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ASHEVILLE, N. C., SATURDAY EVENING, DECEMBER 15, 1894.

PRICE 5 CENTS

We Mention

A few things received within the past week:

Farrell Cheese, the best American

Cream; Pineapple, Natchez and

Philadelphia Cream.

New York Biscuit Company's

Crackers—Water Thin, Social

Tea, Oatmeal, Banquet Wafers and

Shrewsbury Oyster, Etc.

English Cured Breakfast Bacon.

California Canned Fruits, Dried Fruits,

Nuts, Raisins, Etc.

POWELL & SNIDER

"The White Corner."

Wait! Wait!

Don't purchase your holiday presents before looking over my line. You all know there are plenty of goods in the city, but if you will only give a glance at the new styles of celluloid aluminum goods I have this year, and the low prices on them, you would surely give me a call. We are now ready to wait on all who come to inspect my line, you need not buy them until you get ready. Don't fail to call.

BLOMBERG'S,

17 PATTON AVENUE

On Monday, Dec. 8rd, I can be found at No. 10 North Court Square where I will be pleased to see my friends and customers.

G. A. GREER.

Oakland Heights Hotel

WILL GIVE

Reduced Rates

Until January 15th 1895.

SPARTANBURG STEAM BAKED BREAD, 7 LOAVES FOR 25c.

CHRISTMAS GOODS JAMMED AND PACKED. THE FULLEST STORE IN ASHEVILLE. OUR SPOT CASH PRICES ARE A DEATH BLOW TO OUR COMPETITORS. This is no joke. Come and be convinced. Just received 50 boxes fine crackers and cakes, 3,000 pounds best dried fruits. All kinds of nuts. 100 buckets best preserves and jellies.

R. B. NOLAND & SON.

A Good Thing.

If You Step Into Our Store, Don't Fail To Try Our

CANDY

Displayed on The Counter. You Don't Have To Buy Unless You Want To.

PRICE 20 CENTS LB.

Florida Oranges,

Best in the world.

Direct from the grove.

Our premium brand,

30 CTS. DOZ.

See our N. C. Buckwheat Flour. Free from grit and corn meal. We guarantee satisfaction. We are receiving orders for it from Wilmington, Charleston and other places.

A. D. COOPER,

NO. 2 COURT SQUARE.

Christmas Gifts

FOR EVERY ONE AT

ESTABROOK'S,

22 South Main St.

100 Engravings

ALL FRAMED, ONLY

50 CTS. EACH.

The best present you can make is a good book. Toys break, candy makes you sick, but a good book is a joy forever. We have that kind.

Children's Books

A SPECIALTY.

Standard sets, bibles, gold and silver pencils and pens, gold pens, pocketbooks, card cases, picture frames, novelties, games, also large and best variety of Christmas cards, booklets and calendars, etc. All can be found at

ESTABROOK'S,

22 S. MAIN ST.

How doth the little busy bee improve each shining hour?

BOOKS!

Wise and otherwise, novels, histories, biographies, poems, stories—books for big folks, little old folks, folks, young folks. Booklets in dainty bindings, family Bibles. We might run the entire alphabet, but, using the word method, we mention only albums, doll carriages and cradles, dozens and dozens of dolls—everything for children, in fact. Fountain pens, gold pens, hymnals, inkstands, jewelry cases, purses, paper in boxes, sleds, toilet cases, toys, work boxes, wagons, Christmas cards, etc.

Object lessons are best. It costs you nothing to come, examine and ask for goods and prices.

Morgan's Book Store,

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R. B. NOLAND & SON.

HOLIDAY GIFTS

IN ENDLESS VARIETY DOWN AT THE

Crystal Palace.

It would be useless for us to attempt to tell of half what we have. We mention specially the attractive line of lamps, silk shades, wire shade frames. Denison's paper for shades. Silk shades from \$2.50 to \$5 each. Cut glass and French Chiusa in everything that is pretty and useful. The line of Wedgewood and Copeland ware deserves mention. Quite the fad to have a piece in your home. Dolls, toys, books, etc. We have them lower than any place in town. Our Bargain tables, 5c, 10c, 15c, 25c, 50c, give double value for your money. Yours for a merry Xmas.

THAD. W. THRASH & BRO.

THERE IS ONLY ONE

"BEST" PLACE

In every city to buy your toys, dolls, doll trunks, doll carriages, games, iron stoves, wash sets, iron trunks, drums, balls, etc.

THAT PLACE IN ASHEVILLE IS

HESTON'S

Agent for **Highly's CANDIES**

All the children go wild when they see our French "Jammes" dolls. No better doll made. No better doll in the city.

