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Editorial.

If some genius would invent a clock to strike the hour of ten p. m. extra loud he would certainly reap a rich reward, for every man who has a daughter old enough to receive gentleman callers would buy one. —JOAB.

John D. Rockefeller has given $100,000 to Furman University at Greenville, S. C., and the price of Standard oil has been advanced. The people raise the dough and Johnny gets the honor.

We regret the necessity that compels us to call attention of some of our patrons to the fact that we are compelled to collect accounts past due for advertising and job work, also a few on subscriptions. We have sent out statements frequently which have been ignored, and as the year closes we have to meet heavy cash payments and in order to do so we must collect accounts over due. Let those who are in arrears come up and square off before the New Year. Such accounts unsettled by January 1st are liable to be placed in an officer's hands for collection.

CASTORIA.
Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher. The Kind You Have Always Bought

Rural Delivery Route.

There is soon to be established a Rural delivery route in this county. The agent Hunter Arnold, was here last week and examined four applicants for carrier's positions They were Erwin Patton, W. H. Roane, E. D. Franks and Willie Franks. The route will start from Franklin, and go via Harris mill, Patton settlement, Cartoogechaye to Roane's Mill, thence to E. L. Slagle's and back to Franklin. Service will commence as soon as all arrangements can be completed. Two or three other routes are in contemplation.

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Another Crank.

All kinds of large bodies of men, religious or otherwise, are subject to have cranks among them. It is reported that in the Baptist State convention at Charlotte last Saturday one lobbed up and spouted as follows:

"I believe the day will come when the license of editors of our great daily papers will have to be curtailed. These editors are exercising too much influence and power over the popular mind, too often not wisest and best and I believe the day is not far distant when the government will have to lay the strong arm of the law on the press and repress abuses."

His name is Rev. J. Massee of Raleigh. A number of delegates were immediately on their feet vigorously protesting against the declaration.

About Secret Orders.

"Secret Orders" are often spoken of sneeringly by those on the outside, claiming if there is any good in them, *why* kept so "secret," These "mossbacks" know not of what they speak. The majority of these so-called "secrets" are only the modes of admission, the signs whereby one brother may know another, tests of membership, and the code whereby benefits may be distributed. There can be nothing wrong in these things, and such tend to unite men in more fraternal bonds. Men and women are united in various societies and churches to do good, and such good reaches only a few—so have the so-called "Secret Orders" special work to do. Each has its own sphere to work in, and both are worthy of the encouragement and support of all right minded people.—Masonic Chronicle.

A Costly Mistake.

Blunders are sometimes very expensive. Occasionally life itself is the price of a mistake, but you'll never be wrong if you take Dr. King's New Life Pills for Dyspepsia, Biliousness, Headache, Fever or Bowel Complaint. They are gentle yet thorough. At Smith's Drug Store.

JUPITER.

That magnificent "star," that shines at first in evening's early twilight, is the giant planet of our solar system, the mighty Jupiter, swinging around the sun in his orbit at a distance varying in round numbers from four hundred and sixty millions to five hundred millions of miles in about twelve years; while he turns on his axis so rapidly that a day and night on Jupiter is equal to nine and one-half hours. Just imagine the sun rising at 6 a. m., and setting at ten forty-five: rising again at three thirty p. m., and you have a Jovian day and night. There, the days and nights are equal all over the planet all the year round, and there is no changing of seasons on the same parallels of latitude. In the tropics it is ever summer. Whatever the temperate zones are, they are alike on both sides of the equator at the same time. The Arctic regions must always be winter. This must be so as the axis of Jupiter is perpendicular to the plane of its orbit. The seasons of a planet depend upon the inclination of its axis to the plane of its orbit. The inclination of the earth's axis being about 23½ degrees.

Jupiter comes within three hundred and sixty-five millions of miles of us every twelve years, and is due at that point in about one year—say, about next November, when he will be so bright that a good eye may see him when the sun is above the horizon.

