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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 Goo's, and Gingham, all new Spring Goods.

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Just what the housekeepers of Asheville have been looking for. We have it in nearly every kitchen article used. This ware is far superior to any agate or granite ware made in this country; is more durable and freer from chemical impurities, and at prices even less than any other similar ware. Take a look at it in our window, and give us a trial order. We keep everything in the house-furnishing line, aside from our large stock of china, glass, lamps, etc., and solicit your esteemed patronage.

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If you buy your Groceries where you have to keep your eyes wide open you will be caught napping some time however watchful you may be. Buy where a child can purchase with as much safety as its mother. The place to buy is where the best of everything is kept, where the worst of anything is unknown and where inflated prices are not likely to be asked. We keep that kind of a place.

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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 "monkey and parrot" time of it.

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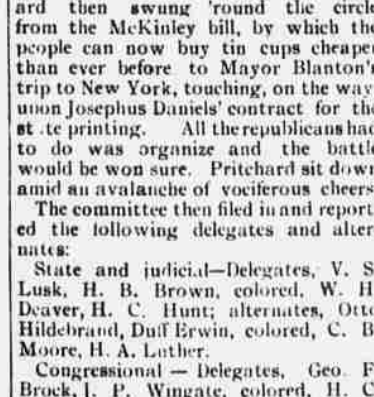
Wish to announce the fact that they are sole agents for the Spartanburg steam baked bread, the only first class bread to be found in the city, and no table is complete without it. We get it fresh by express every day. Don't forget that we are wholesale and retail dealers in potatoes, apples, onions, and all kinds of country produce. Everything kept that is usually found in a first class grocery store.

REPUBLICAN CONVENTION
COUNTY MEETING IN ASHEVILLE TODAY.

Permanent Chairman and Secretaries Elected—Delegates to the State, Congressional and Judicial Conventions.
The Buncombe county republican convention, for the purpose of selecting delegates to the state, congressional and judicial republican conventions, met in the court house in this city today at 1 o'clock, being called to order by Col. V. S. Lusk, county chairman. Col. Lusk was elected chairman and P. A. Cummings and R. B. Roberts secretaries.
On motion of W. H. Deaver, republicans from townships not represented by regular delegates were allowed to act as delegates.
On motion of J. P. Wingate the chair appointed a committee composed of one delegate from each precinct represented, to select the delegates to the state, congressional and judicial conventions.
While the committee was consulting Jeter C. Pritchard rose in response to loud calls and made the convention a red hot speech. It was red hot because Pritchard stood near a red hot stove. He said the prospects for republican success were brighter this year than ever before. (Republican orators always say that.) He also said that last year the republican party was on the defensive on account of the McKinley bill. This year, however, the democratic party was on the defensive. Mr. Pritchard then swung round the circle from the McKinley bill, by which the people can now buy tin cups cheaper than ever before to Mayor Blanton's trip to New York, touching on the way, upon Joseph Daniels' contract for the printing. All the republicans had to do was organize and the battle would be won sure. Pritchard set down amid an avalanche of vociferous cheers.
The committee rose in response to the following delegates and alternates:
State and judicial—Delegates, V. S. Lusk, H. B. Brown, colored, W. H. Deaver, H. C. Hunt; alternates, Otto Hildebrand, Duil Erwin, colored, C. B. Bennett, M. D. Virginia, a graduate of the medical college of Virginia and Harvard university, the medical director. Dr. Bennett was on the regular staff of the institute at Dwight, Ill., and has had familiar experience with the treatment, and was sent direct to the Columbia institute by orders from Dr. Keeley.
At the institute all patients are under the personal supervision of the medical director, who devotes his entire time to this special department of medicine.
The time for the cure of the liquor habit is from three to four weeks. A peculiarity of the treatment is that the patient is given all the liquor he calls for until he ceases its use of his own volition, which is ordinarily from two to four days after commencing treatment.
Patients are under no restrictions, the Keeley system not requiring it. They go to boarding houses and hotels, and report to the institute four times daily for treatment. Over twenty-six thousand and have been cured at the present branch institutions to February 1st, 1892, in addition to thousands of ladies and invalids who have been privately cured by the physical treatment.
The Columbia institute has been open only a short time, yet there are now ten patients undergoing treatment, three of whom are from Asheville.

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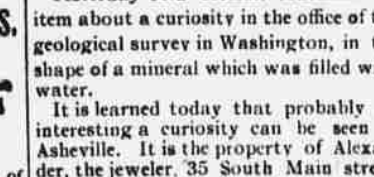
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THE POPE AND THE FAIR.

