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ASHEVILLE, N. C., THURSDAY EVENING, DECEMBER 27, 1894.

PRICE 5 CENTS

ENGLISH CURED BREAK-FAST BACON AND HAMS, WATAUGA BUCKWHEAT FLOUR, NEW ORLEANS AND FANCY PORTO RICO MOLASSES, MACARONI, CREAM CHEESE, SOUSED MACKEREL, QUEEN OLIVES, CAPERS, RECEIVED THIS WEEK.

POWELL & SNIDER
"The White Corner."

Happy He
who makes another so. A Christmas present makes two people happy. In toys of many and varied kinds, in a selected list of books that includes gifts for babies, children, youths and all other ages; in almost anything that is usually found in a book store, our stock is ample; our prices are reasonable. It costs you nothing to come, examine, ask prices and test the truth of our statements.

L. BLOMBERG,
17 PATTON AVE.

10 North Court Square
After getting on the square we had to increase our stock. The store was too large for a small stock. Our store is full to overflowing. All our goods are fresh. Don't forget the place. Goods delivered free and prompt.

G. A. Greer,
Oakland Heights Hotel

WILL GIVE
Reduced Rates
Until January 15th 1895.

A MERRY CHRISTMAS TO YOU ALL AND A HAPPY NEW YEAR
Thanking you for the liberal patronage you have given us, and if low prices, good goods and fair dealing is what you want, we hope to have a continuance of the same. Maple Syrup, quart cans, 85 cents; half gallon cans, 65 cents; gallon cans, \$1.00. Buckwheat Flour, 3 1/2 cents, and a car load of good things to eat that will please the most fastidious.

FLOUR
Buckwheat Flour, Graham Flour, Flapjack Flour, Self Rising Flour, Gluten Flour, Rye Flour, Rice Flour.

And the best winter wheat flour sold on the market.

A. D. COOPER,
NO. 2 COURT SQUARE.

NEW YEAR GIFTS.
Remember all your friends by giving them a fine Art Calendar Sold at

ESTABROOK'S,
22 South Main St.
AT GREATLY REDUCED PRICES.
DIARIES FOR 1895.
BLANK BOOKS.
A Full Stock At

ESTABROOK'S,
22 S MAIN ST.
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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, Dennison's paper for shades, silk shades from \$2.50 to \$75 each. Cut glass and French China in everything that is pretty and useful. The line of Wedgwood 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.

Thanking Our Friends For Their Patronage

WE wish to say that we have a fresh stock of Huyler's and other fine confections on hand. YES, we have some Toys left over which you can buy at great reduction. Sticks, wagnons, dolls, doll carriages, etc.

OUR Baking Department is now supplied with the best bread and cakes in the city.

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RAIN, SLEET, SNOW, BLIZZARDS
THE FACE OF THE EARTH HAS CHANGED COLOR.

From Florida to New England the story is about the same—Railway Travel Interrupted—severe cold in some sections.

BALTIMORE, Dec. 27.—Snow, sleet and rain fell alternately throughout the night, filled the streets with slush and impeded traffic. Three and a half inches of snow fell before it turned into rain. This morning a light snow was falling, and there was a high wind. All incoming vessels are behind time and those scheduled to depart are delaying their trips. The telegraph wires in bad shape, but message reports from western Maryland cities indicate that small blizzards are prevailing there.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Dec. 27.—The mercury is slowly traveling down the tube, and at 9 o'clock this morning registered 8 above zero. The first snow of the season is falling with indications of continuing several hours. Reports from points south of here, including Northern Texas, state the weather. Snow is falling in many places.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—Storm signals are displayed on the Atlantic from Jacksonville to Eastport and at Chicago, Milwaukee, Grand Haven, Manistac and Ludington. The storm which developed in the Gulf states has moved rapidly northeastward along the Atlantic coast, increasing in energy and is now centered in Southern New Jersey. It has been attended by snow in New England and the middle states, and by rain or snow in the middle Atlantic and Gulf states. High northeasterly gales have occurred on the coast north of Hatteras, shifting to high northerly westerly south of the Atlantic City. The storm will move rapidly northwesterly over New England with snow or rain today, clearing weather tonight and fair weather Friday.

