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RAILROAD PLANS WERE DISCUSSED

Executive Session of Mr. Patterson and Special Committee of the Board of Trade.

What is said to have been an interesting conference on a new railroad project was held last night between a committee from the board of trade and W. H. Patterson of Atlanta, president of the Greenville and Knoxville railroad. While the meeting was of an executive nature with little given out at this time for publication, it is known that the committee has taken under advisement plans and a tentative proposition outlined by Mr. Patterson. The business interests of Asheville are keenly alive to the necessity of a competing line of railway for Asheville and it was upon invitation of the board of trade and other local interests that Mr. Patterson recently came here and laid before the board of trade his plan for completing a railway from Greenville, S. C., to Knoxville, Tenn., for connection with the L. & N.

In the plans of Mr. Patterson Asheville was not included in the proposed route and it was with the view of inducing the promoters and builders of the new railway to have Asheville included that conferences were arranged for. It was stated today that those fully acquainted with the situation from a "new railroad" standpoint are greatly encouraged over recent developments and that with an increasing demand on the part of the commercial interests for a competing line of railway there is strong hope for the accomplishment of this desire.

The proposition which Mr. Patterson discussed with the board of trade relates to the extending of the Greenville and Knoxville railroad to and through Asheville; 20 miles of road has been constructed from Greenville this way while from Knoxville W. J. Oliver has built and is operating a line 20 miles long to Sevierville. It is the plan of the builders to co-operate and complete the construction of the road from Greenville to Knoxville and Asheville is anxious to get in on the ground floor.

GIANTS AND NATIONALS HOLD REGULAR SWATFAST

The Latter Won, 10 to 7—Five Double Plays Featured the Game.

| Team | Won | Lost | P. C. |
|-----------|-----|------|-------|
| Pirates | 5 | 1 | .833 |
| Giants | 4 | 2 | .666 |
| Cardinals | 3 | 2 | .600 |
| Nationals | 2 | 3 | .400 |
| Cubs | 1 | 4 | .200 |
| Tigers | 1 | 4 | .200 |

The Giants by losing to the Nationals yesterday were forced down from tying the Pirates for first place into second position, only one game ahead of the Cardinals.

The game yesterday was a "swat-fest", each team getting 12 safe hits and the game ending 10 to 7 in favor of the Nationals. There were five double-plays, which is the league record. Emanuel and arlow were the batting stars, each securing three hits out of four times up. One of Marlow's drives being for a home run scoring two men ahead of him. Barber, Miller, Schartle, Zagier and Burbank each securing two hits.

The race now is getting very interesting, as each game won or lost makes a change in the standing of the different teams. Today the Cardinals to win would tie them for second place, and the Tigers are going to try to win also as they are anxious to climb higher in the per cent column.

R. L. SMITH PROMOTED; GOES TO TALLEDEGA

Appointed Manager of Western Union Office There, He Leaves Next Week.

Robert L. Smith, familiarly known to his friends in Asheville as "Man" Smith, for the past several years connected with the Asheville office of the Western Union Telegraph company, today received official announcement that he had been promoted and named as manager for the Western Union office at Talladega, Ala., a town some 40 miles from Birmingham. Mr. Smith, who has been in efficient charge of the Western Union office at the Auditorium during the session of the General conference of the Methodist Episcopal church, south, will probably leave to assume the duties of his new position either Monday or Tuesday. Mrs. Smith will join her husband in Talladega later.

The many friends of Mr. Smith in Asheville, while regretting to learn that he is to leave the city, will nevertheless extend to him their heartiest congratulations upon his success and promotion. He is distinctly an Asheville boy and during his connection with the local office of the Western Union, as clerk and later as telegraph operator, has won many close personal friends and the respect and esteem of all those with whom he came in contact. His friends are fully persuaded that he will "make good" in his position.

Seismograph Record Earthquake.

Washington, May 20.—An earthquake which is estimated to have been 5000 miles from Washington, was recorded by the seismograph at Georgetown university this morning.

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CITY NEWS

The board of aldermen will meet this evening at 8 o'clock in regular weekly session in the council chamber of City Hall.

The meeting of Asheville lodge, No. 106, K. of P., will be held this evening in Pisgah lodge hall, Asheville lodge being "in the hands of painters and paperhangers."

Today, May 20, the anniversary of the signing of the Mecklenburg Declaration of Independence, is being observed as a legal holiday throughout the state. All the banks of the city are closed.

The High School baseball team has sent a challenge through S. G. Rubinow, the manager of the team, to the Y. M. C. A. for a game of baseball when the association team is organized. It is stated that the High school team is behind on its expense account and that it desires another game with the hope of breaking even financially and of winning another victory this season.

Ladies

You can get the famous Blue Ribbon Vanilla and Lemon Extracts at your grocers. REAL FRUIT FLAVORS.

APPROACH TO AIRDOME ATTRACTIVELY ARRANGED

Manager Arnold Certain All Will Be Ready for Opening Monday.

Work on the airdome of the Asheville Amusement company, at the corner of Haywood and Walnut streets, is rapidly nearing an end and today Manager Arnold of the company said that he was certain all would be in readiness for the opening Monday. The entrance to the airdome is some 15 feet back from the sidewalk line on Haywood street, and between the sidewalk line and the entrance two fountains will send up small sprays while one of the fountain basins will be the playground of gold fish and the other will be "housed" silver fish. The trees on the outside of the 12-foot galvanized fence and on the inside will be illuminated with hundreds of electric lights; the entrance will be well lighted and also the inside of the "dome". Comfortable benches will be provided for the patrons of the airdome and an elevated trail may have a splendid view of the stage which is well raised and commodious.

Mr. Arnold said today that he had perfected arrangements for the Keith & Proctor circuit vaudeville and that high class entertainment would be offered the people of Asheville and the thousands of visitors this summer. The bill will be changed once every week.

POPULAR PRICES AND GRAND OPERA

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"taine." She will see the French dramatist in Paris and later will consult with Mr. Maurice Masterlinck concerning a play which she desires him to write for her.

Miss Nethercole expects to spend part of the summer in the Pyrenees.

Negro Hanged at Thomasville, Ga.

Thomasville, Ga., May 20.—With the jail guarded by three companies of state militia, Howard Harris, a negro convicted of assaulting a white woman, was hanged today.

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