

Asheville Daily Citizen.

VOLUME VII.—NO. 154.

ASHEVILLE, N. C., MONDAY EVENING, NOVEMBER 2, 1891.

PRICE 5 CENTS.

IN THE HIGH MOUNTAINS

The Escala Inn, at an elevation of three thousand eight hundred and fifty feet, will be kept open during the winter. Those who desire altitude will find this hotel comfortable and attractive.

LINVILLE, N. C.

E. B. Barnum & Co's

"AD." FOR TODAY

IS ON PAGE 2.

REAL ESTATE.

WALTER B. OWEN, W. W. WEST.

GWYN & WEST,
(Successors to Walter B. Owen)

ESTABLISHED 1881

REFER TO BANK OF ASHEVILLE.

REAL ESTATE.

Loans Securely Placed at 8 Per Cent.

Solary Public. Commissioners of Deeds.

FIRE INSURANCE.

OFFICE—Southeast Court Square.

CORTLAND BROS.,

Real Estate Brokers,

And Investment Agents.

NOTARY PUBLIC.

Loans securely placed at 8 per cent.

Office: 24 & 26 Patton Avenue, Second Floor, 466517

INSURANCE.

Application for insurance will receive our prompt attention at all times. We can insure your property in twenty of the largest and best companies on earth.

Boarding House For Rent.

House contains eighteen rooms, has all modern conveniences, hot and cold water, bath, etc., and is well furnished throughout. This is one of the most desirable boarding houses in the city, and will be rented for three months or longer on

REASONABLE TERMS

To an early applicant. For further information call on or address

JENKS & JENKS,

REAL ESTATE AND INSURANCE,

32 Patton Ave., Asheville, N. C.

JOHN CHILD,

(Formerly of Lyman & Child),

Office No. 1 Legal Block

REAL ESTATE

—AND—

LOAN BROKER,

TRUSTEES A BROKERAGE BUSINESS.

Loans secured placed at 8 per cent.

WILLS BROS.,

ARCHITECTS,

28 Patton Avenue. P. O. Box 554. Next Y. M. C. A. building. nov1 dsm

THE CUP THAT CHEERS

BUT NOT INEBRIATES.

FINE COFFEES.

Roasted Mocha and Java in Cans and loose—two-thirds Java and one-third Mocha. A large number of customers have testified to the high grade and excellent flavor of these goods. We also keep other grades of Roasted coffee; also fine line of Green Coffees at Bottom Prices.

FINE TEAS.

English Breakfast, Moyune Gunpowder, Poochow, Oolong, Formosa, Oolong, He No, India, Ceylon and India kinds. The last two brands are a most exquisite blend with choice Oolong, combining the strength and fragrance of India tea with the peculiar flavor of Oolong.

A. D. COOPER,

North Court Square.



There's a good, solid, and convincing reason why you should buy your GROCERIES from us, and one such reason is as powerful as a hundred. You can't buy them anywhere any cheaper or better. If you will take the trouble to test the matter we think we can convince you. Of this you can rest assured, you will get nothing from us that you cannot implicitly rely upon. We have just received a fresh supply of Genuine English Plum Pudding, also Atmore's Celebrated Mince Meat.

POWELL & SNIDER.

Wholesale and Retail Grocers.

Wholesale and Retail Grocers.

Wholesale and Retail Grocers.

Wholesale and Retail Grocers.

Wholesale and Retail Grocers.

Wholesale and Retail Grocers.

Wholesale and Retail Grocers.

Wholesale and Retail Grocers.

Wholesale and Retail Grocers.

Wholesale and Retail Grocers.

Wholesale and Retail Grocers.

Wholesale and Retail Grocers.

Wholesale and Retail Grocers.

Wholesale and Retail Grocers.

Wholesale and Retail Grocers.

Wholesale and Retail Grocers.

Wholesale and Retail Grocers.

Wholesale and Retail Grocers.

Wholesale and Retail Grocers.

Wholesale and Retail Grocers.

Wholesale and Retail Grocers.

Wholesale and Retail Grocers.

Wholesale and Retail Grocers.

Wholesale and Retail Grocers.

Wholesale and Retail Grocers.

Wholesale and Retail Grocers.

Wholesale and Retail Grocers.

Wholesale and Retail Grocers.

Wholesale and Retail Grocers.

Wholesale and Retail Grocers.

Wholesale and Retail Grocers.

