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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 Gossams, and Gingham, all new Spring Goods.

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**H. Redwood & Co.**  
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**NEWS OUT AT THE HEIGHTS**  
**WHAT GOES ON AT THE MILITARY SCHOOL.**  
The Extension of the Monford Avenue Car Line Will Give Much Satisfaction to the Students—A Billiard Room Opened.  
BINGHAM HEIGHTS, March 11.—[Special.]—The street cars are coming to the bridge. We are delighted. It saves us the time and muscle we have been using up by walking, and the livery bills we have been making when we ride. And when President Powell shall have brought his cars to the French Broad, we will vote him, as we said we would, greater than Alexander the Great when he rode Bucephalus up to the saddle skirts in the Indian Ocean after conquering Persia and India. The Indian ocean and Bucephalus can't compare with the French Broad and President Powell's street cars. *Nobis judicibus.*  
The Drill.  
All the vacancies among the cadet officers were filled last week, and the company drill begins this week. We shall relegate Upton's tactics to the shades of innocuous desuetude, and use the new infantry drill regulations recently adopted by the U. S. army. As soon as we get in shape we propose to have a public drill once a week or so on the sand flat above Pearson's bridge.  
**Provision for the Outer Man.**  
Our gymnasium has been in successful operation for some months and is much frequented and enjoyed by the boys. Last week our billiard room was opened and has been full ever since in play hours. It is in the basement of the gymnasium and is fitted up with tables supplied with Feck & Snyder's parlor billiard outfit. Some good people may feel a prejudice against billiards, but we attend to the outside affairs on the Heights, has been promising and promising to open a restaurant in the basement of Fowler & Co's storehouse. At last it has been done. The free luncheon all round which he was to open with according to our account of it has not yet been served, except so far as some milk had been down last Saturday night for oyster stews is concerned, and which came up missing. Lunches can now be served without a two mile walk to town. X. X. Y.

**Provision for the Inner Man.**  
We have scarcely heard a complaint of the provision made for the inner man at the mess hall table. It is but justice to say that the fare which our steward gives us is as good as it can be for the money and the boys consider it the best board they ever had at a boarding school. But we want something extra sometimes, of course. J. H. Fowler, "Mas' John" as the boys call him, who attends to the outside affairs on the Heights, has been promising and promising to open a restaurant in the basement of Fowler & Co's storehouse. At last it has been done. The free luncheon all round which he was to open with according to our account of it has not yet been served, except so far as some milk had been down last Saturday night for oyster stews is concerned, and which came up missing. Lunches can now be served without a two mile walk to town. X. X. Y.

**A Legal Decision of Interest to This Order.**  
BLOOMINGTON, Ill., March 11.—A very important decision was rendered in the circuit court here yesterday which has a bearing upon the business of all insurance associations. It was rendered in the case of Mrs. Maggie Belcham, widow of Thomas, of this city, vs. the grand lodge of the Ancient order of United Workmen.  
Mrs. Belcham's husband carried a life policy for \$20,000 in this order for 12 years, but was expelled from the order a few months before his death from drunkenness. The claim was made by Mrs. Belcham that when he was expelled her husband was insane. The verdict rendered gives Mrs. Belcham judgment for \$2,115.  
The order in this city also tends to investigate the charges made against the supreme secretary, John Barr, who was accused by branch No. 257, of this city, of unnecessary delay in the matter of forwarding papers pertaining to the payment of a death benefit claim.

**AGAINST PIECE WORK.**  
Employees of a Railway Company Out on a Strike.  
INDIANAPOLIS, March 11.—The strike of the employees in Pennsylvania railroad company's shops here which began three weeks ago now seems likely to affect the entire system. Several carloads of men, brought here from the east since the time of the strike, were persuaded not to go to work until yesterday. The company succeeded in getting into the shops thirteen men brought from Philadelphia. The executive board of the machinist's union is in session and is thought probable that a strike on the entire system against piece work will be ordered.

**WILL BEGIN SUIT.**  
Catholic Knights Want Back About \$75,000.  
St. Louis, March 11.—The Catholic Knights of America through the officers of the various state jurisdictions has instructed the supreme president, J. D. Coleman, to begin legal action against the bondsmen of the late supreme treasurer, M. I. O'Brien, who took funds of the order to the extent of \$75,000. It is supposed suits will be instituted without delay. It is understood the matter will be presented in the courts of Chattanooga, the former home of the defaulting treasurer.