His Holiness Approves America's Efforts to Honor Columbus.
ROME, March 16.—Mr. Thomas B. Bryan, special commissioner to Italy for the Chicago World's Fair, has received the following letter from his Holiness Pope Leo XIII.:
"Greetings: While we see on all sides the preparations that are eagerly being made for the celebration of the Columbian centenary, feast in memory of a man most illustrious and deserving of christianity and all cultured humanity, we hear with the greatest pleasure that the United States have, among other nations, entered this competition of praise in such a manner as befits both the vastness and richness of the country and the these honors are being shown. Nothing, certainly, could be more splendid than what is told us of the grand and magnificent exposition which the nation will hold at Chicago, bringing together every kind of produce and work which fruitfulness bears and the artful industry of man creates.
"The success of this effort will surely be another proof of the great spirit and active energy of the people who undertake enormous and difficult tasks with such cheerfulness and nobility of the purpose, which is equal in greatness to the undertaking itself. It is a testimony of honor and gratitude to that immortal man of whom we have spoken, who, desirous of finding a road by which the light and truth and all the adornments of civilization might be carried to the most distant parts of the world, could neither be deterred by dangers nor wearied by labors, until, having in a certain manner renewed the bond between two parts of the human race so long separated, he bestowed upon both such benefits that he in justice may be said to have few equals or a superior.
"While, therefore, we bestow on the citizens of the great republic well-merited praise, we express the fervent hope that their noble undertaking may, other nations uniting with them and lending aid, have a most prosperous issue, and thus prove of great use in stimulating the industry of man in promoting the development of nature and encouraging all the fine arts.
"Given at St. Peter's, Rome, in the year 1892, and the fifteenth year of our Pontificate."
BLESSED THE MIMP.
Russian Enthusiasm for American Gifts.
LUDAN, March 19.—The American steamer Indiana, Capt. Sargent, which brought to this port gifts of flour and provisions sent by Americans for the relief of the Russian famine sufferers has since her discharge been some distance off shore. Last night she was towed into the harbor.
Certainly if unbounded popular enthusiasm is proof of appreciation the officers and crew of the Indiana will carry from this country a lively recollection of the gratitude of the Russian people. When the Indiana passed the jetty she was greeted with loud and enthusiastic cheering by the crowd that assembled on the jetty. The steamer was received by the community authorities and a large delegation of leading merchants of the port. After she was moored a number of orthodox Greek clergy proceeded aboard of her and held a thanksgiving service which concluded with the formal and impressive ceremony of blessing the ship.
POISONED BY THE BROTHER.
The Terrible Charge Against a Nashville Boy.
NASHVILLE, March 19.—A family poisoned, two young girls dead and four other members of the family ill, two rather seriously. Such is the result of the poisoning of the family of Richard Melrose.
Katie Melrose, fourteen years of age, died at 8 o'clock this morning, and Mattie Melrose, aged sixteen, died at 9:30, after terrible suffering from the effects of arsenic poisoning, administered to the family in their coffee at supper last night.
David Melrose, aged twenty-three years, is in a serious condition. Robert Melrose, aged eighteen, recovering. Miss Minnie Melrose, aged twenty-one years, was only slightly affected as she did not drink much coffee. Mrs. S. E. Melrose, the mother, was seriously affected at first, but is out of danger. Circumstances point to the guilt of Robt. Melrose, the younger brother.
MILLS WILL BE ELECTED.
At Least, It Looks That Way Now in Texas.
AUSTIN, Texas, March 16.—An enthusiastic Mills caucus was held last night in which there were eight supporters of Culberson's late candidacy. This insures a fair divide for Mills of Culberson's supporters and seems to make his election sure. Robertson county yesterday instructed by its primary convention for Mills which makes another vote for him. Mills, in reply to an appeal from friends to come to Texas and speak, replied that he is too ill now to travel, but that he would be in Texas soon. Austin is thronged with friends of Gov. Hogg, who seem alarmed at the strength developed by Judge Clark in his vigorous gubernatorial campaign.
HILL IN AUGUSTA.
He and Party Will be in Washington Sunday.
AUGUSTA, Ga., March 19.—A committee of leading Augusta democrats, headed by Hon. Patrick Walsh, took Senator Hill and his party in charge this morning and gave them an interesting drive throughout the city and suburbs. At 1 o'clock this afternoon the party left here on the regular Richmond and Danville train for Washington. No stops or speeches are contemplated on the route, and if this program is adhered to Senator Hill and his friends will reach Washington at 11 o'clock tomorrow morning.
Another Day Gone.
WASHINGTON, March 19.—The house today proceeded to consideration of the resolutions expressive of the sorrow with which the representatives received the information of the death of Prentiss B. Plumb, late senator from Kansas.
Is Garza Captured?
CITY OF MEXICO, March 19.—The report is current here that a telegram has been received at the war department giving notice of the capture of Garza in the state of Tamaulipas.

