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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.
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BOSTON, MASS., April 21, 1891.
To Messrs. H. Campbell, Asheville, North Carolina.
The sample of water submitted for analysis has been carefully examined, with the following results:
The water shows in parts per 100,000:
Solids, volatile..... 2.00
" fixed..... 3.00
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Grains per gallon..... 2.50
This water is almost entirely free from organic matter, showing very slight traces of iron, sulphur and lime. The water is very excellent in all respects. It is very seldom we find water so free from organic or mineral matter.
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That if a man can save one dollar out of every five dollars he earns, such a man will be rich inside of twenty years. Call on us and we will tell you how to do it, as we have just received private advice from Jay on the subject.
Our business has been very prosperous during the past year, in spite of the hard times, and we take this opportunity to thank our friends and customers, and to wish them all long life and happiness.

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MACKEREL, MULLET, WHITE AND CODFISH.

CANNED MEATS.

Ox and Lunch Tongues, Potted Ham, Tongue, Chicken, Etc.

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Mackerel, Salmon, Sardines, Oysters, Crabs, Etc., Etc.

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Our Syrups and Molasses are pure and wholesome.

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The best Carolina only offered.

FLOUR.

The Obelisk Flour stands unequalled by any ever offered in this market.

Hotels and boarding houses please bear in mind that we are prepared to meet competition in this or any market. Respectfully,

Powell & Snider,

Here We Are Again.

I have just bought one of the finest Soda Fountains in the South, with all modern improvements, and am now prepared to serve soda water in the best style. I will give the business my personal attention and will guarantee satisfaction in every respect or money refunded. You can rest assured that the soda and mineral water sold at my fountain are pure. I do all the work and make all the syrups, and I feel I can truthfully say they are pure. (Syrup fresh made each day.) Below I give you a partial list of the syrups used, also a few of the mineral waters: Mineral waters on draught, Deep Rock, Vichy, Tote Springs, Congress, etc. Soda waters: Lemon, Vanilla, Pineapple, Strawberry, Raspberry, Peach, Sarsaparilla, Orange, Ginger, Nectar, Blood Orange, Blood Orange with Phosphate, Banana, Catawba, Chocolate, Oxytocous, Cream and many others too numerous to mention.

Special new drinks of the season. Limeade with Phosphate, Pineapple Gem, Whip Cream Soda, Ice Cream Soda, Malto, etc. But for the richest drink ever drawn from a soda fountain I advise the use of Carmichael Daisy Cream. This cream can be added to any syrup desired, and makes the richest soda water ever offered to the American people. Don't forget the place, Carmichael's Drug Store, No. 20 South Main Street.

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Fifty Dinner Sets, FOR - SUMMER.

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Twelve 112 pc. Dinner Sets at \$10.90.

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Common Flower Pots.

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Oil Stoves (Florence.)

Ice Cream Freezers, (White Mountain.)

Water Coolers.

Childs' Bath Tubs.

Fly Fans.

Cake Boxes, Etc., Etc.

Our prices are always the lowest.

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Buyers of Drugs

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Two beautiful building sites. Lots in all parts of the city.

Houses to rent. Fine tracts of timber land and standing timber. Mineral properties.

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List your property with us and have it sold and rented.

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Either house owned by T. Wilson Sh riples, corner French Broad Avenue and Haywood Street. These houses are located near the center of town, commanding good views, high elevation. For information apply to JOHN CHILD,

PANIC STRICKEN PEOPLE.

GREAT PART OF MICHIGAN ON FIRE.

A Dozen Counties Filled With Fire-Trains Abandoned to the Flames—Piles of Ashes Where Towns Once Hood.

DETROIT, Mich., May 13.—The hoped for security from the recent rain did not materialize for the panic stricken inhabitants of the burned district of this state. Some idea of the vastness of the fire district can be gained from the fact that almost any two of the dozen counties now filled with fire is as large as the state of Rhode Island.

