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Many a man has attributed his success in life to peculiar talents and business capacity, when the fact is he sailed to prosperity on the wings of an advertisement.

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ASHEVILLE N. C., SATURDAY EVENING, FEBRUARY 13, 1892.

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Mandhling Java
—AND—
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We also carry in stock finest Carracas, Santos, and Rio.

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Peas, Pineapples, Huckleberries, White Cherries, Strawberries, Blackberries, &c.

We also carry a full line of all kinds of California Canned Fruits.

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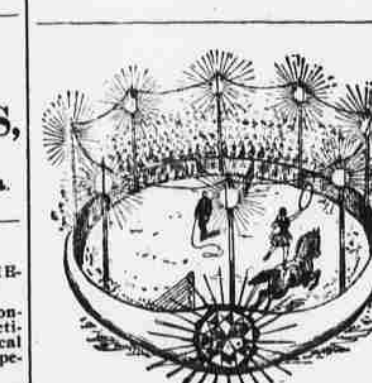
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Drawers at 29, 39, 49 and 59cts. Chemise at 33, 43, 53 and 63cts. Gowns at 59, 69, 79, 89, 99cts. \$1.17, \$1.27. Shirts at 48, 58, 68, 78, 88cts. \$1.18, \$1.38.

These goods are full size, nicely trimmed, good material and well made. Also a full line of Hamburg, Nainsook and Swiss Embroideries and Torchon Lace, White Goo's, and Gingham; all new Spring Goods.

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A BRILLIANT RING.

We are showing some of the daintiest 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 in silver, there is a treat awaiting you, and, whether you have purchases 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.

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PEARL : TOP : LAMP : CHIMNEYS,
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POWELL & SNIDER

The co-partnership known as H. Redwood & Co. expires this day by limitation.

HENRY REDWOOD,
ANNIE C. PRESLEY,
JOHN H. McDOWELL.

Asheville, N. C., February 1, 1892.

The undersigned have this day formed a co-partnership under style of H. Redwood & Co. for the transaction of a business in general merchandise in the city of Asheville, N. C.

HENRY REDWOOD,
ANNIE C. PRESLEY,
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February 1, 1892.

A HANDSOMELY FURNISHED HOUSE

For rent to a responsible party. House is 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,

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Rooms 9 and 10, McAfee 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 Sparhawk 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.

THE GOOD TIME COMING.

IN FACT, 'TIS NOW AT ASHEVILLE'S DOOR.

The Board of Aldermen, in Session Yesterday, Close a Trade for the Delivery of \$343,000 Worth of Bonds.

Sold?
Yes, indeed!
That's what's the matter with Asheville!

Three hundred and forty-three thousand dollars' worth of Asheville's improvement bonds has been sold.

The thing is settled beyond a doubt.

The board of aldermen settled the matter yesterday afternoon at its regular weekly meeting.

The Board Meets.

There was a fair sprinkling of visitors in the mayor's office at 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon, the appointed hour, but Mayor Blanton and Alderman Starnes were the only officials present.

The mayor announced that the meeting would be a little late in starting up, but as the weather outside was a little raw, and the fire in the office was good and warm, he cordially invited all present to stay there until the meeting should assemble.

This invitation was accepted, and for an hour the crowd enjoyed a dissertation by the mayor upon the merits of Senator Hill, who, he declared, was the greatest man on earth. This was disputed by some, and the discussion was warm. The mayor also related some rich old jokes, of the vintage of the year 1,000.

While the discussion was at its height, the heavy sidemanic tread was heard on the stairs, and a moment later the board, excepting Mr. McDowell, entered. The members were seated, and Mayor Blanton called the board to order.

A Proposition.

