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Which will be of large variety, best quality and the lowest prices and will be ready soon at

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NO. 21 N. MAIN ST. **R. B. NOLAND & SON.** TELEPHONE 251.


## A GREAT RESORT FOR HUNTSMEN

NEW QUARTERS OF THE SWANNANOA CLUB.

**A Glance at the Interior Attractions of the Building Prepared for the Club by Col. Frank Coxe—The Road House at Sulphur Springs.**

Col. Frank Coxe's recently purchased property from the Henry estate has been merged in the extensive grounds of Battery Park, and the Swannanoa Country club comes in for a handsomely finished and furnished club house. A curving driveway winds a new approach through the lawns to the gabled building near the Haywood street entrance where Time's mosses have been brushed away from a building put up in the forties, and the old house made better than new with modern ideas of convenience and comfort.

The broad steps to the entrance porch lead to the reception hall on the second floor where the tapestry and carpets are colored in the warmest hues of Turkey red. The smokers have been allotted the cosy apartment on the left of the entrance. Heavy chenille curtains shade the glazing of the old fashioned sash, the unique timepiece, with face framed on the dip of a skillet, ticks cheerily from the shelf of the mantel, and the ruddy glow of the hearthfire diffusing its pleasant warmth, make of the room an engaging and desirable den. Electric lighting will be utilized from the points of a chandelier formed of twisting bucks horns. The ceiling and wainscoting of the room are in Carolina pine with an intervening finish of terra cotta fresco.

Opposite the smoker is the ladies' dining room with a steaming samovar and delicate china ready for service. The hours at the club for lady guests are from 10 o'clock in the morning until 6 in the evening.

The low arched rooms of the roof will be occupied by the board of governors and as private dining rooms. A passage from this floor opens on the balcony from which grand views of the mountains may be had.

The room of the general meet, the rendezvous where the club will stretch its sporting legs under the round table and chat of blood-tingling gallops afield and of haps and of mishaps encountered in the chase, takes in the southern half of the first story. Prints of horse and hounds adorn the walls, bright rugs carpet the hardwood floor, and easy chairs flank the big fireplace. Adjoining the rendezvous workmen are busily preparing for creature comforts in fitting up the grill room. The grilling is to be personally conducted by Manager McKissick who has promised to do to a turn the famous dishes that acquired celebrity "down in Souf Carliner, fo de wah."

The lovers of billiards are provided for in a spacious room on the lower floor. There are telephones and electric messenger calls, to the city and to the hotel, conveniently at hand upstairs and down. Kennels have been built under the front steps for the care of dogs temporarily out for a run.

The new chef at Battery Park will look after the dining of the club people, to whom luncheon and dinner will be served a la carte until midnight.

It is said to be the intention of the club to establish itself in the new home with an elaborate house warming to occur in all probability early in December.

The plan for remodeling the old structure into attractive quarters for club uses originated with Mr. Otis M. Coxe; the superintendence of rebuilding also devolved upon him, and he has had many congratulations on the success of his taste and energy.

At Sulphur Springs Mr. Coxe has had a road house of novel construction put up for the needs of members of the club. The site is a most eligible one, commanding as it will from the surrounding verandas of the villa a following view of the hunt for miles in each direction. The club kennels, built on improved plans, are located at a point on the branch a short distance below the spring house.

### MRS. ADELE F. RAYSOR.

**Her Greatly Lamented Death at 8 O'Clock Monday Evening.**

Death, expected for two or three days past, came last evening to Mrs. Adele F. Raysor, wife of Cornelius A. Raysor, of the firm of Raysor & Smith.

For several days Mrs. Raysor had been suffering from acute pylitis, at her residence on North Main street. Sunday her condition was such as to arouse the greatest anxiety, and in spite of every possible attention she gradually sank until 8 o'clock last evening, when, surrounded by the heartbroken husband and relatives, the bride of less than a year passed from life unto death.