The pressure is unusually high over North Dakota, the reading of the barometer being thirty-one inches and two-tenths, probably the highest recorded in the history of the weather bureau. The pressure is relatively low on the Pacific coast. The barometer has fallen rapidly in New England and the Middle Atlantic states. It has risen over the Rocky Mountain plateau and the lower Mississippi valley.

The weather is clear in all districts today and tonight, and will be followed by decidedly colder weather in the lake regions, middle States and in New England.

The streets of Washington are almost impassable today. No such severe affliction of tempestuous weather has been known here for many years. The heavy snow a fall of yesterday afternoon was followed by a cold rain and then by big winds and ice frost, and consequently the streets and sidewalks are laid off in ridges of corrugated ice, which render locomotion extremely difficult.

Slight drizzles of snow prevailed during the morning, but not enough to cover over the ice surface of the streets. Of 97 Western Union wires extending from Washington to New York only 70 were in fair working order at 10 a. m.

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CLEVELAND, O., Dec. 27.—The city was visited by a heavy snow storm accompanied by high winds last night. Street car traffic was suspended for several hours until 8 o'clock yesterday afternoon when it resumed. The streets are all ice and street car traffic is completely blocked.

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THE COACH CRUSHED.
Texas Passengers Have a Narrow Escape for Their Lives.

WAXAHACHIE, Texas, Dec. 27.—As a result of the collision between two passenger trains one mile west of the city at 6 o'clock Tuesday night, 17 persons were badly injured.

The west bound Texas Central passenger train was slowly passing over the Missouri, Kansas and Texas railway crossing, when the south bound passenger train on the latter road crashed into the rear coach, striking it squarely in the middle and overturning it. Passengers and seats were piled in a mass in the forward part of the car.

An instant later the car caught fire from an overturned stove. A line of hose was hurriedly stretched from the Texas Central locomotive to the burning coaches, and the flames were extinguished before any person was badly hurt. After half an hour's hard work the wounded passengers were conveyed on improvised stretchers to neighboring farm houses where they received medical assistance and were cared for by people living in the vicinity. Two persons were fatally and 15 were seriously injured. It seems almost miraculous that no one was killed outright, as the coach was crushed like an egg shell.

The following is the list of injured: J. D. Edling, Omaha, side, arm and head bruised; T. J. Hester, Corsicana, Texas, broken ribs, bruised about head; George Clark, Sarks, Tex., hip and hand hurt; Lee Vance and wife, Mexia, Tex., both badly bruised; Wm. Clarkson, Celburne, Tex., head cut; W. J. Carson, Wallis, Tex., seriously injured about head and hip; E. D. Harrell, Fort Worth, Tex., head hurt; Miss Katie Burroughs, Waxahachie, Tex., head slightly bruised; Taylor, head gashed; Engineer Max, leg injured; Mrs. W. H. Rogers, Holland, Tex., arm and shoulder; Walter Flier, train boy, arm and hip bruised; Connolly, Waxahachie, slightly bruised; Mrs. Enos, Waxahachie, hurt internally, probably fatally; R. K. Dalton, Pulaski, Tenn., hurt about the head.

The accident was caused by the alleged failure of the air brakes on the Missouri, Kansas and Texas train.

LEWIS CONFESSIONS.
Collecting Money From Criminals—Indictments Ready.

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—It is expected that the grand jury will bring in a number of indictments in important cases either today or tomorrow. The press of prison cases that have accumulated on account of holidays may prevent consideration of police cases today, but a number of witnesses have been called in connection with the confession of Creedon, Thorne and Schmittberger. Neither of them has been promised anything, and hence whatever action was taken by the district attorney was entirely unhampered. The two men, however, are understood to have received assurances of sufficiently definite character to warrant them in feeling easy as to criminal proceedings against them.

Policeman Edward Shaley testified before the Lewon committee yesterday that he collected money in the twelfth precinct from disorderly houses, liquor saloons and other shops, and handed it to Captain Webb.

