

# Asheville Daily Citizen.

VOLUME X.—NO 83.

ASHEVILLE, N. C., FRIDAY EVENING, AUGUST 10, 1894.

PRICE 5 CENTS.

## TABLE LUXURIES.

In groceries, as in every thing else, can be found the good, the indifferent and the bad. From us you will get the best and nothing but the best.

We now have only a limited supply of California canned goods of the

## Golden Gate Brand.

And we are offering them at greatly reduced prices

## Powell & Snider

## Walking Canes

Fifteen dozen received today, prices from \$1.00 to \$5.00. The following is the names of the different woods:—  
CONGO,  
LAUREL,  
JUNIPER,  
WICKESSEL,  
EDELWEISS,  
AMERICAN OAK,  
OAK,  
OLIVE,  
FURZE,  
ORANGE,  
HAZELCOCOA,  
BLACK ORANGE,  
BLACK BAMBPOO.

## L. BLOMBERG,

## No. 1 Timothy Hay.

\$.00 Per Hundred Pounds.  
TERMS CASH.  
G. A. Greer,  
25 N. MAIN STREET.

## MODEL STEAM LAUNDRY

CONTINUES TO SUSTAIN ITS ESTABLISHED REPUTATION FOR FIRST CLASS WORK.  
Church St., Telephone 70.

## SMOKE

Porter's - Havana - Mixture  
THE BEST SMOKING TOBACCO ON THE MARKET. FRESH FROM THE AND STRONG.

## Just Received,

500 DOZEN  
**LEMONS.**  
Price 20c. Dozen.

YOU CAN USE THEM  
FREELY AT THESE PRICES.

**A. D. Cooper,**  
N COURT SQUARE.

## INKS!

STAFFORD'S  
Commercial Writing Fluid, Universal Jet Black, Combined Writing and Copying, Glossy Black, Stamping, Red, Blue, Violet, Green.

CARTER'S  
Combined Writing and Copying, Blue-Black, French Copying, Copying, Indelible, Safety, Stylographic, Crimson Fluid, Carmine, Fast Red.

Caw's Black,  
Antoin's Copying,  
Cross Stylographic,  
Arnold's Writing Fluid, Copying.

MUCILAGE  
CARTER'S,  
STERLING,  
STAFFORD'S,  
POMEROY'S.

**H. T. ESTABROOK**  
Stationery Store, 22 S. Main St.

## See That Square?

If your name were in it, it would be an advertisement.

Now you can't say that persons do not read the advertising columns of THE CITIZEN.

## See the Point?

ABSTRACTS OF TITLE  
—OP—  
Any Land in Buncombe County, North Carolina—Plats Furnished—Surveying Done—General Information As to Real Estate Transfers

Every owner of a piece of land should know its history—the names of all its previous owners, the names of those who have held incumbrances against it; the nature of the instrument by which any and all of those persons conveyed his or her interest, or released his or her claim against it; boundaries of the land, and whether there are conflicting claims in deeds of adjoining property; apparent irregularities in any instrument conveying the land, etc., etc.

The careful man never buys land or loans money on real estate of any kind without first requiring an up-to-date Abstract of Title, certified by an attorney or one whose business it is to be informed in such matters.

BUNCOMBE CO. ABSTRACT OFFICE—  
P. E. ROBINSON, No. 9 North Court Square, or office of the Clerk of the Criminal Court, County Court House Asheville

## CRYSTAL PALACE

BARGAINS  
**JAPANESE RUGS,**

HAND WOVEN, ASSORTED DESIGNS, 200 FT. ONLY \$8.00, 300 FT. ONLY \$9.00

These prices are truly bargains. The rugs are very good for summer homes.

**Japanese Portieres,**  
BAMBOO AND RICH.

Many pretty designs. We are now offering them 20 per cent. from price. This makes them very cheap.

## NEW GOODS.  
We are daily getting in novelties and pretty little things in china, cut glass, etc., that are very appropriate souvenirs. Visitors welcome.

**Thad. W. Thrash & Bro.,**  
CRYSTAL PALACE.

## BON BONS, CHOCOLATES,

MIXED CHOCOLATE,  
CREAM MINTS,  
CHOCOLATE MINTS,  
LICORICE TABLETS, ETC.

Received By Express,  
**HESTON'S,**  
26 South Main Street.

## A Large Discount on All Clothing.

COMMENCING JULY 14  
IN SEVERAL OTHER DEPARTMENTS. WE HAVE ALSO MADE LIBERAL DISCOUNTS ON SPRING AND SUMMER GOODS.

