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Arrival and Departure of Passenger Trains. SALISBURY—Arrives 8:35 p. m. and departs 10:31 a. m. TENNESSEE—Arrives 10:55 a. m. and departs 7:05 p. m.

SEABOARD—Leaves Asheville 7:00 a. m.; arrives at Hendersonville 8:15 a. m.; at Spartanburg 11:30 a. m.; at Rock Hill 1:30 p. m.; at Columbia 3:30 p. m.; at Charleston 5:30 p. m.; at Savannah 7:30 p. m.; at Jacksonville 9:30 p. m.

INTERESTING READING MATTER ON FOURTH PAGE.

Smith's Planetary Almanac for 1887 for sale at West End Pharmacy, Patton Avenue. d2wks

Repair Work neatly done at P. S. McMullen's Furniture house, opposite Post Office. 11.

Mr. Thomas A. Jones returned from Reidsville on Saturday. The friends of Mr. S. M. Shivers are pleased to see him in Asheville again.

Be sure and register your guess of the population of Asheville at Grant & Roseberry's drug store.

Gen. Johnstone Jones left for Raleigh yesterday morning on military business. He will be absent a few days.

An abundance of snow is followed by an abundant harvest of small grain, say the agents. If so, the amount already fallen this winter will entitle us to better crops than last year.

Now is the season for trimming shade trees and setting out young ones. Nothing adds more to the appearance of a town, than shade trees, when planted regularly and kept trimmed.

During the Christmas holidays some one left a barrel at the Express office, without directions, and it still remains there waiting instructions. The party will please call on Mr. Wedden.

Don't lose your chance to get the one dozen cabinet size photos made by Mr. Lindsey, by guessing at the population of Asheville. Register open at Grant & Roseberry's.

The Salisbury Watchman says accidents, that was once common on the Western road in Fall and Winter seasons, is a thing of the past. This road is now in the very best condition and trains running on time.

The Lynchburg Advance says that "people who don't know how to advertise, really do not know how best to conduct business, and they who do not advertise at all, or only occasionally, are hid away in a very obscure corner where they never thrive."

The restaurant for ladies, which has been opened by Turner in the Johnston building, corner of Patton Avenue and Main street, has been elegantly fitted up. Ladies can call there at any hour and obtain any of the delicacies of the season, served in the best style.

Mr. M. F. King, correspondent of the Charlotte Daily Chronicle, has been in this city for the last few days writing up Asheville and our interests. He will be here for some days yet. The Chronicle is proving to be one of our best State exchanges, and we wish it its management much success.

The many friends of Mr. Jno. E. Patton—one of Buncombe's staunchest citizens—regret to learn that he is still confined to the house at his home on the Swannanoa. His general health is comparatively good, though from the failure of his eyesight and other causes he is unable to get about.

The memorial service at the Methodist church Sunday night in memory of the late missionary, Miss Dora Rankin, who died at Shanghai, December the 10th, 1886, was largely attended by our citizens. We were pleased to see this mark of respect paid the memory of this good woman.

Parties on the line of the Spartanburg road in this county complain bitterly of the filling up of stock brakes by the employees of the road. It causes much trouble, is deemed to be entirely unnecessary, and the attention of the authorities is called to this evil. The closing up of the brakes accomplishes no good to the road, and does much injury to private individuals, there being pastures on both sides of the road.

Some say "Consumption can't be cured." Ayer's Cherry Pectoral, as proved by 40 years' experience, will cure this disease when not already advanced beyond the reach of medical aid. Even then its use affords very great relief, and insures refreshing sleep. 124

WITH MANY THANKS For the liberal contributions given us, all last year and especially during December, we hope to deserve a continuance of the same. We have tried to carry a line of goods that would please all. Though while of necessity the very new and choice articles would seem expensive, we have asked but a reasonable profit on them, and tried to offer a good variety at all prices. Knowing that articles of real merit or artistic beauty are duly appreciated here we hope to carry a better line than ever before, also in Crockery and Glassware in all trades. J. H. LAW, South Main street.

TO BUSINESS MEN. If you desire to reach the largest number of the best people in Western Carolina and East Tennessee, use the advertising columns of the Citizen, Daily and Weekly. The Citizen has a much larger bona fide circulation in the territory mentioned than any other paper. Rates are low, corresponding circulation. 5 cents.

Sunday proved a lovely day, and all the churches were well attended. Prof Falk has moved his music store to the room one door North of McMullen's furniture store.

See Weldon's new advertisement in another column. His "Gem" is always ready to accommodate the public with everything good in his line.

