FOR A DAY OR MORE.

People Who Come In and go Out From Asheville.

Bill Nye came in from Buck Shoals yesterday afternoon.

James McDowell of Columbus, N. C., is at the Swannanoa.

E. J. Seibles and wife of Columbia, S. C., are at Miss Gano's.

Judge R. F. Armfield left this afternoon for his home at Statesville.

W. D. Gash went down to Morganton today on a short business trip.

Capt. M. J. Fagg returned today from a trip to his Alabama plantation.

President Lewis Maddux, of the Western Carolina bank, left for New York today.

Acting Collector Rogers left this morning for Franklin to remain with his family a few days.

E. C. Leuch of New York, who has been here on business for several days, left for his home today.

E Fitch Taylor of Philadelphia, formerly of the firm of Taylor, Bouis & Brotherton, this city, is in Asheville.

Judge Thos. A. Jones and Chas. A Webb, esq., have returned from attendance upon the Supreme court at Raleigh.

Mrs. J. L. Fagg has returned from Winston after a stay of a few days with her daughter, Mrs. J. L. Morgan. She was recalled by the illness of Mrs. E F. Hines, who is still improving.

AT THE CHURCHES

Special Services at Some of Them Tomorrow.

Rev. T. R. Sampson, the returned missionary from Greece, will preach to the children and grown persons at the South-side Presbyterian church tomorrow evening. Mr Sampson will tell of life in Greece, of the children and their parents, their habits and ways. All are invited to attend the service.

Pastor H. F Chreitzberg will conduct services at Central M. E. church, South tomorrow morning and evening. Members will be received at the conclusion of the morning service.

Rev. J. L. White, pastor of the First Baptist church, will preach tomorrow morning on "We Shall be Like Him." At 7:30, "Barabbas or Jesus?"

Rev. Dr. James Atkins will preach at the North Asheville M. E. church, South, tomorrow at 11 a m.

Rev. Dr. P L. Groome will preach at Riverside M. E. church, South, tomorrow at 11 a. m.

CONTRACTS AWARDED

Work on The Morganton Deaf and Dumb Institute.

Hon. Mark L. Reed returned from Morganton yesterday and tells THE CITIZEN that contracts were awarded for work on the school for white deaf and dumb as follows:

Heating and plumbing, $14,500, to Brewster & Co., Raleigh.

Waterworks, $3,000, to Knox, Charlotte.

Inside finishing, $1,850, to Morganton Manufacturing and Trading company.

Flooring, 75,000 feet, $1.15 to $1.60, to J. D. Pitts, Glen Alpine.

The main building is enclosed, and the brick work of the boiler house and stack is completed. The board expects the institute to be ready for pupils by next September.

HOLIDAY RATES

Round Trip Railroad Tickets for Four Cents a Mile One Way.

Instructions have been given City Passenger and Ticket Agent Murphy to sell holiday tickets from Asheville to any point on the R & D. system in the State for four cents a mile one way for round trip, also to points on the R. & D., C. C. & A., C. & G. and Ga. Pac. roads, within a radius of 300 miles of Asheville, for four cents a mile one way for round trip. Tickets to be on sale December 22-25, limited January 3, 1894. Holiday rates will also be offered schools and colleges in North Carolina, South Carolina, Virginia and Georgia at 4 cents a mile one way for round trip, regardless of the 300-mile limit. Tickets will be on sale December 16-26, limited January 4, 1894.

Supreme Court

The following report of appeals in the Supreme court from the Twelfth district is from the Raleigh News and Observer:

Penland vs. Crapo and Woollen Company vs. McKinnon; certiorari allowed and cases continued.

Campbell vs. Patton; argued by Busbee & Busbee for plantiff, and Thos. A Jones for defendant.

Bank vs. Atkinson; argued by Thos. A. Jones for defendant Patton.

Gwaltney vs. Land Co.; certiorari ordered and case continued.

Y. M. C. A. Notes.

There will be a gospel talk at the Y M. C. A. rooms tomorrow afternoon at 4.30 for men only. All men are cordially invited. The talk will be preceded by a short, spirited song service.

Mr. Waite of Ravenscroft will lead the gymnasium drill at the Y. M. C. A. Monday evening. All holding full membership tickets are entitled to the use of the gymnasium.

Chicago Postoffice Robbery.

CHICAGO, Dec. 16.—The amount of cash secured by the robbery of Cashier Robertson at the postoffice Thursday night is now estimated at $4,000. No trace of the robber has been discovered and Inspector Stuart said today that there is little probability that the men would be captured.

The Book of the Fair.