Mrs. Raysor was a South Carolina lady, her native home being Orangeburg. Her maiden name was Adele Felder Raysor, and she married Mr. Raysor in Orangeburg December 27, 1893. She was 25 years of age. During the time since Asheville was made her home she had become known by a large circle, and had won the esteem and love of all, being admired alike for her many womanly traits and her beautiful christian character. The stricken husband and a child a week old survive her.

Dr. and Mrs. Salley of Orangeburg, brother-in-law and sister of the deceased, were at Mrs. Raysor's bedside when she died. Her brother, Thos. M. Raysor, and Mr. Raysor's brother came in on this afternoon's train from the South.

A short funeral service over Mrs. Raysor's remains will be held at the residence tomorrow, Wednesday, morning at 10 o'clock, conducted by Rev. Dr. H. F. Chreitzberg, pastor of Central M. E. church, South, of which Mrs. Raysor was a member. The interment will be at Riverside. The pallbearers will be Dr. Chas. S. Jordan, Chas. A. Webb, J. L. Houston, T. L. Lewis, Lawrence P. McLoud, M. V. Moore, Thad. E. Clayton and Dr. T. W. Bookhart.

### WILL APPEAL TO CÆSAR.

**A Novel Way of Settling an Election Dispute.**

ATLANTA, Ga., Nov. 20.—The squabble over the election of Congressmen in the Tenth Georgia district has been settled. J. C. C. Black, the present incumbent, who received a majority of 7000 on the face of the returns in reply to Watson's offer to arbitrate, proposed to submit the matter to a second election next year. Watson accepts this proposition. Black will take his commission, but will resign the 4th of March.

### Watching Weishai Wei.

LONDON, Nov. 20.—A dispatch from Tien Tsin to the Central News says a part of the Japanese fleet is cruising between Falienwam and Port Arthur and the remainder of the squadron is in the gulf of Pechili giving particular attention to Weishei Wei, which they are watching closely.

### A Famous Pianist Dead.

ST. PETERSBURG, Nov. 20.—Anton Gregor Rubinstein, the famous Russian pianist and composer, died at Peterhoff this morning of heart disease.

## IN MARSHAL ALLISON'S HANDS

INVESTIGATION INTO THE JAIL OVERCROWDING.

**Judge Dick of the United States Court Makes an Order For a Full Investigation and Report—Prisoners to Go to Other County Jails.**

Judge Robert P. Dick of the United States court now sitting here, made the following order in that court yesterday afternoon, concerning the overcrowding of Buncombe's jail, which was first called to the attention of the public by THE CITIZEN:

"It appearing to the court that a letter written by Capt. T. W. Patton, Mayor of Asheville, and read on yesterday in the several churches in this city, makes allegations that the United States prisoners sentenced by the court to imprisonment in the common jail of Buncombe county were subjected to barbarous treatment and brutal inhumanity, by being confined in large numbers in a small and incommodious room in said jail;

"As no information had previously been given the court as to the insufficiency of said jail to furnish comfortable accommodations to the prisoners, and as no complaint was made by the prisoners, by the Mayor, by any church member, or by any philanthropic citizen, affording the court reasonable opportunity to apply a speedy and complete remedy for the alleged grievance;

"It is now ordered, That this matter of complaint made by the Mayor and published in the churches, be referred to the Marshal of this district, that he may confer with the Board of Commissioners of Buncombe county, and may make a full investigation and report to the court as to the condition of said jail, and as to the conduct of said jailer, as to the inhumanity complained of by the Mayor, with the view that such report when made may be referred to the District Attorney to institute proper proceedings if the jailer has been guilty of the grave offences alleged.

"It is further ordered, That if the Marshal shall find such allegations to be well founded, he is directed to remove at once said prisoners to the common jails of adjacent counties which can furnish suitable accommodations.

"It is further ordered, That the Marshal shall make arrangements with the boards of commissioners of adjoining counties for the future employment of jails for the humane and comfortable confinement of United States prisoners."