Capt. J. W. Cooper, of Murphy, and Mr. Crisp, of Swain, called to see us last night. They report nothing new in their respective sections.

A quarter sack of Morristown flour picked up on Depot street Saturday. The owner can get the same by calling on John Strain, Depot st.

Go register your guess of the population of Asheville, at Grant & Roseberry's drug store, and get the one dozen cabinet size photos, or the copy of the new City Directory offered for the two best guesses.

The Fair of the Knights of Labor last week resulted quite handsomely financially, a fact we are pleased to learn. The Knights and the ladies who assisted in the work are to be complimented on the result.

The Town Topics publishes an interview with a goodly number of citizens as to the advisability of changing the charter of the city of Asheville so as to require the election of town officials every year. A majority of those interviewed oppose any change. We think a majority of our population opposes such change.

A CANING AFFAIR. The Norfolk Virginian of the 13th tells of Master Workman John B. Loughran, of that place, receiving a gold-headed cane at the hands of members of the Norfolk Assembly of the K. of L. for his services as Master Workman of that Assembly.

Mr. Loughran, who is a large furniture dealer in Norfolk, is a brother of the Messrs. Loughran of this place.

THE FARMER'S WAREHOUSE. In another place will be found the double column advertisement of this popular warehouse, which is under the management of gentlemen (farmers themselves) who thoroughly know the needs of the farming public, and who have made themselves fully acquainted with the demands of the general trade.

Messrs. Rollins and Smith are among the pioneers in the growth of tobacco in this section, have had years of experience on other markets, but who are now satisfied that the market of Asheville is in every respect equal to that of any other city in this or any other State. This warehouse, by recent enlargement, is now one of the best in the State, with good lights, and has every convenience necessary for the farmers. Messrs. J. Wiley Shook, of Haywood, C. A. Nichols, of Madison, and Capt Ben Newland are with this house.

THE TOBACCO MARKET. Fair sales yesterday at all the warehouses, with good prices for all grades. Some of the sales at the FARMERS' WAREHOUSE.

J E Ray 3 lots, 22, 164, 244; T C Pigram 2 lots, 12, 204; Jno Spruce 10 lots, 224, 29, 47, 26, 164, 28, 55, 18, 29, 20; R H Justice 6 lots, 17, 144, 184, 24, 20, 164; J C Minton 3 lots, 23, 19, 15; W C Humbrick 4 lots, 154, 21, 28, 194; J W Ferguson 3 lots, 17, 134, 29; J T Chambers 3 lots, 12, 19, 17; Kilpatrick & W 2 lots 204, 124.

THE LATE COL. B. M. JONES. The Danville Register says of the burial of this gentleman:

The remains of the late Colonel B. M. Jones, who died in Reidsville on Thursday last, were brought to this city yesterday for burial. The body was accompanied by his two sons, and was met at the depot by a number of gentlemen from this city, and taken to the cemetery. By some mistake the grave had been dug in the wrong place and the body was not buried until the afternoon.

Colonel Jones was originally from Amelia county, but came to this city about the year 1851. He was for a long time a civil engineer on the Richmond and Danville railroad and afterwards was connected with the Norfolk and Great Western scheme. He was an intelligent and good man and many people here regret to hear of his death.

No sufferer from any scrofulous disease will fail to try Ayer's Sarsaparilla, need despair of a cure. It will purge the blood of all impurities, thereby destroying the germs from which scrofula is developed, and will infuse new life and vigor throughout the whole physical organization. 124

TAKEN UP. A large bay mare mule, having a buggy handle on, was taken on the evening of the 11th by W. P. F. rear of Post Office. 143-3-df

Best assortment of Furniture in Western North Carolina at P. S. McMullen's large establishment on North Main Street. 11.

At Patton and Kimberley's market the finest beef and sausages can be obtained at all times. Prices low. Market under the Deaver building on Eagle street. Jan 9 000

Go to Moore and Robard's European Restaurant, if you want to enjoy a good meal or oysters served in any style, where you will be entirely private and free from any objectionable parties, as only the "well-behaved" are admitted to their dining-room. 11

The West End Choice Cigar, only 5 cents.

WHOSEBORN ADVICE. The Baptist minister in Shelby in a sermon to the young men of his congregation, says to them: "Never plead infancy on a debt pay your obligations at whatever cost."

The Statesville Landmark, commenting on this saying, says: "This is a lesson of a practical sort. Ministers ought to preach it and parents ought to teach it around the fireside. Children ought to understand that there can be no religion which is not inseparably connected with every day honesty, and that there is no honesty in withholding the money which belongs to another. The man who has the money to do it and who yet refuses to do it, no matter how long his face is or how high up he sits in church. If misfortune overtakes him and he is not able to pay, that is another matter. We are talking of those who can pay."