Wholesale and Retail Grocers.

Wholesale and Retail Grocers.

Wholesale and Retail Grocers.

Wholesale and Retail Grocers.

Wholesale and Retail Grocers.

Wholesale and Retail Grocers.

Wholesale and Retail Grocers.

Wholesale and Retail Grocers.

Wholesale and Retail Grocers.

Wholesale and Retail Grocers.

Wholesale and Retail Grocers.

Wholesale and Retail Grocers.

Wholesale and Retail Grocers.

Wholesale and Retail Grocers.

Wholesale and Retail Grocers.

Wholesale and Retail Grocers.

Wholesale and Retail Grocers.

Wholesale and Retail Grocers.

Wholesale and Retail Grocers.

SPECIAL BARGAINS

—IN—

CHAMBER SETS,

10 and 12 Pieces.

We have just opened forty decorated English Chamber sets in Pink, Blue and Brown, Precious and Ivory.

THE BEST VALUE EVER OFFERED.

As a Leader and Special Bargain we have put the price as follows:

10 Pieces, Good Sizes, Only \$2.70.

12 Pieces, Good Sizes, Only \$4.65.

These are the sets we advertised in September and now you can have them. They are going fast and in order to get a good selection and all you need, let us advise you to come early, as they will not last long. Come! we want you to see our store—a credit to Asheville; yes, even the south. While in ask to see that new centre draft burner that fits any lamp; is safe and a boon to every user of lamps; so simple, so easy to rewick, so easy to fill lamp without removing it, etc. For further particulars and price, call and see it at

Mr. Gaines spoke of the great natural advantages of this line, running from Tampa, Florida, to Asheville, and thence connecting with roads on the north to the great lakes. The line would cross eleven great trunk lines between Asheville and Tampa, while there was not a parallel line as a competitor.

The fact that the federal government has inaugurated a system of reciprocity with all the South American countries was a great factor in favor of the feasibility of this line of road, as a tremendous trade would spring up, demanding a through line from the great Northwest to the South Atlantic and Gulf coast.

Mr. Gaines stated that he had already secured in a canvass of our proposed line through Georgia and the Carolinas, influential men in the states south of us are heartily at work on this scheme.

The speaker was very enthusiastic and confident that his scheme would be carried out.

Cap. Nat. Atkinson offered a resolution which was unanimously passed by the club, pledging hearty sympathy in the enterprise.

President Gaines' Address.

The following letter has been issued by President Gaines:

ASHEVILLE, N. C., Nov. 2, 1891.

To the board of directors, Florida, Georgia and Carolinas Railway and Transportation Company:

GREETING:—In accordance with the request of our convention I have now completed a canvass of our proposed line through Georgia and the Carolinas, securing pledges of subscription and appointing committees to complete this important work.

I have met with such success as to be able to say to you that in subscriptions, available grading, track privileges, town sites and free right of way we have a franchise now worth probably two million dollars.

For our meeting in Augusta I wish to suggest for your consideration the following:

1. The vice president to be ex officio director in the company.

2. Have three directors in each county and that they constitute county financial boards whose duty it shall be in connection with the president to supervise all contracts and disburse all funds county by county.

3. Formally authorize the securing track privileges from existing lines; the consolidation and purchase of other lines, etc.

4. With a great opportunity in our hands, what shall we do next? How about securing charters, deeds for right-of-way, purchase of land with scrip, some preliminary surveying, small fund for expenses, etc. Very respectfully,

W. A. Gaines, President.

IN MEMORY OF L. C. SHUEY.

Memorial Services Yesterday Afternoon at the Y. M. C. A.

Services in memory of Mr. L. C. Shuey were held yesterday afternoon at the Young Men's Christian association of Dayton, Ohio, the Harlem branch in New York City and at the Asheville association. At half past four the hall of the Asheville association was filled with young men who had gathered in honor of their lost friend. A short song service was led by Mr. F. A. Taylor after which Mr. H. P. Anderson, who conducted the service, read from John, the lesson which was taught to Mr. Shuey's Sunday school Bible class on the day on which he was buried.