H. REDWOOD & CO.,  
CLOTHING, DRY GOODS, SHOES AND HATS.

## Grape Juice

**Grape Juice**  
**Grape Juice**  
UNFERMENTED  
A PURE FOOD  
A NON-ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE

HEINITZ & REAGAN  
AGENCY FOR

## Heinitz & Reagan

RECEIVED TWICE A WEEK

## BON-BONS, CHOCOLATE, ETC.

HEINITZ & REAGAN

## ALL AT SEA ONCE MORE

TARIFF BILL CONFEREES CANNOT AGREE.

The Fact Will Probably Be Reported To The Two Houses Tomorrow—Sugar, Coal And Iron Will Be Bone of Contention.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 10.—The Democratic conferees resumed their sitting today, and during the beginning of the conference there was an interchange of suggestions based upon the offer made by the Senate conferees last evening to accept free sugar as provided in the House bill, the Senate bill on other items to be accepted by the House. It did not take the conferees long to find that they could come to no agreement on this basis, and the first House member to make his appearance said so.

Within half an hour after the conference began the Senate conferees left the room and Senator Gorman in the committee on Appropriations. Other Senators were then sent for, and it was said that the point was then reached where a decision one way or another must be reached. One of the House conferees said that the tension was very great and the situation unsettled, but there must be a break-up soon as the present condition of affairs could not last.

It is stated on the authority of a Senator that the Republican conferees will be called in today and that the Senators will make a proposition to report disagreement on the tariff bill. If the House will not accept this, a resolution is to be presented in the Senate recalling the Senate conferees. "It will be lively in here today," said one of the Democratic Senators who had just conferred with those managing the Senate end of the contest.

One of the Republican conferees said, just after 12 o'clock, that the Republicans had not yet been called in, but said emphatically that a disagreement had been decided upon by the Democrats.

In the Senate the bill moved for 12:20 to go into executive session. The motion was defeated, yeas 21, nays 32.

Hill (N. Y.) moved a resolution that the conferees on the tariff bill report to the Senate if there was any hope of agreement and if not what it was kept them apart. The motion prevailed.

Harris said that the conferees had not agreed upon the items of coal, iron and sugar, but if they could agree on them he believed the conferees could speedily agree on the rest of the bill.

Some suggested that a letter would be written to instruct the conferees to report agreement if they could, and if not, to report disagreement. It was not, Allison said, a conference that had been discussing the bill, but a friendly part consultation. The Senate, in view of the long delay, should take a decided stand and instruct the conferees to report either one thing or the other.

Gray, Delaware, objected to present consideration of the resolution, but Hill contended that debate had preceded for 15 minutes and that Gray was too late. "It has been proceeding by unanimous consent," said Gray.

There was considerable debate on this point, participated in by Hill, Manderson, Hour, Ransom and others. Manderson and Hour supported the resolution.

Vilas opposed consideration of the resolution, contending that the rule did not particularly limit an objection to the minute, the resolution was proposed, and that it provided that all resolutions should be over one day in order to prevent snap judgment and surprises.

At the suggestion of Vest, Hill's resolution was read to the Senate and Hill accepted Allison's amendment to have the conferees report agreement or disagreement. The chairman ruled that the resolution was not privileged matter. Then Vest created some surprise by saying that, as one of the conferees, he was heartily in favor of the resolution. He thought it was time that the calm light should be turned on the work of the conferees.

He was tired of hearing "all these infamous lies" about the Democratic members of the conference committee, and he proposed, when the resolution was considered tomorrow, to tell some things about that conference.

"Is the Senate ready to proceed today?" softly asked Hill, amid laughter. "I'm ready at any time," said Vest.

Hill contended that the objection to consider a resolution could not be made after consideration had begun on the merits of the resolution.

Chairman Jarvis ruled against Hill, and the resolution went over till tomorrow.

**THIS WILL BE BALL!**  
The Hotel Berkeley Eating association will play the VanGilder house nine at Allendale Field Monday afternoon at 4:30, for the benefit of the Mission hospital. The nines are made up as follows: H. B. E. A.—A. Rankin, Dorsett, Robertson, J. G. Merrimon, Currier, C. S. Jordan, Thrash, Nichols, Rogers; colors, black and white. VanGilder house—G. O. Roberts, Stephens, A. Roberts, Millard, Ed. Fletcher, Brown, Bearden, Webster, Quirt; colors, blue and gold. Admission 10 cents.

This game is to be played for fun, and the players don't care whether any one comes or not—but the Mission Hospital does, and it is to be hoped that there will be a large attendance.

