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**A CARD**  
TO MY PATRONS AND FRIENDS.  
I have leased the whole store where I am now occupying only a window, and in a few days I will have it fixed up in first class style, so as to accommodate my customers with a reading room, free to all, and will have more conveniences. Thanking you for past favors, I am, Respectfully,  
**L. BLOMBERG,**  
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**COTTON SEED MEAL.**  
—Almost—  
**White Middlings.**  
We have just received one car load, 200 sacks, cotton seed meal, which mixed with bran is one of the best mixtures known for milk cows.  
**Wheat Bran.**  
We have just received two car loads of Flake Bran, one car of 300 sacks, 110 lbs each, and one car of 250 sacks of 125 lbs each.  
**Corn, Oats and Hay.**  
We have a large stock of all kinds of grain of the best quality. Our Feed Department is full and complete. Special attention is given to all branches of our business.  
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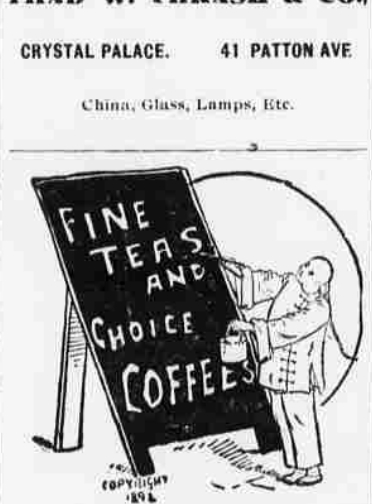
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We are showing some of the faintest novelties ever displayed in jewelry. It would be easier to tell you what we haven't got than what we have. If you haven't seen our elegant trifles in gold and silver, there is a treat awaiting you, and, whether you have preferences in mind or not, you should not miss them. It is difficult to resist going into details—we are strongly tempted to describe some of the exquisite products of the season's art, some of which show that the caprices of fashion are apt to be wonderfully charming, but you'll get a much better idea if you come and look for yourself.  
**B. H. COSBY,**  
**JEWELER,**  
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**WE WANT TO KNOW YOU**  
**WE WANT TO KNOW**  
That we keep in connection with our china, glassware, lamps, &c., a full line of cutlery, tin, wooden and willowware, indurated wood, Fibreware, &c. It is our intention this spring to open out extensively in this line, and will keep every little household article from an egg whip to a Leonard refrigerator. We will keep a full line of the enameled blue agate granite and steel ware. Please remember us when you make purchases in this line. Prices will be the lowest.  
**THAD W. THRASH & CO.,**  
CRYSTAL PALACE. 41 PATTON AVE.  
China, Glass, Lamps, Etc.



If you have tried our Tea you know what a delicious beverage it makes, if you have not there is a treat in store for you. A second rate article in tea is worse than none at all. What is true of Tea is true of Coffee also. Good Coffee takes high rank among the luxuries of life, and bad Coffee—well, the less that is said of that the better. If you want a cup of Coffee that is matchless in taste try our Mocha and Java. Respectfully,  
**POWELL & SNIDER**

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**H. REDWOOD & CO.**  
DRY GOODS,  
FANCY GOODS,  
CLOTHING, SHOES,  
HATS, CARPETS.

**7 & 9 PATTON AVE.**  
TWENTY PER CENT DISCOUNT  
From marked prices on Clothing.

**A HANDSOMELY FURNISHED HOUSE**  
For rent to a responsible party. House in a good location; bath, hot and cold water. Also a boarding house for rent.  
We have the best facilities of any firm in the state for insuring your dwelling houses, your furniture, stores and stock. If you get burned out you know that you can come to us and be sure of getting your money.  
Some choice bargains in city and suburban properties can be had by calling at our office. Timber lands a specialty.

**JENKS & JENKS,**  
REAL ESTATE AND INSURANCE.  
Rooms 9 and 10, McFee block, 32 Patton Avenue, Asheville, N. C.

**STILL IN THE RING.**  
**R. B. NOLAND & SON,**  
**GROCCERS,**  
No. 21 N. Main Street,  
Wish to announce the fact that they are sole agents for the Spartanburg steam baked bread, the only first class bread to be found in the city, and no table is complete without it. We get it fresh by express every day. Don't forget that we are wholesale and retail dealers in potatoes, apples, onions, and all kinds of country produce. Everything kept that is usually found in a first class grocery store.

