

## LOCAL PARAGRAPHS.

E. W. Blythe is the happy father of another girl, born last Saturday.

Joe Picklesimer returned home last Wednesday night for the summer.

Walter White, brother-in-law of Thos. L. Walters, is visiting in Brevard for the summer.

Misses Hattie Glazener and Nannie Whitmore of Toxaway were visitors in Brevard Thursday and Friday last and gave the News office a pleasant call.

From appearances it would seem that the Brevard Laundry was preparing to travel round the country and take in washing. The proprietors have secured a 10-horse portable engine to run their business with.

We learn that Mrs. T. L. Clarke and children will leave Brevard this week to join Mr. Clarke in Atlanta. He seems to have a good job with continuous employment in sight, and they will try living in the city once more.

Gooseberries are ripening, blackberries are nearly on tap, rattlesnakes are ripe, campers and picknickers have arrived, and there is certainly "something doing" in the mountains of the old North State just at this time.

Brevard was well represented at the congressional convention in Hendersonville Tuesday. There was scarcely a candidate, officer or politician to be found on our streets, even Judge Faulkner remained invisible and speechless on that occasion.

It certainly seems strange that Toxaway can get a big enough crowd to have a circus and still Hendersonville can not. The same circus that showed at Toxaway on Wednesday refused to show in Hendersonville Tuesday on account of the small attendance.

A. E. Galloway, postmaster at Wolf Mountain, Jackson county was a caller at the News office on his return from the congressional convention Wednesday morning. He was taking in the points of interest in Brevard and of course had to include the News.

Prospects for baseball are better this year than ever before and you will be safe in betting on Brevard having the winning team. The team will be organized about the first of July and we will have about six weeks of the warmest ball ever seen in this part of the world.

The street overseer has our thanks for putting in crossing drains at the corner of Broad and Jordan streets. This has been a muddy crossing after every rain for 10 these many years, and this improvement will be appreciated by foot passengers who have to cross at this point.

Mrs. Farraday Reeves, who has been visiting her sister-in-law, Mrs. Claude Kinsland for several weeks, was called to Asheville by phone Wednesday. The message was from her husband who has been at St. Louis, and it notified her that they would spend the remainder of the summer at the seaside resorts.

Surveyor Hardin is busy with a force of helpers establishing permanent street corners, preparatory to the expenditure of the bond issue recently voted. This permanent survey is one of the most important steps in street improvement and we are glad to see that our present Town officers are wide awake to the necessity for accurate work.

## The Sunday Citizen.

Our metropolitan contemporary, the Asheville Daily Citizen, has undertaken to give its readers an illustrated write-up of the various summer resorts in this "land of sky" in its Sunday issues. Last Sunday's edition was devoted to Brevard and the Beautiful Sapphire Country, and had it been well printed would have been thankfully received by our people—as it is it will hardly be remem-

bered that such an edition was published. Had the News turned out such a job of half-tones its reputation as a print shop would have been ruined—and justly.

In the write-up of Brevard there is one omission which seems inexcusable—the Brevard Industrial School. This educational institution is one of the charities of the Women's Home Mission Society of the Methodist Church South, and has not only a local interest but is known and receives assistance from many southern states. To write up Brevard without mentioning this school is much like writing up Raleigh and omitting the state buildings.

One error which shows that those engaged in this work are not familiar with the sections they describe is the location of Casars Head in North Carolina. While it is one of the many attractions reached from Brevard, it is situated three miles beyond the state line in South Carolina. But when our people go away from home for publicity it is doubtful if they ever get "value received."

## Business Locals.

Notices in this column will be inserted at the price of 5cts per line.

Try Cox & Osteen for Flour.

Glenn Springs water in any quantity at Brevard Drug Co.

If you want low-cut Shoes at cost go to Ledbetter's.

Fresh Mutton and Lamb at Brevard Meat Market.

Heinz' Pickles & Preserves fresh at Carmichael & Osborne's.

A fresh supply of Huyler's candies just received by Brevard Drug Co.

I will be away from Brevard from June 16 till 26. J. H. McLean, D. D. S. 17-21

Glenn Springs, Ginger Ale, Soda, Bromo Pop and Sarsaparilla at Cox & Osteen's.

For rent—A 9-room house with bath on Main street. Apply to Thos. H. Shipman.

Shipment of Dry Goods, Notions and Hosiery just received by Carmichael & Osborne.

Pit, Panic, Trix and Finch—the new games of the year, at Brevard Drug Company's store.

For sale or Rent—A nice, new, 6-room cottage, furnished or unfurnished. Thos. L. Walters.

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For Sale or Exchange for cattle—Two good Mules in nice condition; will weigh 1900 to 2000 lbs. Apply at News office. 6 24 2

D. W. Badham, of Charlotte, N. C., is now in our section tuning the pianos for the Toxaway Company, and any one desiring his services can leave their order at The Franklin, or address him at Charlotte.

Notice—All members of Connestee Lodge No. 237, I. O. O. F., are requested to attend the meeting next Monday night, as there is to be some important business before the meeting. This June 22, '04. T. T. Loftis, secretary.

Do you intend to visit the World's Fair at St. Louis? If so write C. H. Robinson & Co., 8 W. Fifth st., Charlotte, N. C., and they will tell you how to secure a Free Round Trip Ticket all the way in a special car. Write to-day for particulars. 624

## ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Short announcements will be published under this heading until the conventions for '04.

SENATE—The many friends of W. E. Breese, jr., desire to announce that his name will be presented to the Democratic Senatorial District convention as a candidate for the State Senate. No man in either county of the district is more competent to fill the office or will bring greater personal strength to the ticket.

