# OUR GREAT OFFER

# THE BALTIMORE CLOTHING, SHOE AND DRY GOODS CO.

IO AND I2 PATTON AVENUE, ASHEVILLE,

Every one knows of our phenomenal special sales during the past few weeks. There is no secret to our success. We only sell what is reliable. Our prices are always the lowest and lower than those asked by other houses for similar goods. Tuesday we commence the greatest sale on record, and we simply ask an inspectionas this sale will be of greatlinterest to everybody living in Asheville or vicinity.

ines, beautiful shades, dark, 10-12c. light, stripes and fancy fig. 150 pieces all wool De ures, usually sold at 15c. yard, special sale 10 and 121/c. yard.

100 pieces of Serpentine Crepons in evening shades, 200 pieces novelties and pink, blue, garnet, Nile green and fancy colorings, usually sold at 20c. yard, special sale 9c. yard.

250 pieces of White Sum- 850 pieces figured Satin mer Dress Goods, beautiful assortment, fancy drop

Spring Dress Goods, stitch, something new, usu-1,000 pieces Pongee Sat- ally sold at 20c., special sale

> Beiges and Diagonal Suiting, usually sold at 45c. a yard, reduced for this week to 29c. Spring Cheviots, 40 inches wide, positively worth 60c. a yard, re-

Bourbon and Brocaded Armures, 42 inches

By virtue of the tax list of the city of Ashevil!

wide, in all leading shades, positively worth 75c. a yard, at 49c.

185 pieces all wool Covert Suitings: also large variety Priestley's Camel's Hair Suitings, 42 inches wide, real value 85c, 59c.

250 pieces extra heavy French Henrietta, 48 inches wide, in an immense assortment of fashionable spring shades, sold elsewhere

at \$1.00 a yard 69c. and stripes, worth 50 pieces Black and White Plaids, striped

and dettrd goods, which we always sold at 59c. a yard; reduced to

STANDARD PATTERNS

325 pieces Black Imperial Twills, formerly sold at 90c a yard, reduced this week to New styles in Dress Ginghams, plaids

12½e. New Scotch Batiste, extra wide and fine. worth 25c. New Pongee Cloths. light and dark Best quality English Duck Suiting

Best French Printed Sateens 12 ge. Best Quality English Outing Flannels 10c. 69c. New French Jaconets

tains.

Underwear.

71.c. 5,000 dozen Ladies' Im Note the following prices: ported Ribbed Vests, finished Our \$25 Suits, special with silk ribbons, beautiful sale for 17c. assortment, sleeveless, long Our \$15 Suits, special and short sleeves,

> " 15c. " "10c. sale for " 25c. " "18c. sale for " 50c. " "25c. Washable Suits, made of im-

cial sale

## Clothing Department

\$12.50.

sale for 7.75. Regular 10c. Vest for 5c. Our \$10 Suits, special 5.50.

20c. " "15c. Our \$8 Suits, special 4.75. " 35c. " "20c. 1,000 Boys' Perfect Fitting

" 75c. " "40c. ported Galatea (with cord " 1.00 " " 50c. and whistle), 3 to 10 years, Big offerings in Lace Cur- Call and examine our spe- worth \$1.75 each, reduced to

#### Tremendous Cut in Silks.

### Tremendous Cut in Dress Goods.

### Tremendous Cut in Ribbons.

#### WANT COLUMN Tax Collector Notice.

FURNISHED noons suitable for light house-keeping. Must be convenient, local and se-lect. Answer in confidence. 2 zolaw Care Citizen Office. PRAS WANTED—If you have onl hand or can get any peas of any kind, write us, we will pay big price for them. C. L. HUTGHESON & CO., 6 N. Broad St., Atlanta, Ga.

WANTED—A boy to act as news agent on trains between Asheville and Murphy, Must have blue suit of uniform and deposit twenty dollars cash as security. Give age and apply to 5-2,012\* Knoxville, Took

FOR RENT. FOR SALE OR ENCHANGE I have mitch cows to sell or exchange for beef cattle. Ad-dress page 18 of the control of the control of the page 18 of the control of

FOR RENT—Middle house in Gray Gables block, near postoffice, 6 rooms and basement. All modern improvements.

\*A. D. COOPER. FOR RENT-Dwelling house corner of Met-rimon avenue and Orange street. For terms apply to HENRY B. STEVENS apty diff 5 and 5 Johnston Building.