JUDGE MERRITT'S FIRST COURT. A case was heard by the New Observer, under the name of the City Council, under date of the 14th, says:

"Owing to the severity of the weather and the consequent delay of the trains, Judge Merritt did not arrive on Monday, but opened court yesterday (Tuesday) at 11 o'clock. His charge to the grand jury was short and pointed. This being his first court, much interest was manifested by the public. He spoke perfectly at ease on the bench, and so far has given entire satisfaction, both to the members of the bar and to suitors. We speak for him grand success in his new field of labor. The criminal dockets are quite heavy and will probably occupy the court all the week. The snow is ten inches deep, and the weather extremely cold. The crowd in attendance is small, only those who have business in court are here. The river is frozen up below here, and the boats have great difficulty in ascending the river from Washington to this place."

BILL IN FAVOR OF MECHANICS AND LABORERS. The bill of Mr. Sutton, which passed the House of Representatives Friday, says the New Observer, has as much merit in it as any other measure now before the General Assembly. It passed the House, as the journal shows, unanimously, and may be considered a success.

It provides, we learn (for the bill has not yet been printed) that the owner of the building shall require the production of receipts and an affidavit from the contractor, making the contractor a joint mechanic and laborer in full before a final settlement is made. The subject is a delicate one to handle, but Mr. Sutton's measure is a just one and should be adopted. It is the friend of the mechanic and the laboring man and the holder of justice. It now goes to the Senate, and we are sure of its passage in that wing of the Capitol as well as in this, will ratify it without a dissenting voice.

THE WEST POINT TERMINAL AND THE R. & D. ROAD OF THE EAST TENNESSEE ROAD. On Saturday an important transaction took place in New York by which the West Point Terminal Company became the owners of the East Tennessee Rail Road system, embracing something over 1,400 miles of railway, running from Bristol, South and touching Memphis, Chattanooga, Selma, Atlanta and other points. The deal involved from eight to ten millions of dollars, and now gives the Richmond and Danville system a control of something like 5,000 miles of railroad. This places the Western North Carolina Road in direct connection with the East Tennessee, makes Morristown the junction of the two old lines, and will eventually make the Western North Carolina a part of the principal or main line from the North to the South and from the West to the East—in other words will make the Western North Carolina and the East Tennessee an integral part of the great system. The citizens of Knoxville felt uneasy over the change, and the Journal got the story of the effect that it would have on the Louisville and Nashville building in to that territory; but there is nothing else in the news, and the new management will treat that section fairly. It will tend to turn all freight from Morristown via Asheville, instead of Bristol.

Just what the effect will be upon this section we are not prepared to say, but we can but believe it will prove beneficial to the sections through which the W. N. C. and the E. & A. roads run.

Mrs. Lucinda Scott was buried Saturday at Macon, Ga. She lacked only one month of being 101 years old.

A fund has been started at Lewis-ton, Me., for the relief of Solon Chase, the celebrated Greenbaker, who has been left homeless by fire.

Henry B. Stanton, the distinguished journalist and lawyer and husband of Elizabeth Cady Stanton died Saturday at New York of pneumonia, in his 82d year.

NOTICE. There will be a meeting held at the Public Library next Friday afternoon 21st inst. at 4 o'clock, by the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals. All members are requested to attend, and all those who wish to join the association. Business of importance will be transacted, and we request all to be present, to make this association a success. By order of the President, H. H. LLOYD.

H. H. LYONS, Secretary. Jan 18 dtd

Adviser, Printing and Believing. H. H. LYONS can always be relied upon to carry in stock the purest and best goods and sustain the reputation of being active, pushing and reliable, by recommending articles with well established merit and such as are popular. Having the agency for the celebrated Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption, colds and coughs, will sell it on a positive guarantee. It will surely cure any and every affection of the throat, lungs or chest, and in order to prove our claim, we ask you to call and get a Trial Bottle free.

The only genuine Stetson and Dunlap Hats; also a large stock cheap goods of Hats. at WHITLOCK'S.

The Militia.