Big Bargains

Walking Coat Business

Suits and Ladies'

Misses' and Children's

Cloaks.

LOTS OF NEW GOODS IN ALL

DEPARTMENTS.

CHRISTMAS GOODS.

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H. REDWOOD & CO.

PERFUMERY

In Cut Glass Bottles.

We Have a Beautiful Line For Christmas.

EXQUISITE ODORS.

Heinitsh & Reagan.

GREAT MONTH FOR THE SCHOOLS

SUPERINTENDENT EGLESTON'S REPORT FOR THE MONTH.

The Total Enrollment for the Month was 1213—The Attendance was Even Better Than Last Month. Which is Saying a Great Deal.

It is a good, booming report that Superintendent Joseph Dupuy Eggleston, Jr., of the Asheville city schools, makes of the work of the schools during the past month. It is as follows:

Orange Street School.

R. J. Tighe, principal.

9th grade, R. J. Tighe—Pupils enrolled, 11; attendance, 100 per cent.; tardies, 2; pupils neither tardy nor absent, 9. Roll of honor—Allen Miller, Addison Charles, Mabel Randolph, Cora Perry, Lottie Cobb, Dwight Moore.

8th grade, F. P. Hobgood, Jr.—Pupils enrolled, 18; attendance, 99 per cent.; tardies, 1; pupils neither tardy nor absent, 15. Roll of honor—Blanche Smith, Bertha Whittington, May Jones, Pearl Jones, Addie Fortune, Emma Bernard, Rulo Fitzpatrick, Rupert Fitzpatrick, Preston Patton, Frank Phunkett.

7th grade, Miss Laura Bingham—Pupils enrolled, 27; attendance, 99 per cent.; tardies, 3; pupils neither tardy nor absent, 21. Roll of honor—Edwin Brown, Thos. Harkins, Ida Mitchell, Annie Ogden.

6th grade, F. P. Hobgood, Jr.—Pupils enrolled, 37; attendance, 99 per cent.; tardies, 3; pupils neither tardy nor absent, 34. Roll of honor—Katie Reo, Edna Young, Maggie Clayton, Willie West, Gertrude LaBarbe, Dottie Schurle, Gertrude Miller, Fannie Moore.

5th grade, Miss Emma Rollins—Pupils enrolled, 46; attendance, 99 per cent.; tardies, 5; pupils neither tardy nor absent, 39. Roll of honor—Maude Miller, Bessie Reynolds, Edwin Connor, Will Bernard, Nat Wagner, Bartlett Cobb, Israel Eager, Ralph Milard, Thos. Bassett, Pearl Creaman, Alvin Page, Florence Sterling, Chas. Townsend, Jennie Henderson, Geo. Randolph, Daisy Poor, Nicholas, Will Wagner, Kattie Reo, Myra, Stella Poor, Thornton Davis, Carrie Schurle, Fred Justice, Clara Whittington, Sylvan Zbinden, Sudie Emanuel, Roy White, Ada Proffitt, Lucius Wilson, Maudie Moore, Arthur West, Alva Goldsmith, Maude Fitzpatrick, Alice King.

4th grade, Miss Lanier—Pupils enrolled, 47; attendance, 99 per cent.; tardies, 5; pupils neither tardy nor absent, 32. Roll of honor—Ella Young, Verne Ball, Mary Baird, Annie Hyndman, Lucy Fullam, Leona Hall, Philip Zeller, All in Graham, Robert Breese, Joe Robertson, Willie Jones, Maude Bell, Norton Robinson, Katie Cartmell, Robt. Whittington, Halie Cunningham, Mary Guder, Emerson Wolfe, Ethel Rives, Lottie Sherrill, Ethel Wolfe, Roy Brown, Willie Buchanan, Ernest Crowell, Fannie Charles, Charlie Cronch, Eddie Belote, Arthur Finlay, Puett Lottain, George Shaver.

3rd grade, Miss Bernard—Pupils enrolled, 48; attendance, 99 per cent.; tardies, 10; pupils neither tardy nor absent, 23. Roll of honor—Marguerite Hines, Lena White, Mamie Creaman, Fes Glenn, Reynolds Morris, Grace Hudson, Harold Woods, John Brown, George Charles, Charlie Cronch, Eddie Belote, Arthur Finlay, Puett Lottain, George Shaver.

