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Now as most of my new goods are all open, I will cordially invite all my customers and friends to call in and look at the finest selection that has ever been shown in Asheville. It is useless to mention all, but you can glance at some of them in my windows. My holiday goods will be displayed soon.

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Until January 15th, 1895.

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FINE CLOTHING

FOR MEN, BOYS AND CHILDREN.

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FOR LADIES, MISSES AND CHILDREN.

FINE DRESS GOODS,

TO WHICH WE WOULD DIRECT ATTENTION.

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TAKE CARE OF YOUR TEETH BY USING

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BEST BRANDS DOMESTIC KEY WEST CIGARS. SPECIAL ATTENTION TO BOX TRADE.

CZAR'S CONDITION DESPERATE

HIS END IS APPARENTLY VERY NEAR.

Talk of a Regency to Govern Russia Till a New Czar Succeeds—Continental Cities Disturbed.

LONDON, Oct. 19.—The latest dispatches received at the Russian embassy here state that the condition of the Czar is extremely critical. The news has cast a gloom over St. Petersburg, Berlin, Cologne, Athens and other continental cities.

A despatch to the Globe from Paris this afternoon says that private advices received at the French capital indicate that the condition of the Czar is hopeless and that the end is near. This news has caused a most profound sensation everywhere.

ST. PETERSBURG, Oct. 19.—Advices received from Livadia this morning are of a extremely disquieting nature. Until seven o'clock last evening the condition of the Czar had not changed throughout the day. The celebrated nerve specialist, Prof. Michajewski, was summoned to Livadia yesterday.

Crowds of people gather around the official bulletins and cross themselves as they read them.

Later—it is announced here this afternoon that the condition of the Czar is desperate. An imperial edict will soon be published entrusting the regency to the Czarevitch and several court officials.

LONDON, Oct. 19.—The Lancet, speaking of the illness of the Czar, says it is the character of the majesty's real disease, his pathologic condition, which is no two days alike, and the deterioration of his blood that have led to a general state of perverted tissue and bad nutrition, physical weakness, impaired digestion and insomnia.

CROSSED THE FROZEN STREAM. Escape and Recapture of a Deserter From the United States Army.

The Atlanta Constitution prints a story of the capture of Weldon F. Harris, a young deserter from the U. S. army, by Marshal James Cassada of Madison county, this State, at Barnard, Madison county. The deserter was captured last December by the same officer at the same place. Harris escaped through the window of his room, 40 feet above ground, and the officer tells the Constitution the story of the escape.

"The French Broad river wound around the foot of the hill and I noticed that Harris had started in that direction. We thought we had him hemmed in and started out faster. Down the hill he went like a scared rabbit and we were on his heels like a pack of hounds. The river was not far off and I thought we had him."

"That man did something I never dreamed of. He reached the bank of the river, hesitated a moment, and then plunged in headlong. We stood there and wondered. The whole stream was full of ice and in places frozen hard. At this point the French Broad is broad, indeed, and big lumps of ice were floating down. But the man braved the current, the icebergs and everything else. He went across the stream like a deer, and I—well, I stood there on the bank and 'cussed' and wondered. He escaped and he deserted. That feat was the talk of the people about that section for many months."

Harris was captured the second time at Barnard Sunday night, while asleep at home. He was taken to Fort McPherson from Atlanta.

ELECTION BETS. Money seems to be ready for Wager in Rutherford.

Over in Rutherford they are banking on Crawford's election, and the Rutherford Herald, after remarking "gas is cheap," goes on to say:

"If the admirers of Mr. Pearson wish to back their judgment, they can have the opportunity of doing so. Prove your sincerity. We are authorized to announce that all bets will be accepted as follows: \$100 that Crawford is elected, \$50 that he is elected by 100 majority; \$25 that he is elected by a majority of 2000. This is no bluff; the money is not to look for, and a deposit of \$100 will be made as a forfeiture for any bet refused on these terms. If you are in earnest, call at our office and we will see that you are shown into the parlor and accommodated. Be sure and bring the 'stuff.'"

COMING HOME. Mr. and Mrs. John H. Howell soon to Return from Nova Scotia.