Part VI. of the Book of the Fair, published by the Bancroft company, Auditorium building, Chicago, is beautiful enough to make one who did not visit the Fair stand on his head in despair; while to him who did attend this magnificent work will be a joy forever. It is a great production.

10 cents. 10 cents. 10 cents. Pure homemade stick candy, 10c. pound at Allen's, 36 Patton avenue, the place to get your Xmas fruits, candies, etc. Don't forget the place. 36 Patton avenue.

Our reductions are plain and can be seen, no humbug advertisement. Call and see for yourselves. Sumner & Co.

W. B. Wild is now with T. J. Revell, No. 30 North Main street, where he will be glad to see his friends and receive a share of their patronage.

Try our Jellico Domestic Nut and you will be pleased. Carolina Coal Company.

H. Redwood & Co. are giving a special discount on clothing, cloaks and dress goods.

Plenty of old papers for sale at THE CITIZEN office. Only 20 cents per hundred.

Fresh butter a specialty at Hare's.

AROUND TOWN.

Washington, Dec. 16—Forecast till 8 p m. Sunday—Showers today and tonight; cold wave; southerly gales, becoming northwest.

John A. Murdoch is up from an attack of the grip.

Mrs. John H. McDowell is seriously ill with the grip at her home on Haywood street.

J. G. Merrimon, esq., of Asheville has been appointed a notary public by Governor Carr.

The next attraction at the Grand opera house will be Newton Beers in "Lost in London," on Saturday evening, December 23.

The funeral services over the remains of the late James A. Webb will be held tomorrow afternoon in Central M. E. church at 2:30 o'clock.

Mrs. A. A. Featherston, who has been sick for the past week at her home on Water street, is worse today and her condition is considered critical.

The children of Miss Katie Millard's grade in the city schools have issued invitations to their friends for the Christmas exercises of the grade that will occur on Friday next.

John Y Jordan of Elizabethton, Tenn., and B. M. Wilson of Chicago came in yesterday from a week's hunt in Cleveland county. They had fine weather and found an abundance of birds.

Auctioneer Wm. Turner today sold for Alexander Garrett, trustee, the J. T. Bostic house and lot on Chestnut street. It was purchased by John G. Low for $2,300. The lot is 100x294 feet.

The subject for the devotional meeting of the Central Epworth League tomorrow evening is "Hope"—Rom V:1 5. The meeting will commence at 6.45 and a cordial invitation is extended to all.

Any persons in Asheville or vicinity who are interested in the formation of a Congregational church in Asheville are requested to write to Rev. S. C. McDaniel, Atlanta, Ga., secretary of the Home Missionary society.

The Raleigh News and Observer says it is stated that the joint committee appointed by the Methodist conferences to take into consideration the consolidation of the Asheville Advocate and the Raleigh Advocate will meet in January.

The government employes under Acting Collector Rogers will soon receive Christmas presents in the shape of salary checks for November. The checks were sent out today. There are 302 of them, and the amount represented by them is $13,637.

Rev. T. F. Marr, the new pastor of Bethel M. E. church, South, has arrived in Asheville, accompanied by Mrs. Marr, and will preach his first sermon at Bethel tomorrow. Mr. and Mrs. Marr are living at the residence corner of Bailey and Silver streets.

Compton & Bradshaw, a firm of colored men, have rented stall No. 6 in the market house, on the south side, and are carrying on a fish business. This is the first colored firm to enter the market and some of the dealers are not pleased at the innovation.

Brevard Hustler: Our most estimable friend, Geo. W. Tilson of Asheville, was in the city on Thursday of last week.—I. M. Kilpatrick and family, who have been residing in Asheville for a few months, have returned to their old love, and are again residents of Brevard.

Deputy Register Robertson gives THE CITIZEN the following list of those persons whose pension warrants are uncalled for in Register Mackey's office: Soldier, S. A McCarson; widows, M. Kessler, E H. Tucker, N. Hughes, E Hooper, Mary Surratt, Nancy Smith and Rosa Knight.

Deputy Sheriff J. H. Hampton yesterday received from A. M. Goodlake, town marshal of Black Mountain, a telegram informing him of the arrest there of Bob Moulton, who is wanted here on a charge of complicity in the robbery of F. P. Pogue's store recently. Mr. Hampton went to Black Mountain after Moulton this afternoon.