FOR RENT - The McDowell brick house on South Main street, 14 rooms, nice location

FOR RENT-In Ramoth, a seven-moon house, with stables, garden, grass lots, etc. Ten minutes walk from electric car line. Price \$z\$ per month, J. H. OSBORNE, \$z\$ North Main Street,

POR RENT—Large and conveniently arranged house. No. 62 Merrimon ave. But and cold water with baths on two floors. All modern improvements. Location central, with large, well shaded grounds. Splendid residence for large family or boarding house. Apply to febredtf.

SEVERAL, persons can get pleasant board in private house; home comforts pretty rooms; prices reasonable. Apply to MERRIMON AVE.

BOARDERS A number of guests can be ac-commodated with first class board and rooms at The Waldheim, 21 Patton avenue. House newly furnished throughout,

First CLASS boarding bonse. Splendid location, nicely furnished rooms, but and cold water, terms moderate. Will take no consumptives.

MRS TARRAE.

63 Spruce street. MISCELLANGOUS.

FOR SALE—Two draft horses. Apply ASHEVILLE COTTON MILLS.

-zaltf FOR SALE—A splendid milch cow, gives a gallons of milk per day, perfectly gentle, will sell cheap. Apply G. W. CHAKLES, gentles Cot. Eagle and Sprace Sts.

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE-splendid la-T dies' saddle and carriage horse about 15 hands. Has good single foot and lope. Price moderate. Address H. T. W., Biltmore, N. C.

PAINTING lessons in oil, pastel and water colors. A teacher of experience. Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays, Studio 10 Clayton, near Orange street school building. Terms so cents per lesson. MISS PHILLIPS, 5-todim\* Artist Artisan Ins., New York, MONEY SAVED—Did you know that J. M. McCanless, No. 9 north court square. A she wille, N. C., has just received from Chicago the most complete stock of portrait frames in the city, and at prices to suit the times? Parties

A TTENTION of visitors and citizens of Ashe-ville is called to Sutile's Suance Mineral water on sale at J. D. Blanton's shoe store, 29 Patton ave. Any one desiring cater delivered at their residence or place of business will please leave orders at the above place and they will receive prompt attention. Delivered daily fresh from spring. D. D. SUTILE, 548dtm\* Proprietor.

NOTICE—By virtue of the power vested in me
by a certain deed of trust executed by T.
K. Brown and wife, L. J. Brown, on the roth
day of July, 1859 and registed in the office of the
Register of Deeds of Buncombe county in book
No. 17 on pages 47 and 31 inclusive, default have
ing been made in the payment of the indebtedness intended to be secured by said deed of
trust at the request of the cestin que trust, I will
sell at public auction for cash at the court house
door in Asheville on Tuesday, the 12th day of
June, at 12 o'clock m., the lands particularly
described in said deed of trust to which reference
is made for a full description of same in order to
satisfy the provision of said trust deed. Alay, 3th,
1894.

8. H. REED.



Taylor Mfg. Co., St. Louis.

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#### BEAR AND SERPENT. A Strange Battle Witnessed in an Indian

Some elenchers were setting their proved.-Ram's Horn. nets for game in an Indian jungle when their attention was attracted by is it?" "Can you tell me where I can and a prolonged hissing, like the escape of steam from an engine. They hastened to the spotsor toward it, as the Madras Mail describes as a "Ho- Monthly. merie conflict." A jungle bear was fighting for his life with a colossal serpent. Probably the serpent had been He's abroad most of the time, and in sunning itself in the game track when giving his views he is most prodigal." the bear came along, and as neither animal would yield the path to the scribed: The serpent wound its enormous

By cirtue of the tax list of the cay of Asheville for the year user in the hands of the undersigned, as collected of taxes of said city, for collection and by virtue of taxes of said city, for collection and by virtue of taxes of said city, for each lection and by virtue of an order of the Aldermen of said city made on April 13th, 1844, and by virtue of section as of chapter 2 of the private laws of North Carolina of 1883 ratified the sth day of March, 1841 and of the powers thereby confered and by virtue of the statute and law in such case hade and provided, the undersigned will on the 4th day of June, 1841, sell and law in such case the highest bidder for each at the court house door in the city of Asheville aforesaid in the manner and upon the terms by law prescribed for said of land and real estate for such june to the manner and upon the terms by law prescribed for said of land and real estate for such june and having remained unjud at the time prescribed by said aldermen for completing collection of taxes of said city for said taxes being the respectively set opposite said lots and real estate and the person whose names appear opposite the same, being the respective persons in whose name the same being the respective persons in whose name the same were listed or should have been instell for taxatton in June, 1834, and there being in such cases no personal property which care into and are described respectively as follows:

