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ASHEVILLE, N. C., TUESDAY EVENING, SEPTEMBER 1, 1891.

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WHERE THE SNOWBIRDS NEST.

For a cool place in summer, for health and recreation, visit Linville, Grandfather Mountain, and the beautiful region surrounding them.

Regular Sales

Of real estate at Linville on and after June 1st, 1891. In business lots and residence sites sold at private sale only.

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This excellent hotel was opened the 1st of June, under the management of Mr. James T. Skiles.

Over the Vonahouse Road.

A beautiful route for a summer excursion, by way of Doe River Gorge, Roan Mountain, Cranberry, Linville, Grandfather Mountain, Blowing Rock and Lenoir.

Western Carolina Stage Coach Company.

Daily stage between Cranberry and Lenoir.

Schedule.

GOING EAST. CRANBERRY. Ar. 11:30 a. m. Lv. 1:00 p. m. Linville. Ar. 2:00 p. m. Lv. 2:30 p. m. Blowing Rock. Ar. 3:00 p. m. Lv. 3:30 p. m. Lenoir. Ar. 4:00 p. m. Lv. 4:30 p. m. Head upward.

An Opportunity.

A cash prize of one thousand dollars has been offered for the best short story or novel having the Grandfather Mountain and the beautiful scenery of that locality woven into the plot. This mountain, situated as it is in the most picturesque part of Western North Carolina, furnishes an attractive setting for an interesting story.

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Buy my Groceries, Provisions, Feed, etc., from this house, they always give me good fresh goods and sell at prices as low or lower than any other. I have always found them reliable and have no cause for complaint, and would most certainly advise you to give them a trial, as I believe they will make it to your interest to trade with them.

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37 N. Main Street.

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You cannot blame the juvenile fingers that find their way into a barrel filled with our groceries; in fact it would be a mystery if you could keep them out.

If there is anything in the world that should be sold at popular prices, it is what goes into the kitchen.

That which you cannot do without ought to be purchasable at the slightest possible advance over cost of production and we are guided by this principle in every sale we make. Whenever we can see our way clear to marking down prices that is what we promptly do.

Respectfully,

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HOW TO MAKE MONEY.

The way to make money is to save it. And the way to save it is to have your prescriptions filled at Carmichael's drug store, and you will find by doing so you will save from 25 to 30 per cent. on every prescription. We do not take goods that the people know the price and mark down to cost, and then charge two prices for a prescription to make up the loss. You know clerk hire and house rent must be paid and the profits must be averaged some way. A hint to the wise is sufficient. A full line of De-Vault Flavoring Extracts in stock. Mr. J. Taylor Amis and Mr. Chas. W. Devault are with me and will be pleased to meet their friends and customers. Don't forget the place. Carmichael's drug store, No. 20 South Main street, Asheville, N. C.

VISITORS

HAVE YOU

BEEN TO SEE THE

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THE MAMMOTH CHINA STORE,

41 Patton Avenue,

—AND—

THEIR BARGAINS FOR AUGUST?

If you haven't, don't miss seeing it before returning home.

They have every thing that is kept in a first class china store. A special feature is the "crystal" department of china, old pieces and sets (our imitations) with pieces on them characteristic of our city. Solid silver spoons, Limoges china, art pottery, etc., this month. We are offering most of our stock very low and some below cost. We pack your purchases for shipment at a user-great care in order to have them reach you safely.

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A Texas Firm Falls.

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HELD UP THE EXPRESS.

THE ROBBERS GOT THIRTY-SIX HUNDRED DOLLARS.

They Put Revolvers to the Head of the Messenger, Compelling Him to Give Up What He Had—A Fierce Fight.

CANON CITY, Col., Sept. 1.—Seven men held up the east bound Rio Grande train last night near Cotopaxi. The highwaymen compelled the flagman at Texas creek to give up all the torpedoes in his possession, and also forced him to flag the train. As soon as it stopped the engineer and fireman were deliberately held up at the point of rifles. Fireman Owen was relieved of his gold watch and then at the muzzle of seven rifles he was forced to pick the lock and break in the doors of the baggage car under fire from the strong hold.

Horses were in readiness and as soon as the robbers were accomplished they fled to Wet mountain valley. They did not disturb the passengers.

A posse was summoned by the sheriff and at the scene at once. Trimble had been wired to for horses that have been instrumental already in running down several criminals.

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SHOT THE TRAMP.

