

SPECIAL

ANNOUNCEMENT!

FOR THE FALL SEASON.

We will sell you more goods for less money than any house in town. A dollar is as good to you as to anybody else, and when you can save a dollar, it is a dollar earned. You would not do a dollar's worth of work for nothing; then why give it away?

Bed Spreads.....54c to 74c	Line ever shown.....5c up to 20c
Bed Spreads, better grades, 99 to \$1.34	Full line Men's Underwear.
Lace Curtains, 25 per cent. below value from.....49c to \$1.39	Drill Drawers.....20c, 25c and 34c
Table Cloths, all sizes.....50c to \$1.12	Canton Flannel Drawers...25 and 29c
Face Towels.....10c pair up	Ribbed Shirts & Drawers...\$1.60 suit
Turkish Bath Towels.....10c pair up	Ribbed Shirts & Drawers.....98c suit
Ladies' and Children's Hose.....49c	Camel's Hair " "\$1.65 suit
.....5c pair up to 54c	Men's Night Shirts.....49c
.....10c	Men's Fur Hats, worth \$2.....
.....4c to 5c doz79c, 89c and 99c
.....49c	Men's Sox.....5c to 24c
.....49c	Men's Shirts, all styles and prices.
.....49c	Window Shades, worth from 50c
.....49c	to \$1.00, at.....24c, 39c, 46c

Head-quarters for Stationery, Notions, Shoes, Pants, Piece Goods, Etc. Goods delivered to any address.

CHAS. E. NEWTON, NEW YORK RACKET STORE.

HE GIVES HIS CONSENT

THE LADIES HOSPITAL ASSOCIATION TO HAVE ANOTHER BENEFIT.

Mr. Niswonger Will Give an Exhibition of His Marvelous Power at the Opera-house Tomorrow Night.

With the earnest solicitation of a committee of the Ladies Hospital Association Mr. Charles Elliott Niswonger has consented to remain over in Pine Bluff and give an exhibition of his wonderful power as a mind reader. His work is very interesting, not only account of the seemingly impossible tests but from a scientific standpoint. Mind reading to the world is a force existing but not by any means understood. The fewest persons possess the ability to exercise that power and quite a number of those in a very limited degree. The use of another mind absolutely and without apparent effect is a sight as marvelous as it is fascinating. Mr. Niswonger has never failed in any test attempted, and the Hospital Association guarantees the faithful performance of his claims. The entertainment will be a success in every way, for it will be entertaining as well as profitable to the thinking people.

He Read Newspapers. "Have you observed," said a merchant to a customer, "the handsome advertisement I have on a sign between Red Cloud and Inlet?" "No," replied the customer, "but if you will send the fence round to my house I will try to read the announcement. I read the papers, and I haven't time to go around reading billboards." And the merchant scratched his head.

The World's Fair Tests showed no baking powder so pure or so great in leavening power as the Royal.

A SCENE OF BEAUTY

Is Blum's Semi-Annual Grand Opening.

When the curtains were drawn and the doors of Blum's Great Emporium were thrown open, spectators and pedestrians were surprised to see such a gorgeous display of elegant goods. Your eye is first attracted to the large and elegant window display. One shows an elaborate display of evening shades artistically draped with trimming, etc. In the other is a beautiful dress goods show with the very latest patterns, which will be much admired by the ladies. From the windows you are bound to drift inside and gaze with admiration upon the gorgeous display of new and elegant goods. The first to attract your attention is the ribbon and lace display. Then comes the dress goods and silks which are draped into pretty forms on the top shelving. Then a new and elegant display of table linens, and before you recover from the many pretty sights you have seen you find yourself again gazing with wonder on the beautiful array of hats and millinery, which have the touch of an ideal artist. This lovely creation is gracefully presided over by the charming Miss Kelly.

Mr. Blum welcomes all strangers and friends alike. So pleasing is his manner that one is as much at home there as in his or her own drawing-room. All smiles are blended together from the handsome and courteous manipulators of the scissors to the pretty-faced salesladies, for they all know they have eclipsed all previous grand openings.

Foot Amputated.

Graham Hopkins, a negro who lives out in Greenville, on Sunday boarded the south-bound Cotton Belt passenger train to ride home. When the train got opposite his home he undertook to jump off, in doing which his right foot got caught under the wheels and was badly mashed. Dr. Troupe was called in and performed the act of amputation.