1 W Cogrins, 4 for have, north side of South being the and each content of Banton is Tax too folds around the bear: the bear dashed from side to side and rolled on the in a and are described respectively as follows:

1 W Coggins, 1 lot [] acre, north side of Southside are and east corner of Blanton st. Tax 3 so.

1 W Coggins, 1 lot soxios ft, south side of Southside are, adjoining lands of J L Owens on west
and McDowell on cast. Tax 5 so.

Hearry Rudson, 1 lot foxios ft, near Hill and
Battrick sts. adjoining lands of Will Allson on
east and E A Merritt on west. Balance tax 2 so.

8 B Henry r lot cast side Mkinson st, adjoining lands of W A Blair on south and Peach st on
noth Tax 1 so.

T C Statue's [], interest in property of Pine
Grove Land company, consisting of about 18
acres more or less, lying in southern portion of ground in its fremded attempts to get free, roaring angrily all the while and snapping its jaws like castanets at the serpent's folds. It could not reach them, however, on account of the way in which they were tightened around the bear's quivering body. Thus engaged, the combatants swayed to the brow of a hill, down

TC statues, interest in property of Pine Grove Land company, consisting of about 3 acres more or less, Ising in southern portion of city, adjoining lands of W W McDowell estate. which the bear cast himself with a ve locity that plainly disconcerted the serpent, for it unwound two or three AN LaPierre, 1 lot south side Haywood st. AN LaPierre on west Tax for on east and A N LaPierre on west Tax maneuver resulted in its own undoing, A N Labierre, 1 lot south side of Haywood st. in more ways than one The rigid, outstretched line of tail mustaches biackened) - "Do you

BOJEDING.

CASTLE REST\_First-class boseding bouse Contrally located. No. 24 Grove Street. 4 soft MRS, SCHIRRMEISTER.

EEVERAL, persons can get pleasant board in Contrally located by the Contrally quick to seize its opportunity, and fastened its jaws in the snake's quiver"Didn't y CB Atkinson admr #58H Reynolds estate, a CB Atkinson admr #58H Reynolds estate, a lot 5,xxo ft, on north side Roberts st, adjoining lands of J B Same on south and R Pearson on north Tax 4.99
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Research and south Tax 2.20 ing flesh. The hissing was now fright- the plow?" said a farmer to an Irishful, as the snake rapidly unwound itself and struck snyagely at the bear's now," said Mike. "How could I bould

it, an' two norses pullen it away: sust stop the craytures an' I'll hould it for furiously, dashing from side to side, and worrying the mouthful of serpent in its jaws in paroxysms of rage and old resident how malarial fever could be distinguished from yellow fever.

it, an' two norses pullen it away: sust stop the craytures an' I'll hould it for ye."—Brooklyn Life.

—A stranger in Galvesion asked an old resident how malarial fever could in theory convicted the defendant, be distinguished from yellow fever. and south Tax 1200.

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J H Carter, a lot and watchouse, south side of 54th axes, lot escays ft, on currier of Patton vice and east corner of Bailey st, known as Carter of the state of th cer's watchouse. Tax some Colbb Marrimon & Bostic t lot users It on cast side French Broad ave, corner French Broad ave and Bartlett st, adjoining lands of J II Merrimon on north Tax 1809 Jane Greenlee, i lot west side Gndger st, ad-suming lands of John Edgerton and others Tax of the forest.

of blood; and when they were again A gentleman living next door, on call-

eyes, who seemed anxious to say some "Man's guiding star and guardian

on north Balance tax 2 33 H. C. FAGG, City Tax Collector.

Scott's Emulsion

of cod-liver oil presents a

perfect food-palatable,

easy of assimilation, and

an appetizer; these are

everything to those who

are losing flesh and strength. The combina-

tion of pure cod-liver oil,

the greatest of all fat pro-

ducing foods, with Hypo-

phosphites, provides a re-

markable agent for Quick Flesh Building in all ail-

ments that are associated

with loss of flesh.

angel," he said in response to the nod.
"The helpmeet," put in a little flax-"One who soothes man in adversity," suggested a demure little girl.