**THEY WOULD NOT ACCEPT MEANING THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN.**  
**The Proposition Made for the Purchase of the City's Bonds Was Not Satisfactory, and the Aldermen Preferred Not to Sell.**  
An inch of a miss is said to be the same as a mile. And that's why Asheville did not come within a mile of selling her improvement bonds yesterday.  
The meeting of the board of aldermen was fixed at 3 o'clock for yesterday afternoon, the city council to be followed by a session of the joint boards.  
Mayor Blanton and Alderman McDowell were the only persons on time. A half hour later, however, there were several additions to the crowd, and about 4 o'clock, when the board went into the transaction of business, there was a full board on hand, together with almost a room full of the most prominent business men of the city.  
There was little work for the aldermen to do. Some street matters and bills were referred to the proper committees "with power to act." Some member ventured to remark that it would be better to let the committee report to the board, but the mayor replied petulantly that there was no need of so much trouble, and "power to act" went.  
The board elected A. G. Henry to a position on the police force, to fill Paul Thomas Goodlake's place and then adjourned.

**The Joint Boards At It.**  
Immediately upon the adjournment of the aldermen, the joint board of aldermen and advisors was convened. The full board, with the exception of Advisor Hunt was present.  
C. F. Street, representing Coffin & Stanton, New York, read the board the following proposition:  
"We desire to make you the following proposition for the purchase of bonds of the city of Asheville. We will purchase for the sum of \$200,000 the following city bonds, \$100,000 paving bonds and \$100,000 sewer bonds.  
"Provided, first, that you will pay us a commission of 5 per cent. for placing said bonds.  
"Second, that you will deliver \$100,000 of said bonds at once, the proceeds to be placed to your credit at our bank in New York, the remaining bonds to be delivered to us in installments as the work progresses and money is withdrawn.  
"Third, that you will enter into a contract with us to do the sewer and water work, directly under your supervision, you to pay us a contractor's profit of 5 per cent. on the actual cost of the work.  
"Fourth, it is understood that the funds to your credit shall draw interest at the rate of five per cent. in your favor, whilst the bonds draw interest at the same rate in our favor.  
"Fifth, it is understood that this is a proposition for the entire \$200,000 of bonds above referred to, and not for any smaller portion thereof.  
"We are prepared to at once enter into a contract with you embracing all of these points."  
When the proposition had been read Mr. Brevard moved its acceptance with regard to the sewer contract, as that part of the proposition could be voted upon by the members of the advisory committee.  
The motion was put and carried, by the following vote: Ayes—Conant, Summey, Cummings, Brevard, Leonard, Gudge, McDowell, Waddell and Starnes—8. Nays—Bearden and Scott—2.  
The announcement of the vote was received with considerable applause.  
Then on motion of Mr. Cummings, the following committee was appointed to act with the city attorney in drawing up a contract for the sewer work, provided the aldermen in separate session accepted the proposition: Aldermen Waddell, Brevard and Gudge; Advisors Cummings, Scott and Conant.  
But the Aldermen Kill It.  
The joint board then adjourned and the board of aldermen was reconvened, for the acceptance or rejection of the proposition, which Mr. Street said, would have to be accepted or rejected as a whole.  
Mr. Brevard, to start the ball rolling made a motion to accept the Coffin & Stanton proposition, which was carried.  
Then Mr. Gudge made an argument against the acceptance of the proposition. The firm, he said, was rated very high, it was true, and there was little probability of its becoming financially embarrassed. The placing in any one institution of as large a sum as the one proposed, without the very best security, was a responsibility that he did not wish to assume. He said he had spoken to Mr. Street about that feature and he had utterly refused to offer any security. He was opposed to the proposition, but was as much in favor of selling the bonds as any man, if the right kind of a sole could be made.  
G. E. Grant, who was in the audience, was called on for his view. He said he heartily wished the bonds sold, but he considered the proposition an unbusinesslike and unreasonable one. If he were on the board he would surely vote to reject the proposal.  
Robert M. Furman was called on, and favored the acceptance of the proposition, with slight alterations.  
Chas. T. Rawls, in response to a call, said that he would want additional security. If he should sell a man a horse, he shouldn't like to have a man keep both horse and money. As the proposition stood, he would oppose it, although he had worked hard for the ratification of the improvement act.  
Messrs. Starnes and Brevard said that they had been in favor of accepting the proposition until the question of security came up. They wanted the city fully protected.  
W. B. Gwyn, Thos. A. Jones and Thos. W. Branch each made short talks on the subject. Mr. Branch expressed smiles when he suggested that "power to act" should be inserted somewhere in the proposition.  
When things had gone this far everybody in the house knew the trend of things and were not surprised, when the motion was put to the board, to hear a unanimous "no."  
That did the work, and the board adjourned.  
Fifty pair boys' knee pants at \$1.00, worth \$1.50 to \$2.00 at the Whitlock Clothing House.