**A Sick Emperor.**  
BERLIN, March 11.—Emperor William is confined to his bed. His physicians say that he is suffering from a slight cold. Some alarm, however, is felt concerning his condition for it is known that today he has not received reports on state business which it is customary for the heads of departments to make to him daily.  
**Public Buildings.**  
WASHINGTON, March 11.—The house committee on public buildings and grounds authorized favorable reports on the following public building bills: Brunswick, Ga., \$75,000; Newport News, Va., \$75,000; Annapolis, Ala., \$40,000.

**TRIED TO GET \$10,000.**  
**Attempt to Rob a Wagon Train.**  
EAGLE PASS, TEX., March 11.—Word has just reached Eagle Pass of an attempted robbery and the killing of one of the would-be robbers near Durango. C. M. Brittain, of the Las Vegas mines, left Durango City on the night of Feb. 29 for the mines some twenty miles away. He had with him \$10,000 in Mexican silver in a safe in his wagon. This fact became known to six desperate characters and they, proceeding a few miles on the road to Las Vegas before daylight, lay in ambush for Brittain. Brittain's party consisted of four persons heavily armed, and when the ambushed bandits saw the teams they at once charged upon them, using pistols and Winchester's freely. The others, however, made a vigorous resistance, while carrying into Constantia, and though one of their number, Antonio Costana was killed, the others with the treasure made a safe entry into Constantia.  
The robbers finding pursuit useless and dangerous turned toward Durango, and have not been caught.

**SOMETHING NEW.**  
**Asheville is Soon to Have a Genuine Masked Ball.**  
A pleasant surprise is in store for the fun-lovers of Asheville in the form of a fancy dress masked ball to be given in the Grand opera house soon after the Lenten season is over. The opera house is to be especially prepared and adapted for this festivity, the first of its kind ever offered in this city.  
The preparations are in the hands of a formidable list of patronesses and managers which would appear to make its success a foregone conclusion. This list is not yet made public. The ball is to be given by subscription, and a large number of invitations will be sent out. It is understood that the proceeds of this entertainment are for the benefit of that admirable public benefactor and teacher, the Asheville Library association.  
Dominos and masks, or costumes, historical, romantic, poetical, comic, even political, are the order of the day.

**IT'S A TERROR.**  
**The Present Blizzard One of the Most Intense.**  
WATERTOWN, N. Y., March 11.—Blizzard never prevails throughout northern New York. Since 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon about two feet of snow has fallen. The thermometer at 9 this morning registered about 17 above.  
OSWEGO, N. Y., March 11.—The blizzard has complete possession of this town. No trains are running. The railroad cuts are filled to the top. There are immense drifts in the principal streets, ten feet deep. Nearly all business is stopped. It is the worst storm in years.

**Moreland Confessed.**  
LONDON, March 11.—Maitland Francis Moreland, the aged Oxford tutor, accused of attempting to blackmail members of the nobility, pleaded guilty to an attempt to extort money from Earl Russell and not guilty to extorting money from Lord Hatfield. Moreland was sentenced to ten years penal servitude.  
**The New Orleans Lynching.**  
NEW ORLEANS, March 11.—Suits have been filed in the United States circuit court by attorneys representing the heirs of six of the Italians slain by the populace at the parish prison on the fourteenth of last March, against the city of New Orleans, claiming damages to the sum of \$30,000 in each case.  
**Bishop of Brooklyn.**  
NEW YORK, March 11.—Archbishop Corrigan read an official letter this morning from Rome announcing the appointment of Monsignor McDouneil as bishop of Brooklyn.

