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I house situated on the same. inis valuable property will be sold at Way wille, N. C., where it is situated it of to give purchasers a better op-

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be due on each, can be seen at my offic in Asheville, N. C. JOHN P. ARTHUR,

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\$4.70, via Salisbury \$5.20. For full informations call on ticke agents or address F. R. Darby, C. P. & T. A., Asheville, N. C., or R. L. Ver non, T. P. A.) Charlotte, N. C.





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NEWS.

ing with a pistol T. W. Small accidentizing what he had done and frenzied with grief and excitement, Smrll atties are well known and lived about six miles from here.

The state agricultural department is now making up from its museum a special collection from exhibits to be sent to Paris for the great exposition. Not only is it availing itself of the museum collection, but it is gathering fresh specimens. The line of exhibits will be a wide one. It will embrace forestry products, including native timbers and plants. There will be economic fishery products, minerals, including gold, silver, copper and iron ores with some fine specimens of native silver secured within the past few days; gems to the number of several hundred, cut and uncut; agricultural products, especially cotton and tobacco; horticultural products, such as fruits and n'ative ornamental shrubs.

News reaches here of a very singular and romantic marriage which took place in Baldwin township, in this county, on last Sunday, in which Mr. Elias Harris, a very respectable and well to do farmer, 73 years of age, and a Miss Hickman, a maiden aldy of some 35 or 40 summers, were the contracting, parties. It seems that Mr Harris, who, until Sunday, was a widower of some six weeks duration, claims to have been visited by the Lord in a trance on last Friday night in on high it was the solemn duty for the twain to become united in the bonds of matrimony. The supposed vision resulted in Mr. Harris calling on the lady, proposing marriage, being accepted, procuring a marriage license here Saturday and being married on Sunday .- Pittsboro Despatch.

First Baptist church-Services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Preaching at both hours by the pastor, Rev. W. M. Vines. Subject this morning, "What is Your Life?" Subject tonight, "God's defini-

French Broad Baptist church-Rev. C H. Durham, pastor. There will be special music this merning and preaching by the pastor at both services.

West End Baptist church—Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. by the pastor, Rev. J. F. Vines.

First Presbyterian church—Rev. R. F. Campbell, D. D., will fill his pulpit at the usual hours. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Christian Endeavor society meeting

Central M. E. church, South-Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. Preaching by Rev. J. H. Weaver, D. D., pastor, at 11 a. m., and at 7:30 p. m. Epworth League decotional service at 6:45 p. m. All cor-

North Asheville M. E. church, South, Rev. E. K. McLarty, pastor-Services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

Haywood Street M. E. church, South Rev. J. N. Huggins, the pastor will

Bethel M. E. church, South, Rev. J. J Gray, pastor. Sunday school 9:30. Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

invited. First Church of Christ, Scientist, Pythian hall, Nos. 35 and 37 South Main S.t

dially invited. Seats free. SUNDAY AFTER CHRISTMAS.

St. Lawrence's Catholic church-First mass at 8 a. m. Second mass at 11 a. m. Vespers 7:30 p. m. Trinity church-Rev. McNeely Dubose

St. Matthias' church-Holy communion 11 a m.; evensong and sermon, 4 p. m. Rev. Henry S. McDuffey, priest in

All Souls' church, Biltmore, Rev. R. R. Swope, D. D., rector-Service at 11 a. m. and 5 p. m. All seats in the church are free and the public is cordially invited to attend the services.

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which it was commanded of him to take himself on the following morn to the house of a neighboring lady, a Miss Hickman, and state that in accordance with a special command from

AT THE CHURCHES.

est 6:45 p. m.

dially invited to these services.

preach at both services.

St. Paul's Lutheran Mission. Sunday school. 10 a. m. Services 11 a. m. in the old Library building. All cordially

Services at 11 a. m. The public are cor-

rector-Holy communion, 8. a. m.; morning prayer, 11 a. m.; Children's Christmas service, 4:30 p. m. The children will meet in the chapel at 4:15 p. m.

cold if the surfaces of the body are kept alt an even temperature. The trouble may be from without or it may be from within-that is, by not being either properly or sufficiently clad; by not having perfect circulation, or by not eating such food as is needed to furnish the required heat of the body. The chilliness you experience in the winter arises from one of two causes: first, lack of sufficient carbonaceous food; second, poor circulation, possibly due to lack of exercise.—January Ladies' Home Journal.