The militia of North Carolina have reason to be gratified at the passage of the Sewell bill in Congress increasing the appropriation for the militia of the United States from \$200,000 per annum to \$600,000, as fixed by the Senate bill, or \$400,000, as fixed by the House bill. The North Carolina quota is thus doubled or trebled. The State guard will receive stores, etc., from the war department to the amount of about \$10,000 or \$15,000 annually, instead of five thousand dollars as now. This with the aid of state legislation, makes the State Guard one of our permanent institutions, fixes it upon a firm and enduring basis, and will enable it to meet every public need, and fulfill every reasonable expectation of usefulness. This piece of National Legislation, so important to the whole nation, is the proximate result of the persevering efforts of the National Guard Association a body representing one hundred thousand citizen-soldiers, and of which the Adjutant General of our state, General Johnstone Jones, is now vice-president. General Jones was one of the original movers in the matter; he represented North Carolina in the first National Militia Convention held in New York in 1879; the National Guard Association was then and there organized upon his motion; he was one of the committee who drafted the original bill, the parent of the "Sewell Bill," asking for an increase of Federal appropriation, and for other reformatory militia legislation, and he has since been untiring in his efforts, along with other officers and committee-men of the National Guard Association, to secure the passage of the "Sewell Bill." To him, as much as to any single individual among the militia-men of the United States, is due this important and valuable legislation. This bill is the first beneficial legislation in behalf of the militia enacted by Congress since the year 1808, when on motion of John Randolph, a bill appropriating \$200,000 per annum for arming and equipping the militia was passed. It is a great step forward and is but the precursor of other national legislation looking to the improvement and development of the State Guard system which now has taken the place of the old decayed militia system of the United States, established soon after the revolution.—News and Observer.

UPSETTING A PREACHER'S GRAVITY.—Dr. Patterson was preaching a very earnest discourse and was carrying his congregation with him, when an English pug dog crossed the line of his vision. The dog attracted the attention of no one in the auditorium, and there was no reason why it should have attracted the attention of the preacher, but the thought came to him that the dog had his tail curled about as tight as circumstances would permit. Then came the question if the tail was curled once more what would happen. Would it not be possible to curl the tail so tight as to lift the hinder parts of the dog and start him walking on his fore feet with his tail in the air? All the time he had been going on with his sermon, but when this odd conceit of giving the dog's tail an extra curl came over him he burst into a horse laugh.

The interruption came not only in the middle of a proposition but in the middle of a laugh that startled himself quite as much as the congregation. Once started he found it very difficult to stop, and although he used his handkerchief and made a pretence of having a paroxysm of coughing, still he laughed till the tears came. Even when he started again on his sermon he found great difficulty in getting away from the idea of that dog's tail, and several times his voice trembled and he had to shake himself as one in a dream.—Chicago Inter Ocean.

Wm. Crosby shot and killed his wife Saturday at Cedar Falls, Iowa, and then blew out his own brains.

W. D. Hoyt & Co., Wholesale and Retail Druggists of Rome, Ga., say: "We have been selling Dr. King's New Discovery, Electric Bitters and Bucklen's Arnica Salve for two years. Have never handled remedies that sell as well or give such universal satisfaction. They have been some wonderful cures effected by these medicines in this city. Several cases of pronounced consumption have been entirely cured by use of a few bottles of Dr. King's New Discovery, taken in connection with Electric Bitters. We guarantee them always. Sold by H. H. LYONS.

A RESTAURANT ROOM FOR LADIES. Mr. Turner has rented the barber shop in the Johnston building, attached to his restaurant, and will fit the same up neatly to be used exclusively for the use of ladies and their escorts. It will be kept strictly first-class, and ladies may visit the room at any time, and obtain lunches or meals served in the best manner. 6t.

Oysters received in bulk daily at Moore & Rosanoff's.

Best 5c. cigar—West End Choice Underwear real low, at Whitlock's.

Albums, Work Boxes, Manicure sets, Collar and Cuff Boxes, Mirrors, Dressing Cases, and a pretty lot of Match Safes, Thermometers, and other useful presents. at WHITLOCK'S.

WRAPS! WRAPS! WRAPS!!! for Ladies, Misses, and Children, reduced below their value to clear out this season's stock. at WHITLOCK'S.

STATE NEWS.

Greensboro has adopted the plan of supplying the town with water by cisterns. A steam fire engine has been purchased.

Last Friday Henrietta Mal, a negro woman at Louisburg, was to have been hung for the brutal murder of her child, whose brains she beat out. Gov. Seales has commuted her sentence to imprisonment for life, but he says his opinion was not made upon the ground that she was not of sound mind and had no moral training.

The Wilmington Review says: "We have very little fear of the result of the attempt to subvert the present system of county government in this State. The House is for it, of course, because there are enough renegades in that body for the Democratic party to give a majority to the Republicans, but we feel sure that the Senate will stand firm. It would be a suicidal policy for the Democrats of the West to force this thing on their brethren of the East."

