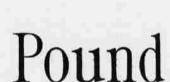
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kilgore Opposed to the Bank be Considered on Its Merits-

Other Washington News.

His object was to prevent considera tion of the bankruptcy bill. The clerk as usual omitted the reading of the reports, bills, and petitions which come in under the rule permitting them to filed with the clerk; but Kilgore called atten tion to this omission and demanded that their titles be read.

O'Neil contended that the petitions, of which many were in favor of opening the World's Fair on Sunday, were not a part of the journal; but the speaker ruled otherwise and the clerk proceeded with the reading.

The journal having been read Kilgore objected to its approval, whereupon Ottis moved that it be approved, and on that motion demanded the previous question. The previous question was ordered—yeas 214; nays 3, and then the journal was approved by a merequorum, 168 votes in the affirmative and none in

TO ADMIT UTAW.

Bill in the Senate For That Pur pose—New Boats.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 25 .- In the Senate oday Mr. Hale reported from the com mittee on naval affairs an amendment be offered to the naval appropriation bill authorizing a contract for the con-struction of one battle ship of about 9,000 tons displacement, two armed nirtee on appropriations.

Mr. Faulkner introduced a bill for the us immediate notice of any admission of Utab as a State; referred to

RIMINAL COURT

A Con rary Witness Gein Teu Days

I the criminal court yesterday after day afternoon the case of State vs. J. D. Redmond, for an assault, was taken up. The jury was impaneled and the exami-BONMARCHE.

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bearance ceased to be a virtue, and ocratic leaders is looked for about the C., which is probably the best game preail for ten days for contempt, and the State vs Alex. Morgan; larceny of pistol from Penniman Bros.' store; not guilty,

on a technicality.
State vs. Arthur Baxter and Henry Miller, larceny of a pocketbook from A. Lvtle; Baxter guilty, Miller not guilty. State vs. Chas. Miller, assault; sub-mitted, and judgment suspended on pay-

ment of costs.
State vs. Wm. Vest, assault; submitted, and fined \$25 and costs.
State vs. Thos. Lane, Thos. Sumner and Geo. Greenlee, assault; submitted, and independent of the control of the costs. and judgment suspended on payment o Geo. Reynolds, who was convicted of

an assault, was today fined \$50 and

State vs. Jesse Adams, shooting into

GYMNABIUM NOTES Basket Ball to Be Introduced I

All authorities on health are agreed that physical exercise should be taken in the winter, in a well regulated gymna sium. Why? To get in good condition. to keep in good condition and to prepare for the debilitating influences of spring.
All this, and much more, will the Asheyille Y. M. C. A. gymnasium do. Classes
are held on Monday, Wednesday and
Friday evenings at 8:15 o'clock and on fuesday, Thursday and Saturday at 5 The instructor will be at the associa

to call, he may write and get full par-ticulars.

The cre is now on foot a movement to into aduce the game of basket ball, which is pronounced by all who have seen it the greatest indoor sport yet devised. To play it requires agility, gives exercise and keeps the mind constantly active.

The Critical and the last campaign, is reported from Raleigh as being a candidate for the western collectorship. I have heard nothing here of the fact."

Populist Nominee. THE CITIZEN will make an annument of the first game.

THE REALTY WORLD.

What is Transpiring in the Way irt Transactions. The following deeds have been filed in Register Mackey's office:

Mary E. Hamby to A. P. Sor-rells, 10 acres in county.......\$ L. E. Penland and wife to C. H. Buckner, 40 acres on Reems 500.00 Wm. Mathes and wife to T. F. Johnston, lot in Skyland..... J. A. Lytle and wife to D. H.

Webb, ¼ acre in Arden....... M. B. Carter and wife to C. E. Graham, 1/2 interest in property on South Water street, adjoining Methodist parson-

A deed has been filed bearing the date of the year 1855. It couvers 240 acres on the west side of the French Broad river, from Jas. B. Meares to Thos. Hes-

THE HORESTEAD BILL. one to be Reported Favorably by

RALEIGH, Jan. 24 .- After careful consideration of a number of bills in regard to the homestead, the House committee ruptey Bill, and Will Not Let it decided to favorably report a bill whose principal features are that there shall be no exemption against injuries to person, Washington, Jan. 25.—In the House filibustering began early today, Kilgore demanding the reading of the journal in full.