CARNegie CUTS WAGES.
It Also Lowers the Rents—Some Discouraged.

PITTSBURGH, Dec. 27.—The new wage scale for the Carnegie Steel works at Homestead was posted in the several departments of the works today and disclosed an average reduction of 15 per cent in the entire mill. The high-priced men suffer a reduction of 35 per cent. Besides this the services of a number of high-priced men are dispensed with. The rents on company houses were materially reduced. There was some dissatisfaction, but despite the grumbling the scale will be accepted as presented.

PITTSBURGH, Dec. 27.—The wage scale for the Edgar Thomson Steel works of the Carnegie Steel company at Braddock has been presented to the workmen. The scale makes general reduction in all departments, including common laborers. The only exceptions are employes of the foundry and builders. The reduction in the blast furnace department amounts to 15 per cent. In other departments the reductions are the same that were imposed at the Homestead plant.

NOT THE USUAL IDEA.
The Boston Idea of Highway Robbery is Different.

BOSTON, Dec. 24.—It was decided today by Judge Drew of the Brookline police court that a Mrs. Boardman of Brookline, who handed over her purse, containing a sum of money, to a tramp-looking man on Friday night, was not, in a legal sense, robbed by a highwayman. The man stopped her and asked her for her money. She replied that she had only a little. He asked her to step beneath a gas light and show the amount that she did have. This she did, and the tramp demanded it. She handed it over to him. Mrs. Boardman claims that the man so thoroughly frightened that she could not do otherwise than hand over her money. Judge Drew holds that since the tramp did not take her money by force he would not be guilty of highway robbery.

The Pope's Good Will.
ROME, Dec. 27.—The Pope has sent to Commander Newell of the United States cruiser Detroit, which vessel conveyed to Italy from the United States the Vatican exhibits at the Columbian exposition at Chicago, a large photograph of himself. His holiness had inscribed upon the picture his autograph and the words "Deus magnificata est gloria tua super coelos."

Couldn't Agree.
NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 27.—The jury in the case of Kane and Trifley, alleged double crossmen, has been discharged and a mistrial entered. They were locked up five days.

A Senator Elected III.
WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—Representative and Senator-elect Gear of Iowa is quite ill here.

CONDENNNED TELEGRAMS.
The Hollman Bros. company of Charleston, S. C., have made an assignment for the benefit of their creditors. Their liabilities are \$125,000 and their assets amount to twice as much.

The body of Mrs. Wm. W. Astor will be conveyed to Liverpool for transportation to New York per steamer Auroras.

Leadville's gold production for 1894, from only three producers, will reach \$2,000,000.

Lord Randolph Churchill's condition was somewhat improved this morning. The gold reserve stands at \$88,569,000.

DESTRUCTION OF THE BUNGALOW
FINE COUNTRY SEAT BURNED TO THE GROUND.

Fire Was Discovered in One of the Upper Rooms Wednesday Evening—Some of the Furniture Saved—Partial Insurance.

All that remains of the Bungalow, John Beatty, jr.'s, fine country seat four miles west of Asheville, today is the walls, a heap of ashes and smouldering debris. A servant, who was occupying the quarters near the building discovered, a little before 6 o'clock last evening, that the building was on fire, the blaze when first seen being in the northwest room upstairs.

The servant, it is said, instead of breaking down the door ran to W. D. Hough-teling's, not very far away, after the key, and gave an alarm. Mr. Hough-teling, taking his servants with him, ran to the burning building. An entrance had already been forced and it was then apparent that the house could not be saved, and those on the scene devoted all their energies to the work of saving as much of the furniture as possible. By diligent work all of the furniture in the rooms on the lower floor was saved. The workers were driven away by the heat and it was not long then until the building was totally destroyed. The Bungalow was one of the finest country residences in this section. It was splendidly finished in the interior and furnished handsomely. It was originally built for Fred A. Brown, at a cost of \$14,000, but had been owned by Mr. Beatty for several years.

The building was insured for \$7000 with Astor, Rawls & Co.—\$5000 in the Home, New York, and \$2000 in the Hartford. The furniture was insured with the same firm, in the Fire Association of Philadelphia, for \$1000—an amount much lower than the real value of the furniture.