The News-Observer, speaking of the farmers' meeting to convene in Raleigh to-day, says: "The Department of Agriculture desires to talk with those who represent to the end that their interests may be better subserved. It wishes to hear such suggestions from practical agriculturists as will enable the State Board of Agriculture to plan efficiently for the proper care of the farming interests by the Legislature, and it should be met by the farmers in the patriotic spirit which actuates it."

Jake Hallyburton, of Morganton, the defeated Republican candidate for the assistant Doorkeeper of the House of Representatives, (after the manner of election had been agreed on between the mugwumps and Republicans,) publishes in the Morganton Star of last week an open letter to Richmond Pearson, in which he uses such language as "traitor" and "ingrate," and wraps him in his political shroud and says he has been already buried in a political grave dug by both parties. Jake asks that "newspapers who publish political obituary notices free" will copy his letter. We are not in that line just now, and only give him a notice of his obituary of his "late friend."

Liver Pills. Use Dr. Gunn's Liver Pills for Sallow complexion, Pimples on the Face and Bileousness. Never sickens or gripes. Only one to a dose. Samples free at H. H. Lyons.

Canned goods of every variety, preserves, jellies, etc., very low at Moore and Robard's. dtf

Blankets and Comforts lower than ever, at WHITLOCK'S.

Try Woodcock's West End Choice Cigar.

Cigar. "The Mascot Brand" is the thing in the way of cigars at Turner's. Best 5c. cigar in the city—West End Choice. att

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

FOR RENT. Furnished House on Bailey street. Seven rooms, besides basement. Rent reasonable—apply to W. S. FLEMING, Druggist. Jan 18 dtd

Board. PARTIES DESIRING BOARD in the country will do well to drive out to Tennent's View, and secure rooms, where they will find every comfort, combined with home-like surroundings. Jan 18 dtd

GO TO WELDON'S "Gem" Bakery, FOR THE FINEST BREAD, BUNS AND CAKES, IN THE CITY!

ALSO FRESH CANDY OF Their Own Manufacture.

Mr. Vaughan is conceded to be the FINEST WORKMAN IN THE SOUTH.

Satisfaction guaranteed or money refunded.

GREEN FRONT, Opposite Auction House.

If we covered a newspaper we might make a list of the goods we carry, but as it is we cannot tell half.

We have several additional storage rooms, and are now filling up with the largest stock in our line to be found in the State, wholesale or retail.

POWELL & SNIDER de 13-3m

100 bags Coffee, 60 bbls Sugar, 400 lbs. fine Tea, 2100 lbs. Soda, 111 boxes Soap, 60 boxes Crackers, 275 cases of Canned Goods, 115 cases Baking Powders.

Grapes, Bananas, Oranges, Lemons, French Prunes, Cranberries, Figs, Dates, Prunelles.

Table Nuts, Olives, Olive Oil, Currants, Citron, Imperial Cabinet Raisins, California Layer Raisins, Vineyard Cluster Raisins, Valencia Raisins, Sultana Raisins.

Maple Syrup, Rock Candy Syrup, New Orleans Molasses, Buckwheat Flour, Mushrooms, Maccedoni, Capers, Jince Meat, Chocolate, Coconuts, Gelatine.

Crosse & Blackwell's Pickle, Obelisk Pickles, Beech & Sherwood's Pickles, Domestic Pickles, Royal Baking Powder, Hornford's Baking Powders, French Mustard, English Mustard.

Lee & Perrin's Worcester's Sauce, Tobasco Sauce, North of England Sauce, Durkee's Salad Dressing, White Wine Vinegar, Fresh Shore Mackerel, Cream Codfish, Fresh Butter, Fresh Eggs.

Cream Cheese, Pine Apple Cheese, Parmesan Cheese, Sapsago Cheese, Ashton Salt, Macaroni, Vermicelli.

Horse Radish, Flavoring Extracts, French Herbs, Jellies, Preserves, Fine Tom, Choicest Roasted and Green Coffee.

Powdered Sugar, XXX Confectioner's Sugar, Granulated Sugar, Brighton C Sugar, Canary Sugar, Raw N. O. de

Strained Honey, Honey in comb, Fancy Head Rice, Select Spices.

\$7,000 lbs. Flour, 85,000 lbs. Bran and Shorts, 26,000 lbs. Hay, 1600 bushels Oats, 400 bushels Meal, 1200 bushels Corn.

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Advertisement for Compound Oxygen, featuring an illustration of a man and text describing the benefits of the treatment for various ailments.

Advertisement for Asheville Music House, located at North Side Public Square, offering sheet music and organs for sale.