

THE NEWS.

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Arrival and Departure of Trains.

NORTH BOUND.

No. 10 Mail and Ex. ar. 2:12 p.m.
 No. 8 Passenger ar. 9:30 p.m.
 No. 62 " " " 1:40 p.m.

SOUTH BOUND.

No. 9 Mail and Ex. de. 2:40 p.m.
 No. 7 Passenger de. 5:05 a.m.
 No. 63 " " " 9:05 a.m.

THE BOND ISSUE.

As far as we have been able to estimate the sentiment of our people, they are almost unanimously in favor of the \$20,000 bond issue for street improvement, all realizing the crying need of good streets.

On the question of voting \$80,000 for water works and sewerage, however, there is some division of opinion. Most of those who oppose the water and sewerage bonds, do so, not because these utilities are not needed, but because they prefer that private individuals or a private company should own and control these things. They say let a company put in water and sewerage and then let those who want these things, buy and pay for them, but don't put a tax on the whole town and force those who do not want these things to help pay for them.

This argument sounds pretty well and is calculated to appeal to those who do not think the matter out. A little consideration, however, will show the fallacy of the argument.

All towns when they reach a certain size find it absolutely necessary to do away with open wells or surface wells, such as Lenoir has, to preserve the health of the community. There are many wells in Lenoir now, that doubtless are unfit for domestic use and are productive of the sickness that is to be found in certain sections of the town and if the water from these wells was analyzed it would in many instances show dangerous impurities. This being true and it unquestionably is, it is only a question of short time until the present water supply of the town must of necessity be abandoned. So the sooner the town makes provision to meet this contingency the better. Now suppose the town votes the \$80,000 bond issue for water and sewerage and it takes the total amount to put in the systems, (the engineer says it will not, but in arguments sake let us consider that it does) what will be the cost to the people, of having 200,000 gallons of pure water delivered and distributed to them daily and to have the comforts and conveniences of a first class sewerage system.

Interest on bonds per year at 6%	\$1,800
Cost of maintaining, looking after water shed, etc., 1% on cost	800.00
Total	\$2,600

This does not provide for a sinking fund to pay the bonds, but the sale of water, or water rents as they are called, will, it is estimated by those who know, more than provide for such fund. So the citizens of Lenoir will get their water at first cost without any profit be-

ing added. Suppose a private concern puts in the system, the people will have to pay the interest on the bonds, cost of maintenance and a profit to the owners business. This profit will vary from 10 to 25 per cent, or may be more, and will very materially increase to cost to the people. Add 10 per cent. even, on the cost of the plant for profit, to the above estimate and that is a small profit for a private water company, who has a town by the throat to exact and we have an annual sum of \$13,600 that the people will have to as against \$5,600 if the town owns the system. And don't forget that everybody will have to pay it, for the wells will be condemned and filled up just as quick, if a private company owns the plant as they will if the town owns it. So everybody will have to use the water whether they want to or not and of course any private concern doing business will add all costs and then a profit to the price which the consumer has to buy. So between the two propositions the people of Lenoir should not hesitate, but build and own their water and sewerage systems.

The Doctor Away from Home When Most Needed.
 People are often very much disappointed to find that their family physician is away from home when they most need his services. Diseases like cramp colic and cholera morbus require prompt treatment, and have in many instances proven fatal before medicine could be procured or a physician summoned. The right way is to keep at hand a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. No physician can prescribe a better medicine for these diseases. By having it in the house you escape much pain and suffering and all risk. Buy it now; it may save life. For sale by J. E. Shell, Dr. Kent and Granite Falls Drug Co.

The arrest and imprisonment of several agents of the Southern Railway, and imposing heavy fines upon the Company, because the Company did not comply with provisions of the rate bill, passed by the last Legislature, seems to us, under the circumstances, to say the least to have been in very bad taste. The hearing of the cases, made up to test the constitutionality of the rate bill, was going on quietly, an able Judge having been appointed special master to take testimony and thoroughly investigate the matter, and report his findings to the United States Court of appeals. The interest of the public had been carefully guarded and protected by bonds and special orders of Judge Pritchard and for the several States Courts to "but in" in the way they have, seems to us, can do no good to anybody and only work to create stronger feeling between the people and the railroads and impede rather than facilitate the equitable adjustment of the differences. We do not wish to be regarded, in any way reflecting on the conduct of the several State Judicial officers who figured in the cases, but their conduct appears to have been "a play to the Galleries" or an effort to court favor with the people whose interests as stated above are thoroughly protected.