This last order indicates that in the future Buncombe will get none of the fees for keeping prisoners, as the persons committed will be apportioned to other jails in this section. The government allows 50 cents a day for the keep of each prisoner.

Henry Koons failed to make his case in the suit against J. B. Bryson and others on the question of boundary of certain lands in Jackson county, the hearing of which consumed the court's time to noon today. The plaintiff has a choice of a verdict adverse to him or a nonsuit.

### THE NEW BOND ISSUE.

**The President to Be Taken to Task in Congress—Withdrawals of Gold.**

WASHINGTON, Nov. 20.—President Cleveland was perhaps wise when he said to a friend who asked him why he was in such a hurry to issue a bond call, that he wanted to anticipate in a measure the attack that was to be made on his administration as soon as Congress meets. A dozen or more silver Democrats have already expressed their intention of taking the President to task for his financial policy, and the sentiment of these members is illustrated by the statement of Gen. Hooker of Mississippi, who makes the following indignant protest against the action of the administration in issuing the recent bond call:

"This issue of bonds" said Gen. Hooker, "is a defiance of Congress, and it seems to have been intended as such. There is nothing in the financial situation or in the condition of the Treasury department which made it necessary for the President to negotiate this loan before the representatives of the people could assemble, and there would seem to be every reason why the representatives of the people should be consulted about the matter. The fair conclusion would appear to be that the President feared that his policy would be disapproved if submitted to Congress, and he desired to assume this authority for himself at a time when he could not be interferred with"—New York Sun.

### TO OPERATE UNDER FREE TRADE.

**The Match Monopoly to Erect a Factory in England.**

AKRON, O., Nov. 20.—O. C. Barber, president of the Diamond Match company, is about to leave for Liverpool, England, where the company will erect the largest match works in the world. He says that this factory is intended to compete only with the foreign trade and the product will not be imported.

When he was asked in regard to the new company which Edwin Gould is engaged in organizing, with the purpose of competing with the Diamond company, he answered that the immense new factories at Barberton, O., and Liverpool scarcely looked as if he and his associates were afraid of Gould and his company.—New York World.

### THINKS HE HAS A SIT.

**Comer Feels Sure of the Presidency of the Georgia Central.**

NEW YORK, Nov. 20.—Receiver Comer of the Georgia Central says: "I have been informed that I would be retained as president of the new company after the Georgia Central has been reorganized. I have had such assurances from all of the men who are behind the reorganization movement. The reorganization papers may be given out at any day now. Everything has been approved and the plans are all ready to go through. A modified plan has already been sent out."

### Big Phosphate Works Burned.

MACON, Ga., Nov. 20.—The Southern Phosphate works, one of the largest plants in the South, was totally destroyed by fire this morning. The property burned was valued at from $125,000 to $150,000. The works were insured for $90,000. The company will begin the work of rebuilding at once.

### Gone Back to Work.

PAWTUCKET, R. I., Nov. 20.—Two hundred worsted weavers in the Larroin worsted mills returned to work yesterday. The troubles were arbitrated by the mayor. The strike was one of the largest in the textile annals of Pawtucket.

### Down to Zero.

ST. PAUL, Nov. 20.—Zero weather is reported all over the northwest.

OWEGO, N. Y., Nov. 20.—Two inches of snow fell last night.

NEW YORK, Nov. 20.—Today is the coldest November day since '73.

## THREW A PACKAGE AT THE CZAR

AND ALL THE VAST CROWD HELD THEIR BREATH.

