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## PLAIN ENOUGH



On the slate. It may not be perfectly clear at first, but read again and it is plain enough. Prices LOWER than ever and goods ABOVE competition. Let us convince you if you don't know it already, by telling you of our bargains for this week. On all decorated and transparent China, Art Pottery, Vases, etc., WE WILL ALLOW 10 PER CENT. OFF OF OUR ALREADY LOW PRICES.

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## THE JOINT BOARD'S SEANCE

### THE GHOST OF BEE TREE CALLED UP.

The Board Gets Some Very Interesting Information Regarding the Scheme of Bringing an Everlasting (?) Supply of Water from the Brook in the Mountains.  
Bee Tree! Bee Tree everywhere! But not a drop to drink!  
Bee Tree?  
Oh, no!  
Swannanoa?  
That's correct!  
Gravitation?  
Well, hardly!  
Water and steam power combined?  
That's the present discernible size of it.

And when that is said, the status of the question of Asheville's increase of water supply is made known correctly. The Bee Tree project is out of the race, and it is reasonably certain that the adorable little fishing stream was laid away because of a drought in the matter of favorable opinion.

**Fifty Miles to B—T!**  
The joint board of aldermen and advisors met in the mayor's office yesterday afternoon about 3 o'clock. Every one of the aldermen with the exception of Mr. Gagner. Mayor Blanton was in the chair.

It was not expected generally that the water question would come up at this meeting, consequently there was a little surprise when Mr. Brevard stated deliberately that the survey party to take levels and secure information as to the probable cost of bringing Bee Tree to Asheville through terra cotta pipe had been out several days. They had gone over five miles of the ground, and it had begun to look as if it would take fifty miles of terra cotta pipe to do the work. That was a tough nut to chew. But the chewing took only a few seconds. Mr. Conant made a motion that the surveyors be called in, and it was carried in a hurry. Mr. Hunt, who has exposed the cause of Bee Tree, said that was the proper thing to do, and submitted gracefully.

**Wanted a Retaining Wall.**  
Mr. Hunt asked that a retaining wall three feet high on South Main street in front of Mrs. Buchanan's property be built. Mr. Summey moved that the matter be referred to the joint street committee. Mr. Starnes, chairman of the aldermanic portion of the committee, objected, as he said, the committee had already been over the ground. As for himself, he was opposed to it. Then Mr. Hunt moved that a new chairman be appointed to take Mr. Starnes' place. That motion was all in fun, of course. Mr. Summey's motion was then put and lost. The mayor declared first that the matter had been done on the question.

Action on the matter of damages to the house of Geo. L. Hackney, on Depot street, was deferred.

**Want Haywood Paved.**  
Geo. S. Powell presented a petition to the board, signed by fifteen property owners on Haywood street, asking that the next paving to be done, be done on that street between Patton and Montford avenues. This provoked some discussion. Mr. Brevard thought the West side was getting all the paving and the East side none, and he also thought something ought to be done for the East side people. Then Mr. Starnes moved that the next street to be paved be Haywood, from Patton avenue to Spring street, the paving to be of brick. This carried, Mr. Waddell voting no.

**Other Business.**  
On motion of Mr. Starnes the board ordered the iron fence on Maj. W. W. McDowell's South Main street property moved back the proper distance from the street at the city's expense.

A bill from Crook & Ingle, for raising Harriet Vernon's house on Depot street was sent in for \$151, just \$11 more than the contract price, the firm agreeing to do the work in a substantial manner. The street committee recommended the payment of the bill, less the \$11. The mayor said \$5 of the extra work was authorized by himself, as one of the foundations, he thought, required some better work than had been done. Mr. Scott asked if that work was not necessary to a good job. Mr. Blanton said yes, and Mr. Scott said there could surely be no extra pay for what was agreed to in the contract. Then the board decided to pay \$140, as recommended by the committee.

These bills were ordered paid: J. D. Henderson, street work, \$47.75; Bell's more United Oil Co., \$23.70; attorney, \$2.25; J. L. Murray, salary, \$75; Johnston & Coleman, making first Bee Tree survey, \$72.96.

## THE CITY FATHERS

**Alderman Starnes Says Discharge Supt. Ingle's Assistant.**  
When the board of aldermen met yesterday, after the adjournment of the joint board, Lieut. John Little made a complaint in substance the same as made in Lieut. Little's letter to THE CITIZEN on Thursday, as to the manner in which he had been treated by the water department. Superintendent Ingle, in reply, said he had given notice to the owner of the house occupied by Mr. Little that water rents were due, but had never received any answer. He had sent a man to cut the water off. He had made a mistake in the charges, because he did not know when the first bill was made out that there was a closet and bath tub in the house. C. H. Hartshorne and Capt. J. P. Sawyer offered suggestions as to bettering the present system. Mr. Starnes said that Mr. Ingle ought to discharge Duff Erwin, the colored man who was alluded to, for his insolence. Mr. Brevard then made a motion that hereafter the water works superintendent give notice of arrearages to both owner and renter that if the rents were not paid within a limited time the water would be cut off. Carried.

