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PRICE 5 CENTS

## WANTED.

STRICTLY FANCY

## COUNTRY BUTTER.

WILL PAY

30 Cts Per Lb.

WM. KROGER.

41 College Street.

## SMOKE

## BLOMBERG'S

Selectos.

STRICTLY LONG HAVANA FILLER.  
CUBAN HAND MADE MANUFACTURED EXPRESSLY FOR MY FINE TRADE.  
TRY ONE.

## L. BLOMBERG

17 PATTON AVENUE.

## CORTLAND BROS.,

REAL ESTATE BROKERS.  
INVESTMENT AGENTS.  
NOTARY PUBLIC.

Loans Securely placed at 8 per cent.  
Offices 25 & 26 Patton Ave., up stairs

## SOME LOW PRICES

- California Peaches 18c. Per Can.
- California Apricots 13c. Per can.
- Pure Maple Syrup \$1.25 Per Gal.
- Cucumber Pickles 40c. Per Gal.
- Sweet Mix Pickles 70c. Per Gal.
- Sour Mix Pickles 60c. Per Gal.
- California Evaporated Peaches,
- Apricots And Pears 17c. Per Lb.

G. A. Greer.

## GRASS SEEDS!

Fresh Lot Kentucky  
Clover,  
Timothy,  
Orchard,  
Blue Grass,  
Red Top and

## SEED OATS.

New York  
Early Rose and  
Hebron Potatoes,  
Also

## GARDEN SEED.

A. D. COOPER,  
North Court Square.

## BON MARCHÉ

THE EXACT NEW YORK COST

SALE IS TO BE CONTINUED FOR

A SHORT WHILE YET, SOME

VERY DESIRABLE GOODS YET

IN STOCK. ALL AT EXACT NEW

YORK COST.

## BON MARCHÉ

37 SOUTH MAIN STREET

## PRESCRIPTIONS!

A SPECIALTY AT

## Grant's Pharmacy

Where they are put up promptly, rapidly and accurately from chemically pure drugs, fresh from the laboratories of Squibb, Merck, Schickel and other standard manufacturers and at most reasonable prices.

## THE OAKS HOTEL

Under New Management.  
New Furniture.  
Nice, clean comfortable rooms.  
Table excellent, Northern Style.  
Porter Meets all Trains.  
Close in town.  
On an Electric Car Line.  
Beautiful Location.  
Hot and Cold Baths.  
Every Possible Convenience.

## C. M. PHILIPP

## Rose Myrrhine

A LIQUID SUBSTITUTE FOR  
TOOTH POWDER.

Cleans and whitens the teeth, imparts firmness to the gums, corrects foetid breath and leaves a refreshing coolness in the mouth. Pleasantly flavored and free from anything injurious. Price 25c. A trial bottle free.

## Carmichael's Emulsion

## Cod Liver Oil with Port Wine

Valuable as a tonic, valuable as a fattening food. Makes the weak strong, the thin fat. Children, especially, thrive on it. No disagreeable taste.

## CARMICHAEL'S PHARMACY,

30 SOUTH MAIN STREET.

## House-keepers,

This Is For You.

We have received a crate (100 dozen) of Alcock's English semi-porcelain teas, four shapes, which we have placed on sale at 50 cents set, regular price of these goods is \$1.50 dozen. We also have a quantity of the same teas slightly chipped, 30 cents set. Just the thing for kitchen use.

We have also received fully 500 dozen tumblers, plain, cut and engraved. Some real bargains among them. We do not care to make the prices public, come and see for yourself.

## White China For Decorators.

Prices on the entire line will be very interesting. Many things at half real value, and all in the latest designs. We are daily getting in new and pretty things in fancy china, glass, etc. Our stock is still the largest in the State, prices the lowest.

## THAD. W. THRASH & CO. CRYSTAL PALACE.

## PERFECTLY BLENDED

If you like a cup of good coffee you

can get it out of our blend of

Mocha and Java. We believe this to

be the most perfect blend of coffee

now sold. We have a dream in

## TEA

And if you are given to this beverage

we can give you something that is

delicious

## POWELL & SNIDER

## LOTS OF STYLISH SPRING GOODS NOW

ARRIVING. IN A FEW DAYS WE SHALL

SHOW COMPLETE LINE OF BUTTRICK'S

PATTERNS. H. REDWOOD & CO.