The Toledo, Ann Arbor and Northern Michigan railroad have been obliged to abandon all attempts to run cars north of the Clare county line. Freight trains and the crew had a narrow escape from cremation yesterday, for the ties in many places were so badly burned that the rails spread when the train went over. When near Moore's siding one of the cars in the middle of the train was derailed and the train crew were obliged to abandon the rear portion of the train after working until the cars began to smoke. Before reaching Farwell there was another derailment and all but three cars of a train of eighteen cars were left to their fate. Three of the trainmen were badly blistered.

The winds drove the fire into Newaygo, Mecosta and Oceana counties. Cook's Station near Barton, both in line of the fire, have not been heard from and are supposed to be destroyed. West Troy is supposed to be in ashes. Reports from Cadillac, Wexford county, state that the inhabitants of all the villages in the county have been out fighting fire for the past three days, and many of the smaller places are wiped off the face of the earth. Where Nivarna and Fremont, on the Flint and Pere Marquette road, once stood there is nothing now but piles of ashes. Millions upon millions of logs are burning all over the center of the state.

WILL GET TOGETHER.

The Italians of New Orleans Have a Meeting.

NEW ORLEANS, May 13.—Signor Carte, the Italian consul here, is reported as saying that a meeting of the presidents of the various Italian associations of this city, and the most prominent members of the colony was held at the consulate Monday evening and that he urged upon them the necessity of conciliation with their fellow townsmen. The sense of the meeting was that all differences should be amicably settled as soon as possible.

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THE SOLDIERS' HOME.

Opened at Raleigh by Gov. Holt and Others.

RALEIGH, N. C., May 13.—The exercises here Monday in honor of Confederate Memorial day and of the opening of the Soldiers' Home were unusually interesting. Business was suspended. The memorial exercises were held at Metropolitan hall, where General William R. Cox delivered an address upon the life and military services of General Stephen D. Kameur. The widow and daughter of General Kameur and his sister, Mrs. David Schenck, were present and a portrait of the gallant officer was on the stage.

At the conclusion of these ceremonies a procession was formed, in which were military bands from Raleigh and Oxford, and moved to the Soldiers' Home. Then Mr. F. H. Buser introduced Gov. Holt, who officially opened the Home.

Gov. Holt's speech concluded as follows:

"We do no violence to the restored union of these states when we honor the soldier of the confederacy. He bore the standard of his state. Today the standard of the union is the standard of the state, and the stars and stripes can be borne in no safer hands than in his loyal grasp."

"Welcome, proud citizen, to your home, and when the stranger pausing at your threshold asks you of your fertile fields say: 'I followed where duty called.' Welcome, thrice welcome, honored guests, from the hem of your garments may the virtue of patriotism and devotion to your state go forth into the lives of all our people."

At the conclusion of this address the state flag was hoisted. The procession then made its way to the confederate cemetery, where the graves were decorated.

CURRENCY OF THE COUNTRY.

Is It Controlled By a Few Men, as Col. Polk Says?

From the News and Observer.

Referring to remarks of Col. Polk we take occasion to say that there are some things stated that are hard to comprehend. For instance, the claim that "the currency of the country is controlled by a few men."

In Texas the people have deposited \$30,000,000 in their local banks. Those people control that. In Louisiana, the people have on deposit \$18,000,000, and they control that. In Kansas they have on deposit \$17,000,000 and they control that. In Minnesota they have on deposit \$27,000,000, and they control that. And an equal amount in Iowa; and so on more or less in all the states. At the east, where there are savings banks, nearly every family has money on deposit, which they control. If they want it, all they have to do is to ask for it.

"THE TOP OF THE GLOBE."

Chas. E. Bolton's Second Lecture at the Christian Church.

There was a very fair audience at the Christian church last night to witness the second lecture of Charles E. Bolton. The subject was "The Land of the midnight sun." The lecturer took the audience on a long tour and the lecture was brimful of interest to all present. The illustrations were magnificent, and every one enjoyed the evening's entertainment to the greatest extent.