Dr. Miles' Nerve Plasters for Rheumatism.

DUKE AND HEIRESS.

COMING WEDDING OF MARLBOROUGH AND MISS VANDERBILT.

ENGAGEMENT INTERESTS ALL

Lineages Compared—Both are Sprung From Strong Men.—John Churchill And Cornelius Vanderbilt Sit Side by Side—Lead-ers in Their Time.

The news of the day yesterday for all students of history, as well as for all lovers of the doings of the great and wealthy, was the announcement of the engagement of the great-grand-daughter of Cornelius Vanderbilt to the descendant in the ninth generation of John Churchill, conqueror of France, ruler in all but name of England, and the first Duke of Marlborough, says the Philadelphia Times. The two young people themselves were presumably less interested in the various reflections which the event will call forth than other people; but there can be little denying that a more notable engagement has not been announced in America since Jerome Bonaparte told a surprised and excited world that he desired to take to wife Miss Elizabeth Patterson, of Baltimore.

To begin with, the destination of the great American fortunes is becoming a matter of public concern, especially on account of the tendency of their inheritors, when women, to marry foreigners of noble birth—which suggests that in a few years from now political economists and sociologists will probably be studying some new tendencies which have established themselves in counterbalance of this tendency, for it is the inevitable law of human affairs that they perpetually seek to establish a stable equilibrium and never succeed. And now that an enormous slice of the Vanderbilt money will go to England to restore and maintain

manly Dutch blood, would never have done, even in John Churchill's depraved day, not if he had died a pauper for refusing it. And then, too, though he was born a gentleman, John Churchill had a very bare outlook of it at first as a young man, and if he had not had a sister whom the Duke of York peculiarly delighted to honor—which, by the way, in those days was not thought so much discredit to a lady as we now suppose—he might never have worn a sword. So that he knew what it was to rise in the world. And in fine one thing is probable: that Cornelius Vanderbilt could have commanded an army better than John Churchill could have built up the New York Central Railroad.

THE YOUNG PEOPLE.

But now to look at the young people—Miss Consuela Vanderbilt is the daughter of William K. Vanderbilt and the grand-daughter of the late William H. Vanderbilt. She is about 18 years old, very tall, very vivacious and quite good looking, with dark hair and a pronounced brunette complexion. She is heiress to one of the greatest fortunes in the world and has only one care in life, that her father and mother are divorced. Of course it can scarcely be expected that so young a girl should have as yet pronounced characteristics, but her friends say she has much sweetness of disposition and charm of manner, and her executive ability has already been tested. As is always the case with children of parents with great fortunes, she has been most carefully educated and trained to understand the responsibilities of her station, and to act as the mistress of a great establishment.

The young Duke of Marlborough is really one of the most promising of the young noblemen of England. Far from following in the footsteps of his father, whose reputation need not be recalled, he has already made his entry into politics, and intends to devote himself to a public career. He was made the mover of the address of the Lords in reply to the Queen's speech on the opening of the

Churchill, Lord Churchill of Eynmouth, in the Scottish peerage, Prince of Nellenburg of the Holy Roman Empire. The English peerages give the Duke as Prince Mindelheim, but the Almanach de Gotha states that Nellenburg was substituted for Mindelheim in 1714.

MISS VANDERBILT'S PREDECESSORS.

Miss Vanderbilt's predecessors are worth glancing at. The first Duchess of Marlborough was, of course, Sarah Jennings, the confidant and favorite of Queen Anne, whose name will live in history as long as that of her illustrious husband—the woman who, "having been the wife of John Churchill," would not marry another man no matter what his rank. Anne Churchill and her husband both died before her parents, the Churchill titles were never enjoyed by them.

Unfortunately there are nothing but modern authorities at hand as this is being written, and consequently the names of one or two of the earlier peers cannot be stated. The fourth Duke of Marlborough is the first whose younger branches are still extant. This was George, born in 1739. He married Lady Caroline Russell, of the then Duke of Bedford. His son George, born 1766, married Lady Susan Stewart, daughter of the Earl of Galloway, and his son, the third George, born 1793, married his cousin, Lady Jane Stewart, also a Galloway. John, the seventh Duke, born 1822, married Lady Frances Vane, daughter of the Marquis of Londonderry, and the late Duke, George, born 1844, married Lady Aberth Hamilton, daughter of the Duke of Abercorn.