**THOMASVILLE ORPHANA**  
**There Are Now 135 Orphans in This Institution.**  
CHARLOTTE, N. C., Jan. 30.—The executive committee of the Thomasville Baptist Orphanage has just closed a pleasant and harmonious session. There are at present 135 orphans in the institution. The hard times are driving many to seek charitable aid who otherwise could provide for themselves.  
Contributions are also effected by the financial pressure. The treasurer has received \$5,400 in the last four months. Arrangements were made to enlarge the work of the institution. The health of the orphans has been unusually good.

**PRESIDENTIAL CANDIDATE**  
**"WHAT IS THE MATTER WITH GROVER CLEVELAND."**  
**The Unique Declaration of Henry Watterson in This Morning's Courier Journals to the Presidential Nominee.**  
LOUISVILLE, Jan. 30.—In the Courier Journal today Mr. Watterson says: "The Courier Journal presents its compliments to those of its esteemed contemporaries who have kindly interested themselves in its behalf with respect to the presidential candidacy of Gov. Hill and begs that as soon as this paper has declared itself in favor of Gov. Hill—or as soon as it may be convenient thereafter, they will do us the favor to wire us at our expense. The matter may not be of much, or any, importance to the public, but we like to be advised of what is going on, you know. In the meantime what is the matter with Grover Cleveland? Don't everybody speak at once!"

**SUED FOR LIBEL.**  
**The Directors of the New Orleans Republican the Men.**  
NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 30.—The New Orleans Republican, organ of the War-mouth faction of the republican party, in an editorial on January 22, stated that Senator Gage had accepted \$15,000 from the lottery company for his vote, and also made president of the convention by the lottery people. It also adds that he is a thief.  
Mr. Gage called on Mr. A. R. Burholt, the editor of the Republican, and asked him to deny the statements. Upon being refused Senator Gage made a public statement yesterday afternoon for criminal libel against Collector War-mouth, Appraiser W. S. Badger, surveyor of the port, Gen. McMillan, United States marshal, J. B. Donnelly, A. R. Burkaol, corner of the United States mint, and Mr. P. Wright, whose name is mentioned as a probable candidate for governor on the War-mouth ticket.  
The above gentlemen compose the directory of the Republican.

**THE RUN CONTINUES.**  
**Police Necessary to Keep the Crowd in an Order.**  
BALTIMORE, Jan. 30.—The run on the Hopkins Place savings bank was continued yesterday. The police was necessary to keep in line the depositors shoving and crowding and calling for their money. The people withdrawing their deposits are almost all foreigners and no grocers. Their ignorance, however, makes useless explanations of the bank's solid condition. Even the object lesson of a large table piled high with greenbacks makes no impression, except apparently to excite greater eagerness to get "my money." Half a dozen bank presidents called on the officers of the Hopkins Place bank and tendered offers of unlimited amounts of money if the bank needed it, but President Smith declined their offer with thanks, saying they had plenty of money to pay all who called to draw.