**But It Was Only a Petition—How the Cruel Cossacks Drove the People Back—Finally the Fire Engines Were Called Out.**

LONDON, Nov. 20.—The Standard's correspondent in St. Petersburg gives a vivid description of the scenes around the fortress during the last few days. He says:

"On Sunday afternoon, the streets and squares presented the appearance of a vast camp. On the day of the arrival of the coffin, order was kept by mounted gendarmes, but that duty was now undertaken by Cossacks, who, with knouts and the merciless heels of their wild horses, kept the roadway clear for carriages, regardless of the limbs or lives of the people. From the fortress gates for more than a mile in all directions stretched a seething, struggling, suffocating mass of human beings, whom even the Cossacks were unable to keep back. Then fire engines were brought into play; theire hose were dipped into the Neva and a powerful jet of water was turned against the mob, which scattered like chaff, only to be forced back by the pressure behind.

"The Cossacks struck the people across their faces with great whips. In the scrimmage one man was killed by a kick and a boy was suffocated. Having with some difficulty fought my way out, I went to the Mitansky bridge near the bourse. Upon my right, in the front rank of the spectators, stood a man of about 45 years, dressed as a peasant and wearing a long beard.

At a quarter before 3 o'clock a closed carriage passed, immediately followed by the Czar Nicholas and the Grand Duke Michael, in an open victoria. As they passed at a gentle trot the man above mentioned, with a couple of bounds, sprang into the road, and thrusting one hand under the breast of his coat withdrew a packet, which he threw at the Czar, at whose feet it fell. The Czar started back, then coolly picked up the packet. The excitement of those standing near was at the highest point, everybody believing that an attempt had been made upon the Czar's life.

"Instantly a dozen by-standers seized the offender and he was hustled off by gendarmes to the guard house. The entire occurrence occupied less time than it takes to write it. The Czar's carriage drove on amid the murmurs of the crowd. Subsequently it was announced that the packet contained a petition and that the Czar had accepted the petition. Whether it was an ordinary petition is open to some doubt. The extraordinary coolness and adroitness of the man has raised a suspicion that his peasant's dress was a disguise. Although many persons witnessed the occurrence, there is not a word about it in any of the papers.

### KNOW HOW TO RETREAT.

**The Chinese Still Taking the Back Track, Losing as They Go.**

LONDON, Nov. 20.—The correspondent of the Central News at Tokio telegraphs as follows, under date of Chiu Lien, November 19, midnight: "Marshal Yamagata reports that General Osako with his brigade left Takeshan November 15 for Sinyum, where he met the Chinese army under General Ma on November 18 at daylight. General Osako began an attack upon the Chinese, who retreated towards Haiting. Osako captured five guns. He lost no men.

"The latest news of the second army was received November 15. Marshal Oyama and his staff were then leaving Kinchoo to join the army which was advancing upon Port Arthur, from which place it was 40 miles distant. There being no telegraphic facilities this news reached here by the steamer."

SHANGHAI, Nov. 20.—The Mercury publishes a telegram stating that the Chinese are fleeing from Port Arthur, within 15 miles of which place the Japanese and Chinese troops have just had an engagement, resulting in the loss of 100 Chinese and 300 Japanese. A British steamer is loading here with rice and munitions of war for the north.

### CIVIL SERVICE AMENDMENTS.

**Exemptions From Examination Made In Some Cases.**

WASHINGTON, Nov. 20.—Upon the recommendation of the postmaster general the civil service rules have been amended to exempt from examination those transfer and steamboat clerks who are employed jointly by railroad or steamboat companies on the railway mail service, being paid only in part by the postoffice department. The civil service law is also extended to embrace in the classified service sea postal clerks under such conditions that hereafter their appointment will be by transfer from the classified railway mail service or the classified postoffices. The amended rules were approved by the President November 17th, but are only now made public.

### GROVER SPRAINS HIS ANKLE.

**He Could Not Attend Cabinet Meeting Today.**

WASHINGTON, Nov. 20.—The regular cabinet meeting did not take place today owing to the absence of the president. When returning to his home at Woodley last evening from a walk, the President trod on a small round stone which rolled away causing a sprain of one ankle. The sprain is slight, but because sustained by the foot which has been affected by the gout it was so painful that walking was not easy. Mrs. Cleveland drove in this morning and informed the members of the cabinet that the President is getting along nicely, but that walking was still so painful to the President that he would not make the trip.