A letter to THE CITIZEN from John H. Howell of this city, dated Baddeck, Cape Breton, Nova Scotia, October 13, states that, after a most enjoyable summer, exploring streams, climbing mountains, killing big trout, salmon and game, Mr. and Mrs. Howell are preparing to return Southward and hope to be in Asheville by the first of November. Mr. Howell adds:

"You have been of vast value to us all summer, keeping us fully posted regarding all the interesting affairs of Asheville and the State. Both Mrs. Howell and self have been well all the time, but cold weather and storms now put an end to our outing."

A BRECKINRIDGE BOUNCE. A Preacher Accused of Mixing Politics and Religion.

LEXINGTON, Ky., Oct. 18.—Prof. E. B. Jones, president of Hamilton Female college and pastor of the Providence church in this county, has been deposed from his pastorate by irate members who objected to his mixing up politics with religion.

Prof. Jones took a prominent part in the Breckinridge-Owens campaign against Col. Breckinridge.

Won't Play Any More! LONDON, Oct. 19.—The Pall Mall Gazette says it is reported at the treasury in Whitehall that grave differences have arisen between Lord Rosebery and the Earl of Kimberley. The latter left the foreign office the day after the recent cabinet council and has not since returned.

A DEMOCRATIC RALLY.

Congressman Crawford to Address the Clubs Saturday, the 27th.

The Central Democratic club meeting last evening was well attended, a good deal of business was transacted, and the crowd enjoyed addresses by Representative Tucker of Rutherford and Gen. R. B. Vance.

It was decided that the next meeting should be held Saturday evening, October 27, at which time there will be a Democratic rally, and Congressman Crawford, and Hon. Ben. Posey of Murphy, will address the assemblage.

An invitation was extended to all the Democratic clubs of the county to meet with Central club on this occasion.

A committee of five was appointed to arrange a program for the union meeting of the clubs, this committee to confer with a like committee from the West End club. The committee is composed of J. H. Carter, T. C. Starnes, C. T. Rawls, T. R. Kansom, J. D. Murphy, Dr. Geo. A. Mebane and J. P. Kerr, the two latter being added upon a motion to that effect.

On motion of T. R. Kansom the club decided to offer a banner to the club having the largest percentage of its membership present at the rally. A committee composed of R. B. Vance, J. D. Murphy and R. K. Rawls was appointed to decide which clubs are entitled to compete for the banner.

The finance committee made a report recommending that each member of the club be requested to pay \$1 to the committee in order to defray necessary club expenses. This was adopted.

The following new members were enrolled: K. R. Rawls, R. S. Dewett, C. V. Nelson, P. A. Sumner, J. H. Cooper, W. R. Gudgey, J. E. Slagle, W. C. McConnell, J. W. Hollingsworth, J. R. Rudi, E. Y. Powell, Walter Connor and Julius Wiesmanon.

HENDERSONVILLE-BREVARD. It is Hoped the Grading Will be Done by December.

In an article on the Brevard and Hendersonville railroad the Hendersonville Times says:

"Mr. T. C. McNeely arrived in Hendersonville, from New York this week, where he expects to remain until after the new railroad is completed. He was accompanied by Mr. J. H. Rawls of Columbia, S. C., a practical surveyor, who will assist Mr. McNeely in the work of choosing a route. In conversation with the latter gentleman, he stated that his company was narrowing the details necessary to construction down to a fine point, and they hoped to have the grading done as early as December. In speaking of the Mills River route, he says by complying with the order of election, which is imperative, the construction would cost in the neighborhood of \$12,000 to \$15,000 more than a route they might choose, just what action will be taken by them at this time is not known, but Mr. McNeely speaks very confidently of ultimate success, and leads us to believe that they mean business, and that the road will soon be under way of construction."

PUPILS SUPPLY TEXT BOOKS. An Amendment to the Rules of the City Schools.

In the amendments to the rules of the public schools, printed yesterday, the following was omitted:

"Sec. 12. Pupils to supply text books. Pupils must be provided with the text-books, etc., required in their respective classes, within two days after such books are required, and if not so supplied the teacher shall inform the child's parent or guardian, and at the same time the superintendent, who may, when he thinks it best, suspend the pupil from school until such books, etc., are secured. Provided, no pupil shall be suspended for this cause who is unable to provide itself with the books."