**ROCKY MOUNT IS LUCK.**  
**The Atlantic Coast Line Will Erect Car Shops There.**  
RALEIGH, Jan. 30.—The Atlantic Coast Line has accepted the offer of the town of Rocky Mount to give forty acres of land for the use of that railway and will erect thereon very extensive machine shops for the main line and its numerous branches. It is stated that the buildings will cover sixteen acres, and that work on them is to begin at once. The shops will be particularly for the use of the Wilmington and Weldon, Norfolk and Carolina, Albemarle and Raleigh, and Scotland Neck railways.

**FATAL FIRE.**  
**Four Persons Loose Their Lives at Brainerd, Minnesota.**  
BRainerd, Minn., Jan. 30.—An awful fatality occurred ten miles west of this city yesterday, by which four people lost their lives. The house belonging to Geo. Cramer caught fire and his wife and three children were cremated. The husband was away, but saw the fire and found the burned bodies around the stove. The origin of the fire is unknown.  
**\$65,000 Fire.**  
PITTSBURG, Jan. 30.—A special from Jeanette says: A fire late last night burned a whole business block in the center of the town. At midnight it was still burning fiercely and no hopes of saving the adjoining blocks. Loss of block burned, \$65,000.  
The fire spent its force by midnight and at one o'clock all danger was over. Loss \$75,000.  
**Two Hundred a Week.**  
BERLIN, Jan. 30.—The influenza is especially prevalent in the district surrounding the town of Ottweiler, about thirty miles southwest of Treves. There are 200 deaths weekly from the disease in this section.  
**Mr. Spurgeon no Better.**  
LONDON, Jan. 30.—A dispatch received this morning from Mentone says Rev. Mr. Spurgeon passed a restless night. No improvement in his condition.  
**Wants the Fair Closed Sundays.**  
COLUMBUS, O., Jan. 30.—By a vote of 68 to 20, the Ohio house of representatives adopted a resolution demanding that the World's fair be closed on Sunday.  
Just received spring hats, neckwear and mackintoshes at the Whitlock Clothing House.

**IT IS ABSOLUTELY FALSE**  
**CHILI WAS NOT REQUIRED TO SALUTE OUR FLAG.**  
**The Stories Circulated in Washington This Morning to That Effect Were Fabrications Out of the Whole Cloth.**  
WASHINGTON, Jan. 30.—Secretary Blaine sent a cable message to Minister Egan this morning instructing him to inform the Chilean government that its proposition for settlement of the difference between the two governments made in response to the ultimatum of the 21st inst., are gratifying to the president of the United States as indicating a good prospect that the controversy can now be adjusted upon terms satisfactory to this government by the usual diplomatic methods.  
The telegram makes no request or suggestion of any kind whatever for a salute by Chili to the American flag. There was nothing said at yesterday's cabinet meeting on this subject and there is no reason to believe that this government will require such salute from Chili. It is very possible, however, that Chili may, of her own accord, perform this graceful act at the termination of the diplomatic adjustment of all difficulties, which is now in progress.  
Specific inquiries as to the truth of the published statements that Chili must salute our flag elicit positive and authoritative denials of the most sweeping character. No demand is made upon Chili to salute the flag, and the stories printed this morning as to the alleged proceedings in a cabinet meeting of yesterday on the whole subject of the Chilean affairs are pronounced to be absolute conjectures and inventions.

**A WELCOME NEW COMER.**  
**M. S. Stokes, of Philadelphia, Locates in Asheville.**  
A gentleman has newly come to Asheville, as a resident and a citizen, whose business and personal qualities entitle him to the warmest welcome. This is M. S. Stokes, late of Philadelphia, whose health required a change of climate, yet, with energies still unimpaired, seeking a place where the restoration of health could be associated with the continued application of his faculties and his experience. This, after full and deliberate examination, he believes he has found in Asheville; and accordingly he is here to stay.  
Before the war Mr. Stokes was largely engaged in mercantile affairs in Nashville, Tenn. Subsequently he was connected with an old and strong mercantile firm in Philadelphia. Eventually, he became the founder of that great and successful organization known as the Union Trust company, of which, until compelled to resign because of impaired health, he was the honored and faithful secretary and treasurer.  
Mr. Stokes is now the president of the Hedge and Wire fence company, now becoming well and favorably known, and proposes to conduct the business of that company with Asheville as the central point of operations, and has already opened his office for the transaction of business.  
He is a new citizen whose acquisition is cordially to be welcomed and valued.

