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ASHEVILLE, N. C., MONDAY EVENING, MAY 20, 1901.

Price 3 Cents.

California Asparagus

Is the largest, whitest and tenderest asparagus grown. It grows in salt marshes, is perfectly white, and every paiticle of it can be eaten.

We have this kind at 50 cents per can.

We also have OYSTER BAY ASPARAGUS at 35c. can and ic. for Points in small tins.

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Our Shrewsbery Brand of Peas are specially nice, small and tender, the best quality at 22 2 cents can.

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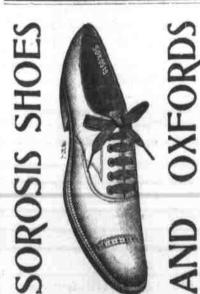
Is a good thing for the table this time of year. We have Prunes, Apricots, Peaches, Pears and Nectarines, all in nice condition.

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MAYOR MILLER TAKES HEAD OF THE TABLE BILTMORE BLAZE

A NINE HOUR DAY

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LIGHTNING'S WORK.

FORD AVENUE POLE.

CHILDREN'S DAY.

METHODIST CHURCH.

exceedingly well done.

Sunday school work.

ated with wild flowers and palms.

A collection was taken for general

MARRIED APRIL 30.

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Inauguration of the Recent- MACHINISTS WANT ly Elected Officials of the City Takes Place Today.

Oath Administered to the Great Strike Ordered by the Loss Estimated at About New Executive by Retiring Mayor---Committees.

Almost a complete change took place in the city administration today as a strike of employes in machinery and result of the recent election. The may- allied metal trades throughout the or, three aldermen, water superintend- country to enforce the nine-hour day ent, police justice, chief of police and with an increase of weges to meet the

talk to the police force after court was are in the city mounts court and the manner in which you have executed the mandales of this court, and I must say that Asheville during the post two years has had very efficient set of policemen. I think you have done your duty thoroughly and served the city faithfully."

Chief Lyeniy, on behalf of the force, expressed then sop eclation of Judge,

Brown's treatment of them. The police court has accomplished a great deal under the rettring rdminisation. Judge Brown ban cone a little figuring and discovered that during is two years adminimisation he idea 3073 cases, ar riveras, of about five ber day. It is generally really be to Judge Brown demonstrated that he for eases number of the qualities accessary for a successful juage-a sense of jur ice and so evident desire to be beriens with prisoners if by so doing or could impression to too the line or good

The inaugural ceremonies at the city hall took place promptly at noon. The proceedings were entirely formal, and national process on and win here were no speeches or felicitation . office to Mayor-elec. Miller and the prents represent 25 to 2 to 128 in the latter did the same to one on office the city cers-elect, beginning with the rider-

The new board that had a sussion. Mayor Miller announced his commis- coar day. es as follows, the first name I below

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Fire-Dorset, Er'd and West-rights-Rawl, Palid and Post Water-Hill, Design, and Page Market-Baire Hall and Dec. 3. Building-Wassell Bryds rob it Let. BUNCH OF FLAMES ON A MONT-Special tax- Place will and Lorself. The Bound ther youed to approve this

The new officials their presented their came entangled with the terminal head bonds, which on mation or Additional of the Cumbertend avenue cable of the Hill were releved to the cuty afformer. Asheville Telephone company, located for approval. The bonds will then be additionably the most in a short time the pole of the corner of acted upon by the additional avenue and West Chestnut which will probably be at the meeting affect and in a short time the pole officers will probably be at the meeting affect and in a short time the pole officers will probably be at the meeting affect and in a short time the pole officers will probably be at the meeting affect and in a short time the pole officers will probably be at the meeting affect and in a short time the pole officers will probably be at the meeting.

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The following was adm -d on motion

of Alderman Waddell: "Resolved by the Board of Alde meaof the city of Asserting that the .Car-lar meetings of said board i.on this SPECIAL SERVICES AT CENTRAL date until the thi d Marday in May, 1902, shall be held at the council chamber in the city hall on Friday evening of each and every week except that the first regular meeting in the month of June, 1901, shall be held at the city hall on Saturday evening June 1. At 8 of Sat ber in the city hall on Friday evening then in the city of on a call of a massisted in songs, a short adverted to the mayor and gram consisted in songs, a short adverted to the consistency of the cons such eldermen as shall not have join-ed in the call."

dent is \$5000, of the chil of polles the Sunday school. \$5000, of the trasmer \$30.000 and of the

tax collector \$15,000. TO ARCANUM ADIES.

