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THE WEATHER.

By Telegraph to the Gazette. Washington, Feb. 7.—Generally fair, followed by increasing cloudiness; warmer; easterly to southwesterly winds. The following temperatures prevailed at 8 p. m.: Asheville 25 Fair, Atlanta 24 Cloudy, Boston 24 Fair, Chicago 30 Cloudy, Cincinnati 30 Fair, Raleigh 28 Fair, Jacksonville 40 Fair, New York 24 Cloudy, Washington 20 Fair.

Dr. H. J. Chapman, in charge of the government weather bureau at the Winyah, reported at 9 o'clock last night the following weather condition prevailing in Asheville: Maximum temperature for the day... 60, Minimum temperature for the day... 20, Average temperature for the day... 40, Average relative humidity... 53, Barometer at 9 p. m... 27.95. Stationary.

NOTICE TO ADVERTISERS.

Advertisements for the Gazette to receive proper attention must be received at the office before 2 p. m. on the day preceding their publication. This refers particularly to display advertisements and is worthy of attention by all merchants who desire their announcements attractively displayed.

BY NEWS IN BRIEF.

Great fun for all those who may attend the Spinsters' recital tonight. Be sure to go to the Spinsters' entertainment tonight at the college. The regular monthly meeting of the board of trade will be held this evening. The board of county commissioners were in session yesterday and will continue work today. Dr. Whittington's little daughter gave a party last evening to a number of her friends. Deatur Maney, son of Clingan Maney, died at his father's residence on Ivy day before yesterday. There will be a meeting this afternoon of the Pathology club at four o'clock in Dr. Campbell's study. There was a card party last evening at Mrs. Ellerbe's on Haywood street. A number of prizes were given. New and special features that are side-splitting have been added to the program to be rendered by the Spinsters tonight. There will be a meeting of Camp Johnson Peitrew, Sons of Confederate Veterans, in the city hall this evening at 8 o'clock. J. W. Orenshaw has presented Mr. Frank Carter with a silk handkerchief that is fifty-five years old and in a perfect state of preservation. Members of the rabbit hunt party are requested to meet tomorrow morning at the drug store of J. B. S. McIntosh at 9 o'clock promptly, ready for the chase. Dr. I. A. Harris, county superintendent of health, yesterday visited the poor house and convalescent and reports both places in a healthy condition. Judges James H. Merrimon and C. A. Moore are at Richmond for the purpose of arguing Western North Carolina cases before the court of appeals. Tickets are only twenty-five cents to the entertainment to be given tonight at the Asheville free kindergartens. Dr. J. Howell Way brings from Waynesville news of the serious illness from paralysis of Mrs. Sara Moody, the mother of J. M. Moody, at her home on Jonathan's creek. Miss Kate Nell, of Yancey county, the only daughter of Capt. J. R. Nell, the pioneer apple grower of Western North Carolina, was married last Friday to Mr. D. P. Ray. At the bi-monthly meeting of the county medical board last night, Dr. L. B. McIntosh read a most excellent paper treating of hypochondria. Its benefits and many of the results. Following McMahan of Barnardville, who has been at Knoxville for some days undergoing a surgical operation, was reported yesterday as being in a dying condition. Relatives and friends of McMahan were notified of his condition by wire yesterday. The Flower Mission held its regular meeting at the residence of Mrs. Dr. Burroughs yesterday afternoon. The reports showed very little illness among the poor. An interesting feature of the meeting was the discussion following the reading of a letter that urged that street beggars should not be given alms, but remittances made to the Flower mission. M. Coffin, auctioneer, will sell on south side of Court Square, on Wednesday, February 11th, at 12:30 o'clock, a black mare; good riding horse; drives single or double.

I leave Asheville by the last of February. All notices wishing photographs must have them made by the 10th, as I will not agree to make negatives after that date.

MRS. ALTHIA PENLAND DEAD.

Passed to Her Rest at an Early Hour This Morning. The people of Asheville will be grieved to learn of the death of Mrs. Althea M. Penland, widow of the late M. F. Penland, which occurred at five minutes to one o'clock this morning at her residence at 38 North Main street. Mrs. Penland has been critically ill for some time, but her sudden demise was unexpected by friends and relatives. She was seventy-six years of age and leaves three children, W. H. Penland and Miss Mary Penland of this city, and Mrs. I. H. Bailey of Baker'sville. Mrs. Penland, before her marriage, was a Miss Coleman, and her family was one of the most prominent in Buncombe county. She had many friends and was highly esteemed as a Christian lady. Arrangements for the burial will be made this morning.

McCURRY CAPTURED

A Noted Desperado of Yancey County Now in the Burnsville Jail.

George W. McCurry, the Jack's creek, Yancey county, desperado, has at last been captured and is safely lodged in the county jail at Burnsville. The following letter was received yesterday by a liquor dealer in this city: Burnsville, N. C., Feb. 5, 1898. A. A. Featherston, Asheville, N. C. Dear Sir—I have George McCurry lodged in Burnsville jail. If you have anything against him send the papers at once and I will serve them. His friends may bail him out, so send the papers at once, as we want everything to hold him. Respectively, P. H. FELTZ, Deputy Sheriff of Yancey County.

Mr. Featherston says that McCurry obtained sixty-six dollars from him by representing that he had a quantity of liquor which he could deliver at a stipulated price if he had the money to pay for the necessary government stamps. Upon this representation Mr. Featherston advanced him the required sum of money and has not received the goods or heard anything from McCurry except what has appeared in the Gazette. Yesterday he swore out a warrant against McCurry before Justice T. I. Van Gilder and forwarded it to the deputy sheriff at Burnsville.