They Had Harbored an Aged Couple for Money.

MONROE, Mich., Sept. 1.—On Saturday tramps went to the farm house of John Wilkinson and finding Wilkinson alone, with the exception of a ten-year-old boy, undertook to torture them and make them reveal the hiding place of their supposed life.

The boy escaped and gave an alarm. A posse of neighbors started to the rescue but when they reached the house the couple were dead. The tramps were sighted near Mayle station and both were shot down by infuriated citizens. Their bodies were completely riddled with bullets.

GIRLS IN AN OPIUM DEN.

RESCUED BY A COURAGEOUS PRIEST.

He Knocked Down the Door of a Chinese "Joint," Wrenched a Revolver from the Chinese Proprietor, and Reported the Case to the Police.

CHICAGO, Sept. 1.—A Catholic priest, Father Aylward, of the Nativity parish, made a raid last night on a Chinese opium den, passing along Halsted street not far from his church, he saw two young girls under apartments kept by a Chinaman named Wan Chung. The priest, suspecting something wrong, went to the place and being refused admittance, promptly knocked the door down, took a revolver out of the hand of Wan Chung, the proprietor, and found the girls in a little back room smoking opium. They confessed being frequenters of the den, and implicated many of their companions.

The priest reported the case to the police. Wan Chung was rescued by Wan Chung, who in the meantime had escaped.

LUNCHED HIM PERHAPS.

A Bank Robber Caught and Perished.

KANSAS CITY, Sept. 1.—A desperado robbed the Corler, Mo., bank yesterday afternoon. One of the robbers was captured last night about twenty miles from Corler, and about half of the stolen money was found in his possession. He gave his name as Andrew Murrell.

It is reported that Deputy Sheriff Jackson and City Marshal Dean, who led the robber in chains, were met on the road to Lexington by a mob of enraged citizens who overpowered them and took the prisoner from them and lynched him. The other robber is being pursued.

The robbers secured but \$600.

IMPASSABLE BARRICADE WANTED.

EDITOR THE CITIZEN: South Main street from the car shed to Goodfella's is impassable on the west side of the car track, and there are frequent blockades of vehicles. There were several notable instances in front of Hull's factory yesterday evening.

A Spaniard, of Spain, spoken of in Saturday's CITIZEN, went out to the Sulphur Springs on the electric line. He walked back, says he cannot cross on that bridge any more until there is a substantial barricade on the upper side. Others are of the same opinion. D.

Tennessee's Extra Session.

NASHVILLE, Tenn., Sept. 1.—The forty-seventh general assembly met in extra session with all but four senators and four representatives present. The members were all seemingly much interested in the serious questions that they are called upon to decide and both houses settled down to business within twenty minutes after being called to order.

Cotton Pickers Wages Reduced.

NEW ORLEANS, Aug. 31.—The negroes are forming an organization in Mississippi and Louisiana to resent the attempts of planters to reduce the price for picking cotton. This is the heaviest item in cotton production. Of the \$90,000,000 received for last year's crop probably two-thirds was paid out in wages.

Gambler Killed.

CHATTANOOGA, Sept. 1.—During an altercation early this morning Reese Fowler was shot and killed by Chris. McNamara. Both were notorious gamblers.

Murdered Perhaps by a Nihilist.

ST. PETERSBURG, Sept. 1.—A commissary of police was murdered today at Bielina Zerkoff, near Kiev. The assassin, who is supposed to be a nihilist, escaped.

Spurgeon Rattles Again.

LONDON, Sept. 1.—Rev. Chas. H. Spurgeon who yesterday suffered a relapse has rallied again, and it is hoped he will continue to give in strength.

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Is always alive to the interests of Asheville and its people.

Is the most popular advertising medium in North Carolina.

Is read by a greater number of people than any other secular paper in the state.

Is always filled with the choicest reading matter of the day.

Boarding houses fill their rooms by advertising in THE CITIZEN.

News, and all the news, makes THE CITIZEN a general favorite.

No retail merchant ever made a great success without advertising. Try THE CITIZEN.

An advertisement in THE CITIZEN pays the advertiser an hundred-fold.

Not a Miracle, Now.