I will mail you free, to prove merit, samples of my Dr. Shoop's Restorative, and my Book on either Dyspepsia, The Heart or The Kidneys, Troubles of the Stomach, Heart or Kidneys, are merely symptoms of a deeper ailment. Don't make the common error of treating symptoms only. Symptom treatment is treating the result of your ailment, and not the cause. Weak Stomach nerves—the inside nerves—mean Stomach weakness, always. And the Heart, and Kidneys as well, have their controlling or inside nerves. Weaken these nerves, and you inevitably have weak vital organs. Here is where Dr. Shoop's Restorative has made its fame. No other remedy even claims to treat the "inside nerves". Also for bloating, biliousness, bad breath or complexion, use Dr. Shoop's Restorative. Write me today for sample and free Book. Dr. Shoop, Racine, Wis. The Restorative is sold by J. E. Shell.

Watauga Items.

Hon. S. L. Patterson, Commissioner of Agriculture, has been in town this week.

The new public school house at Valle Crucis is being painted. This is one of the best houses in the county.

Elder Cordell, of the Mt. Airy district held quarterly meeting in Boone and the Watauga circuits this week. He preached in town Sunday night.

Hon. R. Z. Linney came down from his summer home on Tater Hill Wednesday and spent some time in town.

These items from a friend of the Appalachian Training School.

Three good speeches from visitors this week. Mr. T. S. Greer, a former student of this school and who is now a graduate of Grant University, spoke on Pure Democracy. His speech was strong.

Rev. O. P. Ader, Pastor of the Watauga circuit, gave a splendid lecture on character building.

Rev. Cordell spoke on Education and his ideal of a school.

Reverends Brendall and Davis have been with us at morning prayers. Mr. Brendall gave a splendid talk to the young men. Mr. Davis lectured on the Tabernacle. A.M.

I'll stop your pain free. To show you you first—before you spend a penny—what my Pink Pain Tablets can do, I will mail you free, a Trial Package of them—Dr. Shoop's Headache Tablets, Neuralgia, Headache, Toothache, Period pains, etc., are due alone to blood congestion. Dr. Shoop's Headache Tablets simply kill pain by coaxing away the unnatural blood pressure. That is all. Address Dr. Shoop, Racine, Wis. Sold J. E. Shell's Drug Store.

The need of spiritual power in our congregational services, so that the unconverted will seek and find a present salvation, is felt by many, and we believe there is a sincere desire on part of many that every service should be crowned with this glorious evidence of the power of the gospel to save. But will we ever see this till we learn how to leave off our stage performances and get out of the shroud of formalism, giving the Holy Spirit the right of way? If two-thirds of our choirs could either be sent to heaven or induced to sing (yes, sing) gospel hymns, it would help wonderfully in the effort to make our services occasions of soul-saving. How it would thrill the congregation if, on next Sunday evening, the choir director would lead the whole congregation in "The Ninety and Nine" or "There's a Great Day Coming," or "Nothing but the Blood of Jesus," and frankly inform us that hereafter the special programs of music will be for special occasions!—Christian advocate.

For Sale.

I have the following property which I wish to dispose of before August 5th: One small farm within a mile of court house, one team of mules, one J. I. Nissen wagon (nearly new), one horse, one rubber tired Babcock buggy, several suits of nice furniture, one wood rack, one full set of farming tools, one thoroughbred Yorkshire sow and 5 pigs and many other articles of household and kitchen furniture.

Anyone wishing to purchase any of the above property will do well to see me at once.

Respectfully,
 A. E. WOLTZ.

Sunshine and shower make corn and cotton fairly hump their backs and bow their necks and go yonder.

Do you really enjoy what you eat? Does your food taste good? Do you feel hungry and want more? Or do you have a heavy, dull feeling after meals, sour stomach, bad breath, indigestion and dyspepsia? If so, you should take a little Kodol after each meal. Kodol will nourish and strengthen your digestive organs and furnish the natural digestive juices for your stomach. It will make you well. It will make your food do you good. Turn your food into good, rich blood. Kodol digests what you eat. Sold by J. E. Shell, Dr. Kent and Granite Falls Drug Co.

BUSINESS LOCALS.

Sarsaparilla 75c at Lenoir Drug Co. HAVE YOU bought your coal? See A. V. Miller.

\$1.10 a bushel for good new milling wheat. Lenoir Mills.

Low Shoes at reduced prices at W. A. Watson's.

Beef Wine and Iron 50c at Lenoir Drug Co.

10 lbs. good green Coffee for \$1.00 at Watson's.

Sarsaparilla for your blood, 25c at Lenoir Drug Co.

For Rent—Four room cottage western part of town. Apply to Dr. Kent

You can buy a bargain in all kinds of goods at W. A. Watson's.

Huyler's Candles received fresh every week at Lenoir Drug Co.

You can buy Pants and Clothing at reduced prices at W. A. Watson's.