INTERESTING SUNDAY EVENING AT THE EATTERY PARK.

A Sunday evening of interest, complimentary to the ladles accompanying the representatives to the Arcanum of guests in the palm parlor at Bat-tery Park hotel yesterday.

Markham's "Man With the Hoe" was

given by Prof. G. W. Blish of Boston

lines that we are offering for \$1.50, \$2, \$2, \$2, \$2 welts and McKay.

Solution who gave other delightful renditions that included the "Palace of the King."

Professor Elish preceded the lines

HEAVY LOSS BY

Fire Starts From Lamp in Sumner's Store and Destroys Several Buildings.

Ten Thousand Dollars, Only Partially Insured.

Washington, May 20.-The general A fire at Biltmore yesterday in which which the loss on four buildings was in expected to bring anywhere from the neighborhood of \$19,000 created to 500 visitors here. The first indication of the approaching change took place this morning. Of the National According to the police force after court was given bulk to the police force after court was given by the solution of the solution of the solution of the primary and grammuch excitement in that village. It was more disastrous than it ought to have been and the blame for that fact, bulk to the police force after court was given by the solution of the primary and grammuch excitement in that village. It was more disastrous than it ought to have been and the blame for that fact, and the police force after court was given by the solution of the primary and grammuch excitement in that village. It was more disastrous than it ought to have been and the blame for that fact, and the police force after court was given by the solution of the primary and grammuch excitement in that village. It was more disastrous than it ought to have been and the blame for that fact, and the primary and grammuch excitement in that village. It was more disastrous than it ought to have been and the blame for that fact, and the primary and grammuch excitement in that village. It was more disastrous than it ought to allow the order is a new one here. It has be all the presence of a large number of particles and the primary and grammuch excitement in that village. It was more disastrous than it ought to allow the presence of a large number of particles and the primary and grammuch excitement in that village. It was more disastrous than it ought to allow the presence of a large number of particles and the primary and grammuch excitement in that village. It was more disastrous than it is a new order to a large of the primary and grammuch excitement in that village. It was more disastrous than it ought to a large of the primary and grammuch excitement in that village. It was more disastrous than it ought to a large of the primary and grammuch excitement in that village. It was more disastrous than it is a large of the primary and grammuch excitement in that vil who participes d in fight ag the flam.s. over. He said: "Gentlemen, I want outside a search share a fett of set who participes d in fighting the flames to thank you for your kindness to the heding out a proof of the leading out a proof of the Asheville fire company. Asheville fire company.

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faiure of the Ashwille firemen to an . For their seram the Ogden route will but they organized an introomptu company and did their best to fight the liames. Will Ward broke open the tool house at Biltmore and secured a three inch hose with which water was pour-The children had charge of the ser- ed on the burning buildings and when

be held on the call of the mayor with tion of the children who were to have smoke all through the day. This morn-taken part in the exercises.

In addition to the loss of Patton & responsive readings and recitations by Milholland it is roughly estimated that I in the call."

The bond of he was superintenThe bond of he The recitations by the little folks were specially attractive, and a solo by Master Fierbert Sione, a mite of a boy, perhaps two and a half feet high, was being two build.

Master Fierbert Sione, a mite of a boy, perhaps two and a half feet high, was builded and though one establishment, occupied really two builds. ings, one of them being a smaller The church was handsomely decor- structure on the bank of the river used as a meat market. In Sumper's store valuable papers were burned including \$1500 worth of notes and mortgages.

ATTACKED BY REBELS.

W. F. Patton of this city, steward at Manila, May 20,-It is unofficially rethe Kenilworth inn, and Miss Helen I. ported that a body of rebels under defendant can escape conviction, and Morse of Boston were married here Angeles, attacked a detachment of while you are not bound by the opin-

REUNION OF ELKS HERE NEXT YEAR

B. P. O. E. Folk at Charlotte Decide on Asheville for 1902.

Charlotte, N. C., May 20.-[Special.]-Ashfyille was selected as the next Certificates of Award and neeting place for the annual reunion of the B. P. O. Elks of North Carolina. H. M. Dickson of Asheville was ele.;-

The convention will be one of the most important coming to Asheville next year and the securing of the meeting by the Asheville delegates is cause several lives were endangered and in for congratulation. The convention is gathered in the hall of Orange street

have been and the blame for that fact, it has been in crise once at the north a cots, which evinces an interest on their number of years and has ar immense part in the wo k of the school. membership, while the growth in the state has been rapid.

The local 1.4's are now hoping to se-

cure the national rounion next year.

MISSIONARY ADDRESS.

