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PRICE 5 CENTS.

**HIGH GRADE**  
**Seed**  
Oats,  
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Seed,  
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Sets,  
Seed  
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25 Dozen Ladies' Black Hose at 25 cents, worth 40 cents.  
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The following special prices will prevail till the end of the month. We name a few. All are Bargains indeed.

Globe Heater Oil Stoves, worth \$12, at.....	\$8.90
8 and 10 Piece Decorated Toilet Sets, worth \$3.50 to \$4.50, at.....	\$2.95
The Newest and Best Nickel Lamp, .....	\$1.75
Hanging Lamps, with Patent Spring and Decorated Shade, worth \$4.75 at.....	\$3.10

Our Stock of Choice China, Sterling Silver and Plate Ware and Cut Glass is One of the Best in the South.

**BARGAINS AT THRASH'S**  
To Open Our Series of Bargains for March We Offer for This Week:  
R—sterling triple dinner knives, \$1 per set.  
Thin tumblers, 60 cents per dozen, worth \$1 per dozen.  
Thin China teas, 75c., regular price, \$1.25. Thin China breakfast plates, 75c. set, regular price, \$1.25; 112 piece fine Doulton dinner sets for \$12, regular price, \$18. Decorated China fruit saucers, shell shape, 88c. per dozen, worth \$1.50 per dozen. Extension lamps, with dome shades, good burners, \$2.25. Can you beat this?  
This is only a partial list of the bargains we are offering for March. We mean to clear out our big stock of the goods. After this week we will have the bargains arranged on tables from 10c. to \$1, so you can see them. Those visiting our store this month will be well repaid. Now is the chance for you to replenish your houses for the spring.

**SPECIAL MENTION!**  
French Engraved Tumblers, 90 cents per dozen; Nickel and Brass Dining Room Lamps, new; see them; Price Low! All Bargains Cash. Nothing Charged.  
**Crystal Palace.**

**THAD. W. THRASH & CO.**  
3,000 POUNDS OF JELLY.

This is our third shipment of three thousand pounds each received this season.  
We are still selling at the remarkable low price that has attracted so many buyers

**POWELL & SNIDER**  
**ONE PRICE STORE!**  
A NUMBER OF CHOICE THINGS FOR EARLY SPRING WEAR JUST RECEIVED.  
H. REDWOOD & CO.,  
DRY GOODS, CLOTHING,  
SHOES, HATS AND CARPETS.

**HEINITSH & REAGAN,**  
DRUGGISTS,  
Church St. and Patton Ave.  
We receive daily a fresh supply of  
*Key Brand*  
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## THE WHITTEMORE CASE

**IT IS BEING HEARD BY JUDGE CARTER.**  
The Proceedings on Writ of Habeas Corpus—Testimony of Witnesses for State and Defence.  
The hearing in the habeas corpus case of "Bud" Whittemore was to begin at 4:30 yesterday afternoon. At that hour, however, Deputy Sheriff Morgan had not returned with two important witnesses, and the State, represented by Messrs. T. R. Ransom and Locke Craig, objected to proceeding. Attorney Kinsom called Judge Carter's attention to the fact that the day was nearly gone; "and," said he, "the most of us eat about 6 or 7 o'clock."  
"Yes, we eat too much, too," was the response of Jas. H. Merrimon, counsel for the defence, and Judge Carter then adjourned the hearing until 10 o'clock this morning.