Until recently Consumption was considered incurable, but now people are beginning to realize that this disease is not incurable. The cure of Consumption is not a miracle now. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery will cure it, if taken in time and given a fair trial. This world-renowned remedy will not make new lungs, but it will restore diseased ones to a healthy state when other means have failed. Thousands gratefully testify to this. It is the most potent tonic, strength-builder, alterative or blood-purifier, and nutritive, or flesh builder, known to medical science. For Weak Lungs, Spitting of Blood, "Liver Complaint," and Dyspepsia, or Indigestion, it is an unequalled remedy.

FOUR PASSENGERS KILLED.

CRUSHED AND SCALDED IN A WRECK.

Sixteen Persons Injured—The Train Takes Fire and is Completely Consumed—A Broken Flange the Cause.

EVANSVILLE, Ind., Sept. 1.—Yesterday morning between Tell City and Troy, Perry county, Ind., a mixed train in which were twenty passengers encountered a broken flange. The engine left the track, bumped on the ties for a while and then took a header down a steep embankment. All the cars piled on it.

The passengers were all taken out, four dead and sixteen more or less scalded by escaping steam and otherwise injured. The wreck took fire and burned up completely.

Engineer Jake App and his firemen escaped injury by jumping. Conductor Gordon was badly hurt. The wreck was on the Louisville, Evansville and St. Louis railroad. All the injured are in Tell City. Nearly all the passengers were from local points on the road.

AFFAIRS OF CONSEQUENCE.

FOREIGN.

The Empress of Austria shows symptoms of insanity.

Thirteen hundred horses are on exhibition at the Dublin horse show. The American trotting horses attracted more attention there than in England.

The anxiety of the people to see the holy coat of Treves is so great that a woman and two children were crushed to death in the crush at the entrance of the Cathedral.

The official estimate of the damage done by the recent cyclone which swept over the island of Martinique places the amount at \$10,000,000 and says that 378 people lost their lives.

Senator Washburne, of Minnesota, has come out strongly in favor of Secretary Blaine as the republican presidential candidate, and predicts his nomination and election.

The popular fund in Chattanooga, Tenn., for a steamboat line on the Tennessee river to St. Louis has reached \$50,000. The other \$11,000 needed to complete the fund will be easily raised.

The current was turned on the West Bridge Street electric railroad, in Grand Rapids, Mich., for the first time Saturday, and within an hour George E. Herdorn and a horse he was driving were killed by a shock from a broken wire.

Andre Senecal, superintendent of the government printing bureau, at Ottawa, Ont., has been dismissed. He left for parts unknown rather than face an examination. Senecal levied a claim amounting to over \$20,000 on those from whom he bought goods for the printing bureau.

All of the northwestern part of Faulk county, South Dakota, was burned over Friday night by a terrible fire twenty miles wide and extending from Faulkton, fifty miles northwest. As far as the eye could reach the sky was lit up with burning stacks of hay and grain. The farmers are ruined.

Sunday morning at Natrona, Pa., a fire occurred which resulted in a loss of nearly \$1,000,000 and throws out of employment nearly 300 men. The property destroyed was part of the immense plant of the Penna. Salt manufacturing company. The building was over 200 feet long, fitted up at an enormous cost for the manufacture of bicarbonate of soda. There was a large stock in hand which was entirely destroyed.

Judge Marshall J. Clark, at Atlanta, decided in favor of the state in the suit brought by railroad companies to enjoin the comptroller-general from collecting county taxes from railroad companies in Georgia under the statute passed by the last legislature. The decision will give the counties of the state through which the railroads pass the right to collect this special tax, which means to the counties thousands of dollars in their treasuries.

Stock Quotations.

NEW YORK, Sept. 1.—Brie 25½; Lake Shore 11½; Chicago and Northwestern 11½; Norfolk and Western 2½; Richmond and West Point Terminal 1½; Western Union 8½.

Baltimore Prices.

BALTIMORE, Sept. 1.—Flour, steady and unchanged; wheat, 53½; corn, 30; rye, 30; barley, 30; oats, 20; clover, 10; timothy, 10; alfalfa, 10; hay, 10; straw, 10; wood, 10; coal, 10; oil, 10; sugar, 10; coffee, 10; tea, 10; spices, 10; fruit, 10; vegetables, 10; other goods, 10.

New York Market.

NEW YORK, Sept. 1.—Stocks, active and heavy. Money easy at 4½%. Bonds, 4½%. Government, 4½%. Bonds, 4½%. Cotton, 10; sugar, 10; coffee, 10; tea, 10; spices, 10; fruit, 10; vegetables, 10