BROTHERHOOD OF ST. ANDREW. Special Service Sunday at Trinity Episcopal Church.

The Sunday morning service at Trinity Episcopal church will be conducted under the auspices of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew of that parish, at which time they hope to interest the congregation in reports of their delegates to the recent convention held in the City of Washington.

As the work of this Brotherhood is among men, a special invitation is extended to all men of Asheville to attend. The reports will be in the form of brief addresses from the three delegates, who were Rev. McNeely DuBoise, Thos. A. Jones and T. W. Patton.

TO HEAT THE COURT HOUSE. Contract for Apparatus Awarded to Boyce & Burton.

Messrs. Boyce & Burton have been awarded, by Contractor J. A. Tennent, the contract for putting the hot air heating apparatus in the county court house. The price to be paid the firm is \$550. Two furnaces of the Ideal Novelty pattern are to be put in, and Mr. Boyce says he hopes to have the work completed in about three weeks.

Boyce & Burton have also been given the contract for placing hot water heating apparatus in Dr. S. Westray Battle's new residence on Beaumont.

Don't Monkey With Poetry. NEW YORK, Oct. 18.—In the United States circuit court the jury in the case of Miss Harriet Monroe of Chicago against the New York World returned a verdict of \$5,000 damages against the World. Miss Monroe sued for \$50,000 damages for publishing her copyrighted World's Fair ode without her permission.

Morton's Coachman Goes Back. NEW YORK, Oct. 19.—Judge Lacombe today in the United States circuit court rendered a decision in the case of John James Howard, Levi P. Morton's coachman. The judge dismissed the writ of habeas corpus and ordered Howard to be taken back to Ellis Island. He will be sent back to Europe.

CONDENSED TELEGRAMS. It is believed at Washington that President Cleveland will write indorsing the Hill ticket and that he will send a campaign contribution.

STRAUS COMES OFF THE TICKET

TAMMANY WITHOUT A MAJORITARY HEAD.

Grace Will Again be Asked to Make the Race—Trying to Dictate to Senator Hill—A Complicated Situation in the Empire State.

NEW YORK, Oct. 19.—Nathan Straus, the Tammany hall candidate for mayor of this city, has formerly withdrawn from the contest. He sent his letter of withdrawal to James J. Martin, chairman executive committee of Tammany hall this morning.

Straus sent his private secretary to Mr. Hill with the ultimatum that the Senator must discontinue the State Democracy ticket by refusing to allow his name to appear on it with that of Mr. Strong, the citizen's and Republican nominee for mayor, or he, Straus, would withdraw from the regular Tammany ticket. Another effort will be made to induce ex-Mayor Grant to make the race.

Most of the Tammany leaders who will talk about the matter express the opinion that Mr. Hill will not change his mind, but will allow the State ticket to be printed on the local ticket headed by Strong and the Grace Democrats. Now that Straus has decided to withdraw from the race the executive committee of Tammany hall, which is empowered to fill any vacancy that may occur, may nominate a candidate for mayor.

FLAT CREEK AND IVY. Craig Wearing Poor Moody to a Frazzle.

DEMOCRAT, N. C., Oct. 18.—The discussion at Flat Creek Tuesday, and at Big Ivy yesterday, went off to the entire satisfaction of all Democrats. At Flat Creek the crowd was largely Republican.

The Republicans as well as Democrats were forced to admit that Jim Moody could not sustain himself and answer the overwhelming arguments of our Democratic candidates.

At Big Ivy there was a large crowd of Republicans and Democrats about equally divided, but the enthusiasm was all on the side of the Democrats. Craig wiped up the ground with Moody.

The old Republicans, except those who laughed at Craig's humor and applauded his arguments and eloquence, hung their heads in defeat. The Democrats say they always like to come to a speaking on Big Ivy when Craig is there, for they know that then their side will beat.

Henderson completely routed Brother Ammons, and made a telling speech. In fact he makes a fine impression wherever he goes. If it were possible for speaking to make votes on Big Ivy yesterday, votes were certainly made for the Democracy.