When the hearing was begun this morning, Whittemore, a cousin of the defendant, was sworn, and testified that he saw Doc Roberts and Hensley walking very fast (Roberts with his right hand in coat pocket toward Whittemore) later, stumbled against J. L. Ray into store and in two or three minutes shooting began.  
C. R. Whittemore, a cousin and partner of defendant, was sworn, and testified counter near scales. Roberts walked to Bud and said "What's that talk?" Before Bud could reply Doc's pistol was partly out and Bud pulled his pistol and told Doc "If you raise your hand I'll shoot you." Witness left immediately, and was outside when shots began. Bud and Doc came out and scuffled and Bud took Doc's pistol away from him. Heard "Big Jim" say, "Boy's don't do that," and in a few minutes Jim started out exclaiming, "I'm killed." Heard talk that Roberts was a dangerous man.  
D. A. McMahan—After the words passed, Roberts with a quick motion brought his pistol to a level with his waist and fired at and then then fired at Roberts. Big Jim Whittemore considered a dangerous man. When Roberts was excited he was considered a dangerous man.  
Robt. Whittemore was in store. After words passed Roberts pushed Bud's pistol aside and fired at him. After fight went to mountains with Bud. Bud was in the store when Doc came in, with his hands down.  
J. M. Whittemore—Saw Roberts come in store and heard conversation between him and Bud, saw pistols pulled and then stepped out.  
For the State John G. Anders was the first witness. Anders saw Roberts and Hensley go in Whittemore's store, followed by the defendant. Anders saw Roberts and pulled him back. Heard words between the men, then shots and directly Big Jim came out with blood on his face, saying "I'm killed."  
Clint Hensley—Was with Roberts part of the day; went to Jim Henry McKinney's with him to prevent Bud stealing Jim's daughter; met Bud there, he called the parties appeared friendly. Came back and went to Doc's house when a message came from Bud, and Doc went to his own store and Doc's wife asked witness to go down and stop any "uss" that might come up. Doc asked him to go to mill, but kept right on into Whittemore's store and the fight began by Doc shooting Bud's pistol aside, as he did so the pistol was fired and hit Big Jim. Called for help. Doc went out and Bud shot at him. After the shooting Doc went home.  
Luther Maney—Was in store and after the men began talking I got outside. Saw Bud twist his hand around door facing and shoot twice at Roberts.  
Matt Burkson—Bud said he had sent word to Roberts, and that it was well that no trouble had occurred up the creek, as he was prepared for him; that the way Roberts had done him was meaner than a

At this point the hearing was adjourned to 2:30 this afternoon.

**IN THE PORTER CASE.**  
**Strong Words from the State Supreme Court.**  
The opinion of the State Supreme court in the case of State vs. J. A. Porter, who was charged with violating the law for the prevention of cruelty to animals, in shooting live pigeons from traps, has been received by Criminal Court Clerk J. R. Patterson. The opinion is given by Justice Burwell, and after quoting from the statute says:  
"By the special verdict it is found that the suffering and death for the permission or infliction of which the defendant is indicted, were so inflicted for 'amusement and sport.' Man's desire for amusement and sport is no justification for the infliction of suffering or death upon any of the creatures protected by the statute now under consideration. It was enacted to protect the public morals, which the commission of cruel and barbarous acts tends to corrupt. Since its enactment it has been unlawful in this State for man to gratify his angry passions or his love for amusement and sport at the cost of wounds and death to any useful creature over which he has control. Knowing that men of intelligence and refinement often differ as to what constitutes cruelty in one's treatment of dumb creatures, the Legislature has seen fit to define that word, and also the words, torture and torment, and has thus made its intent very plain."  
The decision affirms the judgment of the lower court. The fine was \$5 and costs. The higher court's costs are \$20.20.

**HIS OWN OBITUARY.**  
**Capt. Cline Read It Once, but is Alive and Well Yet.**  
Capt. George Cline, a popular young conductor now running on the K. C. G. & L. road, but formerly in the employ of the Western N. C. road, came up from Knoxville yesterday to spend a day or two with friends.  
Captain Cline is one of the few men who have read their own obituaries. About a year ago there was a wreck on the Cumberland Gap road and news reached Asheville that Capt. Cline was one of the killed. The Citizen printed the news and an appreciative obituary of the young conductor, but learned next day that Cline was not in the wreck.  
Capt. Cline was in to see THE CITIZEN yesterday. There was nothing of the dead man about him. He remarked that he would rather be able to read his obituary than to be unable to do so.