## THE MAYOR'S STATEMENT

IT IS MADE TO THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

### The Executive Replies To Criticisms Made of The Present Administration—Acute Angle Loan And Paving Assessments.

A pit bull, containing a small amount of suspiciously colored fluid, sitting on the window ledge in the City Hall council chamber, furnished some amusement for the Board of Aldermen preceding their meeting yesterday afternoon. Mr. Westall spied the bottle and with mock seriousness turned it bottom toward the ceiling. But he was not expecting the cork to fly out. This it did, and Mr. Westall took a small drink, not in the usual way but inside his collar. The member missing at the meeting was J. M. Godger.

Upon the question brought up by H. C. Fagg, administrator of the late Capt. M. J. Fagg, last week, regarding the paving assessment levied against the property in the "V" at the junction of Merrimon avenue and North Main street, the finance committee reported: "We have consulted with the city attorney and have his opinion that the law of 1891 contemplated a certain minimum depth to lots upon which assessment liens are made, and therefore where two improved streets come together at an acute angle, as in the case of the property under consideration, it is not lawful to impose assessment liens on both streets affecting the land at the angle, where it has not the depth contemplated in the act." The committee, therefore, recommended that the two lots nearest the angle be relieved from the assessment lien fixed thereon by reason of improvement on Merrimon avenue, and that the liens be allowed to remain fixed on the remainder of the property. The report was adopted.

The finance committee reported adversely on the request of W. W. Barnard for the payment of \$220, interest on a note made originally to Richmond Pearson, as the note provided it should bear interest "after maturity until paid." The report was adopted.

A request submitted by A. V. Jones & Co., that they be allowed to erect a corrugated iron building either on the corner of Tentive or adjoining the Soudley building on Patton avenue, was granted.

W. F. Randolph, who was elected fire chief last week, sent a declaration, stating that the duties of the position would require more time than he had at his disposal. Action on the declaration was postponed to await a recommendation of a successor from the fire committee.

A request was made by Joseph E. Dickerson that a committee be appointed to talk over the College street cement sidewalk with the property owners, as he hoped thereby a suit might be avoided. Referred to finance committee.

J. R. Rice asked that the city either relieve the plumbers of the privilege tax or impose it alike upon all who do work of that class. He said that frequently plumbing had been done by men who pay no tax. He believed if the regular tax were levied every other man in the business should be benefited.

The question was sent to City Attorney Soudley that he may suggest a remedy.

The following correction and exemption were granted upon report of the tax collector, Frank Shepherd, twice listed; Jacob Moore, physical disability.

### The Mayor's Statement.

Mayor Patton submitted the following statement, addressed to the Board: "There has been some criticism upon this administration, based, as I think, upon a misapprehension of facts, to which I conceive it to be my duty to ask your attention, with a view of correcting the error. The impression seems to prevail in the community to some extent that the cash which was received from the former administration has been used by this administration in street work or other purposes of its own, to the detriment of those persons who hold claims against the city incurred by the former administration.

"Reference to my report to your honorable body, dated Dec. 1, 1893, will show under the head of general fund that you have received from:

Treasurer, May 19, '93 \$ 1,754.87  
N. A. Reynolds, T. C., in cash 9,564.50  
Total \$11,320.37  
"You have paid  
On debts contracted prior to May 15, '93 \$ 2,514.54  
Interest on debt contracted prior to May 15, '93 2,025.17  
Comptroller maturing prior to May 15, '93 9,425.83  
Total \$14,965.54  
"Which shows a balance of expenditures in excess of your receipts up to Dec. 1, 1893, of \$2,645.29. Since Dec. 1, 1893, we have expended in payment of interest on debts contracted prior to May 15, 1893, \$598.76, which should be added to this balance.

## SOME GAINS IN TRADE

IRON AND STEEL SHOW THE MOST ADVANCE.

### There Are Other Improvements, But Not of a Permanent Character—Indications of Economy in Consumption.

NEW YORK, March 10.—R. G. Dun & Co.'s weekly review of trade says: Evidence of present improvement in business multiply, but confidence in future improvement does not seem to increase. There is more business and a larger production by industries. The most distinct gain is in iron and steel manufacture. The output of pig iron March 1, was 110,166 tons, having increased 10 per cent. during the month, though it is still 37.8 per cent. less than a year ago.

In textile manufactures and dry goods there are increased activity and replenishment of stocks, as is natural at this season. But the demand thus far falls much short of expectations, and its character indicates great economy in consumption.