A duet entitled "O Morning Land" was sung by Mr. G. C. Collins and Miss Glander. Mr. H. T. Collins spoke of the faithfulness of Mr. Shuey in his work in the association. Mr. E. W. Worth, a member of his Sunday school Bible class, told of the thoroughness of his Bible teaching and of the help which the personal contact with him. Mr. W. D. Gash spoke of Mr. Shuey's usefulness in the young people's meeting of the Presbyterian church. Rev. W. S. P. Bryan, his pastor, spoke of his assistance in all departments of his association in all his work as a Bible student, his activity as a personal worker and his helpfulness to the pastor.

Mr. H. P. Anderson said that Mr. Shuey joined the church at the age of ten, and at once took his share in the conduct of family worship, led his first prayer meeting at the age of twelve, and later excelled in his studies at Otterbein university. Immediately after graduation he became successively the general secretary of the Young Men's Christian Association at Xenia, Ohio, Toledo, Ohio, and the Harlem Branch of New York City. In all these positions he was eminently successful and showed that he was a well rounded Christian gentleman, refined in tastes, cultured in intellect, active and faithful in Christian work, and successful as an organizer and executive.

"Beyond the Smiling and the Weeping" was sung by a quartette, after which different ones in the meeting expressed how much they owed to Mr. Shuey's life and words.

The service was very impressive, and all felt that in the death of this young man they each suffered a personal loss.

Back From Swain.

R. B. Justice returned a day or two ago from Swain county where he has been surveying Indian lands in that and other counties for the past three months. Mr. Justice's headquarters have been at Cherokee where he had ample opportunity for inspecting the Indian school conducted by Mr. H. W. Spray, and of which he speaks in terms of very high commendation. Mr. Justice returns to Cherokee in a few days to continue his work which will last six months or more.

MR. GAINES TO THE CLUB.

THE MEETING HELD SATURDAY AFTERNOON.

President W. A. Gaines Tells the Commercial Club of the Advantages of Building the Road From Tampa to Asheville—An Address Issued.

W. A. Gaines, president of the Florida, Georgia and Carolinas railway and transportation company, delivered an address in the rooms of the Commercial club of Asheville on Saturday afternoon.

The object of the meeting was to afford Mr. Gaines an opportunity to explain the advantages to Asheville of his road.

Mr. Gaines spoke of the great natural advantages of this line, running from Tampa, Florida, to Asheville, and thence connecting with roads on the north to the great lakes. The line would cross eleven great trunk lines between Asheville and Tampa, while there was not a parallel line as a competitor.

The fact that the federal government has inaugurated a system of reciprocity with all the South American countries was a great factor in favor of the feasibility of this line of road, as a tremendous trade would spring up, demanding a through line from the great Northwest to the South Atlantic and Gulf coast.

Mr. Gaines stated that he had already secured in a canvass of our proposed line through Georgia and the Carolinas, influential men in the states south of us are heartily at work on this scheme.

The speaker was very enthusiastic and confident that his scheme would be carried out.

Cap. Nat. Atkinson offered a resolution which was unanimously passed by the club, pledging hearty sympathy in the enterprise.

President Gaines' Address.

The following letter has been issued by President Gaines:

ASHEVILLE, N. C., Nov. 2, 1891.

To the board of directors, Florida, Georgia and Carolinas Railway and Transportation Company:

GREETING:—In accordance with the request of our convention I have now completed a canvass of our proposed line through Georgia and the Carolinas, securing pledges of subscription and appointing committees to complete this important work.

I have met with such success as to be able to say to you that in subscriptions, available grading, track privileges, town sites and free right of way we have a franchise now worth probably two million dollars.

For our meeting in Augusta I wish to suggest for your consideration the following:

1. The vice president to be ex officio director in the company.

2. Have three directors in each county and that they constitute county financial boards whose duty it shall be in connection with the president to supervise all contracts and disburse all funds county by county.

3. Formally authorize the securing track privileges from existing lines; the consolidation and purchase of other lines, etc.

4. With a great opportunity in our hands, what shall we do next? How about securing charters, deeds for right-of-way, purchase of land with scrip, some preliminary surveying, small fund for expenses, etc. Very respectfully,

W. A. Gaines, President.

IN MEMORY OF L. C. SHUEY.

Memorial Services Yesterday Afternoon at the Y. M. C. A.

Services in memory of Mr. L. C. Shuey were held yesterday afternoon at the Young Men's Christian association of Dayton, Ohio, the Harlem branch in New York City and at the Asheville association. At half past four the hall of the Asheville association was filled with young men who had gathered in honor of their lost friend. A short song service was led by Mr. F. A. Taylor after which Mr. H. P. Anderson, who conducted the service, read from John, the lesson which was taught to Mr. Shuey's Sunday school Bible class on the day on which he was buried.