**Refuses Every Demand.**  
INDIANAPOLIS, March 11.—President Frenzel has submitted his reply to the demands of the street car men and his reply while pacific refuses every demand.  
**Sorely Afflicted.**  
NEW YORK, March 11.—For seven hours Mrs. James G. Blaine jr., lay between life and death yesterday. Today her condition was still dangerous.  
**Theatre Burned.**  
LONDON, March 11.—The Oxford university theatre, unoccupied, was partially destroyed by fire at midnight.  
**On the Threshold.**  
Standing at womanhood's door is she, Clad in her virginal purity, A creature fair as the lilies be, And, like the lilies, alas, how frail: They are borne to earth when the storms prevail, And their life goes out in the summer gale. When we see a frail and lovely creature, standing on the threshold between girlhood and womanhood, we shiver with a fear that may be, because we have seen so many succumb at this critical period of life. What is needed at this time is a tonic and invigorant—something that will promote proper functional action of the female organs. The only remedy to be depended on is Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. This unequalled medicine, which cures diseases peculiar to women, is especially valuable at the period when the girl crosses the threshold of womanhood. Tread at such a time, it never fails to produce a most beneficial result, and many a fragile girl has been tided over one of life's most trying periods by it.

**To the Public.**  
Asheville, N. C., March 10, 1892.  
J. S. Jones, Gen. Agent Provident Savings Life Insurance Society of New York.  
Dear Sir: I herewith acknowledge the payment on 7th inst. of five thousand dollars in settlement of claim under policy 20646, held by my husband, Wm. T. Reynolds in the Provident Savings. You will please accept my thanks for your promptness in this claim so long before its due date, as under the terms of the policy contract it will not be due until the 15th of next May. Wishing you success, and commending you and your company to the confidence of the insuring public, I am Yours Truly,  
Mamie S. Reynolds.

**DEAD IN A MINE SHAFT**  
**THREE HUNDRED MINERS ENTOMBED.**  
**Probably the Most of Them Are Fatally Injured—Mothers and Wives Frantic With Grief.**  
BRUSSELS, March 11.—An accident occurred today in a colliery near Charleroi which, it is feared, will result in great loss of life.  
Three hundred miners were employed in a coal pit when there was a terrific explosion of fire damp. The pit mouth was rendered unavailable, and up to the present the fate of the imprisoned workmen is unknown.  
Efforts are being made to rescue any of the men who may have survived the explosion.  
The explosion was at Anderfus colliery and tremendous excitement prevailed in the vicinity of the pit. Men, women and children have assembled in an enormous crowd and are wild with fear, for it is thought that when entrance is made to the colliery the loss of life will be found to be appalling.  
Of three hundred men at work only three have thus far arrived at the mouth of the pit in safety. The effect of the explosion was terrific. The cage and ventilator were shattered. The destruction of the ventilator adds an element of great danger to the situation. The men, if any survived the shock of the explosion, are apt to meet their death from choke-damp as, with the destruction of the ventilator, is impossible to rid the mine of gases.  
A large number of miners are married and their families are at the pit mouth frantic with grief. The worst is feared and the mine officers and gendarmes have the greatest difficulty in preserving space sufficient for the rescuing party that has been organized. Volunteers are plenty and almost super-human efforts are being made to clear the shaft.

**A SURPRISE.**  
**A Court Martial That Resulted Unexpectedly.**  
CADIZ, March 11.—All of the anarchists charged with participating in the recent attack upon the town of Xeres, who were tried by court martial that convened in this city yesterday, have been acquitted. This decision is somewhat of a surprise. It was stated shortly after the execution of four of the anarchist leaders who were garrotted in the plaza fronting the Xeres jail, that none of the remaining anarchists would be executed, but it was thought that a number of them would be sentenced to imprisonment. Comment is made upon the finding of the court martial, and it is said that the anarchists have lauded better than they would have done had they been tried in the criminal court.

**ALGER A CANDIDATE.**  
**He Will Spend Money and Fall of the Nomination.**  
DETROIT, Mich., March 9.—General Russell A. Alger, in reply to a question as to his candidacy for the republican presidential nomination, said:  
"I have until recently been undecided as to whether I would enter the contest for the nomination, but in view of the expressions that have come to me from earnest republicans throughout the country, I have concluded to enter the field. You may say this for me, for the information of my friends both at home and abroad."  
**Hill Goes to Mississippi.**  
JACKSON, Miss., March 11.—The following telegram sets at rest the doubt entertained as to the coming of Senator Hill from Washington: "I will arrive in Jackson at 11:50 o'clock a. m. on the 15th inst. I must leave that afternoon between 4 and 6 o'clock."  
**Will Accept.**  
LOUISVILLE, March 11.—Ex-Congressman Judson C. Clemens of Georgia who just been nominated inter-state commerce commissioner, is here. He says he will accept.  
**STATE POLITICS.**  
It has been alleged that Capt. Alexander had no desire to run for governor. He has a good place, with promotion ahead, and it is whispered that he may succeed Ransom as senator. It is alleged that Harry Skinner aspires to be the nominee for the lieutenant governor.