**Financial Session in Savannah**  
SAVANNAH, Ga., Aug. 8.—The announcement this morning that Col. Charles H. Olmstead had resigned the presidency of the Chatham bank and of the Georgia State Building and Loan association caused great comment. Inquiry shows his relation with the bank and the association all right. It is believed that his resignations were due to his private affairs becoming involved. He left the city on August 1.

**The Karth's Ague.**  
MEMPHIS, Aug. 10.—Three distinct shocks of earthquake were felt here at 12:30 o'clock this morning. The shocks were of 10 seconds duration. All building swayed and windows were rattled, but no damage was done.

**To Reduce Wages.**  
CONCORD, N. H., Aug. 10.—It is stated that the operatives in the cotton mills at Suncook have been notified of a 16 per cent. reduction in wages, to take effect after August 20.

## LEAGUE CONFERENCE.

Interesting Reports—Rev. Mr. Burrow's Address.

Yesterday afternoon's session of the Asheville District Epworth League conference was opened by devotional exercises conducted by Rev. J. A. Burrow. This was followed by highly satisfactory reports from the League, developing these statistics: There are, in the Asheville district, 14 Epworth Leagues with an aggregate membership of between 1000 and 1100. There are three Leagues with a membership of over 100, the largest League being Montmorenci, with 144 members.

Miss Irene McLeod read an essay on "Women's Work in the League," an excellent production. It showed what real work there is for woman to do in the League and how useful she can be towards enhancing God's kingdom.

"Why should young Methodists be members of the Epworth League?" was discussed by J. M. Johnson, C. M. Lauce and others.

J. Will Hies gave a talk on the juvenile League and urged all Leagues to organize them. Miss Ethel Edwards gave a written report from the only juvenile League in the district, which was organized at Hendersonville about three months ago.

At 8:30 Rev. J. A. Burrow, jr., pastor of Centenary church, Knoxville, Tenn., gave an address on "The Epworth League and Christian Work." It was a splendid address, occupying about three quarters of an hour and abounded in wit and wisdom that made it all the more entertaining. He said a great many people were afraid of the Epworth League when it was organized, losing sight of the real object of the League, preferring to think the young people would eventually run the church. He assured his hearers that there was no cause for such alarm. He said it was meeting the highest expectations of its warmest friends. Some people had the idea that the League was separate and distinct from the church. This was a great mistake. "The League," he said, "is as much a part of the church as the Sunday school or prayer meeting. The relation is just as intimate. The end in view is not for the largest and most influential League, but for the most important in character—the utilization of the Christian life for the Master's cause. This one thing the world needs more than any other. There are a great many things we need to form this Christian character, but among the most important is real faith in God. Without this our work becomes mechanical. Faith is a matter of cultivation. A Christian who wishes to make himself useful must develop in knowledge. The object of the literary department is to educate the mind in the knowledge of the church, to teach about its history, polity and government. The next thing is to put our faith and knowledge into action. The ideal League member will have love for humanity. Christian effort is so often a matter of habit. In the formation of this habit we can make ourselves useful, but to be truly useful we need and must have love for man."

It was a splendid address, delivered in a pleasing and effective manner, and the large congregation that attended was both instructed and entertained.

Prof. Graham presided at the organ and Miss Denson sang a solo during the service. Fitch Taylor conducted the opening devotional exercises this morning. The first topic discussed was "How the League may help in building up a congregation." Several interesting speeches were made on the subject.

Mrs. J. N. Gill of Weaverville read a paper on "Our Motto," which was in every respect a most excellent one.

"The Possibilities of the Literary Department" was discussed by W. E. Rollins, Dr. Atkins and others, and the morning session closed with an essay on "A Model League" by Miss Terrie E. Butrick. It was a model essay, and all the Leagues would adopt the plan suggested their usefulness could not be estimated.

Rev. Chas. W. Byrd conducted the opening services this afternoon and special prayers were offered for the speedy recovery of Rev. Ira Brown, of Hendersonville, who is very ill of typhoid fever.

There will be a reception to the Leagues in the Y. M. C. A. hall this evening. An interesting program has been arranged and refreshments will be served.

**The Condition of Cotton.**  
WASHINGTON, Aug. 10.—Returns to the department of agriculture for the month of August make the condition of cotton 91.8 an increase of two points over the July condition and 3.5 over 1st of June. Averages by states are: Virginia, 96; North Carolina, 95; South Carolina, 95; Georgia, 85; Florida, 93; Alabama, 94; Mississippi, 97; Louisiana, 98; Texas, 85; Arkansas, 96; Tennessee, 94; Missouri, 96; Oklahoma, 93.