Mr. Beatty and family left yesterday on the 2:16 p. m. train, to winter in Florida. John Child, his agent, who heard of the fire last evening and went to the scene, says that a family was expected here next week to take the house during Mr. Beatty's absence.

The exact origin of the fire is not known. It is supposed, however, that a lamp in the room where the furniture was stored and that from this the building caught.

It was at the Bungalow that Henry S. Lives, the "Napoleon of Finance," died.

THEY ARBITRATED.
And Now Do Not Like the Result of Arbitration.

MASSILON, O., Dec. 27.—A district miners convention is being held here today with both Patrick McBrade, secretary, and John McBrade, president of the United Mine Workers in attendance. Both the national officers are indignant beyond expression because of the verdict of the arbitrators. They have not even been officially notified of the award, and could not procure copies until Wednesday night. They both desire a rehearing of the case and will suggest this to the convention. They propose a petition to the arbitrators to rescind the controversy, on the ground that the findings do not accord with the evidence of either side. For instance, the award declares that the operators can procure plenty of outside men at the price, while the evidence does not contain the affidavit from a single man stating his willingness to come, or anything else except the testimony of a contractor that he can supply men.

In the meantime the officers recommend the acceptance of the award for the work done from the date of the agreement to arbitrate to the present time. From now on, inasmuch as the award mentions no definite time, they favor nullification of the award and acceptance of such terms as the operators may offer, holding themselves at liberty to demand the different wherever they feel in position to effectively protest the claim.

POLLARD-BRECKINRIDGE.
The Colonel Finds the Way of the Transgressor Still Hard.

CINCINNATI, Dec. 27.—It is said on good authority that the attorneys for Madeline Pollard contemplate following Congressman Breckinridge on his lecturing tour throughout the country in an effort to attack the receipts in payment of Miss Pollard's verdict for breach of promise. This will be done, it is said, by filing a transcript of the judgment had in Washington in each place the Colonel lectures in, and basing the creditor's bill upon that. Breckinridge lectures in this city tonight, when the opening gun will probably be fired.

A DRUNKEN ROW.
Whisky Mixed With Christmas and Blood Flows As a Result.

MARSHALL, N. C., Dec. 27.—[Special.]—George Norton and William Henry Taylor had a desperate fight on Bull Creek, this county, Christmas day. Taylor was stabbed several times, and Norton was shot in the side. Both men are supposed to be mortally wounded. It was a drunken row.

Visit of an Emperor.
BUENOS AIRES, Dec. 27.—Emperor Francis Joseph has arrived here, and this morning received leaders of several political parties—general Jones, of Illinois, and Miss Nellie Grant Sartoris, daughter of General Grant.

NORTH CAROLINA NEWS.
—Hard times have not struck the Monroe cotton mills. The products of the mill have been sold up to March, 1895, and the machinery is kept running day and night, a building has room for more machinery, and a weaving plant will be added in the near future.

—Smithfield Herald: There has been more cotton brought to this market this fall than has been during any other season for several years. There will have been about 3,500 bales sold in this market by the first of the year during this season.

—Corcord Times: Hon. Charles Price of Salisbury has been paid \$5,000 extra compensation by the Southern Railway company for his ability in managing the suits for damages on account of the Boston bridge wreck.

—Raleigh Press: M. M. Shoney of Pennsylvania has purchased 1,000 acres of Moore county land. He intends "booming it" among the consumptive Yankees of the North.

—Laurinburg Exchange: A few miles above this place a midwife coming denied the amount for service took the child for the debt but was finally frightened into giving it up.

—The Parkhill Manufacturing company of Fitchburg, Mass., contemplates locating at Charlotte a 1,000-spindle mill for weaving cotton cloth.

YULE TIDE GIFTS
State Library

My stock consists of a combination of the useful as well as ornamental. What combines both qualities more than a stylish tie, an elegant umbrella, a fine pair of gloves, a silk handkerchief, a pair of nice suspenders, or in fact any one of the numerous articles worn by a well dressed man? My stock is the largest and best selected in the city.

