

AT A STANDSTILL.

Business With the Produce and Meat Dealers. "A standstill" about describes the condition of the produce market at this time.

There is an over abundant supply of chestnuts, the price for them now being \$1 a bushel.

A good supply of grapes is being received from Geo. E. Boggs' Brookside farm, Waynesville.

There has been a trifle advance in the price of chickens, and the demand continues unusually good.

The apple supply is also more greater than the demand.

Some prices for produce are: Potatoes, 15 a peck; apples, 15; beans, 20; an advance over last week.

Meat dealers are having an easy time of it now, as business is exceedingly dull.

The blue points which were expected to be added have not yet been received.

How Much Will You do to Aid Them to Reach It?

EDITOR THE CITIZEN:—At the monthly meeting of the Flower Mission October 5 the subject of getting the children of the poor to attend school was considered.

There is a mighty force in association, and it is a subject of wonder that more of the earnest workers of the town are not Flower Mission workers.

If those who cannot join the society and still are desirous of aiding this cause of education for the poor children will communicate with our superintendent of a ward they can be shown some particular child upon whom to concentrate their efforts.

It seems very far away before compulsory education can become a law in North Carolina, but in the meantime much can be done by the individual citizen.

HOUSE AND BUGGY STOLEN. Taken White Speakers Stevens and Bourne Were at Supper.

Last night Henry B. Stevens and Louis M. Bourne, warm advocates of the free silver cause, went to Pickett's school house and addressed an enthusiastic gathering of members of the Democratic club.

HEADLONG TO THE PAVEMENT. Donk Stockton Thrown From a Wagon on Willow Street.

Donk Stockton, an employe of the Asheville Steam Laundry, was accidentally thrown out of his delivery wagon about noon today on Willow street.

Superintendent Eggleston of the city schools says the pupils who will occupy the upstairs portion of the Orange building will get their tickets at the building Monday morning.

Free silver gives a way—Postell's.

AROUND TOWN.

Washington, Oct. 9.—Forecast till 8 p. m. Saturday.—Showers tonight and Sunday; northerly winds, increasing in force; warmer.

John M. Campbell will speak at Liberty Hill, Lower Hoviny, this evening and at Gash's Creek tomorrow evening.

Oliver H. Dockery, the Populist nominee for lieutenant-governor, will speak tomorrow at noon in the court house.

Capt. Thos. McBeer, agent of the Standard Accident Insurance company, arrived in Asheville yesterday. All the employees of the Southern Railway company are insured with this company.

THE CITIZEN has a letter from Rev. Dr. K. F. Campbell, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, who is now at Bonn, Rhensish Prussia, in which he says he will reach Asheville about October 30.

Owing to a change in plans, Mayor Coker and his bride, who returned yesterday afternoon, went to the family residence on French Broad avenue instead of to the VanGilder, as was stated in THE CITIZEN yesterday.

The various committees of Central Epworth League met last evening at the home of Mrs. W. H. Penland, on Haywood street. Work was planned for the coming quarter.

Robbers operated in Biltmore last night, breaking into the store of Cline & Cornelius. It is not known just how much booty the robbers made off with, but it is believed it was of great value.

What will probably be the last game of baseball of the year at Allendale will be played tomorrow afternoon, the opponents being the Swannanoa and Weaverly nines.

A test of the Marble City fire extinguisher was made on Market street last evening. A plane framework was saturated with six gallons of oil and fired, when the extinguisher was put to work on it.

All of the labor unions of the city were represented in the meeting in the J. O. L. A. M. hall last evening.

Messrs. M. J. Bearden, Geo. S. Powell and C. T. Rawls, commissioners to assess the value of the estate of the late Senator Vance, returned to the city yesterday afternoon, accompanied by Capt. Cory, who went with them for the assessment of the value of the late Senator's property.

Asheville is to have her first circus of the season on the 16th, when L. N. L. show will pitch its tents here for two performances.

A JOINT CANVASS? Democrats Demand This at Weaverlyville.

The Democratic candidates for county officers spoke at Flat Creek Wednesday to a large crowd, and returned to Weaverly last night, canceling appointments for yesterday at Democrat and today at Republican candidates at Weaverlyville.

Yesterday the Democrats made a demand on them there for a division of time. This was refused, although the Republicans signified their willingness to divide provided the chairman of the Republican division was willing.

NOT THE MAN. The Loan Office Robbery—Statements About Candidate Books.

AT THE GRAND. "Pythian's Exposed." Hon. I. H. Powell's lecture, to be delivered under the auspices of Pythagolodge at the Grand to-morrow evening, will appeal to the uninitiated as well as the initiated.