As soon as matters had quieted down, Capt. Melvin E. Carter arose and submitted a proposition, in the shape of an ordinance, which he read. It was typewritten, and covered three pages. The proposition was made by Blair & Co., New York, through their representative, E. S. Marston, and was substantially an offer for the following bonds:

I. One hundred thousand dollars' worth of the street improvement bonds;
II. One hundred thousand dollars' worth of the sewer bonds;
III. Twenty-five thousand dollars' worth of school bonds;
IV. Eighteen thousand dollars' worth of market house bonds.

For these bonds Blair & Co. offered, par, less a commission of ten per cent. for the placing of them.

They also wanted an option on any further sale of bonds that might take place within the ensuing twelve months. The bonds are to be made payable in gold on maturity.

It Passes.

After the reading of the paper Mr. Waddell moved the adoption of the ordinance and proposition, seconded by Mr. Brevard. It was placed on its first reading, and passed by a unanimous vote. Then on a suspension of the rules it was placed on second and third readings and adopted without a dissenting vote.

Mr. Waddell was then appointed a special committee to see that the financial papers in the matter were properly drawn.

A motion prevailed to notify the contractors for the street work to execute their contracts and prepare to go to work.

It is Done.

As soon as this business had been concluded, Mayor Blanton signed the contract for the sale of the bonds. City Clerk Young then countersigned it and affixed the corporation seal, and the trade was closed.

A little later Mr. Morston made a draft for the amount. This was deposited with the city treasurer, J. E. Rankin, and today the draft and bonds were sent to New York. The cash will be here early next week, and will be deposited in the various banks of the city.

Other Business.

The board seemed disinclined to attend to small matters, and the following two items comprise all the work outside of the bonds sale.

On motion of Mr. Starnes, the board decided that it would not recognize any fire companies other than the two now in active existence.

Maj. W. E. Breese was given permission to put in a water pipe from the First National bank to the main on Eagle street, advancing the money for the work, amounting to about \$160.

The board did not receive the report of the finance committee on Mr. Waddell's resolution introduced at the last meeting.

What It Will Do.

Now that the bonds have been sold, it is interesting to review the work that is now in contemplation.

North Main street, from the Farmers' warehouse to Chestnut, is to be paved with brick and made 45 feet wide.

South Main street from the Swannanoa hotel to the city limits, is to be paved with brick and made 50 feet wide.

Patton avenue from Court place to Woodcock's drug store is to be paved with brick.

Depot street, from Patton avenue to the passenger depot, is to be paved with granite, and made 40 feet wide.

A new graded school building is to be erected.

The sewer work is to be carried on as the paving progresses.

The new city hall and market house, the finest building of the kind in the state, which now remains in an unfinished condition, will be pushed to an early completion.

The Contracts.

W. G. Corpening has the contract for all the excavations on the streets. A. M. Smith has the granite contract, and Webb, Oates & Eskridge the contract for the brick paving.

The bids put in by these firms are regarded as very good ones for the city, but an agreement has been signed by the contractors that they will discount all their bids five per cent.

The entire work contracted for is about \$175,000 worth.

Mr. Corpening has had a number of hands and teams here for some time. He told THE CITIZEN this morning that he

was ready to go to work with a large force next Monday morning if so instructed.

The Legal Side.

Mr. Marston, who consummated the trade for the bonds, tells THE CITIZEN that when his firm began considering the matter of taking the bonds, they employed Judge Dillon, the leading living authority on "municipal corporations" and "municipal bonds" to look into the improvement act in every detail. Judge Dillon did this and when he had completed his work he unhesitatingly advised the firm that the bonds were all right.

How It is Received.

The news of the sale of the bonds is in everybody's mouth today. There is some objection, of course, but the large majority of the people are pleased over the sale, and commend the action of the board of aldermen in the matter.

Alderman Waddell's ordinance regulating the paying out of the city's money, was not passed at yesterday's session of the board. It should be before one dollar of the money realized on the bonds is expended.

A STRANGE OCCURRENCE.

Six Men Drowned by High Tide in the Baltic.