THE BAZAAR OFFERS

SPECIAL PRICES
In the Following Lines:

Misses' and children's felt hats, latest styles.
Ladies' felt bonnets and hats.
All styles of fancy feathers.
Infant's caps, velvet, silk and cloth.
Children's caps, velvet and cloth.
Ladies' and misses' cloaks.
Infant's long and short cloaks.
Ladies', misses' and children's woolen underwear.
Ladies', misses' and children's woolen hosiery.
All heavy dress goods.
Also what is left of our holiday goods will be put at reduced prices.
It will more than pay you to call and see these big bargains.

After Christmas
We have had a fine trade, but still have some things left. We will sell them off now regardless of cost, don't believe in carrying stock over. If you have received and haven't given, remember our stock has many beautiful presents left and the price is so low anyone can afford it.

RAYSOR & SMITH,
31 PATTON AVE.

THE BAZAAR,
43 PATTON AVE.

Groceries At Cost.
We are now closing out the entire stock of groceries at J. A. White's Store, 17 South Main St., which consist of a full line of

COFFEES AND TEAS,
Chocolates and cocoa; also a nice line of California fruits, apricots, peaches, pears, prunes, etc. All kinds of canned goods, pickles, chow chow, souces and vinegars. Call and examine our stock before purchasing, as we are compelled to sell these goods at some price.

Toys Reduced.
A fine lot of toy wagons, both wood and steel, at low prices—those flat spiked wheels, best toy wagon made—built to wear—large size, with seat, \$3.00, were higher.
75c kid body bicycle head dolls, 50c;
two foot patent doll, 35c; 18 inch, 25c;
Climbing monkeys, 35c, just a few left;
walking kangaroos, 10c; please the little folks.

Caramels 18c a Pound
Chocolate creams 20c, stick candy pure and fresh 10c, almond nougat 25c. Tenney's delicious bonbons and chocolates in fancy baskets and dainty boxes—toothsome dainties—triumphs of the confectioners skill—80c, candied, 60c, here.

We make a specialty of fine pipes, buying direct from the factories and importers, thus saving the jobbers profit, always give our customers the benefit of this saving of 20 to 25 per cent, the consequence is, no other dealer cares to handle the kind we sell—ours are branded C. P. F., (Colossus Pipe Factory) which is a guarantee of quality—our one price pipe department is growing in popularity—just now we are offering fine French Briar Bull dog pipes at \$1.25 with genuine amber mouthpieces, a job lot French Briar pipes in case 50c, usually sold at \$1.00.

W. A. LATIMER
NO. 10 N. COURT SQUARE.
—For small size—

Baltimore Hams. Maple Syrup.
Hecker's Buckwheat Flour. Candles.
Oranges. Raisins.

ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS REWARD
If You Find Anything But Havana in The Pillar of Our Red Letter Cigar.

Asheville Cigar Co.
Long, Hill & Co.,
No. 4 N. Court Square, Up Stairs.

Real Estate Agts. & Brokers
S. N. COURT SQUARE.

HOFF'S MALT EXTRACT
With or Without Iron.
If you are run down or debilitated try it.

Heinitsh & Reagan,
Graduated Druggists,
CHURCH STREET AND PATTON AVENUE.
Attention specially given to prescriptions.

NOTICE!
That while we are packing the Hollingsworth goods to move to our other large stock at 145 Roberts street, we will offer to merchants and other cash buyers goods in single dozen lots at the price of large case lots.
Our 50c syrup at 30c. Our 60c syrup at 30c. Our 75c syrup at 30c.
This is a bargain of bargains, and only good till Saturday night. Our choice tomatoes is calling in trade. Come and get prices, the stock is complete and must go this week.

GAY GREEN,
102 PATTON AVENUE.
P. S.—We are ready to sell and deliver any or all of the fixtures at bargain.

AB Historic Building.
ATLANTA, Ga., Dec. 27.—The old capitol building, Forsyth and Marietta streets, was destroyed by fire early this morning. Loss \$125,000. Georgia's first constitutional convention was held there.

E. B. NOLAND & SON,
TELEPHONE 111