A Louisville, Ky., dispatch announces that Mrs. Cuthbert Bullitt of that city has instructed her lawyers to institute a suit for divorce against her husband, on the grounds of cruelty and incompatibility. Mrs. Bullitt says her husband was a fortune hunter and would have secured all her property had she not forced him to sign an ante nuptial contract. This will interest many Asheville people, where Col. and Mrs. Bullitt are well known. They were here for some time last summer. Col. Bullitt was Mrs. Bullitt's third husband.

Ex-Commissioner J. C. Curtis, who was in Asheville today, brought news of the death of Mrs. Mary Joyce, wife of Robert Joyce, which occurred at her home near Turnpike last night. Mrs. Joyce had not been well for some time, but was not considered worse yesterday. During the night, however, she was found dying in bed. She was 68 years old and had a husband and three children. Mrs. Joyce's remains will be interred at 11 o'clock tomorrow at Pleasant Hill church, of which she was a member for many years.

Gambling, Isn't It?

From the Raleigh News and Observer.

It is said that B. L. Duke lost half a million in cotton futures! What a bane that speculation has been to the South! How many families have suffered because the South is always a bull, and is always speculating for a rise in cotton! Our people lose annually a large part of the total value of the cotton crop, which without such loses would long ago have enriched the South.

License To Wed.

Register Mackey has issued license to wed as follows:

L. D Alexander of Buncombe and B. M. Teague of Madison; white.

To The Public.

Having decided to discontinue business in Asheville, we offer to the public our entire stock of Drugs, Patent Medicines, Toilet Articles, Xmas and Holiday Goods, Perfumery, Soaps, etc., at cost.

Prescriptions we will continue to fill, and from now on, we will fill at from one-third to one-half price of any drug store in Asheville.

PELHAM'S PHARMACY.

Sulphur Springs Schedule.

Cars leave rear of postoffice for Springs at 9 a. m., thence every hour until 6 p. m. Regular half hour schedule between postoffice and depot. Car also leaves postoffice at 7:45 a. m. to Spartanburg train.

Commencing this week to cut Hopsackings all wool. Reduced from 65 cents to 40 cents at Sumner & Co.'s, 30 Patton Ave.

Buy Xmas goods of Allen, 36 Patton avenue, the place to get pure, fresh homemade French taffy, stick candy, fruits, nuts, etc.

Coke! Coke! Coke! Call on Carolina Coal Company for Nice, Clean Coke.

Hare has dressed poultry. City market.

THE MARKETS.

New York Market.

NEW YORK, Dec. 16.—Cotton futures opened steady; December 7.61; January, 7.62; February, 7.70; March, 7.78; April 7.86; May, 7.94.

Stock Quotations.

NEW YORK, Dec. 16.—Eris, 15⅝; Lake Shore, 140⅝; Chicago and Northwestern, 126⅛; Norfolk and Western, 21½; Richmond and West Point Terminal, 28⅝; Western Union, 87.

Baltimore Market.

BALTIMORE, Dec. 16.—Flour, dull; western super 1 85@3.15; extra, 3.00@3.30; family, 2.90@2.95; wheat, steady; No 2 red spot, Dec 64⅝@65; milling wheat by sample 65@66; corn, easy; mixed spot and December 43⅛, white corn by sample, 40@40½; yellow, 40@43.

Asheville Markets.

Corrected daily by POWELL & SNIDER, wholesale and retail grocers. These prices are being paid by the merchants to-day.

Butter	20@25	Apples	60@100
Hens	18	Apples, dried	3@5
Chickens	10@20	Pumpkins, each	5@25
Turkeys	70@100	Sorgum	30
Ducks	15@20	Beeswax, per lb	15
Potatoes, sw't	50	Honey	10
Potatoes, Irish	50	Wheat	70
Turnips	30@40	Corn	50
Onions	65	Meal	60
Cabbage, per lb	3½	Oats	40
Beans, per bu	100@150	Rye	65
Peas	60	Hay, ton	$18.50
Chestnuts	100	Celery, doz	25@40

French imported dress goods reduced from $1.25 per yard to 85 cents at Sumner & Co.'s, 30 Patton avenue.

Send your orders to Carolina Coal Company for Jellico Lump and Anthracite.

Fat turkeys at Hare's for Xmas.

Index to New Advertisements.

Notice—McIntire & Co.
School—Prof. H. L. King.
Low Prices—Dunlap & Son.
Caramel Frolic—Powell & Snider.
Holiday Goods—Harris & Smith.
Sweet Cider—A. H. & T. F. Lyman.
Notice to Contractors—A. C. Blair.
Holiday Office—1012 Patton Ave.
Christmas Presents—W. B. Williamson.