If Jupiter were a hollow globe with a crust of four hundred miles thickness, eleven globes the diameter of our earth (7,926 miles) could be in a line across the center of this globe and not touch one another, nor touch the walls on other side. At a speed of sixty miles an hour it would take you over 61 days to go through diameter of eighty eight thousand miles.

The disk of Jupiter seen through the telescope, appears banded by belts of clouds, varying in appearance and place, on different nights. One evening this week I saw five bands north of the equator, and one very wide dark cloud belt of irregular width just south of the equator. Sometimes those clouds change rapidly while you are looking at them, and various spots appear and disappear at other times. Usually, the spots are white, but, sometimes are red, and last for months; all going to show that the atmosphere of the planet is subject to violent storms, the surface being in the condition that earth was millions of years ago when the newly formed crust was frequently burst open and engulfed in maelstroms of fiery lava, when the rains that fell on the hot surface were repelled in the form of vapor and steam, to condense in the cooler upper air, and come down again and again, until at last the surface cooled so that the waters found an "abiding place."

Jupiter is well provided with moons, having five of them, so moonlit nights in clear weather must be a regular condition there; with all the phases represented from new to full, any night—one moon full, another half, another new, and so on. Besides it should be a royal place to study the phenomena of eclipses, were it not too hot, as the planes of the moons' orbits are so situated in regard to the planet and the sun that eclipses occur at every revolution of the moons, except one, that misses once in a while. So there must be eight or nine hundred eclipses there every year. The first moon is very small, and but 70,000 miles away; less than the diameter of the planet, and rushes around Jupiter in 12 hours. To an observer on this moon what a glorious appearance Jupiter would present in rising; filling the whole Eastern heavens from horizon to Zenith, and in the next 12 hours present to you half moon, crescent and full again, as you were carried around it. Meanwhile, with a good telescope, you could have some grand views of the awful convulsions taking place on the planet. Explosions and eruptions involving many hundreds miles of surface, beside which the disturbances of Vesuvius or a Pelee would seem insignificant.

The next moon is larger than ours; about the same distance away and goes 'round Jupiter once in 18 hours, giving some forty eclipses each month. The other three moons vary in size from 2,000 to 3,700 miles in diameter with a revolution in three and one half days, and seventeen days respectively, compared with our moon, diameter 2,000 miles distance 240,000 miles, revolution 29½ days.

The moons of Jupiter show permanent spots and configurations of the surface, indicating a light atmosphere and divisions of land and water, and may be the homes of intelligent beings.

Highlands. E.

COUNTY COMMISSIONERS.

The Board of County Commissioners was in session Monday and Tuesday December 7th and 8th, and following is an abstract of the business transacted:

Ordered, That $20.00 be appropriated to help repair Winding Stair road to be paid out of road fund.

Ordered, That W. B. McGuire be allowed $34.50 for surveying roads.

D. W. Blaine, Register of Deeds presented his official bond in the sum of $5000 with sureties, which was approved and ordered registered in book of official bonds.

Lee Crawford, Clerk Superior Court, made his annual statement of fines collected, which was approved and ordered to be registered.

Lee Crawford, C. S. C., presented his official bond in the sum of $10,000, which was approved and ordered to be registered.

Ordered that $20 insurance on court house be turned over to T. B. Higdon, Sheriff and Treasurer.

Ordered, that Sam Sweatman be allowed $18.17 for keeping paupers during November, 1903.

Ordered, that Good Roads Machinery Co., be given a note in the sum of $102.58 for three road scrapers, payable sixty days after date, with interest from date at 6 per cent.

T. B Higdon, Sheriff, presented his official bond in the sum of $5,000, with security, which was approved and ordered registered.

T. B. Higdon, Sheriff, presented his school tax bond for $9,000, which was approved and ordered registered.

T. B. Higdon, Sheriff, presented his State tax bond, $7,000, with surety, which was approved and ordered to be registered.