**SENATE CHAIRMANSHIPS.**  
**A Difficult Task to Allot Them Among the Senators.**  
WASHINGTON, March 8.—The Democratic caucus committee on committees met promptly at half past ten o'clock this morning in Senator Ransom's committee room. There were present, Gorman, Blackburn, Ransom, Cockerell, Harris and Brice and White of Louisiana. They entered at once upon the immediate work in hand, which is the assignment of the majority places upon the Senate committees. In view of the magnitude of the task and the many delicate points to be settled in connection with the conflicting claims of veteran Democratic Senators to desirable chairmanships, it would not be surprising if several days were consumed in this work.  
It is expected a number of presidential nominations will be transmitted to the caucus committee this morning. These nominations will be referred to various committees for examination and report and the Democrats feel that it is essential that they shall be passed upon by the caucus committee as early as possible. The caucus committee is at present constituted with Republican majorities. For this reason, if for no other, the caucus committee is bound to hasten the progress of its work, for even when a list of the majority membership of the committee is completed it must be submitted to a Republican caucus committee in order that the remaining places may be filled.

**GROVER'S HAPPY FAMILY.**  
**First Meeting of the New Cabinet.**  
WASHINGTON, March 8.—The first meeting of Mr. Cleveland's cabinet was held yesterday afternoon at the usual hour of three o'clock, and it lasted something more than two hours. All the members were present.  
There was no formality or ceremony observed in the opening meeting. Mr. Cleveland sitting at the head of the table, started the business in a simple and direct manner.  
The session was devoted to a discussion of matters of current public importance, including the Hawaiian annexation, the financial situation, which were touched upon. The greater part of the time was taken up, however, with the consideration of the question of appointments, particularly those of assistants to the various cabinet officers. The necessity of filling those positions without delay was taken as a self-evident fact, but Mr. Cleveland impressed upon his official family the necessity of going slowly in making the selections.  
Secretary Carlisle, who was the first to arrive, was the first to leave. Lowell, who had remained for some time after the others had gone, discussing matters of a confidential character.

## BACK FROM THE CAPITAL

**STATE SENATOR CAMPBELL AT HOME.**  
**An Outline of the Work Done by the Legislature for the West—A Dog Law With a String to It.**  
State Senator John M. Campbell returned last evening from Raleigh, where he had been during the session of the Legislature. Senator Campbell today gave THE CITIZEN an outline of the work of the Legislature affecting Western North Carolina and Buncombe county.  
A resolution was passed requesting the State's representatives in Congress to endeavor to secure a national park for the western part of the State. The resolution originally named Grandfather mountain as the location, but this portion was stricken out.  
An appropriation of \$110,000 was secured for the State hospital at Morganton, and one of \$1,500 for the normal training school in Jackson county.  
A dog law for Buncombe county (the first dog law ever enacted in the State) was passed. This was in accordance with the bill as drawn up by the Buncombe county Farmers' alliance, with an amendment inserted by Senator Campbell. The amendment provides that before the provisions shall take effect a petition from a township desiring the law shall be presented to the county commissioners at their June meeting. This petition must be signed by two-thirds of the qualified voters of the township, and the commissioners must then call an election in the petitioning township. At the election if a majority of votes cast be "Against Dog" the law will become operative in that township.  
A charter for the town of Biltmore was procured.  
The Wagon bill, relating to tobacco warehouses, and aimed at the American Tobacco company and all trusts, died for lack of a quorum, on Monday, the day of adjournment. Senator Campbell was a strong advocate of the bill and made a speech of an hour and a half in favor of it on Saturday night. He said there were several hundred lobbyists in Raleigh working against the bill, but he felt sure it would have passed, if it had come to a final vote.  
The bill providing for the issuing of \$250,000 of bonds by the county of Buncombe for the purpose of building macadamized roads throughout the county, was a law. The bill provides that the county commissioners shall call an election upon the petition of one-fourth of the voters of the county, and a majority of the qualified voters of the county must vote for the issuing of the bonds before it is done. The bill also provides for the construction of five lines of macadam roads, beginning at the corporate limits of Asheville. The bonds will be issued in \$50,000 lots, and no additional bonds can be issued so long as \$10,000 remains unexpended.

**ON TO WASHINGTON.**  
**Applicants Answers to Questions Sent Off Today.**  
The applicants for positions in the post-office at Asheville under the civil service rules answered their questions yesterday. The examination was conducted satisfactorily and fairly to the applicants and the questions given were generally practical. The question sheets given each applicant, and which were filled out, were sent this afternoon to the department at Washington, where they will be graded according to their standing in the examination. When the results are given, the names of the persons in the office here, three names of those who passed will be sent by the commissioner, from which the postmaster can fill the vacancies.  
The applicants for positions on the carrier force were examined in arithmetic, abbreviations and reading addresses. They were required to give the names of the streets nearest the hotels of the city, the express office, theatre and one restaurant.

