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LOCAL NEWS.

—A. J. Avery, Esq., returned from his trip last night.

—Miss McKesson had the flu as guests last evening.

—H. E. Ellerbe, of Asheville, was at the D. and D. Thanksgiving day.

—William Austin, Esq., of Lincoln passed through last week, on a trip to Statesville.

—We learn that Receiver Brisson sold the Piedmont Bank to Mr. Edwin Camp for \$100,000.

—The Hartford College will re-open for its present management, and next term will begin August 2, 1898.

—Mr. Lum Estes, the popular organist at Lazarus Brothers, is confined to his home with a severe case of tonsillitis.

—The Klondike is offering some bargains at less than factory prices. Their prices in a new advertisement this week.

—Robert Smith, son of Julius Smith, near town, killed a blue jay in Hunting creek, measuring five feet five inches from tip of bill to tail.

—Lazarus Bros. are advertising a great special sale for next Monday and Tuesday, December 5 and 6. Read their advertisement and attend their sale.

—John L. Sisk, Esq., has returned to his old home at Table Rock and our town loses thereby a good citizen. Mr. Sisk is going to the cattle business, we learn.

—Hugh Hallyburton, son of our register, was married to Miss Amanda Sudderth, daughter of R. W. Sudderth, Esq., at the Methodist parsonage yesterday evening.

—The collection of electric light bills is sometimes attended with a breach of the peace, as was the case of our young friends who were before the mayor yesterday.

—Some of our young friends are mounting some of their spare change.

—Complaints reach us from subscribers at Brindletown and Worry that they do not get delivery of mail on time. We can only insist that the fault is not in this office.

—There is nothing prettier than a pretty tooth. There is nothing better to preserve the teeth of children than "Ivoryshine." Read what W. A. Leslie has to say about it in his ad. this week.

—The Marion Telephone Co. have bought the Morganton plant and will connect it with their town and Hickory, thus giving complete service to nearly all adjacent towns. The old system will be substituted for the automatic.

—Jere Ray, of Watauga, was taken down the other day, hunting for fertilizer to inspect. He found none, of course; but we take it was not sorry on that account, pay being on all the same. Jere will soon be a statesman out of a job.

—Next Monday, December 5th, the new county officers qualify and enter upon their duties. It is important in this connection to remind newly-elected Justices of the Peace that a failure on their part to qualify on the 5th of December vacates their offices and vests the appointment of their successors in the Governor.

—Mrs. D. C. Pearson, of the Rose Villa, is off for a visit to Richmond, Washington and Baltimore, the guest of Mrs. John B. Gresham, who will be remembered as a visitor here last season. During Mrs. P.'s absence her niece, Miss Camille Hunt, one of Lexington's most charming young women, will preside at the Villa.

—The Progressive Farmer publishes a list of the railroad attorneys in North Carolina as furnished by the various companies to the Railroad Commission. In this part of the State we notice the following well-known names in the list furnished by the Southern Railroad Company: J. C. Pritchard, R. B. Glenn, W. W. Barber, J. L. C. Bird, S. J. Ervin, A. E. Holton, J. R. Llewellyn, Marshall Mott, J. F. Spainhour, L. L. Witherspoon and W. C. Newland.

—Attention is called to the sale next Monday of the valuable property known as the Burnt Store, opposite the court house, and of six tenement houses and lots on the Hospital turnpike be-

—The depot. The terms are one-half cash, one-half in three months. Mr. Richard Williams will show the property.

—Mrs. Nichols died at her home on Lenoir street yesterday afternoon of consumption. She had been sick a long time. The remains will be carried to Marion to-day at noon for interment.

—An infant of Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Newland died last Friday morning at their home at Elkville.

—Caldwell has a candidate for Engrossing Clerk of the next House of Representatives in the person of E. A. Poe, Esq., of Lenoir.—The wife of Sheriff Calaway, of Watauga, died some days ago and we hear that the Sheriff, who was re-elected on the 1st inst., will not file his bond and qualify. Since his wife's death his private business at home demands his attention.—Lenoir News.

