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These goods are full size, nicely trimmed,

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Japanese Products,

Souvenirs, Novel-

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Glassware, Tinware,

House Furnishings.

Dinner and Teaware

THAD W. THRASH & CO.

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We now have in stock a fine lot of Mack-

erel. We use particular care in selecting the

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Domestic and Foreign Sardines, Smoked

Sardines in Oil, French Boneless Sardines,

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Sardines Spiced, Boneless Cream Cod Fish,

Magnolia Salmon, Salmon Steaks Canned,

Deviled Crabs, Shrimps, Lobsters, Oysters,

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A higher grade of goods than we offer can-

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LOTS OF

STYLISH SPRING GOODS

Already received and several lots of the

most desirable already gone. Naturally

the handsomest go first, and any one in

search of them late in the season has a

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Dry Goods, Clothing, Shoes, Hats, Car-

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No. 21 N. Main Street,

Wish to announce the fact that they are

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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 re-

tail dealers in potatoes, apples, onions, and

all kinds of country produce. Everything

kept that is usually found in a first class

grocery store.

WHERE ARE DEMOCRATS?

THE ABUSE OF ABSENTEEISM GROWING.

A Resolution Up to Set Aside Three Days for Consideration of the Silver Bill, But Empty Seats From the Majority.

WASHINGTON, March 1.—Notwithstanding the earnest efforts of Col. Ike Hill, whipper-in of the democrats, to secure a large attendance of democratic members to vote upon the resolution setting apart three days for consideration of the silver bill, when the speaker called the house to order at noon he was confronted with a large array of empty seats. Colonel Hill, however, was confident that it would not be many minutes before the house would be well filled with the advocates of silver and their opponents, and stated that the absentees would be about equally divided between the two sides of the question.

Before the reading of the journal Mr. Catchings, of Mississippi, called up a resolution and the clerk proceeded to read, and upon its adoption Mr. Catchings demanded the previous question. Mr. Tracey, of New York, called attention to the fact that the journal had not been read. The speaker declared that it was in order for the gentleman from Mississippi to call up the resolution. The reading of the resolution was concluded. Dingley—"Has the chair ruled that this report of the committee on rules can be considered before the journal has been read?"

Speaker—"The chair has that is the provision of the rules."

Dingley—"The same provision of the rules would confer the same privilege on the conference reports."

Speaker—"It does not confer the same privilege on the conference reports. The gentlemen are mistaken; there are express limitations against the conference reports."

Dingley—"Then the chair decides that business can be done before the reading of the journal?"

Speaker—"The chair so decides."

Mr. Tracey, of New York and his colleague, Mr. Fitch, vigorously protested against the ruling of the speaker which was defended by Mr. Bland, of Missouri, and a very warm colloquy ensued between Tracey and the speaker.

By a vote of 194 yeas and 73 nays the decision of the chair was sustained.

HILL OR CLEVELAND?

An Interesting Question—What Butler Says.

RALPH, N. C., March 5.—A gentleman who was a proxy at the recent meeting of the democratic state executive committee here tells me that there was no poll taken of the members to show their preferences for president. The correspondent of the New York Times telegraphed that paper that there were forty-eight members present, and that of these, thirty-five were for Cleveland. The fact is that there were thirty-five members present, and the gentleman above referred to, assures your correspondent that twenty-one were for Hill, and fourteen opposed to him, some of them strongly in favor of a western man. The twenty-one who are for Hill, he says, are not all for him unqualifiedly, and some are personally opposed to him, but they believe that, commanding the vote of New York, he is the only man who can carry that pivotal state, therefore ought to be nominated.

Mr. Butler, of the state alliance, who was specially interviewed by your correspondent today, said: "I tell you this Hill movement is worked up in the towns. It is not in the country. Take my own county, for instance; if there were only two men—Cleveland and Hill—to choose from, Cleveland would get a majority of votes. I would, in such a case, vote for him myself, yet you must not imagine that I am a Cleveland man. Neither Cleveland nor Hill could carry that county or the state. Our people will not support a New York man. They are prejudiced against New York men. This is not a theory but a condition. They are tired of these attempts to force them to take either Cleveland or Hill, and if such a course is continued there will be trouble."—Richmond Dispatch.

ANOTHER CRISIS.

The Behring Sea Matter Comes up Again.

WASHINGTON, March 5.—The Behring sea matter has assumed a most serious phase and public officials make no attempt to disguise their grave concern at the outcome. It was developed today that Lord Salisbury's proposition with regard to the present season was not only to open Behring outside of the thirty mile zone from the Pribiloff Islands to indiscriminate sealing, but to limit the catch with that belt, including, of course, the shores of the islands to thirty thousand seals.

In language of a prominent official their proposition is "wholly unfair, arrogant and even insulting to this country."

It is contended by experts that the opening of Behring sea for one season in the manner suggested would result in a speedy extermination of the seal species, and that there would then be nothing left to arbitrate upon.

KILLED SIX PERSONS.

Considerable Damage Done by a Hurricane.

LISBON, March 7.—A hurricane which passed over the Portuguese coast yesterday did much damage to property and to the harbor works here. A number of houses were unroofed, chimneys blown down, trees prostrated, and six persons passing along the streets were struck by flying debris and killed. A number of others were more or less seriously injured by falling bricks.