**COMING AND GOING.**  
Mrs. Ida Breazale, wife of J. E. Breazale, a prominent lawyer and politician of Anderson, S. C., is visiting her relative, Mrs. Ossie Henry, 70 Orange street.

Mrs. Bailey and the Misses Bailey of Georgia, and Mrs. Wm. P. Holmes of Charleston, S. C., are stopping at Mrs. Trenholm's, on Montford avenue.

Ed. W. Akin and family, Carlisle, Ind.; A. A. Hicks and wife, Oxford, N. C., and John B. Gaddess of Washington, D. C., are at the Swanannora.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Schaefer, and Mrs. C. R. Schaefer of Little Rock, Ark., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. I. Alexander on Flint street.

Among those stopping at the Berkeley are E. F. Williams and son, Terre Haute, Ind., and J. E. Hammerly, Waldo, Fla.

Hon. Walter E. Moore was here last night on his return to Webster from the Raleigh State Democratic Convention.

J. M. Emerson of the Atlantic Coast Line, Wilmington, accompanied by his family, is at Kenilworth Inn.

C. G. Elliott and wife of Norfolk, Va., and W. G. Elliott and family of Wilmington are guests at Kenilworth.

J. A. Reagan, formerly of Asheville, but now a Danville, accompanied by his wife and child, is in the city.

Mrs. Lyman Rhoads has returned to Kenilworth from a visit to Long Branch.

Rev. Dr. H. P. Chreitzberg has returned from a trip to Columbia, S. C.

W. P. Sullivan and wife of Charleston are guests of the Asheville hotel.

J. D. Murphy, esp., returned last night from the State convention.

W. L. Antea and family are at the Berkeley from Baltimore.

## A GIGANTIC LAND SALE

THE WHITTIER TRACT IN SWAIN CHANGES HANDS

There Are 78,000 Acres in the Tract and The Foreign Hardwood Log Company Pays \$11,000 For The Property.

One hundred and forty-four thousand dollars is the amount involved in the latest real estate transaction in which Western North Carolina is interested. The deal was completed yesterday and the transaction was one of cold, hard cash.

The lands sold comprise what is universally known as the Whittier tract, comprising 78,000 acres in Swain county. The purchasers are the Foreign Hardwood Log company, a New York corporation, and it is the purpose of the company to erect mills and carry on an extensive lumber business so that the tract to be derived will by no means stop at the mere sale of the property.

The Whittier tract is recognized as one of the finest hard wood boundaries in the South. After the death of the owner, Dr. Whittier, the land was sold by the administrator, and Mrs. J. E. Ray, C. B. and E. B. Atkinson of Asheville, John M. and E. L. Duke of Durham became the owners. This last sale was made by U. S. Court Clerk R. O. Patterson of Asheville, J. N. Finney of Knoxville and Lewis Zimmer & Son of New York, for the owners.

The purchasers are Messrs. Chew and Eddie of New York, and their attorneys were Abney & Thomas of Columbia, S. C. The owners were represented by Capt. M. E. Carter of this city, to whom is due much credit for the manner in which the matter was conducted. The negotiations have been pending since February, and the difficulties that had to be met on one cause or another are said by one of the gentlemen interested to have been almost insuperable.

The deeds and all necessary papers passed yesterday and the gigantic deal is concluded. Western North Carolina will now watch with interest the legitimate operations of the Foreign Hardwood Log company on an immense scale.

**CUT AND CURVED.**  
Dallas Dillingham Roughly Handled By Charlie Ricketts.

MARION, N. C., Aug. 10.—[Special.]—Last Saturday a man named Dillingham, who came here from Buncombe county and who has been in the lumber business on the Greenlee lands between Marion and Old Fort, got into a quarrel with Charlie Ricketts on Mackers creek which may cost him his life. He was terribly cut about the head with a drawing knife, one of his ears being cut nearly off and the back of his head scalped from the top down to the neck, laying bare large arteries. He is now at a house near the scene of the fight and is receiving medical attention at the hands of Drs. Reed and Ashworth.

Dillingham and Ricketts tell different stories about the affair. The former says he was going along the road near the distillery and met two men who cursed him, asking him if he was the man who shot at old man Wm. Gray a few days ago. Dillingham says he denied having done so and went on to the distillery. When he returned some one in ambush knoced him down with a rock, he didn't know who did it. Ricketts confesses that he is the man who cursed Dillingham. He says the latter came to where he was making barrels near the road, stopped him, caught him in the collar and cursed him; that Dillingham then drew a bottle and struck him on the head, broke the bottle and then said, "You—, I will kill you," and started to draw a pistol, when he struck Dillingham one or two times with a drawing knife he had been working with.