—Morganton correspondence of Charlotte Observer: Mr. J. W. Count, editor of The Herald, will soon return to his old home at Ellenville, N. Y. This move was precipitated by the recent death of his father. Mr. Count has made many friends here, who regret his departure. The publication of The Herald is to be continued, but the management has not yet been determined.—Mr. L. Miller, of Baltimore, who has been here for two weeks past looking after the Morganton & Shelby Railroad project has left for New York to report progress to the capitalists who are interested with him.

—Thanksgiving, we trust, passed off nicely with all our readers, and that the turkey was much in evidence hereabouts abundant proofs are coming in to show.

—For our part, we had a great day and a good dinner, being the guest of our excellent neighbor, Mr. R. J. Hennessee, at his home in the woods near Taunton, Mass. While stopping over to pick up a rabbit which he had shot his gun was discharged, and he was shot in his head.

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—The bird was also, with a strikingly bird fat and succulent, being flanked on one side by a crisp opossum, and surrounded by all the dainties of the pantry and the cellar, and the clever host and his young daughters hospitable after the old fashion in vogue before the war.

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—Mr. Hall was well known in upper Burke, having conducted a mercantile business at the Warrior Ford of Upper creek for many years. He was a kindly man and popular.

—Free Pills.

—Send your address to H. E. Bucklen & Co., Chicago, and get a free sample box of Dr. King's New Life Pills. A trial will convince you of their merits. These pills are easy in action and are particularly effective in the cure of constipation and sick headache. For malaria and liver troubles they have been proved invaluable. They are guaranteed to be perfectly free from every deleterious substance and to be purely vegetable. They do not weaken by their action, but by giving tone to the stomach and bowels greatly invigorate the system. Regular size 25c per box. Sold by John Tull, druggist.

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—Deeds, Chattel Mortgages, Mortgage Deeds, Trust Deeds, Bonds for Title and other legal blanks, neatly printed on good paper, for sale cheap at THE FARMER'S FRIEND Job Office.

KLONDIKE STORE.

We are pleased to offer a few job lots of goods at less than factory prices. These prices only apply to goods in stock, as many of them cannot be duplicated.

Children's Eiderdown
Toboggan Caps... 25 cts
Children's Wool Hoods... 20 "
Children's wool gloves... 9 "
" heavy ribbed
hose... 5 "
5 pen points... 1 "
4 lead pencils... 1 "
12 sheets good paper... 1 "
1 pkg. envelopes... 1 "
Vaseline... 4 "
Vaseline, perfumed,
with screw top... 7 "
Buttermilk Rose Soap
per box... 8 "
Laundry Soap, 10-oz.
cakes... 2 "
Medicated tar soap... 4 "
Elegant photo frames,
with glass... 15 "
Basting thread, white
and black... 1 "
Pocketbooks... 3 "
Pure bristle hair brushes... 20 "
Nursing bottle, with
tube, complete... 14 "
Boys' wool caps... 15 "
Ball thread, 10 balls for 5 "
Linen thread... 2 "
Zinc trunks, with tray... \$1.25
Men's wool pants, worth
82... \$1.00
Men's jeans... 39 cts
Boys' knee pants, wool... 25 "
Teaspoons... 3c, 8 "
Tablespoons... 6c, 14c, 20 "
Heavy glass butter
dishes and sugar
bowls... 10 "
Wood toothpicks... 5 "
Men's heavy high-cut
shoes... \$1.00
Boy's Sunday shoes... \$1.00
Men's Sunday shoes... \$1.00
Ladies' glove grain
shoes... 75 cts
Ladies' shoes... 20 "
Evening.

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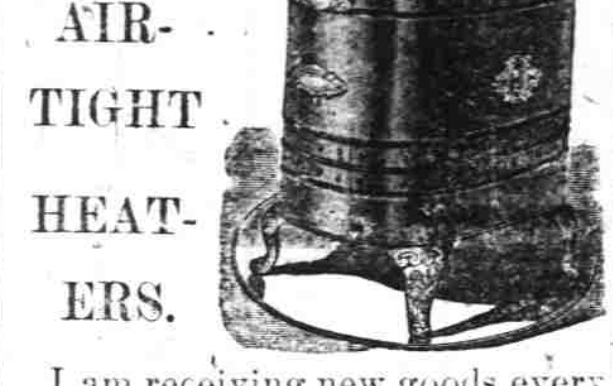
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BARGAINS!