PARDONED TO DO MURDER. What "Executive Clemency" Too Often Means.

MERIDEN, Miss., Oct. 19.—W. T. Martin, a white man, Wednesday night whipped his infant daughter to death with a leather strap near Benergy, Miss. Martin was drunk at the time. He is being pursued by a posse and if caught will be lynched. He is a desperate character. In 1883 he and a man named Hood, at Sandersville, while intoxicated caught an inoffensive negro and hanged him. Hood fled from Mississippi, but Martin was sentenced to life imprisonment by Governor Lowry and later on he was pardoned.

PLANT'S \$2,000,000 PURCHASE. JACKSONVILLE, Fla., Oct.—It is rumored here that H. B. Plant has bought the Florida Southern railroad which runs through 250 miles of the richest agricultural and phosphate country of Florida. The purchase price is said to be \$2,000,000.

The Washington Court House Riot. COLUMBIA, O., Oct. 19.—Theodore Ammerman, the fifth victim of the rioting at the Washington Court House Wednesday night died at 8:30 o'clock this morning.

China Divided. LONDON, Oct. 19.—The Shanghai representative of the Central News says that a small uprising has taken place at Ku Lao Hwei, 200 miles from Han Kow, in which two inferior officials were killed.

IN THE OLD NORTH STATE. The general agents of the life insurance companies in this State and South Carolina have petitioned their new association by electing Cary J. Hunter of Raleigh, president; S. D. Waitt of Raleigh, vice-president; W. M. Russ of Raleigh, secretary; W. J. Roddy of South Carolina, John B. Cary of Richmond, John C. Drewry of Raleigh, S. L. Miller of Greensboro and J. D. Church of Charlotte, executive committee. The association will join the United States association.

Hendersonville Times: The Virginia House was sold on Monday last by virtue of a mortgage executed by C. C. and Mrs. Maria Chase to Mrs. Croft of Greenville, to pay a debt (including all expenses) of \$2,800. Mr. Otis M. Cox of Asheville, was the purchaser, who also bought at private sale, the furniture now in the house belonging to Mr. Chase.

The Railway Commission has issued an order that on and after December 1 next all exception to the standard freight and passenger tariff heretofore granted the Western North Carolina railway, between Salisbury and Paint Rock are repealed and the standard tariff applied thereto.

Governor Carr had a letter recently from Ridgeway stating that a 18-year-old grandson of William Hooper (who was one of the signers of the Declaration of Independence), had, without any preliminary symptoms, suddenly become violently insane.

Cotton growers say that the crop is 15 per cent better than last year's on clay lands, but is no better than that crop on sandy lands. Rain affected the sandy lands most injuriously.

Franklin Press: Dr. Lucas is having an excavation made on his place just beyond the iron bridge, we learn, for the purpose of putting up an extensive plant for working corundum.

Mr. Robert W. Clay, a well known commercial traveler, died at his home on the Durham and Northern road of a complication of diseases.

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THE MEN'S OUTFITTER.

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Comparative Sales Of

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Harris' Lithia Water

FOR THE PAST 16 MONTHS.

In May, 1893 we were solicited to take the agency for Harris' Lithia Water in Asheville.

We compile the sales of each since then to show the people how Harris' Lithia stands in competition with the two oldest Lithia waters on the market.

In the past 16 months sold 30 cases Londonderry; sold 41 cases Buffalo; sold 91 cases Harris' Lithia water.

Harris' Lithia water \$4.50 per case, \$1.50 rebate for return of bottles and case.

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Rates to all points. Now is the time for cheap traveling. Cut rate railroad tickets everywhere almost \$1 to \$5 reduction on each ticket. All tickets guaranteed.

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Playing Cards:

Steamboats, 10c. Aladdins, 15c. Bicycle cards, 25c.

Oil Stoves.

Good single burner, 75c. Double burner, \$1.25, built for wear.

Walking Canes.

English Thorn, French Medlar, large size, \$1.25; good strong stained wood soc.; bamboo, 50c.

Rosa Cigars

Strikes the popular fancy—once a smoker you'll take no other—call for Rosa Cigars for good tickle smoke.

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