ZEB VANCE CLUB

Enthusiastic Meeting and the Membership Increased to 756.

The attendance last night at the Zeb Vance democratic club was unusually large. Every available seat in the room was taken and a number of extra benches were provided. The roll of membership was increased by the addition of about fifty names, making a total of 756. The speakers of the evening were Chas. A. Webb and W. H. Young. Both these gentlemen made interesting speeches which were received with much applause. The members of the club who were called on for speeches were: Messrs. Whitson, George Thibon, Brown, and Dr. Starnes. President Luther presided and Hilliard Morris acted as secretary.

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We think we deserve it. We have spent time and money perfecting this branch of our business. It isn't an easy thing to compound a prescription—it requires care and brains—it requires accuracy and practice. You place implicit confidence in your physician, who prescribes the medicine and the druggist who compounds it. We realize this fully, and act accordingly. We want you to have every confidence in us—we want your prescription trade. We have made a specialty of this line we will appreciate your trust. None but graduated pharmacists fill prescriptions at

J. B. S. McINTOSH, SUCCESSOR TO The White & Smith Drug Co.

MEETING OF S. P. C. A.

There will be a meeting of the North Carolina Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals and of the board of managers at the residence of Mrs. Sprigg, Patton avenue, foot of Battery Park hill, this afternoon at four o'clock. All persons who feel interested in the society are cordially invited to be present.

Just try a box of Casoreto, the finest liver and bowel regulator ever made. At Pelham's Pharmacy.

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You say fairly talk about our coal that you may see its superior qualities. Make your fire and it will speak for itself. Burning it stands out like a picture and beats like a volcano and it is clean and it is all there.

CAROLINA COAL CO., 22 Patton Ave. Phone 190.

Free--2 Boys' Suits Worth \$5.00 Each.

A chance for boys to get new suits free. We want every boy in Asheville and vicinity to write us an "ad."—in other words lend us your brains—we're willing to pay for the use of them.

We want every boy under 16 years of age, in and around Asheville to write and bring or send to us before February 25th, five reasons why ALL BOYS SHOULD BUY THEIR CLOTHING, CAPS, ETC., FROM ALEXANDER & COURTNEY.

Contestants under 11 years of age will be considered separate from those between 11 and 16, so that the little boys have equal chance; hence the boy under 11 whose "ad." (or five reasons) shall be adjudged the best, will get free his choice of our \$5.00 suits; and the boy between 11 and 16 who writes the best "ad." (or 5 reasons) will get his choice of our \$5.00 suits also.

Write out your reasons, numbering them 1, 2, 3, 4, 5; sign your name, address and age at bottom, and let us have it as soon as possible.

We will give all contestants a special discount of 20 per cent. on all they buy from us during February.

The contest will be decided by a committee, who will not know the name of any contestant.

Alexander & Courtney, 50 Patton Avenue.

It is So Handy

and convenient to have a pen in your pocket filled and ready for immediate use. No shaking, no coaxing necessary to make our \$1.25 and \$2.25 Fountain Pens work, else your money back. They come in fine, medium and stub points and we have so many of each we feel sure we can suit you. No trouble to try. Saves so much dipping.

Rogers' Book Store,

22 South Main Street.

AT LAST

We have on display some '98 "EAGLES" and as we are highly pleased with them we want you all to come in and see them even if you don't want to purchase. We want you to see them and tell your friends about them. They are beauties.



ASHEVILLE CYCLE COMPANY,

Eugene C. Sawyer, Mgr., Telephone 228. 47 Patton Avenue.

COLD WEATHER GOODS.

You may need them. If so, a bargain can be secured in the following articles: Men's Sweaters, Men's Woolen Underwear, Men's and Boy's heavy Overcoats and Ulsters. Just a small lot in each of the above lines left, and they must be sold.

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All Asheville people who are going to Knoxville, as well as those who stay at home should try the juicy fresh meat to be had at A. M. Goodlake's, 33 East street. Phone 209.

DR. GEO. THRASH, SURGERY AND MEDICINE.

Office and Residence, Phone 211. 24 South Main St.

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The Smith Premier



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PHONE 88.

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A Perfect and Tasteless Preparation of the Extract of Cod Liver Oil.

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Don't try to do your own laundry work. Don't have anything to do with it. Don't go to a laundry where you have to tell them how to do your work. That's almost as much bother as doing it yourself. Send your clothes to us, and you shall have them just as you like them, just when you want them. We use no injurious chemicals. We don't tear the fabric.

Asheville Steam Laundry, Phone 95. 48 West College street.

Speak For It.



Only say the word, and tell what kind of coal you wish, stove, grate, furnace, and we will deliver it at your residence promptly at as low a price as we care to plan, good weight and fine grade, and you will never want any better fire than our coal will furnish you. Unless you want to buy water, you want dry coke. Ours is kept sheltered.

Asheville Ice and Coal Company, 34 PATTON AVENUE. PHONE 40.

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Superior Facilities for Doing a General Banking Business.

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Gift Distribution Begins on Monday, February 7, '98

With each roll on my *Faircast* wheels the customer gets a ticket and a coupon attached to it with a corresponding number. The one holding the lucky number will get a prize. For the first week the prize will be one box of

60 Blomberg Selecto Cigars

or any leading Five Cent Cigars I keep in stock. All who will have such tickets bring them with you the following Monday when the drawing will take place.

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South Court Square.

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