His object was to prevent considerations of the wife's conset and in other without the wife's conset and in other was to prevent and also provides without the wife's conset and in other was to prevent and also provides without the wife's conset and in other was to prevent and also provides without the wife's conset and in other was to prevent and also provides without the wife's conset and in other was to prevent and also provides without the wife's conset and in other was to prevent and also provides without the wife's conset and in other was to prevent and the wife's con cases with her consent, and also provides that the changes shall not apply to existing debts or renewals thereof.

The bill to create degrees of murder will probably pass the House. The bill to enlarge the jurisdiction justices of the peace was tabled.

The bill to pay solicitors an annual salary was tabled in the Senate Monday. Mr. Vance's bill to forbid the shooting of pigeons from traps came up in the the House Monday with an unfavorable

In the House Monday the Buncombe county road act was taken up. It is based on the Mecklenburg act, and passed its readings.

The joint legislative committee on justices of the peace has made Gen. E. R. Hampton its clerk. The list of magistrates, 1.400 of whom are to be appointed, are rapidly coming in. The bill to allow the people of Bun-combe to vote for a judge and solicitor of the criminal court was taken up by the House Monday. Mr. Vance said Asheville people are opposed to the bill.

but the majority of the people in the county favor it. Mr. Watson spoke against the bill and it was tabled.

They did not explain, however, how any body was going to get to church in the deep snow which then prevailed without using a sleigh, and apparently forgot the fact that the Cleveland horses had only just arrived at Lakewood and needed exercise. People in Lakewood, knowing the impossibility of getting about here last week without a sleigh, have been much amused at some of these idle criticisms, and the minister of one of the local churches has said that if sleighs could not be used he would have no San-

At any rate neither Mrs. Cleveland nor the President elect used the sleigh today. It was driven to the cottage about 11 o'clock and the nurse took little Miss Cleveland ont for a ride. Miss Ruth, who is looking the picture of bealth, was clad in a white silk astrakhan coat, with a hood of the same color, and after a ride of two hours in the crisp air returned to the cottage with

OUT AT BRYSON CITY.

Cold Weather News From the Li tle Mountain Town.

J. W. L. Arthur of Bryson City, spent Monday night at the GrandCentral. Talking about cold weather, Mr. Arthur told THE CITIZEN that on the 16th inst. an exposed thermometer in his town registered 34° below zero. The Tuckaseegee river has been frozen over, and ice twelve inches thick has been taken off it, so that Bryson City will not suffer from an ice famine next summer. Last week the snow was thirty inches deep, and when Mr. Arthur left home there were still twelve inches on the ground. It has been three weeks since the inhabitants of the town had a sight of the bare earth, and Mr. Arthur says if the snow does not melt faster than it has there will be snow bere till March.

Mr. Arthur says this is no Hyams talk, because he knows whereof he speaks. He laughingly added that Asheville must have used a Hyams-patent-winter-resort thermometer, as the mercury did not get ower here than 9° below

The Western Collectorship.

The Washington correspondent of the Charlotte Observer writing his paper under date of the 22nd of January says: this additional fact is attainable: Mr. Craig has some strong endorsements and is regarded here as not by any means The instructor will be at the association rooms each day from 12 to 1:15 o'clock to meet and talk with anyone relative to the work. It anyone is unable to call, he may write and get full particulars.

TOPEKA, Kan., Jan. 25 .- In the Popu

list caucus last night, ex-Gov. John Martin was nominated for United States Senator on the 14th ballot. Martin's election is almost certain. Big Loss By Fire.

Sioux Falls, S. D., Jan. 25 .- Fire last

night destroyed the "Bee Hive" building and the wholesale confectionery establishment of Hogan & Co. Damage nearly \$200,000. A Vermont Town's Loss.

RUTLAND, W. Vt., Jan. 24 .- Fire in Fair Haven last night destroyed a dozen business buildings at a loss of over

Killed 130 Men.

VIENNA, Jan. 25 .- An explosion of fire damp in the Forthscritt mine at Dux-Dux, Bohemia, resulted in the death of 130 men.

Mr. Blaine.