If you need a heater, don't buy until you have seen our

IM-
PROVED
AIR-
TIGHT
HEAT-
ERS.



I am receiving new goods every day in Furniture, China, Sewing Machines and Stoves, which are going at

KNOCK-DOWN PRICES.
I have anything you can mention in Furniture. If you want to save money, come and see me and get prices before you buy.
Yours for business,

E. BREESE.

A CARD.

The War Is Over,
I Am Home Again,
Thoroughly Renovated and Kept Ready.
HAVING set up an office in the
TATE BUILDING, opposite
Tull's Drug Store, I now offer my
professional services, as a physician,
to the citizens of Morganton and
surrounding country. Satisfaction
guaranteed. Prices as low as
the practice can reasonably be
done.

I have a new and successful
Treatment for Typhoid Fever and
Diphtheria.
Teeth extracted without pain.
All old accounts must be closed
and new ones will be opened.
Who was largely rep. for, I am,
India.

HAWKINS BROS. E. S. WANLICK, M. D.

**Children Like
Our TOOTH
BRUSHES and
IVORYSHINE**

EVERYBODY knows that there's trouble about children using tooth brushes. They don't realize the importance of caring for the teeth; they forget to use the brush unless they are reminded, and that reminding is a burden and a bother.

We have a tooth wash called IVORYSHINE, delicious to the taste, cleansing and purifying to the gums and teeth. This preparation, used with one of our Soft Bristle CHILD'S BRUSHES, will instruct children themselves and preserve their teeth.

See Our
**Christmas
Goods.**

**W. A.
LESLIE,
DRUGGIST.**

WANTED

EVERY one who wishes to make their home bright and attractive to call and examine the following articles in our stock:

TAPESTRY CURTAINS,
LACE CURTAINS,
DENIM DRAPERIES,
CRETONNE DRAPERIES,
PILLOW CASES,
SILK LACE
CHINELLE and TAPESTRY,
TABLE COVERS,
HASSOCKS, RUGS,
ART SQUARES, BED SPREADS,
COUNTERPANES, QUILTS,
READY-MADE SHEETS and
PILLOW CASES,
BLANKETS, &c.

Some things that will interest you.

H. H. Davis.

LAZARUS BROS.

GRAND SPECIAL SALE Mon. and Tues., Dec. 5 and 6.

WHEN others cut we carve. There isn't any use; the masses say LAZARUS BROS. can't be undersold, and MONDAY and TUESDAY we shall substantiate their sayings, as we have often done before. Just for a proof, read our advertisement carefully, and then judge who is the leader of low prices. It's true we don't make a great ado about it; but one thing we do make you, and that is the lowest prices in America; and if all of the Roman heroes and ancient giants should arise, LAZARUS BROS. have enough push to hold their well-deserved championship of low prices with an iron grasp that no would-be competitors can force apart, even should they use a crowbar.

- 2 1/2c.—Fast colored calico, not the cheap grades but the kind other merchants sell for 6 and 7c; during this sale, per yard... 2 1/2c
 - 7c.—Unbleached extra heavy cotton flannel, the regular 10c grade; during this sale, per yard... 7c
 - 3c.—Heavy almanac, well worth 5c; during this sale, per yard... 3c
 - 16c.—All-wool white and red flannel that you pay 25c for elsewhere during this sale per yard... 16c
 - 7c.—Light or dark color outings in rich plaid or striped styles, sold elsewhere at 10c; during this sale, per yard... 7c
 - 60c.—Heavy bed-spread, Marseilles patterns, already hemmed, size 85x72, 90c quality; during this sale, each... 60c
 - 11c.—Extra heavy feather ticking, well worth 15c; during this sale, per yard... 11c
 - 10c.—Extra heavy towels, honeycomb pattern, soft finish, size 48x23, colored borders and fringed; sale price... 10c
- A Wonderful Corset Sale.**
- 5c.—This corset is made of best jean, saten ones, 5 hooks, trimmed with lace top and bottom, in white only, latest styles, short form, all sizes; 75c quality; during this sale, each... 5c

