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Greensboro Daily News

Asheville Citizens

Claimed by Flood

(Continued from page one)

Saluda-It is quite indefinite as to when the Southern will operate trains over its Asheville and Spartanburg division. Train 42 which left Asheville Friday is tied up at Melrose. It is uncertain when the road will again be open to travel.

Catawba Bridge Washed Away.

Charlotte, July 16. - What is said to be the worst flood eyer known in Catawba and Broad river today had done damage that will run into the hundreds of thousands of dollars in the territory within a a radius of fifty miles north and west of Charlotte.

Ten oo twelve bridge workers under Joe Killiam, division engigineer of the Southern, went down with the Southern's main line bridge at Belmont, out of Charlotte, late today. Five or six were reported caught in tops of trees and rescued.

Just above the Southern's bridge the Piedmont and Northern Interurban bridge and the Seaboard Air Line bridge were washed away. Farther up the river near Mooresville and Statesville two highway bridges went out, while at Catawba the Southern bridge on the Salisbury-Asheville division was washed away. At Munbo, below Catawba, the west Munbo Cotton Mill of 5000 spindles is under water and the East Munbo Mill is almost under water, while a cotton warehouse with four hundred bales has been washed away.

Damage to mills is laid to a water spout in Alexander county that caused the earth embankment of the Lookout Shoals power plant of the Southern Power Company to give way today, adding fifteen feet of water to the allready more than wenty foot tide in the Catawba. That volume of water also caused the last two or three bridges to go.

The Dravo Power Company dam on Broad river near Shelby went out late today, menacing the South-ern Power Company plant near Blacksburg, S. C.

Bliss of Ignorance.
"Just look at this, Jane," said the lady of the house, "I can actually write my name in the dust on this sideboard."

"So yez kin, ma'am," replied Jane, admiringly. "Yez oughter be proud av th' eddycation yez do have."

The Apprehension.

"Do you permit dogs in this apart ment house?"

"No," replied the agent.

"Afraid they might annoy the resi-

"No. The quarters are so cramped we are afraid of the S. P. C. A."

BARGAINS.



"Why?"

"The reduction will be more striking when we mark them down one-

The Trouble. "Dogs are allowed on this car. Why

do you want to bar mine?"
"Most dogs are, sir, but there's a
rule against expectoration, and begging pardon, sir, your dog's a Spits."

Strange Falling.

"William always goes when he has to speak."

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Fill up bath tubs with water and use this for flushing closets. You can have water brought to your home for 25 cents a barrel. Don't use outside surface closets if it is possible to prevent it. Place the water in box above the closet and flush, by this means it will drain better.

We ask our citizens to comply with this request and to use lime freely around premises.

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