BY MISS ABRAMS OF POONA IN-DIA, TOMORROW AFTERNOON.

The members of the Woman's Missionary society of the Presbyte, an grade. church have extended to invitation to the ladies of Asheville to a tend a meeting of unusual interest, to be held at the Presbyter on church Tuesday afternoon at 5 o'clock.

The meeting will be addressed by Miss Minnie F. Abrams, recently from India, upon the subject of woman's Ed. Neff. work for women in India. Miss Abrams with Pandita Ramabai, the famous reformer, in her great work for widows in India. The Sharada Sadan at Poona and the Mukti mission at Khedgaon, about 40 miles from Bom-Po con & bay, are two of the most remarkable and widely known missionary enterprises of any land. Both were founded and are personally conducted by Ramabai herself, having suffered all the wrongs of desolate and despised widow-

Miss Abrams shared her work manageress and Bible teacher, and has had, therefore, opportunity for close and intimate acquaintance with one of the noblest and most wonderful women of this century. She comes here direct from two years work in the famine districts, and will tell of the extraordinary journeys undertaken with Ramabal to gather up starving women and children from the stricken regions of the interior, and the rescue of scores of helpless, outenst girls.

In the churches of the city Sunday morning a notice was read inviting all n to attend this meeting and hear The new officials then presented their came entangled with the terminal head in the state and a fire high it to smooth this distinguished missionary, and it

San Francisco, May 20,-Although Mrs. Mckinley's condition is great improved, her physicians have name a week or 10 days as the shortest possible time in which she can gather sitength to make the trip across the continent. The immediate members of

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rive the residents were disagrainted be taken. No stops of any length will but they organized an in-momentu com. be made. The position will not leave the train, though he may speak briefly from the rant platform at one or two important cities.

Secretary Contelyou this morning gave out the following:

TO HAVE NEW TRIAL.

W. E. Breeze and J. E. Dickerson, the First National bank officers who were convicted of embezziement, have been granted a new trial by the Circuit

sage to this effect from H. T. Maloney clerk of the court. Probably a special term will be ordered to try these cases. In the Bresse case the new trial was granted upon the following charge to

the jury by Judge Purnett "Now, gentlemen of the jury, in con-clusion of the whole matter, the law, as laid down to you by the court, as I have said to you before, is supreme so far as you are concerned. In the view which the court takes of its understanding of the law and of the evidence the court cannot see how the

COMMENCEMENT IN CITY SCHOOLS

Exercises of the Primary and Grammar Schools at the Orange St. Building.

Diplomas of Honor to Many of the Children.

In spite of the rain, a large audience 300 school this morning to witness the clos-

The exercises were opened by Super-latendent Tighe, who, after a few well chosen words of welcome, led the adlence in the Lord's Preyer. Sons, "Bob White," boys of second

Recitation "Marguestie and Will," Grace Brown. Sons, 'Five Little Pussy Cats," girls

first A sydder Music lesson 20 children of first A Richardor The Ups and Downs of the Browns. Jarvis And ews.

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Song, 'The Lost Roble," sixth grade. Concest . . . Wynken and Dlynken and Nod first B grade, Preitation. "In S hool Lays," Paume Pagel

Umbrella deal 67th grade. The whole prosent was carried out a memor highly sadsfactory and enterchilds. Among the miny excelboys of the second grade, with a whistling chorus; the song by the third grade, and the recursion by Master Ed. Neff, were especially worthy of notice. One of the most striking of all, however, was the music lesson of the first A grade, given by Miss Daisy E. Soule. Twenty children of the lowest ginde in school sang the scales, read 'w mus- and kapt time in a way that was a genuine surprise to all, and showed talthful and successful work on the part of the teacher.

The following pupils were announced (Continued on page 4)

There's a Welcome

always

Come in

you at Wingood's

look around, ask questions, don't have to buy anything. We like to see you.

WINGOOD'S,

'He Puts Up Prescriptions," Cor. Patton Ave. and Church Street.

SPECIAL illinery.

Palais Royal Monday and Tuesday.

NEW SHAPES, NEW HATS, NEW RIBBONS.

All our Trimmed Pattern Hats, worth from \$3.25 to \$6.98, on sale

See our Ladies' Sallor Hats,

See our 26-inch Curtain Swiss, new designs, 10c. Our Corset Sale of 48c, Straight

Fronts are still going. Our New Lot Velvet Ribbons at Cut Prices.

See our Lonsdale Cambric-Special, 10e.

Fruit Bleaching 8c. New White Goods 20c. Quality Special 121/2c.