IMPORTANT MEETING. Work to be Done by the Democratic Club—Addresses.

FOR SALE. My property on Haywood street. No. 157. J. J. MACKAY.

PERSONALLY.

Chronicle of the Movements of Home Folk and Visitors.

Howard Hilliard left yesterday for a few days stay in Kansas City.

Mrs. P. L. Steck and children of Taylorsville, N. C., are visiting Mrs. W. L. Moore, 58 North Main.

John W. Keiler of Paducah, Ky., owner of the Glen Rock hotel, is here for a few days. He is at the Glen Rock.

Miss Florence Johnson of Lenoir, N. C., who has been visiting Miss Kate Suddeth on Patton avenue, returned home yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Martin of Hollyfield, and Mrs. M. J. Alfred of Chicago are staying at the Battery Park hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Green of Cherry Valley, Kas., who have been visiting Mrs. M. C. Suddeth on Patton avenue, have returned to their home.

Dr. and Mrs. A. L. Van Horn of Orego, Mich., who have been visiting their son, Secretary D. B. Van Horn of the Y. M. C. A., left for their home yesterday.

DEMOCRATS, REGISTER! The Books Will be Open Saturday From 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.

The places of registration as established for the May municipal election, the first after the re-districting, are as follows:

First precinct—County court house. Second—Michalsky's store, Valley street. Third—Geo. F. Scott & Co.'s lumber yard, College street.

Fourth—Lindsay's store, East street. Fifth—Farmers' warehouse, North Main. Sixth—J. G. Duckett's store, Buttrick block, West Haywood street.

Seventh—Carter's warehouse, Patton avenue. Eighth—Corner Patton avenue and Grove street. Ninth—in rear of J. C. Steve Smith's grocery store, near old depot.

IN A DEER HUNT. Trip to the Murchison Preserve, in Yancey County.

R. P. Walker and John M. Campbell returned last night from the Murchison preserve, in Yancey county, where they have been on a deer hunt with Geo. Henderson and Maj. D. C. Wardell.

THE LARGE NEW STORE in Paragon building of Patton avenue and Haywood street.

STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION OF THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF ASHEVILLE, at the close of business, Oct. 6, 1896.

Table with columns: Description, Amount. Includes items like Cash on hand, Loans, and Capital stock.

THE LOUISVILLE COURIER-JOURNAL says: "The rebuke of the American people, by one of the most eloquent speakers."

Punch Robertson and his company will hold the boards all next week, opening Monday evening with "Rose Cottage." Popular prices will rule during the week.

Picture framing at special low prices now. We would be busy in this dull season at Law's, 35 Patton avenue.

THE MARKETS.

Table of market prices for various commodities like sugar, flour, and oil.

Table of market prices for cotton, including Liverpool and New York prices.

Table of market prices for various types of wheat and flour.

Table of market prices for various types of corn and meal.

Table of market prices for various types of beans and peas.

Table of market prices for various types of butter and lard.

Table of market prices for various types of eggs and poultry.

Table of market prices for various types of hogs and cattle.

Table of market prices for various types of sheep and goats.

Table of market prices for various types of fish and seafood.

Table of market prices for various types of fruit and vegetables.

Table of market prices for various types of nuts and seeds.

Table of market prices for various types of oils and fats.

Table of market prices for various types of minerals and metals.

Table of market prices for various types of textiles and fabrics.

Table of market prices for various types of hardware and tools.

Table of market prices for various types of building materials.

Table of market prices for various types of agricultural machinery.

Table of market prices for various types of transportation equipment.

Table of market prices for various types of household goods.

Table of market prices for various types of medical supplies.

Table of market prices for various types of books and newspapers.

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School Book Buyers. Will please remember that we are members of the Clerks' union club at 7 o'clock and will come and get their BOOKS and SCHOOL SUPPLIES before that time.

Mo'gan's Book Store, 3 W. COURT SQUARE.

J. C. RUMBOUGH, REAL ESTATE AND LOANS, Paragon Building, Haywood Street.

Rare Bargains. 2 dozen imported card cases in fine leather with purse to match, usually sold at \$1 for the two, our price 25c. for a set while they last.

Ray's Cut-Rate Book Store, 8 North Court Square.

WM. W. WEST, REAL ESTATE. Loans Negotiated at 6 Per Cent. Room 4, 2nd Floor, Drummer Block.

Miss Garg's School. For GIRLS, will open Sept. 16, 1896, at . . . 121 HAYWOOD STREET, Asheville, N. C.

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