SCHOOL—Parties desiring to patronize a private school in town are requested to call on or address H. L. King, City. dec13d6t mon sat

SWEET CIDER—We can furnish families a limited amount of fresh made cider every Friday by mail before Christmas. Sunset Drive Orchard. A. H. & T. F. LYMAN. dec15d1t Asheville.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.—Having qualified as administrator of the estate of J. Hamp. McDowell, deceased, all persons indebted to said intestate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned, and persons having claims against said intestate are hereby notified to present their claims, properly authenticated, to the undersigned within twelve months from this date or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. Dec 16, 1893.

W. A. BLAIR,
Administrator of J. Hamp. McDowell.
Tucker & Murphy, Attorneys.
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FUR SKINS BOUGHT BY H. A. LINDSEY, 34 Patton Ave.

T. W. Branch. W. D. Gash.
BRANCH & GASH,
FIRE INSURANCE
34 Patton Avenue, Telephone 40.
nov18d1m

WM. TURNER,
Auctioneer, Rent Collector, Note the Address: 57 Church street.
Prompt attention to all business entrusted to me. Mr. T. M. Blair being admitted to his business by serious illness has handed his books of sales to me, all of which shall have my best attention. nov24d1m

NOTICE.

To all persons in the City of Asheville, N. C., or in Buncombe County, or in the State of North Carolina, or in the United States: If the firm of McIntire & Co., owes you anything you will please present your bill at once and get your money, as the 1st of January is near at hand and we do not want to owe anything by that time. We also ask people in debt to us to call and settle their bills as soon as possible.

We Remain Respectfully,
McINTIRE & CO.
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JUST RECEIVING FRESH STOCK
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Old stock cleaned out. Prices lower than ever before. Try us.
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A FINE SIGNED ETCHING FREE. VALUE TWO DOLLARS.

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Get something useful as well as ornamental for your your friend's, sweetheart's or sister's Christmas present. You will find many nice things at very low prices at
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46 SOUTH MAIN STREET. CORNER EAGLE BLOCK. 46
DECEMBER.
During this month we offer a large line of long ulsters and full back overcoats for men and boys; also heavy business and dress suits that cannot be matched elsewhere in style and price.
HOLIDAY GOODS. Our display of holiday goods embrace novelties in neckwear, gloves, hosiery, suspenders and underwear; also Bath Robes, Smoking Coats and Study Gowns.
Hats, Stylish Hats, in genuine Dunlap, Stetson and Melville Makes.
The public is invited to compare our stock and prices with others before buying.
We claim a larger stock in our lines, finer goods, reliable prices and much longer experience in catering for the clothing trade in the State. Call and see us.

NEW HOME SEWING MACHINES
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MACHINES FROM $20 UP.
OIL, NEEDLES AND PARTS OF MACHINES SUPPLIED.
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C. E. MOODY,
NO. 20 NORTH COURT SQUARE
COAL, : COKE, : WOOD, : KINDLINGS : AND : CHARCOAL.
Try Coke in your Furnace and Range instead of Hard Coal and save $2 50 per ton.

TOYS
Largest assortment of bright new Toys at prices to suit the times.
CANDIES
Tenney's Famous Bon Bons and Chocolates in any quantity. Cream Chocolates 25 cents a pound. Mixtures 10, 15 and 20 cents.
MEERSCHAUM AND BRIAR PIPES
You cannot afford to buy a pipe without seeing my stock.
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All new, wholesale and retail.
RAY'S CONFECTIONERY AND TOY STORE, 28 S. MAIN ST.

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WILL RECEIVE MONDAY AND
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GENUINE - JELLICO - LUMP, - $4.75.
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Genuine Jellico Domestic Nut, $4.25.
BUNCOMBE LUMP, $3.75.
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EVERYTHING IN "APPEEPIE" ORDER
The inauguration of our special half price sale will begin tomorrow.
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WE WILL LEAD IN LOW PRICES.
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AT COST!
We have decided, in order to give our whole attention to our repairing and manufacturing departments to sell our entire stock of
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Consisting of Solid Gold and Silver Watches, Plain Gold and Set Rings, Gold Scar Pins, Lace Pins and Ear Drops, Studs and collar Buttons, Watch Chains and Charms, both in Solid Gold and Plated, Solid Gold Lockets and Bracelets, Solid Gold and Silver Thimbles, Gold, Nickel and Steel Spectacles and Eye Glasses. Rogers & Brothers' Silver Plated Ware, Clocks, and many other things too numerous to mention
AT COST
From December 1. When we say cost we mean cost, not 10, 15 or 20 per cent. profit. If you don't believe we mean business call on us at No. 8 North Court square.
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