2nd grade, Miss Bernard—Pupils enrolled, 45; attendance, 97 per cent.; tardies, 8; pupils neither tardy nor absent, 26. Roll of honor—Emma Guder, Helen Schurle, Nat Wagner, Fannie Charles, Swartzberg, Annie Levy, Elbert Carr, Paul Henry, William Mason, Harvey Malone, Harry Wolfe.

1st grade, J. S. McIlwaine, principal.

6th grade, J. S. McIlwaine—Pupils enrolled, 39; attendance, 97 per cent.; tardies, 1; pupils neither tardy nor absent, 22. Roll of honor—Alice Baker, Maggie Cochran, Zora Fullbrecht, Sallie Johnson, Jessie Nichols, Nettie Parker, Hannah Starnes, Carrie Whitlock, Lawrence Chedder, Earl Fain, Zeb Lytle, Xaver Lange, Leo Sugg.

5th grade, Miss S. M. Yeatman—Pupils enrolled, 36; attendance, 95 per cent.; tardies, 16; pupils neither tardy nor absent, 18. Roll of honor—Margie Leonard, Ethel Wells, Katie Burge, Camilla Ogden, Caroline Patton, Josie Romeo, Minnie Templeton, Herbert Ownbey.

4th grade, Miss Minnie C. Johnson—Pupils enrolled, 40; attendance, 99 per cent.; tardies, 7; pupils neither tardy nor absent, 27. Roll of honor—Annie Tenent, Lizzie Rankin, Bruce Andrews, Minna Rankin, Beale Jarvis, Agnes Collins, Estelle Lyster, Pearl Fontell, May Stinson, Frankie Blie, Lawrence Waincott, James Lee.

3d grade, Miss Ada Reynolds—Pupils enrolled, 44; attendance, 96 per cent.; tardies, 8; pupils neither tardy nor absent, 18. Roll of honor—Louise Reed, Metta Powell, Stella Powell, Maie Treusholt, Elva Hensley, Estelena Johnson, Arnold Sailer, Mildred Hill, James Perry, Herbert Parker.

2d grade, Miss Julia Johnston—Pupils enrolled, 46; attendance, 89 per cent.; tardies, 8; pupils neither tardy nor absent, 24. Roll of honor—Dora Blumberg, John Eaton, Elva Farrell, Florence Horn, Rufus Jones, Maggie Morrow, Mollie White.

1st C and D grades, Miss Susan C. Duke—Pupils enrolled, 49; attendance, 94 per cent.; tardies, 11; pupils neither tardy nor absent, 20. Roll of honor—Dina McFee, Elsie Moller, Ollie Shelton, Alona Hammett.

1st B grade, Miss Mary Kimberly—Pupils enrolled, 39; attendance, 94 per cent.; tardies, 14; pupils neither tardy nor absent, 11. Roll of honor—Lester Hall, Minnie Clark, Nettie McIntire, Frances Powers, John Hannon, Jacob Blomberg, Jessie Lyster, Livery May.

1st A grade, Miss Alice James—Pupils enrolled, 44; attendance, 96 per cent.; tardies, 9; pupils neither tardy nor absent, 16. Roll of honor—Jarvis Andrews, Claude Brown, Herbert Howell, Harry Henniger, Cassin Ogden, Roswell Currier, Marion Balch, Mary Ryan, Kate Batton, Julia Wicmann, Fanny Boykin, Lillian Fletcher, Murtle Hough, Sarah Jones, Carrie Brainerd.

Battery Street School.

Mrs. Fannie Featherston, principal.

2nd B and 3rd grades, Mrs. Fannie Featherston—Pupils enrolled, 86; at-

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A FATAL BLOW IN A PRIZE RING

ANDY BOWEN HIT ON THE POINT OF THE JAW.

Concussion of the Brain Results and Death Follows—All the Ring Officials Arrested, and Permission to Have Another Fight in New Orleans Revoked.

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 15.—Andy Bowen, the New Orleans light weight pugilist, who was knocked unconscious last night at the Auditorium club in a glove contest with Kid Lavigne of Saginaw, Mich., in the 18th round, never regained consciousness and died of concussion of the brain this morning. Lavigne and his seconds and time keeper, consisting of pugilist Jim Hall, Sam Fitzpatrick, Martin Murphy and George Considine and also referee John Duffy were at once placed under arrest and are now in custody.

The knock-out blow was this: Lavigne feinted with his right, and as Bowen ducked, Lavigne's elbow caught Bowen's chin. As Bowen straightened up Lavigne's right caught him on the point of the jaw, and Bowen fell back, his head striking the platform with full force.

Bowen was 31 years of age. He was born in New Orleans and had lived here all his life. It is generally believed that the fatal outcome of the fight will kill prize fighting.

