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The Wayne News says: "A crowd was out on the mountains not long since, among whom was a Buncombe man. They accidentally straggled, on a scared wolf which was running as a scared wolf will, when the Buncombe man exclaimed: 'I guess he is going to Asheville.' Yes, it must have been as stated by the Buncombe man; all the world and the flesh seem to be coming to Asheville, the "old boy" always takes another direction.

AN IMPROVEMENT.
From every quarter in this section we hear of an extraordinary amount of grass and clover being sown. This is the best news we have had from our farmers in a long time. Keep up the good work, brethren. Grass and root crops will make this country yet.

FOR THE ASHEVILLE CITIZEN.
Messrs. Editors—I wish to endorse a name presented through your most estimable paper, for Mayor, that of Mr. A. T. Summey. He possesses the entire confidence of every business man in Asheville. He is the friend of the laboring man (regardless of race, color, or previous condition). He can control more colored votes than any man in our city fitted for the place! No man can doubt Mr. Summey's ability! Honestly, or his unprejudiced conservatism! Let us unite on the above gentleman for Mayor and the old Board of Aldermen!

STATE NEWS.
The Goldsboro Messenger says: Rev. Thos. Dixon, Jr., has accepted the call from the Second Baptist church, of Raleigh, and will, we learn, preach his first Sunday in May. Our Baptist friends part with their popular pastor with deep regret and our citizens generally wish him continued success in the ministry.

Churches To-Day.
FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH—Rev. W. A. NELSON, D. D., Pastor.
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ARRIVAL AND DEPARTURE OF PASSENGER TRAINS.
SALISBURY—Arrives 6:30 p. m. and departs 6:45 p. m.
TENNESSEE—Arrives 10:40 a. m. and departs 10:55 a. m.

INTERESTING READING MATTER ON FOURTH PAGE.

R. R. Jones, at the Pioneer No. 23 South Main street, opened the season for Mixed Drinks on the 15th of April, and will continue to serve them through the season. Milk Punches, Big Yellow, Whiskey Punches, Sangarees, and other mixed drinks called for, delivered free of charge, anywhere within the fire limits of the city.

The ordinance of baptism will be administered at the First Baptist Church this evening at 8 o'clock. The large dynamo at the electric light works was injured by the storm of Friday night to some extent; so that last night there was some curtailment of the service.

Church goes may have a somewhat muddy walk to-day. But mind does not seriously impede the weekly round of shopping, visiting and promenading. Let it not block the way to the church door.

Misses Nora Henry, Mollie and Dollie Price, and Mrs. James Price, chaperoned by Mrs. Riley, came over from Flat Rock on Thursday for the Thespian Entertainment, and express themselves well repaid for their trip.

Friday night a heavy rain began to fall which continued late into the night. There was continuous thunder and lightning, but not severe, and no damage done, as we learn. It is said that the Swannanoa was higher than known for some years.

Flour has "fallen" at Reynolds, Baird & Co.'s—best brands at \$3.00 per hundred. The breaking down yesterday of several talies overloaded with this commodity caused a commotion, and induced these gentlemen to sell their flour at a low figure.

A large number of our citizens met Messrs. Bowen and Cothran of the Charleston, Cumberland Gap, and Chicago Railroad Company, yesterday. These gentlemen are very sanguine of the early completion of this road from Aiken, S. C., to Asheville, and on to the North. A splendid line, of most practicable grade, has been secured across the mountains through Estate Gap, and thence on down the French Broad to Asheville. May she come on and that rapidly.

PLEASANT WORDS FOR THE CITIZEN.
The Franklin Press says: The daily ASHEVILLE CITIZEN entered its third volume on the 14th inst. It is a bright, newsy, reliable paper, edited with good judgment and great ability, and its influence is felt and acknowledged in Western North Carolina and throughout the State. It has been a zealous worker for the building up of Asheville, and the remarkable growth and prosperity of that city are in a great measure attributable to its labors. We wish for the CITIZEN a golden harvest in the future.

THE CAROLINA CUMBERLAND GAP AND CHICAGO RAILROAD COMPANY—IMPORTANT MEETING.
A large number of the prominent business men of Asheville met yesterday in the office of the President of the First National Bank, to take necessary steps to aid in the survey of the above road from Brevard to Asheville. On motion of Capt. Natt Atkinson Mr. S. R. Kepler, President of the Asheville Board of Trade, was called to preside, and Mr. Jordan Stone was requested to act as secretary.

President Bowen of the Road, and Hon. Mr. Cothran, M. C. of South Carolina, and a member of the board of directors, were present, and addressed the meeting. These gentlemen gave a most encouraging account of the condition and prospects of the road, which was highly gratifying to the meeting.

