LIKE ONE FROM THE GRAVE

AMOS AUSTIN RETURNS TO RIVERIOME.

An Enoch Arden Case With Variations, in Which Asheville Peo ple Play The Principal Parts.

That truth is stranger than fiction is demonstrated conclusively by an Enock Arden case with variations that has developed in Asheville, with the scenes laid

in Yancey and Buncombe counties. The story with which this article has to do begins about four years ago, it Yancey county, where lived Amos M. M. Austin, his wife, Annie Austin, and their six children. One day, the day on which this story begins, Austin and a neighbor, Henry Ledford, became involved in a row, and Austin killed him. The man with the mark of Cain upon his brow was arrested, and shortly thereafter was brought to Asheville and confined in jail for sate keeping. He re mained here for nearly a year, awaiting the ofttimes slow processes of the courts. The wife, in order to be near her hus-band, came to Asheville with the children, and have since made their home bere, several of the little ones having been given homes with families in the city.

Austin was tried, convicted of man

slaughter and sentenced to a term in the penitentiary at Raleigh. After he had served a part of his term his letters to Mrs. Austin suddenly ceased, and after many weeks of waiting the wife heard that her husband had been I led by a

"pen." guard in attempting to serine.
Time passed, and Mrs. Austin, indiceing her husband dead, accepted the hand of E. W. Morgan, of this county, and they were married on the 14th of October, 1891, by Justice A. T. Summey. The couple lived happily together until several months ago, when Mrs. Morgan was thrown inot a state bordering on frenzy by the receipt of a letter from husband No. 1, whom she had believed dead for so many mouths. The matter was laid before the latter day, bushand to attend the funeral of Mrs. J. W. White. Mrs. Snider and Mrs. Graham, where he went is to attend the funeral of Mrs. J. W. White. Mrs. Snider and Mrs. Graham was laid before the latter-day husband and to him Mrs. Morgan, (or Austin) imparted the information that she could no longer live with him. That day she

Now, Austin, husband No. 1, has reappeared on the scene, arriving here from Raleigh a few days ago. It seems that he had been shot, twice in the head and once in the back, while attempting to escape from the penitentiary, but, although brought near death's door, he recovered. He was an invalid, however, from the wounds, and one bullet is said to be in his head yet, causing periodical feature for the way was brought to fainting fits. His case was brought to the attention of the Governor and Aus-tin received a pardon and came to Ashe-ville. Since his arrival he has been stopping with relatives in North Asheville. Austin's return, it is said, has caused

mild sort of consternation in several families. Several of the children, as has al ready been stated, have found homes with families who have become attached to them, and who now fear Austin will try to take the children away from them. Morgan, or No. 2, is said to be afraid Austin, feeling offended because of the

THAT STAMP JOKE.

stamps at Candler.

A correspondent of THE CITIZEN Writ-

"In your issue of yesterday, I noticed and breadth of treatment it need not fear a joke on one of Buncombe's postmasters, entitled 'One of Wanny's P. M.'s.'

There is a freshness, a virility, and a joy-The postmaster at Candler wishes to let ous note of faith running through every the readers of THE CITIZEN and the Charlotte Observer know that he did not require the payment of postage, as stated in that article, nor aid he say anything whateverto any corresponden about the Columbian stamps. He has on hand a large supply of the Columbian stamps and cancels a large number of

them every day.
"The facts are as follows: Mr. Hen-

UP, THEN DOWN.

As Sung by Patti Rosa, the Board of Aldermen and Receiver M. A certain city government their intellects

And from poor Patton avenue did move the old car track.

Before the court their case they told, the railroad did the same. The judge he said, "You all pressed wrong; I'll put it back again."

Oh, when it came up, up, up, All were glad in the town. But now they all cuss some one for the

As they see it go down, down, down,

Nat. S. Rogers. LTY WORLD.

dring in the Way

deeds have been filed in y's office:

Julius A. Wray, airview township \$5 000 nmissioner, to B. 7%x140 feet...... 7 975 I wife to Jas. K. erest in property venue, 27%x140 2 658

POSTPON ED.

Citizens' Meeting Will be Held Friday Evening.