We Pay More Now for Tin Plate

LONDON, March 7.—The new British steamer Massachusetts, Capt. Williams, arrived at Swansea last night where she will load for New York three thousand tons of tin plates. This will be the largest shipment of tin plates to the United States since the McKibbin act went into effect.

THAT CATAMOUNT.

The Dogs Were In For A Fox, But Not For The "Cat."

The catamount chase on Saturday last did not pan out as much sport as had been expected, but there was a lot of fun just the same. At the appointed hour, Messrs. Chambers, Sevier and others went over to West Asheville with the catamount securely fastened in a box. Arriving at the scene of the chase, the hunters drew up in line, and the dogs were placed at convenient distance. The word was then passed, and the catamount's cage was opened. The "cat" on being released cleared about twenty feet the first bound, and struck for the bush. Soon the dogs were loosed, and set out in hot pursuit. They followed the trail until it got hot, and then came to a standstill, evidently coming to the conclusion that they had not lost a catamount just at that time. They refused to follow the scent.

A fox was then turned loose. It ran a few hundred yards, closely followed by a yelling mob of colored boys, who finally overhauled it. They were playing with the animal, but their sport was cut short by the appearance of the dogs, which, anxious to redeem themselves in the good graces of the hunters, pounced upon the fox and chewed it up, hide and hair.

The fox can be accounted for, but the catamount is supposed to be still running.

IMPORTANT PURCHASE.

Stevens Mill Power Bought by the West Asheville Syndicate.

On Saturday last E. G. Carrier, for his syndicate, purchased of S. Norman Stevens, the Stevens water power, not far from the present dam of the West Asheville Improvement company. The price paid was \$3,000. This is a most important deal. With this additional power the company will be able as J. D. Carrier says, "to put electric railways and electric lights over the whole of Hancock county." The company is soon to begin putting in a 25-foot stone dam on its new purchase. Work is also soon to begin on the company's new line from the passenger depot to the heart of the city.

Col. Cameron at Kinston.

The Kinston Free Press says: "Col. J. D. Cameron, of Asheville, the well known writer, who during his long life has edited several of the leading papers in the state, has been in Kinston and at Seven Springs since Saturday, writing up a description of the famous health-giving springs for Mr. T. J. Desmond, to be published in pamphlet form. Col. Cameron is devoted to North Carolina, her people and her interests, and has many friends in all portions of the state. He is a whole-souled, intelligent gentleman, and it is a pleasure to be in his company. He will probably leave tomorrow."

Is It True?

A Morristown telegram says: "The latest rumor in railroad circles here is to the effect that the Richmond and Danville railroad company has secured control of the Western North Carolina branch of the East Tennessee railroad from this place to Paint Rock, and that they will run their trains from Asheville into this city, and remove the transfer sheds from Paint Rock to Morristown."

\$2,000 Paid.

The Equitable Life, of New York, has paid the \$2,000 insurance on the life of W. J. Branch. The proofs of this loss were forwarded only a few days ago and as usual with this company the claim was paid on the day the proofs of death were received. Mr. Branch also had \$3,000 in the Royal Arcanum.

Recorder's Court.

Before Recorder Miller this morning Callie Murray, colored, was arraigned on a charge of fighting, and fined \$1 and costs. Jim Knight and Bettie Perkins, colored, were tried for fighting, and discharged. Joe Metz paid \$5 for a fight. John Williams, colored, drunk, fined \$5. Three other drunks, \$5 each.

Vanderbilt Arrives.

George W. Vanderbilt and party arrived at Biltmore on Saturday afternoon. The party consists of Mr. Vanderbilt's mother, her niece, Misses Shepard and Sloan, Richard M. Hunt, the architect, Mrs. Hunt, and Mr. Burnett. The party arrived at Mr. Vanderbilt's residence near Biltmore.

To Pay Cash Weekly.

The joint street committee of the aldermen and advisors held a consultation at noon today with Contractor Corpening with regard to paying his hands weekly, as brought up at the Friday meeting by Alderman Starnes. Mr. Corpening agreed to pay the men weekly in cash.

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. E. B. (Botanic Blood Balm) is composed of the true antidote for blood poison. Its use never fails to give satisfaction.

The Oakland Heights Sanatorium.

Has received the following very flattering and voluntary notice from the pen of Dr. Henry M. Fitch, in the New York Evangelist:

A PLEASANT PLACE TO WINTER IN.

Though the winter has been mild thus far, there is no certainty that it will continue so, and many of our readers are doubtless planning to spend a few months in the south. Asheville, in Western North Carolina, is famed for beauty of situation and evenness of climate, and in Asheville the most delightful place of residence for the traveler is certainly the Oakland Heights Sanatorium. Everything is done in this house which can contribute to the comfort and cheerfulness of the visitor. No consumptives are admitted, and the visitor is therefore spared that spectacle which wrings the heart of the guest of almost every southern hotel, of men and women dying from the most dreadful of all diseases. On the other hand, the house is quiet, home-like, free from the excitements of a hotel, and therefore just the place for those who are nervous, or who are debilitated by influenza, or suffering from any sort of chronic ailment.

THE TYPHUS SPREADING.