BERLIN, Feb. 13.—A dispatch received from Königsberg, East Prussia, reports a peculiar and fatal accident that occurred near that place. The government of Königsberg is bounded on the north by the Baltic and along the shores of the sea is obtained a large proportion of the world's supply of amber. This substance is there partly cast up by the sea, and partly obtained by means of nets, and partly dug out of a bed of bituminous wood.

Last night an exceedingly heavy sea was running in the Baltic, and high waves swept far inland past their usual bounds. Close to the shore near Palmnicken, a small fishing town, is an amber mine in which a number of men were working. They of course had no knowledge of the fact that a rising tide was bringing heavy seas in dangerous proximity to the entrance to the mine; in fact, such condition of affairs was never dreamed of. Suddenly the water began to pour into the mine in a perfect torrent and the men were unable to escape. The men made a wild rush to escape but six of them found it impossible to breast the torrent in which they were engulfed and were drowned.

CONGRESSIONAL AFFAIRS.

The Pension Investigation Committee Appointed.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 13.—In the house the speaker announced the appointment of the following committee to investigate the pension office: Wheeler, of Michigan, Little, of New York; Dugan, of Ohio; Lins, of Minnesota, and Drossus, of Pennsylvania.

On motion of Hoar, of Massachusetts, the resolution was taken up directing the committee on manufactures to investigate the so-called "sweating" system of tenement labor. The committee is given authority to send sub-committees to various cities in carrying on the inquiry. The expense is to be defrayed from the contingent fund of the house.

THE DEADLY CIGARETTE.

A Bill Proposed Taxing Them \$10 on the Thousand.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 13.—Representative Cummings and others will soon introduce a bill to put a tax of \$10 per thousand on cigarettes. In the last year a hundred young men have died and about the same number have gone insane from smoking cigarettes.

Forty states have made it illegal to sell cigarettes to minors but it does not remedy the trouble. The present tax is fifty cents per thousand.

TYPHUS FEVER.

It is Found to be an Epidemic in New York.

NEW YORK, Feb. 13.—Investigation by the health officers has developed the existence of an epidemic of typhus fever among recently arrived Hebrew and Italian immigrants, who came here by the steamer Massilia January 30.

Bank Officials Indicted.

JACKSON, Tenn., Feb. 13.—The grand jury has found true bills against N. S. White and J. W. Theus, president and cashier of the defunct bank of Madison, which suspended September 18, 1890. The indictment charges them with "knowingly unlawfully and feloniously receiving money for deposit, knowing the insolvency of the bank," just before the assignment.

He stole \$75,000 Francs.

PARIS, Feb. 13.—Somewhat of a sensation was caused in the jewelry trade in this city by the disappearance of a prominent jeweler who is alleged to have \$75,000 francs from the safe of the firm of which his deceased father was a member, and decamped. It is said that he has fled to England in company with a woman who is his mistress.

Burned to Death.

CHARLOTTE, N. C., Feb. 13.—Mrs. Gregory, a widow, was making soap at Welford, South Carolina, yesterday, when her clothing caught fire. Mrs. Gregory's sister went to her assistance and both ladies were burned to death. Mrs. Gregory leaves three children and her sister leaves six.

Tennessee Republicans.

NASHVILLE, Feb. 13.—The republican state executive committee have issued a call for a state convention to assemble in Nashville May 4th, to elect delegates to the Minneapolis convention, and to nominate a candidate for governor.

To Oppose the Sub-Treasury.

EMPORIA, Kas. Feb. 13.—It has developed here that the famous alliance delegates of the fourth congressional district have been instructed to oppose the sub-treasury scheme at the St. Louis convention.

Attend the closing out sale at Law's. You will find no end of bargains at 61 South Main street.

Hot and cold soda water at Pelham's pharmacy, Patton avenue.

MR. ANDERSEN LEAVES OFF FOR ATLANTA THIS MORNING.