For that tired feeling try our beef wine and iron, only 50c at Lenoir Drug Co.

WE WANT all the good milling wheat we can buy at \$1.10 per bu. Lenoir Mills.

We will close our doors Aug. 6, 7 and 8 for stock taking. Bernhardt-Seagle H. & F. Co.

SAMPLE SHOES—Plenty of Shoes and you can save from 50c to \$2.50 on the pair. The Racket.

A big line of Sample Hats for men and boys. Bought at half price and will be sold right at The Racket.

LOST—On road between Hickory and Granite Falls Ladies Brown Linen Coat. Finder please return to News office and receive reward.

The line of sample Shoes is beyond question, just what is claimed for them and I expect to have an extra lot yet this week. Sale will last as long as there any shoes to sell. The Racket.

LOST—A pair of Gold Rimmed Eye Glasses, in case branded H. D. Feast & Co., Washington, D. C. Liberal reward if returned to the News Office.

SAMPLES IN SHIRTS, ODD PANTS AND SHOES. Now is the time to get your fall and winter suit at wholesale prices and the best in quality. Goods open for your inspection Saturday July 20th. The Racket.

Dr. C. H. Taylor will locate in Lenoir for the summer beginning the first of July at Lenoir Livery Co.'s stables where he treats all diseases of Horses and Cattle.

SAMPLE CLOTHING! I have bought a big lot of Clothing in connection with my Sample Shoes and pants and can sell you a suit at wholesale prices. Suits from \$4.00 to \$18.00. Sale begins Saturday July 20th. The Racket.

VOTE FOR THE POPULAR GIRL. Each 5c. worth of Cold Drinks, Ice Cream Cigars and Candy gives you a vote for the popular girl. First prize Gold Watch. Second prize \$2.50 box Stationery. One pound Huyler's Candy given to the one having the largest number of votes each Saturday night for that week. Drink at the new drug store. Lenoir Drug Co.

A Democrat is a man who, after he has joined the Republicans, will eat scorched beef at a barbecue and say that is the way he likes it.

Cured of Lung Trouble.

"It is now eleven years since I had a narrow escape from consumption," writes C. O. Floyd, a leading business man of Kershaw, S. C. "I had run down in weight to 135 pounds, and coughing was constant, both by day and by night. Finally I began taking Dr. King's New Discovery, and continued this for about six months, when my cough and lung trouble were entirely gone and I was restored to my normal weight, 170 pounds." Thousands of persons are healed every year. Guaranteed at J. E. Shell's drug store. 50c and \$1. Trial bottle free.

A brainstormy California woman threw a brick at a cat and cracked a man's skull. That entitles her to the head of the class, for he was probably guiltier than the cat.

When there is the slightest indication of indigestion, heart burn, flatulence or any form of stomach trouble take a little Kodol occasionally and you will be afforded prompt relief. Kodol is a compound of vegetable acids and contains the juices found in a healthy stomach. Kodol digests what you eat, makes your food do you good. Sold by J. E. Shell, Dr. Kent and Granite Falls Drug Co.

USE VICK'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS Special Prescription FOR CONSTITUTION (TORPID LIVER, INDIGESTION—Easy Curative.) By mail or at dealers 25c a box. L. RICHARDSON, Mfg. Chemist GREENSBORO, N. C.

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Our Line
 of General Merchandise is Complete and Prices Right. Kindly give us a call before you buy.
 Yours to serve.
W. A. WATSON.

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 In Suits, Odd Pants and Shoes.
 Now is the time to get your Fall and Winter Suit at Wholesale Prices and the best in Quality.
 Goods open for your inspection Saturday, July 20th.
THE RACKET.
 "THE WORKING MAN'S FRIEND."

"GARLAND"
 Stoves and Ranges have the most artistic finish of any that we have ever seen. They are everywhere acknowledged to be the best in the world, while they cost no more than is often asked for inferior goods. They are as noted for durability, convenience, and economy of fuel, as well as for style and beauty. Sold exclusively by
R. H. SPAINHOUR & CO.

The James Shelby's Show
 Will Exhibit at Lenoir on Saturday, July 27th, one day only, rain or shine, under water proof tent.
 The James Shelby's show is strictly a clean, moral and refined exhibition in every particular. Ladies and children can attend our performance as well as gentlemen as there is nothing said or done to offend any one. Positively no gambling of any description with this show. A high-class performance which is sure to please both old and young alike. Good music by our famous brass band. Two Exhibitions daily. Doors open at 1 p.m. and at 7 p.m. Performance commencing an hour later.
 Will Exhibit on Mr. J. G. Hall's Pasture Lot.

The News, \$1.00 the Year.