### Industries Reviving.

NEW HAVEN, Nov. 20.—The L. Candee Rubber company's bootmakers began work Monday on an increased daily production. Three hundred men are thus benefitted.

PHILLIPSBURG, Pa., Nov. 20.—The American sheet-iron mill, one of the principal industries here, resumed operations on Monday after having been idle some time, during which repairs and improvements were made.

### Killed in Cold Blood.

JONESBORO, Ark., Nov. 20.—Yesterday afternoon Judge J. D. Farrell and Arny Seymour quarreled on the street. A fight ensued in which Seymour was badly beaten. Friends interfered and separated the combatants. Seymour secured a revolver and, returning to the scene of the fight, shot Judge Farrell dead. He was arrested.

### Probably Taken to Buy Bonds With

WASHINGTON, Nov. 20.—The treasury department is informed that the subtreasury at New York lost today $900,000 in gold in exchange for currency of which the Central National bank of New York took out $500,000, while $400,000 were taken out by other parties whose names are not given in the telegram.

## THE SILVER MEN'S CONVENTION

ATTEMPT TO CROWD OUT UNDESIRABLE MATERIAL.

**Cranks, Long or Short Haired, Not Wanted—There Will Perhaps Be a Party of One Issue and Only One.**

WASHINGTON, Nov. 20.—The convention of silver men to be held in St. Louis on the 27th inst. is to be more in the nature of a conference than otherwise. The friends of silver have found that they are in bad company. So large an element of cranks, populists, socialists and anarchists have been attracted to the silver banner that the intelligent friends of the movement are impressed with the feeling that they must take some steps to put the party on a footing of its own. So, instead of attempting to ride along on all the crank platforms of the day and attempting to get itself upon the platform of one or the other of the great parties, there is a disposition among the leaders to establish a party of their own, a silver party. At least that is the purpose of the people who are calling the meeting in St. Louis next week.

Chairman Warner, of the Bimetallic league, has just left here for Ohio, and will go thence to St. Louis. Senators Jarvis and Stewart will attend if possible. Chairman Taubeneck, of the People's party, who has grown tired of the aggregation of cranks who have drifted into the Populist party, will be there. The feeling among the silver men is that silver as an issue is able to stand alone and indeed will be the chief issue in the coming campaign.

"The silver people," said a gentleman who is thoroughly inside the councils, "are impressed with the belief that the silver question did not get a fair showing in the last election, because its cause was espoused by a party with so many cranks and anarchists in it that they could not vote for silver without voting for many other things that were objectionable. This meeting will be a conference purely, but with reference to putting the subject into politics in the coming campaign in the best and most effective way."

### ADLAI FOR PRESIDENT.

**Senator Brice Starts His Boom In New York.**

NEW YORK, Nov. 20.—Senator Brice, who is in the city, has been interviewed regarding the political situation. He said: "The Democratic party was defeated because of the hard times. The question was not so much a tariff issue as a great many people are led to think."

"Whom do you think will be the next presidential candidate on the Democratic ticket, and will Cleveland run for a third term?"

"The next Democratic candidate to run for the presidency will be Adlai E. Stevenson and he will have the united support of all factions of his party. He is the logical candidate, and he comes from a State which can be carried by the Democrats with his name leading the Presidential ticket.

"He is the best man we can take. I do not think the party would make a mistake. The election of last Tuesday settled the fate of several prospective candidates, and I am more than ever convinced now that Adlai E. Stevenson is our man. As for Cleveland running for a third term, all that kind of talk is twaddle."

### Didn't Know He Was Out.

GADSDEN, Ala., Nov. 20.—A man supposed to be a tramp fell into a vat of coal tar the other evening and was rescued with difficulty. He was not much injured. It now turns out that he is the runaway son of wealthy parents in New York and an elderly lady, supposed to be his mother, came for him and took him away with her.