By request of members of the various church congregations of the city holding ting services on Wednesday e citizens' committee has de tpone the meeting advertised evening until Friday even-

in mind and be sure to

the First Haptist. pastor, gives the fol-

> the First Baptist requested to be tonight at 7:30 man who sees interest in his

AROUND TOWN.

Washington, Jan. 31.—Forecast till 8 p. m. Wednesday: Fair; warmer Wed-nesday morning and evening; southerly

B. B. Edwards of Marshall is at the Grand Central. Albert G. Glover left on this afternoon's rain for Boston

Justice A. T. Summey left this after-Heth Canfield of St. Augustine, Fla. s at the Swannanoa.

M. W. Egerton of Hendersonville is in Asheville today on business. A. M. Sinclair and J. I. Hunton, of Ba! timore, are at the Swannanor

P. A. McElroy, esq., of Marshall, is in the city on professional business. J. A. Porter, who is ill at Biltmore, eported as no better this afternoon.

The street paving force is pushing the work on Patton avenue near French

Internal revenue collections for the Fifth North Carolina district yesterday amounted to \$8,484.32.

The citizens' mass meeting, called fo morrow evening, has been postponed o Friday evening, February 3. Since the good weather set in large numbers of tobacco wagons have come

o market, and there have been several arge breaks. J. D. Brevard left the city today for Thomasville to attend a meeting of the poard of trustees of the Baptist Orphan-

age at that place. J. M. Alexander has rented the building formerly occupied by C. D. Blanton & Co., on court place, and will tomorrow

to attend the funeral of Mrs. J. W. White. Mrs. Snider and Mrs. Graham stopped over in Salisbury on their return, where they will visit relatives.

Freight traffic over the Richmond and Danville railroad to Asheville is very heavy now. Eight freight trains daily are now necessary to meet the demands. This is double the number in use two weeks ago, and the indications point to a demand for additional trains in the near future.

The next lecture in the Southern Business college course will occur next Tuesday evening, February 7, in the college lecture hall. Dr. James Hedley, of Ohio will be the lecturer, and his subject will be "Sunny Side of Life." Dr. Hedley is called by the Buffalo, N. Y., Courier "The greatest platform orator of the

DR LEE'S LECTURE.

Henry W. Grady, Editor, Ora tor, and Man," Friday Evening. Dr. J. H. Lee of Atlanta will lecture at the Y. M. C. A. on Friday evening, his

Austin, feeling offended because of second marriage, may undertake to make matters warm for him. Austin has not yet seen Mrs. Austin, nor has he has not yet seen Mrs. Austin, nor has he has not yet seen Mrs. Austin, nor has he has not yet seen Mrs. Austin, nor has he has not yet seen Mrs. Austin, nor has he has not yet seen Mrs. Austin, nor has he hook at once gives its author a man with the New York Tribune says of him. "This book at once gives its author a place, and no mean place, in the world

of contemporary thought. It is one of the truest, keenest and most brilliant studies of man in relation to the universe that have appeared in this country for A correspondent of THE CITIZEN WILL vears. In its insight and wealth o ing from Candler, Buncombe county, thought, it is not unworthy to be ranked with the best work of Huxley or Spencer and in the beauty of its literary form that of themselves would arrest atten-

DON'T WANTBUNCOMBE.

Madison Countries Will Fight Annexation

J. M. Gudger, jr., who has just returned "The facts are as follows: Mr. Henry's correspondent wished to joke him and pretended to be ignorant of what the Columbian stamps were. He wrote a letter to Mr. Henry and made the statements in it that said article revealed. He intended to put a Columbian stamp on the letter to Mr. Henry, that he might catch on to the joke, but failed to do so because he had some of the old issue on hand. So Mr. Henry thought that the statements in the letter were true, when they were only a joke. Mr. Henry's correspondent attends to the P. O. himself, but Mr. Henry does not know it."

The Citizen that there is a great deal of opposition to the proposition to annex a portion of that county to Buncombe, as contemplated by a bill introduced in the House of Representatives at Raleigh. The reason this opposition has not been manifest ere this is, that the county has had no notice of the proposed change, and heard of it for the first time only a few days ago. Mr. Gudger says peritions are being circulated, and generally signed, against the annexation, and that the Madisonians declare their intention of fighting the proposition to the proposition to annex a portion of that county to Buncombe, a portion of that county to Buncombe, a portion of the proposition to annex a portion of that county to Buncombe, a portion of that cou from a trip to Madison county, tells

CRIMINAL COURT.