**THAT TURNER GANG.**  
**Two More Murders Added to the List Yesterday.**  
LOUISVILLE, Ky., Jan. 30.—Near Pineville, Ky., yesterday Bob Jones and Lee Davis, two prominent members of the Parton faction, were killed by Turner and his men. It is said that the men were waylaid.  
Jones and Davis, the two murdered men, were known as the armed enemies of Henry Turner. They had assisted in his capture about a year and a half ago, when he was lodged in jail here.  
Since Turner made his escape these two men have been endeavoring to effect his capture. They have gone so far as to offer a reward of \$200 for Turner's apprehension and the outlaw has doubtless been awaiting this opportunity for vengeance.  
**\$160,000,000 FOR PENSIONS.**  
**Uncle Sam's Bill Will Very Soon Reach That Amount.**  
WASHINGTON, Jan. 30.—Pension commissioner Kaum informed the house appropriation committee today that the pension appropriation for the fiscal year would necessarily be larger than the amount appropriated for the current year.  
The maximum of pension expenditures, he thought, would be reached during the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1893, and ending July 1, 1894, and it would not exceed \$160,000,000 a year. The next year would show a decrease of about \$3,000,000. The requirements for pensions would remain about \$127,000,000 for several years, and then gradually lessen, provided there was no new legislation.

**Kentucky Republicans.**  
LOUISVILLE, Jan. 30.—The republican state central committee has decided that the state convention shall meet in this city on March, 30.  
**AFFAIRS OF CONSEQUENCE.**  
FOREIGN.  
France has concluded commercial treaties with all the European powers except Spain.  
The administrator of the bank of Spain declares that the position of the bank is satisfactory, and that there is no warrant for the uneasy feeling prevailing regarding the bank's affairs.  
General Loma, of the Spanish army, in command of the Spanish troops sent to the vicinity of Bilbao to suppress the riotous demonstrations of iron and copper miners who are dissatisfied because of a cut in their wages, has informed the miners that should occasion arise he would shoot all rioters without mercy.  
Blood diseases are terrible on account of their loathsome nature, and the fact that they wreck the constitution so completely unless the proper antidote is applied. B. B. B. (Botanic Blood Balm) is composed of the true antidote for blood poison. Its use never fails to give satisfaction.  
Five hundred pairs men's extra pants at \$2.00 and up, worth double the money, at the Whitlock Clothing House.

**CHINA, GLASS, CUTLERY, LAMPS, SILVER**

**HAVE YOUR PRESCRIPTIONS FILLED AT GRANT'S PHARMACY, NO. 24 SOUTH MAIN ST., ASHEVILLE, N. C.**

**J. M. CAMPBELL, DEALER IN REAL ESTATE AND AGENT FOR THE ASHEVILLE LOAN, CONSTRUCTION IMPROVEMENT COMPANY. FOR RENT.**  
Eight-room furnished house, short distance of court house, modern improvements, first class house and first class tenants wanted; none others need apply. Price 75.00.  
Three-room house, unfurnished. Price \$7.50 per month.  
Two eight room houses, unfurnished. Just at street car line. Price \$25.00 per month. Modern improvements.  
Four-room house, just at street car line. Price \$10.00 per month. None but responsible tenants wanted.  
Ten room house, furnished, for rent. All modern conveniences. Possession at once. Best street in Asheville. Price \$60 per month. Apply to  
J. M. CAMPBELL, Real Estate Dealer.

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Clearing sale till March 1st. I intend to give up one store room, and goods will be sold out as fast as possible, regardless of prices.  
**J. H. LAW,**  
57 59, 61 South Main Street.