The subject of Mr. Bolton's lecture to-night is "Reunited Germany, and Heroic Louise." This is Mr. Bolton's last entertainment before leaving for Danville, Va. The lecturer promises his best this evening as his farewell. Historic castles, romantic Rhineland, art cities, a stroll through growing Berlin, and the statue of Von Moltke and the eccentric Emperor William II, who says: "I alone am master."

In the 10th Century.

From the Chicago Herald.

Mr. Dukes, a wealthy planter near America, Ga., is on trial by his church for resisting the will of God. He has committed the impious act of erecting a lightning rod on the top of his new house. The parson and the members of the church to which he belongs regard this act in the light of a wicked opposition to divine providence, whose intentions concerning the Duke mansion are not to be thwarted by any vain devices of man. They have urged him with fervid prayers and exhortations to take down his unholy lightning rod, but he has persistently refused, and in consequence of his impious stubbornness he has been brought before his church for trial. Science declares, to be sure, that his rod offered no resistance to lightning whatever, but he put it up believing that it did, and the church will doubtless punish him properly for his awful impiety.

New Books.

The Library association extends its thanks to the donors of the following books: Little Venice, G. D. Litchfield; The Bird's Christmas Carol, Kate D. Wiggins; Donna Luz, translated by M. L. Serrano; The Demagogue, D. R. Locke; Dramas of Life, Geo. R. Sims; Hester Hepworth, Kate T. Woods; A Pearl of Responsibility, W. D. Howells; Wallford, E. G. Kirk; Hedda Gabler, H. Ibsen; Larsons of Levenshoe, L. Fothergill; The Light that Failed, R. Kipling; Vivier of Vivier, Longman & Co.; W. C. Hudson; Sweetbriar in Town, D. C. Murray; Hayne Home, A. O. Wigge.

Real Estate Transfers.

The following deeds have been filed in Register Mackey's office for registration: H. R. Cook to Thomas Morris, lot on Pine street, 50x100 feet..... \$ 200

F. Delvechio and others to Kit Foster, 1 1/2 acres in townships..... 75

At Widow Polk's Residence.

NASHVILLE, Tenn., May 13.—At the residence of Mrs. Polk, widow of President James K. Polk last evening, the nuptials of Mr. M. Gardner and Miss Sadie Polk were celebrated.

The Baptist Convention.

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., May 13.—The Southern Baptist convention has adjourned to meet next year in Atlanta, Georgia. The delegates have all gone home.

Mackintosh coats, rubber coats and umbrellas at the Whitlock Clothing House, 48 South Main street.

FOLLOWING THE ITATA.

THE CHARLESTON ON HER TRAIL NOW.

If the Chilian Boat Puts Into a Neutral Port the United States Can Only Stand by and Whistle.

SAN DIEGO, Cal., May 13.—Passengers on the steamer Crescent City, which arrived at Cedras Island last night, report that when about ten miles below Ensenada Monday night the cruiser Charleston was sighted far out to sea. As soon as the officers on the war ship caught sight of the Crescent city they made directly for her. As soon as the cruiser approached the captain of the Crescent City raised the American flag and saluted. The Charleston immediately turned at right angles and steamed away to the southwest and soon disappeared beyond the horizon.

Crescent City officers report seeing nothing of the Itata.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 13.—The Call has an interview with A. K. Coney, the Mexican Consul General at this port, in regard to the probable action of the Mexican government if the Itata enters the port of Acapulco. He says that Acapulco is a neutral port and he is confident the Charleston will not be permitted to seize the Itata there, but if the Itata enters there with contraband goods on board it is probable the Mexican officers will train the guns of the fort on her and seize her themselves. The fort is not a very powerful one, but is strong enough to capture the Itata.

THE RAILROAD ELECTION.

Four Townships in Buncombe to Vote May 25th.

The voters of Asheville township should bear in mind the fact that there is to be another election held on Monday, May 25th.

The townships of Reems' creek, Flat creek and Ivy will also vote on the same day.

The question