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CLOUD BURSTS.

The New York Herald undertakes to explain the above phenomena, so frequent and destructive in various parts of the United States during the present season As they are not unknown in the moun tains of Western North Carolina, the subject possesses some interest to us.

The Herald says "the phenomena of a cloud burst can occur only in a tornado Harrison's Postmaster General-a very or whirlwind." This means an accom paniment of violent wind; and as the cyclone or whirlwind, the same in charace the W. U. Telegraph Company-a conter though not in degree, implies an onward, progressive forward movement, with a path of destruction more or less titled to justice and fair dealing-a conwide and lengthened, so if the Herald is tract for the transmission of government correct, we must expect to find in the messages at the rate of one will, a tenth To be surpassed by no Show cloud bursts of our mountains the characteristic extent and desolation. We this, and upon the man and his office, the look for these in vain; for the cloud burst Sun says; discharges itself upon the fatal spot with vertical fall, and stationary fury, accompanied probably with a rotary motion, but not advancing an inch beyond the point of original outpour. There seems to be no preliminary gathering of hostile clouds for the trial of battle, no rush of winds when the deadly shock of collision is struck, no retreat of flying squadrons, no pursuit of victorious battalions; no onsweep of fury, no prostruction of forests, no overthrow of dwellings. As the cloud burst is up in the recesses of the mountains, it is unheard and unnoticed except by the path of ruin that marks the rush of the overcharged mountain torrents down which they tear their way to the valleys below. Wind plays no part in these phenomena. They usually succeed in the latter part of the day from a sky overloaded with dense, slow mov ing clouds evidently overburdened with moisture. From some cases unexplained. this enormous weight finds relief at special points, on the lofty sides of the mountains, near the summit or on the summit itself. We have the recollection of one which burst on the top of the Cower blow such a blast as to blow the very mountain, the dividing ridge between the counties of Jackson and Macon, the great chill as to freeze up the very life blood; in down the opposite sides with volume enough to tear up and nearly destroy the have dug to hide themselves in and blowpublic highway on either side, which, following the narrow valley traversed by the simoon a cooling zephyr in comparithe streams that sought a pathway to son. Just now those people are enjoying the rivers below, formed the natural their alternative heated spell. channel for the new flood. But in this cloud burst there was no advance beyond

the point of plunge, no wind, no destrue- the violation of State sovereignty by the

he difference between the onward, denetive movement of the one, and the tationary, calm, though powerful acion of the other.

The pension business under the manement of Corporal Tanner is such reckless abuse of position and of party power as to make even the recipients of govern nent bounty stand aghast. There is no imit to his profusion and to his favorit ism; and in his hands all the resources of the government will be taxed and exhausted to satisfy his construction of hi duty and powers. The greed of the apdicants knows no stint or decency, and a confined to no rank or station. An in amous abuse of claim was recently made by Senator Manderson, who, with his \$5,000 a year salary, put up the mouth of a poor soldier, exacted from Tanner an increase of his penaion allowance and obtained besides \$4,000 allowance, for arrearages based upon the advance in

his monthly or annual allowance. This is so disgraceful that it will arouse the worthy soldier to indignation and compel Congress to do something to check the extravagant drafts on the treasury.

The New York Sanscems to have taken a very accurate measurement of Mr. small man indeed. One of his recent small transactions was in exacting from cern, not in the highest favor with those having dealings with it, but at least enof a cent, a word. Commenting upon

"He fills it-the office-just as a small dried pea might fill one of his own hand-boxes. He administers its dutics with the large-hearted, generous, and compre-bensive intellectuality that distinguished im when he used to parade the Flannel Transept, circumnavigate the Under-clothing Aisle, and chassee across the All-Wool Nave to dock the wages of a two dollar clerk. As he snipped a tape so he would run the government; and when it becomes a question of marking down another man's goods John Wanna maker owns up to no peer in that whole country. To every intelligent mind this may explain his sum and quotient, but it absolves no citizen from the penalty of having to blush for him.

The climate of some of the northwest ern States is almost a realization of one of the striking ideas of eternal torment the doomed, alternately on a cake of ic and then turned to roast on a red hot grid iron, the extremes of contrasts in physical suffering. Up in Dakota or Minnesota it is at one season a plung down below the measure of the mercury then, in the summer, it goes up higher than the tallest man can see to read the marking; in the winter blizzards that grass out of the earth, and with such a Bros. & Wright at exceed mass of waterevenly divided and rushing the summer, the cyclone that pulls out ingly low prices. of the ground the very cellars the people ing with such a heated breath that make

Gov. Lowry in his just indignation at tion of timber, nothing but the havoe of forbidden fight of the infamous pugilists,

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the swollen	torrents.	