**While Col. Polk was in Raleigh he told several persons that his third party did not wish to interfere in state politics in the south, and would not antagonize the democratic administration of the state affairs; in other words would not have state tickets. But he said it would have an electoral ticket in each state and would concentrate all its power on electing it. He wants to elect a president; that is it. But how can he prevent the third party people from putting state tickets in the field?  
There has been some very sharp talk in some of the papers regarding Chairman E. C. Smith and his alleged "delivery" of the democratic vote of North Carolina to David B. Hill. Mr. Smith was asked what were the facts in the case. He replied: "You can say that my trip to Washington was purely a business one. I made no pledges to Senator Hill or to anyone else. No one realizes more fully than I do that the people of North Carolina cannot be delivered to any man; that they are independent and think for themselves. While today it appears to me that Hill is the strongest nominee of the democratic convention, yet the people will have to determine, with all the facts before them, whether his nomination is the wisest."**

**ONE BOTTLE OF**  
**Buncombe Sarsaparilla**  
Will convince the most skeptical of its real value. By its use you can save yourself from the suffering caused by the eruptions and ulcers sores through which the system strives to rid itself of corruptions. It purifies the blood, giving it renewed vitality and force.  
Being an alterative it changes the action of the system, imparting fresh strength and vigorous health.  
The concentrated power and curative virtues of Buncombe Sarsaparilla render it the most reliable blood purifier that can be used, while it is entirely safe for patients of all ages. For sale only at  
**GRANT'S PHARMACY.**  
The general tendency of Buncombe Sarsaparilla is laxative, but in a number of cases it is not enough so—hence we have had many demands for a good vegetable pill.  
BUNCOMBE LIVER PILLS are mild, yet efficient, do not cause pain or gripes, and act upon the liver and bowels.  
They are especially valuable as after dinner pills, and readily cure constipation and costiveness, nausea, distress in the stomach, etc.  
They are purely vegetable and we believe they are the best family pill yet prepared and offer them with perfect confidence, believing that whenever used it will be with the happiest results.  
Try them and judge for yourself. For sale only at  
**GRANT'S PHARMACY.**  
"SYRUP OF TAR AND WILD CHERRY" as manufactured at Grant's Pharmacy is the best cough medicine you can use for yourself or your children—it is a positive cure and we guarantee it to contain no opiates in any form, it is entirely harmless. For sale only at  
**GRANT'S PHARMACY.**  
Years ago people regarded cold cream and cutaneous use as the ultimatum for chapped hands and all similar skin troubles, many persons find that the application of either of them aggravates their trouble. To such "CAMPHOR-GLYCERINE COMPOUND" is a boon—it is a positive cure for chapped hands, chafing, sunburn, etc., and an elegant face dressing after shaving—it contains no mineral or noxious ingredient, is elegantly perfumed, will not soil the most delicate fabric, is entirely harmless and safe to use on the most delicate skin and contains nothing greasy or sticky. For sale only at  
**GRANT'S PHARMACY.**  
Vaseline tooth wash and powder are superior in quality, they cleanse and beautify the teeth, strengthen the gums and impart fragrance to the breath. For sale only at  
**GRANT'S PHARMACY.**  
Physicians orders promptly filled and delivered free of charge to any part of the city.  
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**J. M. CAMPBELL,**  
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**REAL ESTATE**  
AND AGENT FOR THE  
**ASHEVILLE LOAN, CONSTRUCTION**  
—AND—  
**IMPROVEMENT COMPANY**  
**FOR RENT.**  
One seven room house, modern improvements, close at street car line—\$20 per month.  
Furnished house just on car line all modern improvements, one block of court house—10 rooms. Price, \$150.  
Eight-room furnished house, short distance of court house, modern improvements, first class house and first class tenants wanted; none other need apply. Price, \$50.00.  
Four-room house, just at street car line. Price \$10.00 per month. None but responsible tenants wanted.  
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Nearly all the old stock closed out and the new goods coming in. I have the best and newest lines I have ever had in China, Glass, Cutlery and Silverware.  
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