**The Valley Street Line.**  
Col. J. G. Martin asked an amendment to his charter, allowing him to run his street car track down South Main to a point fifty feet beyond the culvert, then put in a switch and line from that point

## SENATOR VANCE'S ILLNESS

### THE DOCTORS HAVE IT WELL UNDER CONTROL.

A Special Correspondent of "THE CITIZEN" Declares That the Senator Looks Like a Very Sick Man—Started for Washington.  
A rumor became current in this city last night that United States Senator Z. B. Vance, who has been at Goumbron for some time, was dangerously ill. The foundation of the rumor was a telegram received here yesterday afternoon by Dr. M. L. Neilson, a brother-in-law of Senator Vance, which stated that the senator was suffering severely, and requesting Dr. Neilson to go to Goumbron at once.  
The Doctor was unwell and could not go, and Dr. John Hey Williams went instead.  
To allay the anxiety of Senator Vance's relatives and friends in Asheville and to learn the true condition of the sick man, THE CITIZEN this morning sent a correspondent to Black Mountain. He sends the following telegram: BLACK MOUNTAIN, May 14.—[Special.]—Senator Vance left his home at Goumbron this morning and arrived at this station at 12. The senator was unable to eat breakfast, and the rough drive over eight miles of mountain roads brought on an attack of nausea. The sickness was but temporary, however, and was quickly overcome by simple remedies, and the patient then rested quietly in his room at the hotel.

On Wednesday last the Senator worked in his garden and contracted a cold that developed into lamboago, from which he suffered intensely until the arrival of physicians from Asheville on Friday afternoon when hypodermic injections of morphia were administered with good effect.

The physicians state that there has been no recurrence of paralysis. His appearance, however, is that of a very sick man.

Senator Vance boarded the train at 3:10 for Washington.

## CONFESSED AND DIED.

### Another Lynching For The Usual Cause In The South.

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., May 14.—Henry James, a mulatto, 23 years of age, employed by Charles Johnson, made an assault Wednesday on the five years old adopted daughter of Johnson, Maggie Duxley.

The matter was kept quiet until yesterday morning when detectives arrested the brute and played him out at 11:30. He was committed to the penitentiary whence it was believed he had been spirited by the sheriff. The authorities at the penitentiary refused to let the mob in, but admitted that the prisoner had been taken by them for safe keeping.

The mob refused to parley, and with sledge hammers broke open the great iron gates, entered the penitentiary and having secured the prisoner, started with him to the residence of Mr. Johnston, some distance away, where Johnston identified him.

The mob grew in numbers to an immense throng as it marched in a procession to Fifth street and Main street in the heart of the city.

Opposite the masonic temple the negro was given several minutes to pray and confess. A rope was thrown across an arm of a large telegraph pole and James was soon swinging in mid-air. He was then riddled by hundreds of bullets.

## REPUBLICANS RESPONSIBLE.

### Expenditures of the Government Fixed by the Party in Power.

WASHINGTON, May 14.—Senator Gorman, speaking to the river and harbor bill yesterday afternoon in the senate, said there was no power on earth that could enable the democratic party to reduce the one hundred and fifty millions of pensions a year, or to reduce the fixed expenses of the government, or the interest on the public debt; or to reduce taxation. It had no power so long as the government was divided between the two parties. The country ought to know that. But the great issues between the two political parties were fixed in the minds of the people. They had been made in the national democratic platform in 1888, and in the platform of every democratic convention held since 1888. And they would stand there until victory was won on one side or the other. On one side was the party that had been in power, with every branch of the government at its control, and that had fixed the expenditures at too high a rate, as democrats thought. But those expenditures had been fixed and could not be repeated or modified until the democratic party got control of every branch of the government. The democratic party was not to be held responsible for what went on until then.

## To Ride at Charlotte.

On Tuesday next the Asheville horsemen who will contest for the tournament prizes at Charlotte will leave for that city. Those who will take part are N. A. Reynolds, N. T. Chambers, J. T. Sevier, A. T. Summey, jr., D. B. Sevier, and W. S. Kay. They have been practicing for several weeks past and their opponents in the contest will have to do some fine work to keep them from the prizes.

## Shoe Factory Burned.

ROCHESTER, N. H., May 14.—Fire early this morning destroyed the four story frame factory owned by Geo. W. Anderson and occupied by F. W. Breed & Co., shoe manufacturers of Lynn, Mass. On building \$15,000; insurance \$10,000. On machinery and stock \$10,000; insurance unknown.

## Another Lynching.

NAUGATUCK, W. Va., May 14.—"Red" Smith, who killed Lester Fields on Laurel creek last Saturday to get possession of a revolver, was taken this morning by a mob of 200 persons and lynched.

## DID HE TRY TO COMMIT SUICIDE?

The train which leaves the Asheville depot at 3:05 was rounding the bend yesterday when a man rushed to the platform and jumped off. His rash act created great excitement among the other passengers—they all thought it was a case of suicide. Ladies fainted, men rushed to the platform expecting to see his mangled form upon the track, but the fact was he had forgotten to put his bottle of "Bancroft Pills" in his satchel and would not start on his journey without them. He took great chances, but he might have taken greater.

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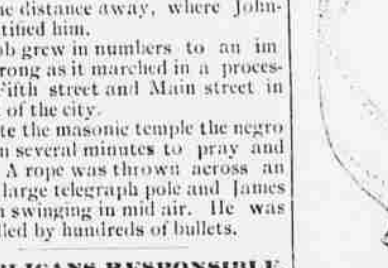
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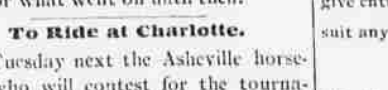
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