BILL NYE IN THE WOODS

HE WRITES FROM THE FORESTS OF THE NORTHWEST.
In Search of Health He Visits a Lumberman—Mr. Frankfurter's Invitation—William's Soul Torn in Shreds by McAllister.
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IN THE PINNEY FOREST, March.
We are now flying through the resinous woods, along a lane of pines so dark and green and somber that there's something about it that is strangely sad but restful, like the cool shadows of an easy fitting grave at the close of a lonesome life. There's a gentle, soothing lullaby in its graceful, disguised branches and their soft sigh that comes to your worn senses like the well kept and soothing folds of a well sold grave to a man who has been married for twenty years to a superior woman. Dear reader, were you ever married to one of those—a woman who was your superior in every way and kept the fact at the head of the column next to pure reading matter?
This reminds me somehow of Mr. Wilde. If I could have seen Willie in time I would have told him never to marry a superior woman, even though she should "throw open to him the door to every avenue of literary success," as his wife did. I knew a man once who married a superior woman and he died in a madhouse, and the visitor is still shown the marks on his little iron bedstead where he bit it while thinking of his past life.
The falls of Niagara are grand and beautiful, besides having a worldwide reputation; so are the Brooklyn bridge and the national debt, but I would not care, even if footloose (which I am not), to marry either one of them.
But let us return. We have been for days in the lumber region, I. e., the spinal column of it. At every little station we are joined by lumbermen, mostly foreigners, wearing the picturesque costumes of the camp. We saw the Berry Wall of the pine region yesterday. He wore a new buckskin shirt, fluted at the seams, and a pair of woolen
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THE OLDEST PETITION.
—The railway commissioners have received a petition from the eastern part of the state asking to order an increase of the freight rate on a certain railway. The reason given for this desired change is that formerly steamers ran on the rivers there, but that the railway put its freight rates so low that it drove the steamers out of business. The petitioners say if the railway freight rate is put up the steamers will again be put on.
—It is decided that the annual celebration at the battle-ground at Guilford Court House shall this year be held on the Fourth of July. The Maryland historical society has decided to erect a monument there, in honor of the troops of the Maryland line who so gallantly fought.
—Losses on cotton, of which he had 500 bales, costing nine cents a pound, caused the assignment of T. P. Rowland, general merchant of Middleburg. His liabilities are \$20,000 preferred, and his assets are \$15,000. Cotton has been a curse this season, all around.
—The State Board of Pharmacy has licensed as a druggist Mrs. P. B. Kvaer, Selma. This is the first instance in which a woman has made application for license as a pharmacist. Mrs. Kvaer passed her examination in admirable style.
—David Hinkle, who some months ago, in Davidson county, was run over and nearly killed by a train, sued the Richmond and Danville railway, and got \$1,500 damages. The case has been compromised on the payment of \$1,000.
—An outrageous affair is reported by the Concord Standard to have occurred in Rowan county. A man ran away with his son's wife. Their whereabouts is not known. His wife is still at home.
—Most of the state news in today's Citizen was stolen bodily from J. P. Caldwell's Charlotte Observer—wicked wuz Kronicle—and is not much bettered by the stealing.
—Raleigh Chronicle, 17th: Fifty years ago today there was a 6-inch snow fall here. Eight years ago some ten inches fell about mid-April.
—Secretary Barnes, of the state alliance, will next week begin the publication of a newspaper to be known as the "Special Informer."
—Editor Daniels, of the State Chronicle, will leave May 1, for California, to spend most of the summer on the Pacific coast.
—Wake county has 53 convicts at work on the public roads, grading and macadamizing.
—Raleigh has now four pupils in the Keeley institute at Greensboro.

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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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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 alternative 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 gripe, 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, believing that whenever used it will be with the happiest results.
Try them and judge for yourself. For sale only at
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"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
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Years ago people regarded cold cream and camphor ice as the ultimatums for chapped hands and all similar skin troubles, many persons find that the application of either of them aggravates their trouble. To such "CAMPHO-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
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VaVa 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
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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—16 rooms. Price, \$150.
Eight-room furnished house, short distance of court house, modern improvements; first class house and first class tenants wanted; one others need apply. Price \$35.00.
Four-room house, just at street car line. Price \$10.00 per month. None but responsible tenants wanted.
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