"And spends his money when he's flush," added the incorrigible boy in the corner. There was a lull, and the pretty, dark-eyed girl said slowly: "A wife is the envy of spinsters."

"One who makes a man hustle," was the next suggestion. "And keeps him from making a fool of himself," put in another girl.
"Some one for a man to find fault with when things go wrong," said a

sorrowful little maiden. "Stop right there said the pretty school-teacher. "That's the bestdefini-Later the sorrowful little maiden sidled up to her and asked:

"Aren't you going to marry that handsome man that calls for you nearly every day?"

"Yes, dear," she replied, "but with as nothing will ever go wrong. He says so himself."—Toledo Blade. HUMOROUS

-Every boy ought to be a second edition of his father revised and im-

hideous noises—roars of pain and rage, get the newest ideas in antiques?"— Hallo. -She-"George, I hear burglars!"

He-"Well, keep quiet, they won't seems most likely-and beheld what steal you."-Browning, King & Co.'s -"Is the bishop a broad man and liberal in his views?" "Oh my, yes.

-Harlem Life. -Treecard-"Did your wife storm other, a contest became inevitable, when you got home?" Twospec-What the elenchers saw is thus de- "Right away; and the cloud was larger than any man's hand in our party."-Kate Field's Washington.

-"What sort of a collection have you, Will?" asked the visitor. "Per-haps I can help you." "Well, sir," said Will, "I'm collecting American coins."—Harper's Young People.

no dishonest purpose, why were you in your stockinged feet?" Burglar-"I heard there was sickness in the family. your worship."-Pearson's Weekly. -Not a Failure.-Hudson-"Jones is

-Magistrate-"If you were there for

very sick. Had an operation performed on him." Judson—"It wasn't success-ful, then?" Hudson—"Yes, it was operation."

gave the bear a chance to seize its as- charge for this kind of work by the sailant, a chance which up to this time | job or by the hour?" | Barber (sentenhad not been afforded. The bear was tiously) - "Per dye 'em."-Boston -"Didn't you tell me you could hold

it, an' two horses pullin' it away? Just

pain. Once more the screent wound pain. Once more the screent wound itself about the bear, the bear howled "As a general thing," was the reply, he had a right to pursue and arrest the and gasped, and both, still struggling. "you can't tell until you have it. If rolled out of view into the high grass you ain't alive, then it is most likely Their track was marked with pools yellow fever."—Texas Siftings. -A lady has just lost her husband.

seen they had parted. The smake was ing to see her, found her, to his great coiled in an attitude of defense, with surprise, playing on the harp, and said:

Jame Greenlee, 1-bit west-side Gardger st, adsponding lands of John Edgerton and others. Tax 200.

Will Gwyn's 1 interest in Gwyn and Cooper lot on west side of Water'st, 228,200 ff. on south corner of Walnuts Tax 45,000 the line of the State of bow for the first time, has all he can do to bend it. It takes a strong man to do it, but there is also a large amount of-and the same has an extra stiffening by having sinews pasted on it. We shess-has-ka, a member of the Ogala Sioux tribe-his name implies "The Long Man;" he stands nearly seven feet high, and is not unworthy his sobriquet-has been known to kill an antelope at one hundred and twenty-five measured yards.

The bow used in warfare is a trifle shorter, and perhaps is stiffer. The arrow is not drawn to the eye, but a catch aim is taken, as when rifle shoot- threads and cotton silk, but they also ing is done from the hip. Such shooting, in perfection, is only acquired by long practice. The string is drawn by the clutch of the whole of the fingers, though some tribes use the thumb and three fingers. Remarkation shooting is often performed by the Sioux, though nothing that will compare with the somewhat legendary performances of Robin Hood.—N. Y. World. eighteen dollars for the whole season.

RIGHT TO SHOOT BURGLARS. Some Late Court Decisions About the Hetense of Property.

The right of a householder to shoot at a fleeing burglar has been discussed recently in several newspapers and legal periodicals.

A correspondent of the London Times says he saw burglars escaping from his house after stealing some plate, and he fired two shots after them. Later in the night he met one of the burglars and secured some of the stolen silver. He would then have shot at the burglar running away with the remaining booty if he had not left his revolver at home

The correspondent afterward doubt ed whether he had the legal right to use his weapon when the burglar was running away, and he consulted two or three judges who were his friends. He was advised that he might shoot a burglar fleeing in the dark to prevent his escape from arrest. In an English court recently a house

holder was tried for assault on the complaint of a self-confessed burglar, room into the kitchen, where the thief was pursuing his occupation by candlelight. The judge, however, directed an acquittal.