by the defiance of law on Mississippi ter And this is the feature of all our mountain cloudbursts. There are few seasons comity by the Governor of Tennessee by that pass without the display of the the discharge of the arrested Sullivan phenomenon, but they are generally in proposes to lay hands on some of the such remote seclusion, and the damage, offenders he can reach at home. A very if any, so localized, as generally to escape active particeps criminis to the transact notice, and only gain attention when the tion was the Queen and Crescent railroad. traveller comes unexpectedly upon some through its officials. The Governo spot torn up by the enormous down thinks that a corporation which owes pour from the cloud, or some road made its being to the laws of Mississippi, and almost impassable by the force of the which looks, and properly, to that State waters. We have encountered a number for protection, is not the proper party to of such spots, the most remarkable of violate those laws and bring them into which is on the west face of the highest open contempt as that company notoripeak of the Fish-hawk Mountain in Macon county, at the upper end of the Tes. ter vacated, and also to have its officers sentce valley, which opens upon the upper valley of the Little Tennessee river. Kilrain-Sullivan fight, and the Governor Looking up that valley, a broad gash or seems to be terribly in earnest. chasm presents itself, plainly visible at the distance of three or four miles like a wide red streak in the side of the moun tain. This was the effect of a waterspout or cloudburst which discharged itself on the 15th of June 1876. At a point within two or three hundred feet of the crest of hopeless. The railroads are changing all the ridge at an elevation of nearly 4,000 feet, on the day menhioned, fell an enor mous volume of water from the clouds, column of such thickness as to have cut an excavation of about seventy-five feet in diameter, the upper edge of which was a perfect semi-circle, and the depth of the or four years since comes back to visit excovation at the point of discharge us, his look is one of surprise and amaze about fifteen feet deen, or to the solid ment as he looks around him and beholds about fifteen feet deep, or to the solid rock of the mountain. Yet with this there was no wind, no cyclone, no tornado. The twigs and dead leaves on the beautiful dwellings have been built and upper edge of the excavation remained hanging over undisturbed, and below and around there was nothing to indicate anything nuosual, until the mighty rush

of the waters surcharged with rocks and logs into the valley warned the inhabitants of the approaching danger of flood

the same throughout the whole mountain area, particularly on its southern ner Main street and Patton avenue. border. We have authentic information of over two hundred waterspouts, all Came law-the unwritten law that windless, that fell on that day, on both governs a game.

the northern and southern faces of the Blue Ridge, those on the latter finding vent in the head waters of the rivers that should take on every trip a bottle of flow into and through Georgia, overflow-and effectually on the kidney, liver and ing them, and causing immense damage bowells, preventing fevers, headaches and to the railroads, especially to the Charlotte and Atlanta Air Line, washing and \$1.00 bottles by all leading drug away bridges and destroying many high gists. embankments, cutting off and imprisoning trains, and causing complete inter-ruption of transportation for several bet if you would see a perfect union just observe the madness of the small wit as be reads, "Declined with thanks." days.

ritory, and by the violation of State ously did. He proposes to have its chararrested for aiding and abetting in the

We hear with pleasure of the growth of our towns, of our Western towns especially, for whom for a long time there seemed no hope, dull and stationary, no new buildings going up, old ones failing this; wherever they go new life is infused, and onward bounding progress is put in motion. See what the Murphy Advance says about its town:

"The building that has been done is so extensive that when a resident of three the marvelous change that has taken place. Handsome brick business houses have been creeted and a vast number of more at present being built.

Dr. Parker Prays cream Van-Ola, Rosa line, Ougaline and Diamond nail powder having now become the ladies' favorites. at F. L. Jacob's drug store, these popular manicure articles may always be found, together with pocket emery board, or That 15th day of June 1876 seemed to other such requisites. Also a complete ange wood sticks, nail scissors, files and have been a remarkable one. The atmos line of drugs and toilet articles, in addipheric conditions seemed to have been tion to the Hebe Soda Fountain from which ice cold drinks are dispensed. Cor-

Tourists

Whether on pleasure bent or business

"Great wit to madness nearly is allied,"

The same natural laws the Herald quotes as governing the immense accu-mulation of water in the clouds, and their precipitation, must be the same for the cycloize and the watersport or cloud-barst. But it has not yet been explained,

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ESTABROOK'S,	at 37%c.; Warner's Abdomi-	Ladies and Men's Underwear,	44 Thromasille die
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	Yours very truly,	During our closing out sale	Lv. Ashevil,e, 740am Ar. Hot Springs 920am
GRADUATE OPTICIAN.	W.H. LEA.	of Dress Goods, as long as it	
We make a specialty of repairing Watches		lasts, we will give with every	" Chicago, "6.30pm " St. Louis, 745pm
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We offer at retail for 30-days the following	her in the	about 3,000 yards to be thus	Lv. Jarrett's, Ar. Waynesville, "Asheville,
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