A subscription was asked to secure the immediate survey of the road through North Carolina, and the secretary Mr. Stone was directed to solicit and secure the amount, and, without leaving the room quite the amount was secured. A committee of six was appointed to solicit subscriptions to complete the amount required: The following were appointed to co-operate with the secretary:

W. W. Rollins, John Nichols and J. M. Guder Jr. of Madison; A. M. Alexander, Dr. J. A. Reagan, and G. M. Roberts, of Buncombe. The statement of Messrs. Bowen and Cothran produced feelings of great encouragement among the business men present. Everything, indeed, points to a certainty as regards the early completion of this road, of vast importance to Asheville and Western North Carolina.

On motion of Hon. H. A. Guder a vote of thanks was given Messrs. Bowen and Cothran for their attendance upon this meeting, and for the encouragement they had given concerning this road. Our people are alive to their interests, and are ready to cooperate with any and all enterprises which promise other railroad connections.

"Mr. Featherly," inquired Bobbly, notwithstanding the injunction of his father that little children should be seen, not heard; "have you got holes in your feet?" "Holes in my feet!" exclaimed the astonished young man. "Yes, pa says you must have, or you couldn't drink all the liquor you do."

THE REEVES HOUSE,
Now approaching completion at the growing and attractive town of Waynesville, will prove not only a valuable acquisition to that town but to Western Carolina. It will propose to entertain all the traveling public, but such as seek its hospitality it will give such entertainment as will be most pleasant. It will be opened on the 1st of June, and Mr. and Mrs. Reeves will be ready then to receive their friends in their new hotel, and guarantee all a most pleasant and satisfactory accommodation.

A SERIOUS HURT.
A young man from the country named Henry Rogers, had a serious fall yesterday afternoon. He was leaning against a slight rail which guards the sidewalk at Chestester's new basement on Patton Avenue. He was leaning with his back to the excavation when the rail broke and he fell a distance of about ten feet. He struck his right hip, and receiving a very severe severe scalp wound, the combined effects of which are serious. He was at once taken to the Western Hotel, and received the best surgical aid. We presume that his condition involves no dangerous results.

DIED.
At her home on Swannanoa, April 18th, 1887, Mrs. Susana Patton, wife of James L. Patton (deceased), aged 74 years, 11 months and three days. She was a member of the Methodist Church. Her suffering was great but she bore it with patience, and said sometime before her death she was willing to go where the Lord called her. She was greatly beloved by all who knew her. She leaves three children and a number of relatives and friends to mourn her loss.

LAURA.
Snowy brows no care shall fade them, Bright eyes tears shall never dim, Right lips no care shall fade them, Jesus called her unto Him.

THE CHARLESTON, CUMBERLAND GAP AND CHICAGO RAILROAD.
Yesterday a large number of our business men met with President Bowen, of the above road, and Congressmen Cothran, a director in said road, in a matter which involved much to Asheville and the interest of the road itself. Mr. Kepler was made chairman of the meeting, and Mr. Stone, of the CITIZEN, secretary.

After a full statement of affairs and prospects, by President Bowen, and Mr. Cothran, the meeting proceeded to subscribe the necessary amount to have a full and accurate survey of the road to Asheville, with the declared purpose of completing the survey to the Tennessee line. The amount was raised without difficulty, which is an additional evidence of the purpose of Asheville to have additional railroad facilities. It is necessary to secure other subscriptions to secure such other connections as are assured by the Charleston, Cumberland Gap and Chicago Railroad, to the meeting, guarantees such assistance.

The prospects are most encouraging for the completion of this road from the South Carolina connections to Asheville. It is this section which it is proposed shall be completed first. When this section can be completed, the remainder, extending through Cumberland Gap, on to Cincinnati and Chicago, with the use of lines already constructed, is only a matter of short time. A splendid opening is made for Asheville by this enterprise. We need not suggest to our people the advantages of using it for all it is worth.

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OUR RAINFALL.
Our estimable friend Theodore Benedict Lyman furnishes us the following information concerning rainfall in this city, which is very interesting as well as instructive: "The greatest amount of rainfall last year," says Mr. Lyman, "occurred during the latest part of June and the first three days of July during which time there fell six inches. The heaviest rain of one day occurred on the 17th August, when we had two inches. The days when it rained over one inch were, June 21st, 23rd, 29th, July 1st, 3d, August 17th, November 17 to 25. The following may also be of interest: In April, in 7 days, 4.92 May 13 " 5.24 June 19 " 6.30 July 14 " 3.87 August 15 " 3.39 Sept. 10 " 2.51 Oct. 5 " 0.82 November 8 " 4.89 December 4, 5, and 6th, we had 60 hours of snowfall, the snow reaching a depth of two feet. I have made a calculation that 400,000 tons of water fell in Asheville last night, (23d inst.) in an area of four square miles, 100,000 tons to the square mile. T. B. L."

We thank our friend for this information, and hope he will do the public the service of keeping it through the CITIZEN.

