist, farmer and merchant. The directors of the penitentiary state

The grading force at Camp Cameron, on the Lynchburg and Durham railway, is finishing its work, and will soon be removed to Georgia. In a fortnight the road will be ready for the track. Miss Cornelia V. Chapman, of Laurens, brought suit against J. R. Wells for breach of promise and wanted \$6,000 damages. When Wells sized up the situation and the witnesses for the plaintiff he got a minister and settled the affair right

Colonel W. T. Gray, of Winston, com manding the Third regiment North Caro-lina State Guard, is officially inspecting the eight companies of that fine and well-equipped organization, which now numbers over 400 men. Colonel Gray vesterday inspected Company D, at Dur-

The prospectus of the Bessemer steel works at Greensboro has been issued. The company proposes to build two furnaces, each of seventy-five tons daily capacity, and announces that it has iron mines in Chatham and Moore counties limestone deposits in Stokes, and coke and fuel on Deep and Dan rivers, and at Pocahontas, Va.

The board of trustees of the Baptist Female College held a meeting at Wake Forest and settled the moving question. The following resolutions were adopted Resolved: First, That this board sees no lacking in energy and inclination to sustain the journal. Then, like rats that have a way of knowing when to leave a ship that is imperiled, the newspaper ship that is imperiled, the newspaper tents, and took their departure.

Train No. 53 made the run one day this week from Hot Springs to Salisbury, 182 miles, in four hours and thirty-nine min-utes, including fourteen stops.

There had not been the slightest warning that General Crook was not perfectly well. He was at army hendquarters all day that find the moving question. He was at army hendquarters all day that simperiled, the newspaper the newspaper tents, and took their departure.

Train No. 53 made the run one day this fell suddenly, and said to his wife, "I can't breathe." Mrs. Crook helped him to a sofa and a doctor was summoned. Before he could reach the room General utes, including fourteen stops. MISCELLANEOUS.

J. S. GRANT, Ph. G., Apothecary, 24 South Main St.



HOFFMAN DRUG CO.

POR SALE BY

J. S. GRANT.

If your prescriptions are prepared at Grant's Pharmacy you can positively dependupon these facts: First, that only the ourest 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 Phar-

nacy, 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 owest, 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 competi-

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

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

Use Buncombe Liver Pills, the best in the world for liver complaints, indiges-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.

WHITLOCK'S,

DRY GOODS, FANCY GOODS

AND NOTIONS.

48 SOUTH MAIN STREET.

New Spring goods now arriving in all lines. Weexhibit a beautiful line of Outing Cloths, Ginghams, Sateens, Challies, Mohairs, Henriettas, Cashmeres, Summer Silks in

all colors. Black Silks and Velvets.

Dress Trimmings in latest novelties, Table Cloths, Napkins, Doylies, Curtain Draperies, White Goods, Embroideries, Laces and Domestic Goods of all kinds. A large assortment of Kid Gloves, including Centemeri and Harris' Hook Gloves. Ladies' Underwear in muslin, gauze and merino at low prices. Corsets-always a full stock

We call special attention to our Fancy Parasols and Silk Sun Umbrellas. Nothing equal to them have ever been shown in the city.

of sizes and qualities.

Something New.—We offer the only absolutely fast black Hosiery on the market, for Ladies, Misses and Children, also for Men and Boys. They are guaranteed not to dye, crack or turn green, or money