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## A Gala Day.

What is there to prevent Brevard from having a Harvest Home Gala Day some time this summer? We now have a sufficient number of secret societies to help out in a respectable street parade; the young men who have business interests in other sections a large part of the year are now at home to take part and to enjoy a public entertainment of this kind, and the Fire Department and Base Ball team would add their influence to make the occasion a success.

But don't let us make the mistake that some of our sister towns made last year—get a professional street carnival that will take the money out of town. Let Brevard take the matter in hand for the entertainment of her own people and their country cousins. Give an excursion from Asheville and intermediate points; have a street parade and public speaking, and wind up with a ball game in the evening. The News is ready to assist in any way that will help to bring the country people in closer touch with Brevard, and we anxiously await a second to our proposition.

## Ten Nights in a Bar Room.

Thursday night, June 30th, the Brevard Dramatic Club will, at the court house, present that good old temperance play, "Ten Nights in a Bar Room," for the benefit of the Brevard Base Ball Club.

### CAST OF CHARACTERS.

Simon Slade	W. M. Bradley
Joe Morgan	W. E. Aiken
Frank Slade	Wm. Waters
Harvey Green	Al. Hamton
Mr. Romaine	Win. Patton
Willie Hammond	Fred Miller
Sample Swichel	J. B. Poole
Mrs. Slade	Mrs. Maude Aiken
Mrs. Morgan	Miss Race
Mary Morgan	Master Earl Reese
Melitable Carwright	Mrs. Ethel Harris

### SYNOPSIS.

Act I.—Exterior view of "Sickle and Sheaf." Interview between Mr. Romaine and Sample. Sample's idea of moderate drinking. Scene 2—Interior of "Sickle and Sheaf." Ex-milliner and happy landlord. The landlord's wife. Poor old Joe Morgan, the inebriate. Little Mary in search of her father. Quarrel between Green and Willie. Timely arrival of Sample.

Act II.—The Yankee and the philanthropist. Slade's progress in tavern keeping. The landlord's enterprising son, Frank. Quarrel between the landlord and his drunken customer. The bottle and the fatal blow. The arrival of little Mary. "Father! Father! they have killed me!"

Act III.—The Yankee and the gambler. Sample's definition of the word "gentleman." The treat. Sample's desire for Green's happiness. Scene 2—The drunkard's home. The patient wife by the side of her suffering child. Joe Morgan's promise. Frightful delirium of the poor inebriate. "Come here, dear father! this is little Mary's room. Nothing can hurt you here."

Act IV.—The "Sickle and Sheaf." The landlord and his son. Sample and the young squire out for a time. Sample's story about Uncle Josh and the poorhouse. The fight and death of Willie Hammond. Scene 2—Escape of Green. The arrest. Scene 3—Joe Morgan's wrecked home. The wife and mother watching by her suffering ones. Little Mary's advice to her father. Despair of the inebriate. The child's dream. The promise: "I'll never drink another drop of liquor as long as I live." The dying child. Death of little Mary.

Act V.—The meeting of Sample and Mr. Romaine after an absence of five years. His quaint description of matters and things that have transpired in Cedarville. Scene 2—Appearance of Simon Slade. Wonderful transformation of the once happy miller. The quarrel between father and son. Death of Simon Slade. "Frank Slade, you have murdered your father." Scene 3—The happy home of Mr. Morgan. Arrival of Mr. Romaine. The resolution. The wife's joy. Sample and his new suit.

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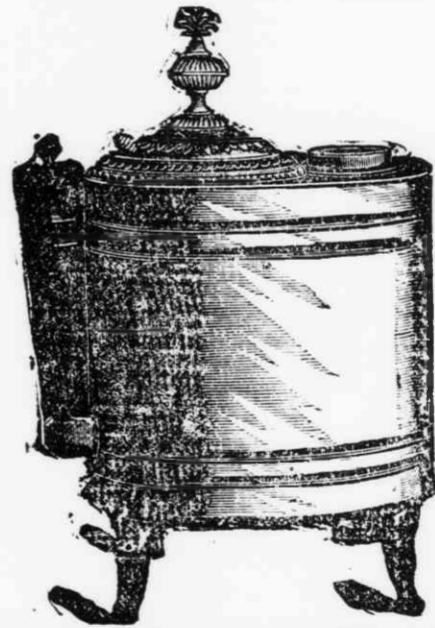
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## A PAGE FROM HISTORY

AND IT CAME TO PASS that the people cried out in a loud voice, and the burden of their cry was "sore feet." The rulers and the rich men heeded not their cry, and because of the difference to their distress the people did wax wroth and threaten the very existence of the rulers who did fill the high places. That it might be fulfilled which was spoken by the prophet, saying: "The people will rise in their might against the men who shall cause corns and blisters to grow upon the feet of the multitude." Then arose a champion of the down-trodden; and he gathered under his mighty influence those who had long suffered under the oppression of their masters, and he said unto them: "Behold, I bring you good tidings. What you have looked for, and what has been denied to you through the ignorance of those who have called themselves rulers and dictators of your country, I give unto you." And he did shew them Home's fault, and they all did marvel and say, "Wonderful, wonderful. Thus are we delivered from our bondage." And they did agree among themselves, one with the other, that no other foot covering should be theirs, from that time henceforth and forever. For it is written: "A man shall come among you who shall deliver you from pain in your feet, and from those who would obtain a patent and control of your footsteps. He shall lead you from the land of suffering into the land of comfort; he shall bestow upon you convenience where you have had worry and vexation, and provide you with safety against surrounding danger. The name of Horn's Gaiter shall be known in the land, and the people shall call it blessed."

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