Bowen's funeral is fixed for 10 o'clock Monday. Coroner's inquest not held. Lavigne was arraigned in court this morning. He was held in \$10,000 bail. All accessories, Duffy, Considine, Murphy, Jim Hall, Fitzpatrick and Layton were held in \$5,000 bail.

Mayor Fitzpatrick has issued an order to Chief Frazier, revoking permission for the Dempsey-Ryan fight tonight.

IN THE CHURCHES.

Special Notes as to the Services in the Pulpits Tomorrow.

Rev. L. E. Busby of the Lutheran church will preach in the Y. M. C. A. hall tomorrow at 11 a. m., and the public are invited.

Bethel church's new pastor, Rev. Z. Paris, will not arrive in time to preach there tomorrow. There will be service at 11 a. m., however.

In the absence of the minister, the Unitarians will hold no service tomorrow.

Rev. Dr. T. T. Perce, president of the N. C. conference of the Methodist Protestant church, was expected to preach at the First M. E. church tomorrow, but he is unable to come on account of sickness in his family. Rev. J. R. Cannon will conduct services tomorrow morning and evening.

At Central M. E. church, South, there will be preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. by the pastor. Sunday school at 3 p. m., and Epworth League devotional meeting at 7 p. m. A cordial welcome to all.

Rev. J. T. Betts, pastor French Broad Baptist church, being in Waynesville, his pulpit tomorrow morning and evening will be filled by Prof. S. A. Chambers of Waynesville.

Rev. J. L. White, pastor of the First Baptist church, will preach tomorrow morning on "The Kinship of the Nations." At 7:30 p. m. "The Duties of Wife to Husband." The public are cordially invited.

The new pastor of Riverside, Rev. W. H. Willis, will preach his first sermon there tomorrow at 11 a. m.

Rev. J. C. McReynolds will preach at the Christian church at 11 tomorrow on the subject, "The Personality of the Devil." At 7:30 p. m. "The Serpent in the Wilderness." All are invited.

Special invitation from the rector and Brotherhood of St. Andrew to all men to attend the service at 4:30 p. m. at Trinity church tomorrow.

MR. VANDERBILT WINS.

Termination of the Johnston Suit in Superior Court.

The suit of W. W. Johnston and others vs. Geo. W. Vanderbilt and others, after a several days' hard fight by both sides, terminated in the Superior court yesterday afternoon in a verdict in favor of the defendant, who, however, pays the costs. The case involved an interest in about \$20,000 worth of real estate.

All jury trials on the calendar that were not reached up to yesterday afternoon were continued to next term.

A judgment has been agreed upon and signed in the case of Buncombe county against ex-Sheriff D. L. Reynolds. The judgment is for \$50,000, which is to be discharged, however, upon his settlement with the county by the payment of \$15,000. The defendants are to pay the costs. Judge Thos. A. Jones is allowed \$400 for his services as referee in the case.

The court gave today to the hearing of motions and adjourned for the term this afternoon.

APPOINTMENT—SURRENDER.

The Postoffice Department Now Wants to Know, You Know.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 15.—So much has been said respecting the change of name of the postoffice at Appomattox court house, Va., to "Surrender" that an appointment has been made by Fourth Assistant Postmaster General with Congressman Tucker of Virginia with a view of ascertaining the sentiment of the people of that State in respect to the matter. It is probable that the name of "Surrender" will have to be eliminated from the postoffice records and another title selected for the place.

NARROWLY REPUBLICAN.

SALT LAKE, Utah, Dec. 15.—The board which canvassed the returns of election for delegates to congress concluded its labors yesterday with the following result: Canon, Republican, 21,328; Rawlins, Democrat, 19,505; Grant, Populist, 555. This is an increase of 9,000 Republican and 4,000 Democratic votes over 1892. The bulk of the Mormons voted Democratic. In conversation the control will probably be narrowly Republican.

They Were Counting Silver.

BRIDGEPORT, Ct., Dec. 15.—Four agents of the United States secret service bureau of New York came here last night and early this morning captured a gang of experienced counterfeiters: James Maguire, aged 40; Henry Oliver, aged 52; George Allen, aged 30, and Mrs. Maguire, who is about her husband's age. They also got a quantity of coin in half dollars and dollars. The coin was an excellent imitation.

Debs to Go Up Higher.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 15.—Attorney General Olney, in a conversation on the result of the Debs trial expressed the opinion that the matter would eventually be brought before the Supreme Court of the United States under a writ of habeas corpus.

Saw the Pope and Died.