A duet entitled "O Morning Land" was sung by Mr. G. C. Collins and Miss Glander. Mr. H. T. Collins spoke of the faithfulness of Mr. Shuey in his work in the association. Mr. E. W. Worth, a member of his Sunday school Bible class, told of the thoroughness of his Bible teaching and of the help which the personal contact with him. Mr. W. D. Gash spoke of Mr. Shuey's usefulness in the young people's meeting of the Presbyterian church. Rev. W. S. P. Bryan, his pastor, spoke of his assistance in all departments of his association in all his work as a Bible student, his activity as a personal worker and his helpfulness to the pastor.

Mr. H. P. Anderson said that Mr. Shuey joined the church at the age of ten, and at once took his share in the conduct of family worship, led his first prayer meeting at the age of twelve, and later excelled in his studies at Otterbein university. Immediately after graduation he became successively the general secretary of the Young Men's Christian Association at Xenia, Ohio, Toledo, Ohio, and the Harlem Branch of New York City. In all these positions he was eminently successful and showed that he was a well rounded Christian gentleman, refined in tastes, cultured in intellect, active and faithful in Christian work, and successful as an organizer and executive.

"Beyond the Smiling and the Weeping" was sung by a quartette, after which different ones in the meeting expressed how much they owed to Mr. Shuey's life and words.

The service was very impressive, and all felt that in the death of this young man they each suffered a personal loss.

Back From Swain.

R. B. Justice returned a day or two ago from Swain county where he has been surveying Indian lands in that and other counties for the past three months. Mr. Justice's headquarters have been at Cherokee where he had ample opportunity for inspecting the Indian school conducted by Mr. H. W. Spray, and of which he speaks in terms of very high commendation. Mr. Justice returns to Cherokee in a few days to continue his work which will last six months or more.

THE NEW CABINET OFFICER.

S. B. ELKINS, of West Virginia, Probable Secretary of War.

The resignation of Mr. Proctor, of Vermont, Secretary of War, will not take effect until November 1. He has been selected by Gov. Page to fill out the remainder of Mr. Edmunds' unexpired term in the United States senate. The portrait of the gentleman's probable successor in the cabinet, Stephen B. Elkins, of West Virginia.



Mr. Elkins is one of our millionaire statesmen. He was born in Missouri fifty years ago, and is a graduate of the university named after that Commonwealth. For a time he served in the army, with the rank of captain. In 1863 he moved to New Mexico and served for a while as driver on a ranch. Being a bright, genial young man and acquainted with Spanish, he gained influence and popularity, and before long was on the roll of attorneys. He was elected to the legislature of New Mexico, and subsequently to the Forty-third and Forty-fourth congresses. While at Washington he became an intimate friend of James G. Blaine and of Senator Davis, of West Virginia, and married a daughter of the rich senator.

He made a great deal of money by investments in silver mining in Colorado. Later he bought an interest in the coal fields of West Virginia, and has his country seat at Piedmont, that State. His wealth comprises property in New Mexico, Colorado and West Virginia. He spends a great part of his time in New York city, where he directs his vast business interests. In the campaign of 1884 Mr. Elkins superintended operations for his friend, Mr. Blaine. His conversion to the republican party took place in 1870, so that he has attained his majority in its membership. Mrs. Elkins and other members of his household are reported to be democrats, but he has an able business adviser in his wife, who inherits from her father superior judgment and capacity. As Mr. Elkins is one of the most prominent and wealthy citizens of West Virginia his appointment as secretary of war is regarded as "good politics" on the part of the administration, that commonwealth being among the doubtful states.

AN OLD-TIME STEAMER.

Her Bones Will Now Whiten on Lake Erie's Beach.

RUFFALO, N. Y., Nov. 2.—The severe southwester of Saturday wiped out the old-time steamer Passaic at the lower end of Lake Erie. The Passaic, which had in tow the barges Hattie, Elma, Lenness and the Superior, lumber laden for Buffalo, went ashore just above Dunkirk and soon was dashed into fragments. Great masses of wreckage and lumber lie scattered along the beach. The boat's papers were found in a bureau which had been washed ashore and parts of the hull were discovered. A barge came to anchor off Dunkirk and rode out the gale. Nothing has yet been heard of the Passaic's crew but it is believed they have reached one of the barges. The Passaic was owned by Capt. C. C. Blodgett, of Detroit, and his son. She was built in 1862 and measured 412 tons. She was valued at about \$12,000. It is understood that there was no insurance on her hull nor on the barges. The lumber cargoes were fully covered by insurance.