- A Wonderful Dry Goods Purchase.**
- We have closed out the entire stock of one of the largest dry goods houses of Baltimore city at almost half its value, and we place them on sale next Monday and Tuesday at unheard-of prices.
- 10c.—Doublefold dress goods in handsome plaids and stripes, well worth 15c; on sale Monday and Tuesday, per yard... 10c
 - 20c.—42-inch novelty dress goods, overshot weave, dressy and stylish, Green, Blue, Red and Black; 35c quality; Monday and Tuesday, per yard... 20c
 - 23c.—36-inch all-wool dress goods in plaids only; during this sale, per yard... 23c
 - 29c.—Here's a challenge; match them under 50c. 42-inch all-wool fancy novelty cloth, assortment of colors, is perfect; during this sale, per yard... 29c
 - 48c.—Silk mixed poplins and covert cloth in the latest colorings. You can't duplicate them for less than 75c; during this sale, per yard... 48c
 - 35c.—40-inch fancy scillian mohair, elegant luster and finish, 60c value; during this sale, per yard... 35c
 - 45c.—44-inch black warp Henrietta, real value 85c; during this sale, per yard... 45c
 - 65c.—All the balance of our exclusive dress patterns were \$1.25, \$1 and 85c; during this sale, per yard... 65c

Lazarus Brothers.

It Is the Price That Appeals to You.

It is a candid, honest, earnest statement of facts—facts based on fifteen years of the most successful culling of the tailoring world. I know clothing when I see it, and know just how much money the manufacturer ought to spend in the get-up of a eight-dollar suit, or any other suit, and if the maker has not spent that amount in the get-up of the suit offered to me, his suits never find their way to my table.

I will ask you to see my line of

- Hats, Caps and Underwear**
- when you are in the city. My object is to SAVE YOU MONEY. Yours,
- B. F. DAVIS.**

AT TULL'S PHARMACY.

We would like to call your attention to a very pretty and complete line of Druggists' Sundries which we have just opened, consisting in part of Hair, Tooth, Baby and Nail Brushes, which we bought very close and can give you splendid value for your money.

We have the best assortment of soaps in the city at any price. Christmas will soon be here, so come in and select some nice presents for your friends. Nothing is nicer than a bottle of Tappan's or Goodwood's Cologne.

This is the only place where you can buy the Gem Finger Nail Clipper, usually sold for 50 cents; our price 25 cents.

Sale of Land for Town Taxes for 1897.

THE undersigned will offer for sale, for cash, under the usual conditions regulating sales of land for taxes, the following property on

Monday, December 5th, 1898,

at the court house door in Morganton, to satisfy the town taxes for the year 1897:

Avery, James M., 1 lot	50
Avery, Saml., 1 lot	3.12
Avery, Lizzie, 1 lot	.75
Avery, Joseph H., one lot	4.50
Alexander, Clara	.50
Berry, T. L.	3.95
Avery, Geo.	.50
Branch, Samuel	2.50
Cooper, J. H.	2.47
Dickson, Jessie C.	4.59
Deal, Jos. M.	5.14
Deal, Manardie	3.14
Erwin, Jas. J.	8.34
Fleming, Isaac	6.19
Garden, Jerry	2.28
Hester, W. H.	1.50
Howard, George	2.58
Hall, Robert	7.14
Harpold, George	2.63
Kincaid, William	.80
Lynch, Alf.	2.60
Lytle, Albert	2.83
Lee, William	13.09
Morganton Land & Imp. Co.	2.00
McDowell, S. M.	.75
McCaughey, R. L.	.75
McKesson, C. F.	11.65
Pearson, J. H.	62.14
Piedmont Bank	57.50
Small, J. M.	3.40
Caldwell, James	2.81
Tamer, W. A.	10.88
Wilson, Alex. W.	3.13
Wilson, A. E.	3.25
Williams, Rich.	2.50
Winters, D. K.	62.14
Walton, Hiram M.	1.50
Walton, Lucinda	4.00
Wilson, Frank	2.50
Wilson, Henry	4.64
Zimmerman, J. S.	.75
Avery, Milton, estate	.68
Coleman, Howard	3.04
Shade, Jas. H.	2.25
Shade, Albert	1.50
Caldwell, Neil	1.50
Scott, Bemie	3.40
Caldwell, Jas.	1.13
Caldwell, Ann	1.13

This 3d day of November, 1898.
J. C. HALLYBURTON,
Town Tax Collector.

At Tull's Drug Store.