LATEST STATE NEWS.
The Raleigh correspondent of the Richmond Dispatch, under date of Friday, gives the following items: It is stated that the Oxford Orphan Asylum is just now in pressing need of funds. Attorney-General Davidson advises the Board of Agriculture that the tax on fertilizers is a tax for police purposes, and thus on an entirely different footing from that on drummers. The recent cyclone in Chatham county was much more disastrous than at first reported. It wrecked, so far as heard from, over a dozen buildings, but as yet no loss of life is reported. Two young daughters of Mr. Neal Knight were hurt, but not seriously. The Board of Agriculture held a long session this evening. John Robinson, of Wadesboro, Anson county, was elected Commissioner of Agriculture vice Montford McGhee. Robinson has for some years been a member of the board. Thomas K. Bruner, of Salisbury, was elected secretary. He has been filling that position temporarily since last autumn. The Board of Directors of the State Agricultural and Mechanical College this evening adopted a resolution setting forth that the way is clear to make a beginning in the establishment of a system of plants and to erect buildings. The entire matter is left to a committee of five to be appointed to-morrow. This committee will employ an architect to arrange for the construction of buildings and to look after the financial matters.

"No, sir," he said, emphatically; "I have traveled for forty years on the road and I never yet went through an accident." "How do you account for it?" "Well, sometimes I think it's providence, and sometimes I think it's because I never happened to get on a train that was wrecked."

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The Morganton Star says: Maj. J. W. Wilson, whose well merited reputation as an expert railroad engineer is known throughout the United States and Europe, passed over the proposed route of the Southern & Western Air Line Road from Shelby to Morganton, on his way to Shelby last week, for the first time. Much had been told him of the level country from the Burke line to Shelby; but like the Queen of Sheba, when she surveyed the grandeur of Solomon's vast dominions: the half had not been told him.

The Charlotte Chronicle says: Groom's tobacco warehouse and Mrs. Bell's millinery store in High Point, were destroyed by fire yesterday morning. The fire was discovered at one o'clock in the warehouse, and the building, together with its contents of tobacco, was totally destroyed. An adjoining building, owned by Mr. Groom and occupied by Mrs. Bell, as a millinery store, was also destroyed, but a portion of Mrs. Bell's stock of goods was saved, though in a damaged condition. The stock of tobacco in the warehouse was valued at one thousand dollars.

The Salisbury Watchman says: We understand that all trains will run from Paint Rock via Statesville to Charlotte after the first of May, instead of coming direct to Salisbury, and that a mixed train will run from here to Statesville. A merchant in this place, who deals in provisions, was heard to say, this week, that nearly all the country bacon bought at his house this year was bought from negroes. He sold to a gentleman in Concord a very nice lot of hams made by a darkey of this county, an old plantation servant of the late John Lyerly. We are not informed whether this old darkey patronizes the guano business or not; but being of the "old issue" it is probable that he does not.

The Wilmington Star says: The small river steamer Delta was totally wrecked by the explosion of her boiler last Monday night about four miles above Point Caswell on Back River. Lord Sparman, the colored fireman, was blown into the woods about forty feet and instantly killed. Capt. J. D. Keer, the owner and master of the steamer, was severely bruised about the legs, but none of his bones broken. Frank Adrews, colored boat hand, was scalded very seriously. Carolina Newkirk, colored, was severely scalded. Gus Moore, the colored pilot, was struck on the head and bruised and slightly scalded.

The Franklin Press: Mr. H. S. Lucas, proprietor of the celebrated corundum mines near Cull's ja, in this county, has lately erected a large three-story building, two miles below his mines, and the corundum will now be conveyed through wooden gutters to this building, where it will be washed, crushed and prepared for shipment. This is said to be the largest corundum mine in the United States. We regret to learn that Mr. Caleb Cnley, of this county, was thrown from a mule last week, and painfully hurt, and that a little boy who was riding behind him had his thigh broken by the accident.—Dr. W. O. Patton, Representative of Cherokee, and lately appointed as U. S. Consul, was married to Miss Lester, an accomplished young lady, at Murphy, last week, as we learn from a friend.

Use Dr. Pierce's "Pellets" for all bilious attacks. ap 20 dawly

The hard times are going to have one good effect. They will teach the farmers to raise their own provisions, and they will make the cities and towns go in for manufacturing all kinds of things which we need, such as shoes, wagons, buggies, buckets, paper, brooms and many other articles which we have heretofore been getting from the North.

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There was an Englishman on board, the younger son of a lord, who may be said to represent a type of husband much sought after in certain limited circles in the United States. This Englishman, married, several years ago, the daughter of a wealthy Boston gentleman. He spends three months every year in Boston with his wife and the other nine months in England alone. He has never taken his wife over with him to his own home. He was asked by a friend on this trip why he did not bring his wife. "Oh," said he, "she is kept at home by a baby, I believe, or something like that."

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