Dillingham is a venerable and gentlemanly fellow when sober, but is said to be a dangerous man when drunk. Ricketts is said to be a young man of splendid character. He was not a rowdy before and he never saw Dillingham before. Dillingham is the man who was recently tried on a charge of rape by a magistrate at Old Fort and acquitted. He has a family. Ricketts was tried by Squires Sandlin, Southern and Little at Old Fort and was bound over to court.

**NORTH CAROLINA NEWS.**  
—Raleigh News and Observer: From what we have heard, Mr. Josephus Daniels has obtained the control of the News and Observer and it may be anticipated that in a few days our connection with this paper will cease. Raleigh correspondent had a talk with Mr. Josephus Daniels who says that this week the new company to own and manage the News and Observer will be organized. It will have \$15,000 or \$20,000 of paid up capital, most of which is now subscribed. A good deal has been taken this week. Mr. Daniels will have direction of the editorial management.

—A Greenville telegram says: During the last few days this section has had the heaviest rains known in years. For the three days ending at noon Wednesday the rainfall was 6 1/2 inches. Big freshets prevail in Toe river, and all creeks and streams through the county. Bridges are washed away, and most of the roads are impassable. All lowlands are submerged and the damage to crops is immense.

—Billy Winburn alias William Monte, a mulatto boy, was arrested Saturday evening, charged with stealing money out of the safe at E. S. Dale's coach factory, Windsor. Mr. Dale has, during the last three years, had nearly \$1,500 stolen out of his safe.

—Gen. W. P. Roberts, Consul to Victoria, attended the convention at Raleigh and left for Washington soon after, where his wife will join him Friday, and they will then leave for his post of duty. He is greatly pleased with his appointment.

—There's a sensation in Rowan county by reason of the shooting of Julius Smith, a county convict, by two guards. He is badly hurt. It is now said he was shocked and tied, and that there was no proper cause for the shooting.

—Mr. Jabez Myers, the well known Charlotte man, who was shot by Mr. Fred Oliver, is improving. A fatal termination of his injuries is not now feared.

—President John C. Kilgo of Trinity college is expected to arrive at Durham this week from Spartanburg, S. C.

## Soda Water.

## Soda Water.

HAVE YOU EVER TRIED OUR

## Egg Phosphate,

Ten cents! If you have not, you have missed one of the most delicious drinks we serve. Our

## Ice Cream Soda,

Ten cents is frozen from pure Jersey cream and milk. We serve it in any flavor desired.

## Pine-Apple Snow

Is a new Sherbet, frozen from a special formula. It's a great favorite with all. Try it the next time, five cents.

In addition to these we have all the new and popular drinks now sold. Our soda water is always cold as ice can make it. Our service is excellent. All mineral waters on draught. Agents for Harris-Lithia water.

## RAYSOR & SMITH,

PRESCRIPTION DRUGGISTS,  
31 PATTON AVE.

## OPEN EVENINGS TILL 11 O'CLOCK.

## For That Tired Feeling

Nothing so restful as a hammock, doesn't cost much either. If you buy here, our prices will suit you.—Falmers' No. 1, \$2.00; Mexican, \$1.

## Brace Up

With a game of croquet, not as exciting as baseball—but cheaper and lasts longer. \$1.25 to \$2.50 a set.

## As an Appetizer

Take Smokettes three times a day, and often if desired—pleasant to take. Some are entire system, not a medicine but a high grade, soft, cigar—bound to give satisfaction.

## RAY'S

8 N. COURT SQUARE.

## Cheap Tickets to Greenville,

Spartanburg and Anderson, S. C. Train leaves at 3 p. m. tomorrow—back after baggage—full particulars—see

## C. F. RAY,

Member American Ticket Brokers' Association, ON THE SQUARE. TELEPHONE 194.

## BASKETS!

LUNCH BASKETS, MARKET BASKETS, AND CLOTHES BASKETS.

## BASKETS!

## BASKETS!

## BASKETS!

## BASKETS!

## BASKETS!

## BASKETS!

## BASKETS!

## BASKETS!

## BASKETS!

## BASKETS!

## BASKETS!

## BASKETS!

## BASKETS!

## BASKETS!

## BASKETS!

## BASKETS!

## BASKETS!