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4.30pm 12.05am 6.55pm 3.50am Lv Philadelphia Ar. 10.15am 2.56am 9.20pm 6.22am Baltimere 8.00am 11.25pm 6.42am 9.05pm 10.43pm 11.15am Washington Ar. Danville 6.10am 6.07pm Ar. 11.25pm 1.30pm 12.10am 12.01pm Richmond Ar. 6.40am 6.25pm 8.35pm9.10am Norfolk 8.20am 5.55pm 1.10am $2.50 \mathrm{pm}$ Selma 3.50am 12.35pm 2.09am $3.50 \mathrm{pm}$ Lv Raleigh Ar. 2,45am 11.35am 5.15am 6.25pm Greensboro 11.45pm Central Time Lv Salisbury 9.10am 6.35pn 9.40am Statesville 10.12am 8.03pm Ar. 5.27pm 8 53am Newton 10.52am 9.01pm 5.00pm 8.18am Hickory Lv 4.41pm 11.13am $9.20 \mathrm{pm}$ Ar. 8.01am Marion 10.30pm 12.34pm 6.52am 3.22pm Lv Biltmore 2.12pm 12.03am 1.42pm 5.26am 12.10am AF Asheville 2.20pm 1.37pm 5.20am Asheville 12.15am 1/10pm 5.15am 2.40pm Lv Hot Springs 1.29am 4.02pm 11.45am 4.00am 5.55pm3.00amLv Morristown 2.30am Ar-9.50am 4.25am 7.40pm Knoxville 8.25am Lv. 1.15am 7.40am Ar Chattanooga 11.35pm Lv. 4.20am 10.00pm 7.10 m 7.10pm Memphis 9.15am 9.15.am 6.40am 6.33pm Ar. Nashville Lv. 10pm 9.10am 7.50am 7.50pm Ar. Louisville Lv. 7.45pm 7.46am 7.30am 7.30pm Ar. Cincinnati Lv. 8.00pm 8.30am

Ar. New Orleans Lv. A. AND S. BRANCH.

No. 14. 7.05am	No. 10. 2.05pm	Lv	Central Time. Asheville Eastern Time	Ar.	Ne. 18. 6.00pm	No. 9. 137.pm
8.13am	3.12pm	Lv	Biltmere	AT.	6.52pm	2.30pm
9.08am	3.57pm		Hendersonville	AT.	6.05 pm	$1.42 \mathrm{pm}$
10.18am	5.00pm	Lv	Tryon	Ar.	5.00pm	12.40am
11.17am	6.00pm	Ar	Spartanburg	Lv.	$3.40 \mathrm{pm}$	11.40am
3.20pm	9.35pm	Ar	Calumbia	L.v	11.40am	8.30am
8.17pm	7.00am	Ar	Charleston	Lv.	7.00am	11.00pm
		Ar	Central Time Savannah	Lv.	12.05am	
9.25am		Ar	Jacksenvijle	Lv.	7.45pm	
	8.00am	Ar	Augusta	Lv.	9.00pm	9.36pm
3.55pm	5.10am	Ar	Atlanta	Lv.	7.50am	11.50pm
7.40am	8.10pm	Аг	New Orleans	Lv.	7.45pm	7.55am
7.40am		Ar	Memphis	Lv.	9.00pm	
710pm	8.30am	Ar.	Macon	Lv.	\$3.00am	7.10pm

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No. 17* No. 1* Central Time. No. 18.* No. 20.* 9:15am 2.45pm _v Asheville 6.30pm 12.05pm Lv Waynesville 10.38am 4.10pm 4.55pm 10.38am 10.58am 4.30pm Balsam 4.30pm 10.10am 12.40pm 6.23pm Lv Brysen City Lv. 2.00pm 8.40am 0.80pm Ar Murphy Lv. 5.30am

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