He Goes to Begin Work as One of the Secretaries of the International Committee of the Young Men's Christian Association.

H. P. Andersen, who has for several years past held the position as general secretary of the Asheville Young Men's



H. P. ANDERSEN.
(From a Photograph by Lindsey & Brown.)

Christian association, left this morning for Atlanta, Ga. Mr. Andersen will be one of the secretaries of the international committee of the Young Men's Christian association, and will sustain an advisory and supervisory relation to the Young Men's Christian associations of Georgia during the next three months, with headquarters in Atlanta, Ga.

Mr. Andersen was born in Svaneke, on the island of Bremling, belonging to Denmark, in the year 1862. At the age of six years he came to this country with his parents, who settled in the town of St. Johnsbury, Vt., where his boyhood and youth were spent.

In 1880 and 1881 Mr. Andersen worked as office boy and bookkeeper for the scale manufacturing firm of E. & T. Fairbanks & Co. He entered Dartmouth College in 1882, paying his way through by teaching school in the winter, conducting a newspaper agency, and working as assistant college librarian.

Mr. Andersen was graduated in 1886, and was immediately thereafter called to be secretary of the Young Men's institute, in the Bowery of New York city. This work is a branch of the Young Men's Christian association, to reach the mechanics living in the tenement houses on the east side of New York city. After three years of successful work he broke down in health from overwork, and in the summer of 1889 took a rest of six months, including a walking trip through Germany and Switzerland.

In 1889 Mr. Andersen came to Asheville, and at once organized the Young Men's Christian association. He has been the general secretary of the association ever since that time until a few months ago, when he decided to accept his new position.

Such, in brief, is the life history of Mr. Andersen. The real good, however, of his life, the noble work he has done, cannot easily be told in cold type. He is a young man, with the strongest devotion to duty, and a soul and body full of energy. He has stayed here long enough to see the once little association grow to handsome proportions and doing admirable work for the moral betterment of the young men of Asheville. Much of this success is due to Mr. Andersen, who has been constant in his work, ever evolving some new plan for the furthering of the good work of the association.

Mr. Andersen has also been active in church and Sunday school work, and the First Presbyterian church, in his departure, loses one of its best working members.

In leaving Asheville, Mr. Andersen carries with him the sincerest good wishes of his hundreds of friends. He is commended to the people of his new home as an exemplary man, and one always to be relied upon.

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AFFAIRS OF CONSEQUENCE

FOREIGN.

THE EMPRESS OF GERMANY IS UNABLE TO LEAVE HER ROOM, OWING TO AN ATTACK OF THE GRIP.

In a fight between Russian soldiers and a band of emigrants on the Russian frontier, near Lansberg, Prussia, three emigrants were killed and ten wounded.

France, Italy and Sweden have been selected as arbitrators in the dispute between the United States and Great Britain, growing out of the Behring sea seal fisheries.

HOME.

Savannah will erect a \$12,000 monument to Father Ryan, the confederacy's poet-priest.

Ex-Governor McGrath, of South Carolina was attacked with apoplexy and his recovery is doubtful.

It is said that the motion for divorce brought by Mrs. J. G. Blaine, jr., which comes up in Deadwood, S. D., next week will not be opposed.

The reorganization of the Richmond Terminal is about complete, and it is stated that Albert Fink, trunk-line commissioner, will be offered the presidency.

Miss Hattie Blaine, daughter of Secretary Blaine, has been annoyed by receiving letters from a war department clerk named Markle who wants to marry her. Proceedings have been instituted to declare him insane.

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Dr. Pelham, the Patton avenue druggist, destroys by fire all old seed and sells only Landreth's reliable Pedigree Garden Seed.

Hot Chocolate and Bouillon at Pelham's pharmacy.

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Eight-room furnished house, short distance of court house; modern improvements; first class house and first class tenants wanted; none other 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.

CHINA, GLASS,

CUTLERY,

LAMPS, SILVER

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.