PRODICY CREDITED TO BUN COMBE COUNTY. Natural Improviser of Song, and

Can Reel Off Verses for Hours at a Time-Can Neither Read Noz Write, and is Devoid of Memory. The St. Louis Globe-Democrat prints a story of a Buncombe county prodigy. The story was given that paper by a

gentleman stopping at the Lindell hotel in that city and is as follows: "Living in the mountains of Western North Carolina near the city of Asheville, and within a mile of where the walls of George Vanderbilt's ten milliondollar castle are growing skyward, lives man who, if he had the

opportunity, would become a poet laureate. He is ignorant, un-sophisticated and, must I say it, very profane; but for all that he has an ardent eye for the beautiful in nature and is a pastoral poet of nature's own making This man, or boy rather, for he is not This man, or boy rather, for he is not more than twenty years, is a natural improviser of song, and, in the rude, uncouth language of the mountaineer, he will sometimes repeat verses by the hour, rolling them out as fluently and as charmingly as a Whittier or a Burns. He can neither read nor write, and seems to be devoid of memory, as he can never repeat his verses a second time.

"He will take a mossy stone, a leafy tree and a bird and weave out of them a story, or a song sometimes, exquisitely

story, or a song sometimes, exquisitely beautiful. It seems to be as natural for this child of nature to be poetical as it is for the mocking bird to sing or a brook to bubble. He has a perfect conception of metrical harmony, and rarely does the measure of his verses change when im-Counsellor Whitney is Expected at Lakewood During the Week.

Lakewood, N. J., Jan. 22.—A week ago Mrs. Cleveland took a sleigh ride after attending church. A lot of people in various parts of the county pretended to be shocked at this, and demanded that the Biblical injunction in regard to the Sabbath day be carried out to the letter. They did not explain, however, how any.

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.

Directors of The R. E. Investment Company of Wilmington.

The annual meeting of stockholders of the Real Estate Investment company of Wilmington, N. C., was held yesterday in the office of Maj. Chas. M. Stedman in Asheville. T. G. Carson was made chairman of the meeting and Geo. S. Powell

ecretary. Judge Carter that he must answer, and the crisp air returned to the cottage with the witness with great assurance informed the Judge that the questions were impertinent.

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serve east of the Rockies. It is much sought after by Northerners who come

South for hunting and fishing. LOU BROWN

His New Clothing Establishment Opens This Morning. Lou Brown, the new clothier and gent's furnisher, opened his doors to the public this morning, as advertised in THE CITI-ZEN since Monday, and the stock he displayed showed that he knows what the people want, and the prices attached indicated that he means to sell.

The splendid new room in the Hilliard

olock has been refitted throughout, sho wing taste and sound judgment, and the establishment is packed full of fresh and fashionable goods of all kinds used

by gentlemen. Lou Brown is in Asheville to do business, and as he knows how to use prin-ter's ink, there is no doubt of his success. When you want anything in the way of gent's clothing or furnishings, drop in on Lou Brown and see what he can do

The New Paper.

The Marion Record says: There is a movement on foot to start another daily newspaper in Asheville. It is to be pubharlotte Observer writing his paper lished every morning. Fred R. Tiffany, nder date of the 22nd of January says: esq., of Marion, is to be editor. The "About the western collectorship only" CITIZEN says Mayor Chas. D. Blanton is heading the matter. Mr. Tiffany wields a facile pen, and, we predict, will make the paper a gem that will quickly win public favor; being backed by such thoroughgoing business men as Mayo Blanton assures success for the new en terprise.—H. M. Coffee, who has been with Dr. M. F. Morphew for several years has gone to Asheville to live. His affable demeanor won for him friends here, and will win them at Ashevitle.

Burned to a Wreck.

Indianapolis, Ind., Jan. 24 .- A railroad official, who claims to have the best authority for his story, says that seven persons, including passengers and train crew, were burned to death on the Big Four road at Wann Station Saturday morning in the wreck there.

\$100,000 Fire In Boston. Boston, Jan. 25 .- Fire this morning

destroyed the upper portion of the build ing 31 to 35 Union street, occupied by the Walker and Pratt manufacturing company as a stove and steam heating apparatus factory. Loss estimated at paratus factory. Loss estimated \$100,000; insured.

A Little Slow.

ROME, Jan. 25 .- Signor Tugini, minister to Brazil, has been instructed to demand from the Brazilian government satisfaction for outrages committed last summer upon Italian sailors and residents at Santos during the riot which

Cholera In a Lunatic Anylum. Berlin, Jan. 25 .- A despatch from Halle states that thirteen cases of cholera

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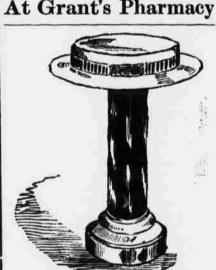
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