### TO SEE VANDERBILT'S

Vice President and Mrs. Stevenson on The Great Domain.  
When the Vice-President and Mrs. Stevenson alighted from the "Minas" Pullman yesterday there were comparatively few persons about the station who were aware of the expected arrival of the visitors, but as the party crossed the yard to their carriage the crowd was quick to note their presence and there was an immediate flutter of agreeable surprise.

### OUT AT KENILWORTH.

A Number of the Inn's Prominent Guests.  
Kenilworth Inn is filled with tourists enjoying the pleasurable Asheville climate and the company includes many prominent people of the larger cities. The season at the Inn promises to be an exceptional one in the number of arrivals and a succession of gay social events are looked for with the close of Lent.

### ASSOCIATION NOTES.

Fac's Concerning the Work in the Y. M. C. A. Here.  
At the last meeting of the board of directors of the Y. M. C. A. a great deal of business was dispatched, and as a result needed improvements will be added to those already begun in the rooms.

The gymnasium and basket ball team have had a number of visitors this week. They all speak of the improvements in gymnasium and baths. All men are invited to see this most popular game of basket ball any Monday, Wednesday or Friday evening after 8 o'clock. The ladies will be invited soon, and a special evening set apart for their visits.

Some new members have given their names since the offer of easy terms. This offer of \$1 down and 50 cents a week for 12 weeks, is good only till May 1. The junior department will be reorganized next week.

The citizens of Asheville and all who have contributed to support this work are invited to visit the rooms and inspect the work being done for young men. The general secretary will be glad to welcome all and hear any suggestions they may offer.

Rev. F. R. Sampson is expected to speak at the young men's meeting tomorrow at 4:30. All men are invited.

### "THE WATER WE DRINK"

Interesting Lecture by Mr. McNamee at the Y. M. C. A.  
Asheville people are as a rule quite satisfied as to the salutary properties of the skyland water, yet this did not deter a considerable number from attending Mr. McNamee's lecture at the Young Men's institute last evening on "The Water We Drink." The lecture was exceedingly instructive and enjoyable.

The easy state and thorough knowledge of the lecturer and his rare ability of selecting and executing interesting experiments combined to make it one of the most pleasing and practical lectures of the season. Mr. McNamee is easily an entertaining lecturer, and judging from the two lectures which he has recently delivered, spares neither time nor expense to give to his hearers worthy and helpful entertainment.

### Central Epworth League.

Central Epworth League held its monthly business meeting last evening. A large number of members were present. The election of officers for the ensuing quarter was held with the following result: F. M. Weaver, president; Geo. L. Hackney, first vice-president; Miss Hattie Kerr, second vice-president; Miss Mammie Christberg, third vice-president; R. S. Gibbs, secretary; Miss Alice Smith, treasurer.

At the close of the business meeting refreshments were served. The devotional meeting of the League will be held tomorrow evening, commencing at 7:15. All young people are invited. Subject: "Blind Bartimeus."

## NO MORE ROUND SHOULDERS!

THE IMPROVED

### Knickerbocker Shoulder Brace and Suspender Combined.

We have just received a full line (all sizes) of the above brace. Having sold more than a hundred pair during the last year, and all giving satisfaction, we can certainly recommend them as being the best brace for Ladies and Gents, Boys and Girls, now on the market.

A few facts about them: No harness—Simple—unlike all others. Promotes free respiration of the Lungs. Prevents children becoming round shouldered. A perfect skirt supporter for Ladies. A gentle or powerful brace obtained. Easily adjusted and worn with comfort. Cleanest and most reliable Brace and suspender in the World. Every pair guaranteed.

### RAYSOR & SMITH,

31 PATTON AVE.

## ASHEVILLE

### TO THE FRONT

WE HAVE JUST COMPLETED A FULL LINE OF

## HAND MADE SHOES

And will in the future carry in stock a full assortment of shoes of

## OUR OWN MAKE!

THEY STAND

## WITHOUT A RIVAL

## ROBERTS,

3 Court Square, Asheville, N. C.

## SOUTHERN - CROSS - FLOUR,

FOR SALE BY

T. J. Revell's, 30 North Main.

## SIPHONS!

VICRY AND SBLTZER in

Siphons can be obtained at

the drug stores of Raynor &

Smith and Brinkley & Reagan

and at factory, 217 Haywood

street. C. E. CAMPBELL.