### Southern's Defeat Sewanee.

NEW ORLEANS, Nov. 20.—The Southern Athletic club defeated the Sewanee team by a score of 18 to 10. Superior strength made Sewanee's rush line vulnerable. The game was very exciting and although this was the first game of the season for the Southerns it was the first time in three years that a rival team has scored.

### Mr. Gladstone Will Attend.

LONDON, Nov. 17.—Mr. Gladstone has forgiven the Duke of Westminster for the latter's abuse of him and his desertion of the cause of home rule, and in token of his forgiveness will attend the marriage of the daughter of the Duke to Prince Adolphus of Teck, and at the marriage breakfast will propose a toast to the Duke.

### Waite to be Exhibited as a Curiosity.

DENVER, Nov. 18.—Governor Waite has decided to go upon the lecture platform. He will make a short tour in the West before his term expires, delivering his first lecture at St. Louis on November 19 and 20, going from there to Chicago. After his term expires he will lecture in the East.

### The Plan Is Ready.

NEW YORK, Nov. 20.—The plan for the establishment of car service associations by roads forming the Southern railway and steamship association has been formulated and only awaits the approval of the railroad presidents.

### P. M. Presidentials.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 20.—It is stated at the postoffice department that no more appointments of presidential postmasters will likely be made till Congress meets.

### Head of a Lottery.

NEW ORLEANS, Nov. 20.—Paul Conrad, president of the old Louisiana lottery and head of that concern since it moved away from here, died this morning.

### *CONDENSED TELEGRAMS.*

Queen Victoria is said to be getting increasingly feeble in her powers of locomotion, and has to be carried up steps or the smallest rise of ground. But whatever may be her physical condition, her mental powers are absolutely unimpaired, and her capacity for work is undiminished.

When Great Breat Britain learned that the United States might be peacemaker in Asia she countermanded important orders to the commander of her fleet in Chinese waters.

The procurement of the greatest monolith ever quarried, to be set up in Central Park as a monument to Dr. Parkhurst is suggested.

Robert C. Winthrop, the abolitionist successor of Daniel Webster in the United States senate, died in Boston Saturday.

It is announced that the President will soon extend the civil service regulations to the internal revenue service.

The ancient Stadium, or race course, in Athens has been selected as the scene of the international olympic games.


Fawns & Parise's dress, street and riding gloves at the Men's Outfitter, Hotel Berkeley.

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**COLD AND WET WEATHER.**

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They are all first quality goods, but being only a few of a style left, we have reduced the prices ONE HALF. $1.00 book for 50c., 75c. books for 35c.; 50c. books for 25c. 25c.; purses for 10c. Come quick, for they are going fast at these prices.

**RAYSOR & SMITH,**

ASHEVILLE, N. C.

**The Knowing Ones**

who are judges of pipes recognize the bargains in those $1.25 French Briar Pipes with genuine amber mouth pieces to be offered commencing in the morning at 10 o'clock. Won't sell 'em before—offered $1.50 for choice several times already—they are worth much more than the price set, but I bought them cheap—a job lot while in New York—you get the benefit if you buy one—usually sold at $1.75 to $3—quality guaranteed.

The only trouble about those Climbing Monkeys is that we can't get enough of them—better get one while they last.

A good paper of No. 1 needles 2 cents. Quire of writing paper 2 cents, 12 sheets for one cent.

Every school child should have one of those 26-inch umbrellas—cost only 50c.

Those jumping beans require more looking after than all our other stock—one consolation, they are stock that is constantly moving—not dead—as the little boys say, they are generally out of sight—having crawled under the umbrellas—there's lots of life in that kind of merchandise—something stirring in them all the time.

The French Dolls will hold a reception in our window next Saturday afternoon—all the little girls are invited—handsomest dolls ever brought here—larger girls can come too.

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