**THE EARTH TIPS UP.**  
**Some Great Men Walking About Carelessly.**  
LONG ISLAND CITY, L. I., Mar. 8.—All Long Island seems to have felt what is now supposed to have been an earthquake at 12:30 o'clock this morning. At Long Island City the shock was especially severe, in many instances slinking pictures from the walls, and overturning armchairs, chimneys and brick chimneys. At several points persons felt frightened from their homes to the street in their nightrobes, supposing the houses settling or falling. Most of these persons say a dull boom and strongly marked simultaneous trembling of the earth were perceptible. The seismic disturbances lasted several seconds, and then passed away in a southerly direction.

**DELIGHTFUL ENTERTAINMENT HELD LAST EVENING.**  
About a hundred members and friends of the Asheville Young Men's Christian association enjoyed immensely the social arranged by the ladies' committee, and given in the association rooms last evening. The time was spent playing games and in amusements of various kinds. "The Five Senses," unique and interesting, furnished probably more fun than anything else. A number of college songs were sung, and all present partook of coffee and crullers before departing. The entertainment was one of the pleasantest ever held in the association rooms.

**NORFOLK AND WESTERN.**  
**PHILADELPHIA, Pa., March 8.**—At a meeting here yesterday of the directors of the Norfolk and Western Railroad company, William C. Bullitt, assistant to the president, was unanimously elected vice-president in charge of traffic to succeed Charles G. Eddy, resigned to become second vice-president of the Reading.

**THE NARONIC NOT HEARD FROM.**  
NEW YORK, March 8.—The Runic, which sailed from Liverpool February 24, arrived today. She saw nothing of the Naronic. She had been directed to look out for the Naronic and hence took a more southerly course than usual.

**GIBBONS THE BETTER MAN.**  
NEW ORLEANS, March 8.—In the fight last night between Austin Gibbons of Patterson and Mike Daly of Baggor, Maine, Gibbons won.

## GRANT'S PHARMACY.

WHEREAS 'tis known beyond a question that headache, biliousness and indigestion have formed a pact of treason to haunt the gay and festive board throughout this gladsome season; now, therefore, be it understood that all such direful ills can be defied and cured for good by using Buncombe Pills—40 pills for 15 cents. Grant's.

We do not hesitate to say that our Syrup of Tar and Wild Cherry is the best cough syrup ever sold in Asheville. We have sold over one thousand bottles of it and the demand for it has constantly increased ever since we placed it on the market. As it is pleasant to take, children do not object to it and it always gives relief. Try it; 25 cents per bottle at Grant's Pharmacy.

Campbo Glycerine Lotion is a soothing and fragrant application for chapped hands, face, lips, etc. Not greasy or disagreeable in any way. For sale only at Grant's Pharmacy.

It cleanses the teeth, strengthens the gums and imparts fragrance to the breath. Va Va Tooth Wash at Grant's.

We can refer you to many reliable people in our own city who believe Buncombe Sarsaparilla is the best blood purifier they ever used. Why use other and more expensive preparations when a home product is better and cheaper? Grant's.

Do you shave yourself or does a barber do it for you? In either case, if you use our imported bay rum your face will always remain smooth and free from any irritation or redness. 50c bottles at Grant's.

Absolutely Pure Witch Hazel, in attractive Pint bottles, 25 cents. Grant's.

Do not suffer with headache when you know that Antimigrane will relieve you entirely. It is a harmless but sure remedy. For sale at Grant's.

Buncombe Plasters—a higher grade porous plaster than the public has hitherto known. Try one. 15 cents at Grant's.

St. Elizabeth's Salve cures all skin diseases. It is superior to all known remedies for the cure of pimples or any skin eruption. Positively guaranteed to cure or money refunded. For sale at Grant's Pharmacy, 24 South Main street.

Apply the salve to the parts affected by rubbing in thoroughly with the finger every other night before retiring and you will get rid of those disagreeable pimples or any skin eruption that may be troubling you. St. Elizabeth's salve is for sale only at Grant's.

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And you will find a complete line of staple and fancy groceries.

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