WALSH IN HOMELES.

Victoria's Oldest Boy Burned Out Sunday Morning.

LONDON, Nov. 2.—A fire which broke out yesterday morning at Sandringham hall, residence of the Prince of Wales, situated on the Great Eastern railroad not far from London, caused a large amount of damage in spite of the efforts of a local brigade and assistance rendered by the railroad people.

Sandringham hall must now be repainted and redecorated from roof to cellar and the upper portion of the building, where the fire broke out, must be rebuilt. Consequently it will be impossible for the prince and family to occupy the hall this winter. The prince was expected to arrive and take up his residence there Saturday next.

MRS. O'BEN-PARNELL.

It is Feared That She Will Not Recover.

DUBLIN, Nov. 2.—In spite of the constant attendance of her physicians, it is feared that Mrs. Parnell, widow of Charles Stewart Parnell, may not survive the prostration and sickness caused by the shock she experienced at her husband's death.

Despatches from Brighton say Mrs. Parnell is much weaker today and the Freeman's Journal says unless a change for the better takes place in her condition within two days it fears the worst will happen.

Went Through a Hurricane.

HALIFAX, N. S., Nov. 2.—The bark John Block, from Brunswick, Ga., for Chatham, N. B., which arrived here yesterday, had a terrible time at sea. She experienced a hurricane, during which her decks were swept and the vessel badly strained. A number of the crew were injured.

The enormous demand for the Review of Reviews which exhausted an extra large edition of the October number within ten days of publication, and especially the large sale of the railroad edition, has led to an improvement which will doubtless be welcomed by all its readers. The proportion of large type has been greatly increased, and the November number finds the medium and smaller sizes of type relegated to the twenty or thirty last pages of the magazine.

MORE CONVICTS FREED.

TENNESSEE SOCIETY BECOMING VERY MIXED.

Another Stockade Burned and the Penitentiary Birds Given Citizens' Clothing and Turned Loose to Prey on the Community.

KNOXVILLE, Tenn., Nov. 2.—At one o'clock this morning 200 mounted men came in from the mountains and liberated 200 convicts who had worked in the mines at Oliver Springs. So quietly was it done that the people in town knew nothing about what had happened until six o'clock this morning when they discovered that the stockade of the lessees was a mass of smoking ruins.

All of the short-term prisoners were furnished with citizens' clothing, and with the exception of a few captured, all are now at large. This makes more than five hundred penitentiary convicts turned loose in that locality since Friday.

The governor of the state was here yesterday, but left this morning for Nashville.

It was given out after his arrival here that the force of guards at Oliver's had been largely increased, and that an attack upon the stockade would be strongly resisted. It does not appear, however, that there was any resistance at all, and no one was hurt.

Wild rumors prevail, one of which is that the miners will immediately proceed to Tracy City and released there. There is now no well founded evidence of this, but no one can tell what the miners will do.

Business in Greenville.

From the Greenville News.

A traveling man who is here is getting off a good "gag" on the city. He says of all the business and professional men he asked as to whether business was good, only three said they were doing well. One of them was a druggist, and the other a physician and the third an undertaker.

Must Pay the Fiddler.

Raleigh Cor. Wilmington Messenger.

The republicans, well knowing that there must be some sop thrown to the negro voters to hold them in place, have been pleased at the appointment of Scurlock as postmaster at Fayetteville. But now, as the people there will not go on his bond, they have to face that matter.

Stock Quotations.

NEW YORK, Nov. 2.—Eric 29 1/2; Lake Shore 110; Chicago and Northwestern 123 1/2; Norfolk and Western—Richmond and West Point Terminal 13 1/2; Western Union

Baltimore Prices.

BALTIMORE, Nov. 2.—Flour, steady; western super \$3.50; extra \$3.00; family \$4.00; No. 2 red \$3.50; No. 3 red \$3.00; southern, firmer; Fultz & D. L. on berry 100@110; Corn, southern, steady; white, new, 50@55; yellow, 50@55.

New York Market.

NEW YORK, Nov. 2.—Stocks, dull but steady