ROME, Dec. 14.—Father Denge, director of the Vatican observatory, died this morning from apoplexy, with which he was stricken as he was leaving the presence of the Pope.

WILLIAM NVE AND THE POETS

HE MEETS THE HARD OF THE PLAINS AND ADMIRES HIM.

Speaking of Poetry Reminds Him of Riley, and in a Few Well Chosen Words He Shows the Difference Between Dr. Holmes and the Hoosier Poet.

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Just a little while ago I met the Poet of the Plains, sometimes called the Prairie Dog Poet of Topeka. Thomas Brower Peacock now lives in Kansas City, Kan., and combs his jet black locks from the back of his head up over the bleak and wind swept dome which gleams white and slick like a marble top washtand in the moonlight of his own glorious State.

Mr. Peacock wrote a Columbian ode, which was read for the National Editorial association in Chicago. He is also author of the "Poems of the Plains," price \$1, in cloth; full gilt, \$1.50. Mr. Peacock has a glad free jolt to his muse.

THE POET AT HOME.

mingled with the pathos of the dying grasshopper sufferer, which has even won the approval of English bards and wrung with sympathetic anguish the slumbering pulse of their tough old British Yet Mr. Peacock at times rebels at fate and says that a slow and nigardly public will one day hate itself for not helping him pay his rent, and that when his wild thrush song is still in death

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THE KING'S WAGES NOT PAID.

The Latest News From Samoa. Soon to be Germany's.

VANCOUVER, B. C., Dec. 15.—The latest Samoan advices brought here by steamer say that a state of political unrest continues there, although there has been no outbreak for some time. The natives throughout the whole of the islands are busily engaged in making copra. The oldest residents say they never worked so hard. They are not, however, spending a tithe of what money they receive, so that it is believed they are hoarding up for trouble.

No attempt is being made to collect taxes. The Chief Justice is very busy in finishing up land business. King Maitoto has not received a cent of pay for more than a year past. The local German residents are very confident that either German annexation or a protectorate will shortly be announced. If this takes place no doubt the internal trouble of the place would cease, but so would trade with the Australian colonies.

THE HONOLULU ROYALISTS.

They Are Threatening Trouble For British Residents Now.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 15.—Correspondence of the United Press per steamer Australia, which left Honolulu Dec. 8, arriving here today, says: The British warship Havoc is again delayed here by the island commissary who apprehended disorder and insecurity to the lives and property of British subjects in Honolulu from an insurrection of the royalists.

The Miners Will Strike.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Dec. 15.—A meeting of the principal operators of this district was held here yesterday. It has leaked out that the meeting is for the purpose of making a reduction in the price of mining coal from 45c. to 35c. per ton. If the cut is made the prospects for a strike of large dimensions will be bright, as the miners say they will stand no further cut.

To the Lone Star State.

Mark Erwin, who recently began the practice of law, has removed from Asheville to Fort Worth, Tex., and will grow up in his profession in the Lone Star State. He accompanied Judge H. A. Gaudger, who went West on government business. Mr. Erwin is a steady, bright young man, and his friends here wish him the success they feel will come to him.

New Schedule Tomorrow.

The new schedule, in effect on the Southern tomorrow, will bring the east-bound passenger here at 2:13 p. m., and the westbound at 3:52. On the A. & S. the train leaves at 8 a. m., and arrives here at 8:50 p. m. In each instance the trains arrive a little later than at present.

The Gold Moves Out Steadily.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 15.—Revised and corrected returns of the gold withdrawals to date place the treasury gold reserve up to 12 noon today at \$95,340,000. Withdrawals are expected during the day which will probably reduce the gold reserve to \$95,000,000.

Reduced the College Appropriation.

COLUMBIA, S. C., Dec. 15.—The report of the committee on ways and means of the House recommending that the appropriation for the South Carolina college be reduced from \$30,000 to \$21,000 was adopted by a vote of 59 to 53.

Historian and Lecturer.

STAMFORD, Conn., Dec. 15.—Dr. John Lord, historian and lecturer, died at his home here today.

CONDENSED TELEGRAMS.

Gen. Pickle says when the returns are all counted there will not be over 75 votes difference between Evans and Turner, and the indications were that Turner would have the advantage.

Mr. Depew said to a New York reporter Friday: "You may state positively that there has been no reconciliation between Mr. and Mrs. Vanderbilt."

Fire in the building occupied by the Denver Times last evening caused a damage estimated at \$50,000. Loss fully covered by insurance.

For Ladies Only

State Library

Do you want to give your husband, brother or friend something useful for Christmas?

If so