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CITY NEWS

The Asheville Hardware Company.

There was a progressive euchre party at Forest Hill last evening.

J. M. McMinn of Asheville was in town yesterday.—Hendersonville Times.

The republican county executive committee will meet at 11 o'clock today in the office of Dr. A. B. Ware.

Prof. J. J. Bitt has accepted an invitation to deliver an address at the close of Tuckasee high school, Jackson county, on May 9.

The hours of delivery on Sunday at the postoffice have been changed. Formerly the general delivery, stamp and carriers' windows were open from 5:30 until 6:30. From now on the deliveries will be made just one hour earlier.

Gray Eagle, the valuable horse owned by Patton & Stikeleather, that was seriously injured by having a buggy shaft run through his hip several weeks ago, was chloroformed last Monday. The animal improved some after he was hurt but laid down one day and broke a blood vessel which caused serious complications.

Mrs. M. F. Myers, secretary of the Golden cross lodge at this place, has just received a check for \$2000, which will be given to the widow of the deceased W. J. Hough, who was a member of the society. The order is open to both sexes and is rapidly growing in the south. The promptness with which the claim was paid is praiseworthy.

News has been received in Hendersonville of the death of Col. Samuel C. Bryson which occurred last week at his Texas home. Col. Bryson, though for many years a resident of Texas, was by birth a North Carolinian and was well known in this section. He was a veteran of the civil war and highly esteemed by his former comrades in arms.—Hendersonville Times.

Cards bearing the following announcement have been issued: "Special gospel meetings at the Christian church, on Haywood street, every night, beginning Sunday, April 13. Conducted by L. M. Osher, Minister. You are cordially invited. Prayer and praise service begins at 8:00; preaching at 8:15. Special music. Bring your friends. Come early and take a front seat."

The will of the late Mrs. L. A. Johnson was filed yesterday in the Superior court clerk's office. Dr. M. H. Fletcher and Sam P. Burton are executors. The value of the property is estimated at \$7500 and it is left to Lee Johnson, Mrs. Johnson's only child, and Mrs. M. C. Johnson, her mother-in-law, with a contingent interest therein to Samuel P. Burton, Martha Elizabeth Fletcher and Estelle Fletcher.

The regular semi-monthly dance was given in Ralston hall last evening. It was attended by about 50 of the young people, who tripped the light fantastic between the hours of 9 and 12 o'clock to the music of a string orchestra. The promoters of these affairs have lately issued cards bearing the name of the recipient which entitle the holder to admittance at any of the dances given by the club.

Attendance tickets for the Elks' circus can be exchanged at M. V. Moore's store on Patton avenue, from 10 a. m. to 3 p. m. today.

After 3 p. m. the chart will be open to everyone for either cash or advance tickets.

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THE CHANCELLOR DIPLOMATICALLY ILL

London, April 11.—In spite of today's announcement that the chancellor of the exchequer, Sir Michiel Hicks-Beach, is progressing so well it is not certain he will be able to introduce the Budget Monday next, there are many who believe another postponement is likely to occur. It is openly said that the indisposition of the chancellor of the exchequer is more diplomatic than organic. Those who waited on Mr. Chamberlain yesterday to discuss the trade of the West Indies went away with a strong impression that the government, even at this late date, is not definitely decided as to how to raise the sum represented by the enormous deficit. Nevertheless, countless rumors regarding the budget provisions continue to circulate.

The Associated Press has good reason to believe that a tax will be imposed on flour, while it is possible some sort of duty may be placed on wheat. There will be a duty on petroleum, it is thought, but this is merely an intelligent surmise, as the budget proposals are guarded with zealous secrecy, in order to avoid the loss of revenue which would occur owing to any business interest taking advantage of a premature leakage of the last budget's proposals. After much consultation, the cabinet appears to favor allotting the West Indies a lump sum to be divided among the plantations in order to tide over the period between now and the time when the agreement of the Brussels sugar convention comes into effect. There is considerable anxiety among the British sugar trade to know whether the United States will regard the bestowal of a lump sum as being in the light of a subsidy and will retaliate by imposing a countervailing duty on West Indian sugars. If such be the case, it is pointed out, pecuniary relief by the im-



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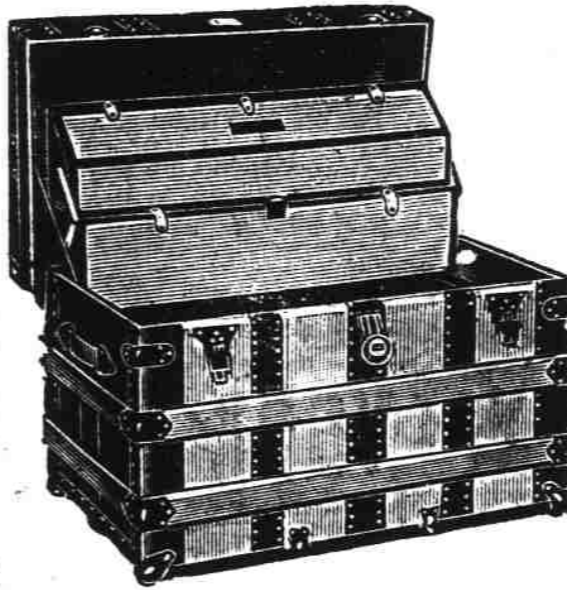
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FATAL ACCIDENT TO A BASEBALL PLAYER

Richmond, April 11.—W. W. Marsh, the son of Vev. Mr. Marsh, while practicing ball in Lynchburg today, ran to catch a fly, and fell over a steep embankment and was killed. He had signed to play on the Wilmington, N. C., team this season.

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