It was the late Duke who, as is well known, married secondly Mrs. Hammersley, born Lily Price, famous in New York for her beauty and riches. The great fortune she brought him was absolutely necessary to him, his extravagance, not to say profligacy, had reduced Blenheim, the proud estate purchased for his great ancestor by the nation after the battle of that name, almost to denudation.

His first wife divorced him in 1883, and his second was never persona grata at the English court until her third marriage, with the gallant and popular Lord "Bill" Beresford.

Miss Vanderbilt will, on her marriage, become the third American Duchess of our time—the relations of all three being curiously close. The first was the present Dowager Duchess of Manchester, Consuela Yznaga, after whom Consuela Vanderbilt is named, the lifelong friend of her father, and the second was the second wife of her prospective husband's father. It is worthy of recollection, also, that the uncle of the present Duke, the late Lord Randolph Churchill, married Miss Jerome.

A FIRE BUG.

Evidence Points Strongly to Flem Price as the Man Who Fired Mrs. Donelson's House.

Saturday afternoon at the preliminary trials of Flem Price, Will Grant, Elijah Grant and Will Davis came up before Magistrate O. W. Alexander. The parties are the ones who were arrested a few days ago on the charge of burning the residence of Mrs. L. P. Donelson, near Sherrill, last week.

The evidence adduced at this trial points very strongly to Flem Price as being the guilty party, and Magistrate Alexander very promptly committed him to jail to await the action of the Grand Jury. The other three prisoners were discharged.

DIED.

Friday night, October 4th, 1895, Mrs. W. E. McGregor died after a long illness. The funeral took place from the family residence at 4 o'clock Saturday afternoon. The deceased was a widow, her husband having died several months ago. She leaves two daughters and a son to mourn her loss. To these, and other friends, the GRAPHIC tenders its deepest sympathy.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report

Royal Baking Powder

ABSOLUTELY PURE

HENRY N. PILLSBURY.

Henry N. Pillsbury, of Brooklyn, who won the International Chess Masters' tournament at Hastings, England, has up to the present enjoyed only a local reputation. He is 22 years old, and his chess playing, dates from his sixteenth birthday, when he first learned the moves of the game at which he has now proved himself to be the international champion. All the leading



devotees of the game played at Hastings. The champions Lasker, Nischgorin, Blackburn, Tarrach and others equally noted, were among the players. Pillsbury's victory against such an array of talent, is therefore the more remarkable as he was pitted against men whose experience in tournaments and matches was calculated to at least overcome the younger and less experienced players. Pillsbury is an active member of the Brooklyn Chess Club.

PRINCESS ALEXANDRA.

A royal engagement which is attracting much attention is that of Princess Alexandra, of Saxe-Coburg-Gotha, to Prince Ernest, of Hohenlohe. Princess Alexandra is 17 years of age, and a grand daughter of Queen Victoria. Prince Ernest is heir to the vast estates and immense wealth of his father, the present



Governor General of Alsace-Lorraine, and as the Queen is very fond of him, no one is more pleased with the prospective marriage than the august grandmother. Princess Alexandra is not handsome, but she is a girl of sweet nature, and has the fresh joyousness of her age. Prince Ernest is the son of Queen Victoria's half-sister, Fedora, to whom her majesty was warmly attached.

Exhibits for the Atlanta Exposition.

Saturday morning Judge J. W. Boeage, Secretary of the Jefferson County Exhibit, shipped several large boxes of very fine specimens of various products of this county to the Atlanta Exposition. In the shipment was ten bushels of corn furnished by Col. R. R. Adams, of Noble Lake. The corn was magnificent and will attract the attention and admiration of all beholders. Among the other things of importance shipped was the Jefferson County cotton exhibit, the same cotton which captured the first prizes at the World's Fair at Chicago.

Judge Boeage also sent a large quantity of printed matter telling of the resources of our city and county, which will be distributed in Atlanta.

What stops Neuralgia? Dr. Miles' Pain Pills