Business Practically Finished This Afternoon.

In the Criminal court yesterday afternoon, in the case of State vs. Minerva Tally, for retailing liquor without license, defendant was called and failed to ap pear; judgment nisi. State vs Carrie Buley, embezzlement; bill of indictment quashed, and defend-

ant held in her own recognizance to appear at next term. State vs. Amos Keever, larceny; released on payment of costs by defendant. State vs. James and Charles Hart,

arceny; guilty.
The business of the court will be prac ically concluded this afternoon.

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THE MARKETS.

New York Market. New York, Jan. 31.—Cotton futures, Jan. uary, 9.15; February, 9.30; March, 9.38; April, 9.47; May, 9.54; June, 9.59.

Stock Quotations.

New York, Jan. 31.—Brie 25%; Lake Shore 130%; Chicago and Northwestern 114%; Norfolk and Western, 39; Richmond and West Point Terminal 10%; Western Union 97%.

Baltimors, Jan. 31 — Flour, firm; wheat, quiet; spot, 77%@78; Jan., 77%; Feb. 77; May, 80%. Milling wheat by sample, 75% 80; corn, firm; spot, January 53; February, 52 May 52; white corn by sample, 52@53; yellow corn 52@53.

FIFTW MEN-

Bolts and Bars-Patton Avenue-

A half hundred men, employed by th Asheville Street Railway company arose early this morning, and with the the paving on Patton avenue and relaying the track, which has been off the avenue since last summer, when the city authorities did their locally famous night work.

Between the square and Haywood street the work was easy, as nothing but the rails were removed by the city, leaving the ties and chairs intact, and only a portion of the paving and some of the ties were removed. After the workmen passed Haywood street, however, the work was more tedious, as the pavement work was more tedious, as the pavement had to be torn up to a width considerably more than that required by the track, in order to give room for the placing of the ties. The work progressed rapidly. There was no cessation of the traffic, and wagons, loaded heavily, drove across the openings in the pavement at will, grinding off the exposed ment at will, grinding off the exposed ends of the bricks. It seemed nobody's business to close the avenue to these

One thing was very apparent in the paving west of Haywood street, and that was that very little tar had been used on the bricks when the pavement was laid, the workmen being able, in many instances, to lift the single bricks with their hands. Receiver Maddux told THE CITIZEN

this morning that the work would pro-gress with all possible dispatch, and that cars would would be running as soon as the track could be put in condition. He also said he had received many expressions of joy from residents of the Wes End over the prospect of cars on tha division.

Crawford Against It.

from the Winston Sentinel. WASHINGTON, Jan. 26 .- A special to the Post quotes Representative Crawford, of North Carolina as saying: "I shall yote against the proposed repeal of the Sherman act.

Liceuse to Wed.

Register Mackey has issued license wed as follows: Geo. Hamilton and Laura Bristow, o

Suncombe; colored. G. M. Carter, Chester, S. C., writes:
A negro boy here had a bad case of scrofula. The coctor said it would kill

got him to use Botanie Blo Balm. He took a dozen bottles and is now well. He has not used any of it for our months and continues well.'

Index to New Advertisements TO PLBASE—Lou Brown, INSURANCE—T. W. Postell, WANTED—Ellwanger & Barry, POR RENT—43 Patton avenue, FOR RENT—No. 5 College street.

FOR RENT-For housekeeping, three fur-nished rooms, in new house, first floor, light and sunny, Corner College and Pine

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Notice to Contractors

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S-aled proposals will be received at this
office until 3 p m Friday, February 3, 1893
for furnishing and laying about 520 feet of
10-inch, standard weight, water pipe, one
10x10x10 tee, and two 10-inch gate valves,
near the reservoir. Profiles and specifications can be seen at the office of the city en
g neer C D BLANTON, Mayor
B M Lee, City Engineer jan30dit

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OLD FORT, N. C.

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G. WHITLOCK! - - PROPRIETOR.