The Pennsylvania supreme court has reversed the conviction of manslaugh "Half-Sick." ter in the case of a Waynesburg citizen who shot and killed a thief as he was leaving his stable. The burglar had stolen a part of a set of harness from the stable on a previous night and had promised to deliver the rest of it to an intending purchaser, and so returned to the stable to complete the

The citizen called on the thief to stop, and fired a shot in the air. The

thief.

THE PAWNING HABIT. Once Contracted It Is Difficult to Over

"Pawnbroking is a habit," said one who sits under the shadow of the three balls to a Buffalo Express representative. "Yes, mostly a habit. The patent medicine habit is nothing to it. After anybody has hung up something with me a few times he's pretty sure to become a regular customer. He does business with me just like clockwork after that; always goes broke just so | HEINTSH & REAGAN, RAYSOR & SMITH long before pay day.
"Two of the best people I have are husband and wife, and neither knows

that the other ever heard of such a thing as hocking a watch. I know that from the way they acted, and I was pretty much surprised one day when the woman brought in the pawn ticket for her husband's watch. She didn't look as if anything unusual had happened, and I sized up the situation at the age of four or five years. His and gave her her own watch instead, bow is taller than himself. He has a That was what she wanted. Next day habit of practicing at anything around the husband came in with the ticket boy in the corner had promptly re- the age of twelve he is permitted to own and he never knew the difference his wigwam. By the time he attains for his wife's watch. I gave him his use sharp arrows. Such a boy must be You see they had hidden their tickets strong at eighteen to use a man's bow. In the same place. They have brought A white man, when he takes an Indian the watches around promptly ever since, which they wouldn't have done by any manuer of means if I hadn't had my wits about me. Now, one of those of knack required. An Indian church pawnbrokers down in New bow is made straight: the cord, York wouldn't have known enough to even when in tension, almost do that, and would have lost two good touches the bow. It is thick, and is customers as well as made trouble in do that, and would have lost two good some four and a half to five feet in an estimable family. It takes brains length—the hunting bow is now spoken to run my business."

Russian Luce Planing. The manufacture of Russian lace, in which women and girls are exclusively engaged, occupies upward of ten simple, and girls begin to work lace at the age of eight to ten years. The women not only make lace from different materials, such as linen and works are age of eight to the years. make larger pieces, as shawls and dresses. The necessary material is obtained from the middle women, to whom the finished lace is sold, and who peddle it all over Russia. The earnings of the Russian lacemakers are insignificant. Working eighteen hours per day, a woman earns not more than thirty-five rubles, or about

\$5, \$4 and \$3.50 Dress Shoe. \$3.50 Police Shoe, 3 Soles. \$2.50, \$2 for Workingmen. \$2 and \$1.75 for Boys. LADIES AND MISSES \$3, \$2.50 \$2, \$1.75 CAUTION.—If any deale: offers you W. L. Douglas shoes at a reduced price or says he has them with THIS IS THE BEST \$3. SHOE IN THE WORLD.

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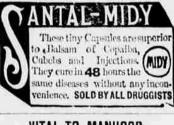
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Take the case of a woman who has constant headaches, nervous break downsbillons attacks dizziness, loss of appetite etc. She is never wholly sick and yet never well. She is expected to be "up and about her work," yet, she suffers keenly. It is simply a case of billousness and torpid liver, under which her system is running down. She wants first of all, to take a liver pill, which will sause the bowels to discharge all the secreted bile which is poisoning the blood. When the bowels are thoroughly opened she has to moved the chief tritiant. Now for the next ten days she wants simply a power ful tonic and blood pairther to strengthen the system and repair the waste.

You can get both of these medicines (in two separate boxes) at one price, 25 cents, by asking your druggist for Ramon's Touic Liver Pills and Pellets. (If bought separately in any other form they would cost double. They are a sure cure for constipation and biliousness. SOLD IN ASHEVILLE BY

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We have a big line of sample gloves and hose slightly damaged by being punctured with price ticket, first class goods at 25 per cent. discount. New goods coming in every week and we want you to do yourselves the justice as well as us the favor to call and see. Another shipment of matting just in and more to follow in a day or so. Prices in keeping. The iron rule of the Racket, buy low and sell low.

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