T. B. Higdon, Sheriff, presented his county tax bond with surety for $23,000, which was approved and ordered registered.

Ordered, that $20.00 be appropriated to repair road near W. J. Jenkins' on Matlock creek.

Dr. W. A. Rogers, Coroner, presented his official bond, $1,000, which was aproved and registered.

Ordered, that Miss Mollie Hood be given a note in the sum of $422.86, for certain ordinary notes held by her and taken up this day and cancelled, with interest from date at 6 per cent. interest payable annually, and an interest claim for $143.32, interest on notes

Ordered, that Hotel Jarrett be allowed $91.00 for boarding Javan Long jury and officers, payable instanter.

Ordered, that Hotel Jarrett be given a claim in the sum of $39 00 for board of jury and officers of Sumner case, payable instanter.

Ordered, that C. E. Reese be allowed $16.00 for jail fees for November and painting jail &c.

Court cost Fall Term 1903, claims allowed amounting to $358.15.

Ordered, that the Clerk of this Board get up the annual statement and have same published in the Franklin Press.

Ordered, that Mrs. Mary Ray claim be discontinued, it appearing to the Board that her son Ben has improved in health enough to make her support.

Ordered, that S. H. Lyle be allowed $30.00 for road scoop.

Ordered, that T. B. Higdon be allowed $42.15 for summoning 53 jurors, Fall Term, and summoning 125 special venire, wood &c. for court, payable instanter.

Ordered, that T. B. Higdon be allowed $50.00 for holding Fall Term, Superior court, 1903, instanter.

Ordered, that Logan A. Allen be given duplicates of Nos. 497, 498, 499, 500, 501, 502, 503, 504 and 505, date September 1st, 1902, said claims being for jurors' costs.

Ordered, that L. A. Allen be given a note in the sum of $83.35, for certain claims held by him and taken up this day and cancelled, said note to bear interest from date at 6 per cent., interest payable annually.

Ordered, that D. W. Blaine be given a note in the sum of $333.66, due 12 months after date, for certain ordinary claims held by him and taken up and cancelled, note bearing interest from maturity, interest payable annually.

Ordered, that G. W. Parrish be and he is hereby empowered to contract the re-grading of the road from W. B. Dean's to the Shallow Ford.

D. W. Blaine, Register of Deeds, made his annual statement of fees collected from marriage licenses, which was approved and registered

Ordered, that the Sheriff be notified to summon a jury and lay off such amendments as the public roads need from the forks of the road at the lower end of the Parsley farm to the top of Pinnacle mountain hill, over the lands of Mrs. J. M. Parsley, Mrs. J. M. Parsley, etc.

A petition [illegible] Board [illegible] be laid off and established from the town of Highlands, under Scaly mountain to Salt Rock Gap and G. P. White's in the Flatts township.

Ordered that the said petition be filed and proper notice given.

Ordered, that the county appropriate an amount equal to that raised by the town and private subscriptions, not to exceed $250, for the purpose of purchasing a town clock for Franklin.

T. A Bateman, C. A. Bryson, G. N. Penland, M. B. Sellers and Jno. H. Gregory were released from payment of certain taxes improperly charged.

G. W. Angel, W. A. Justice, Jas. I. Shepherd were released from paying poll tax,

Ordinary and road claims were approved amounting to $371.60.

The Board adjourned to meet again December 16th, 1903.

An Old Favorite

ALICE RAY

By Sarah Josepha Hale

THE birds their love-notes warble
Among the blossomed trees;
The flowers are signing forth their perfume
To wooing honey-bees;
The glad brook rips a jubilly floor
Goes dancing on its way,—
But not a thing is so like spring
As happy Alice Ray.

An only child was Alice,
And, like the blest above,
The gentle maid had ever breathed
An atmosphere of love;
Her father's smile like sunshine came,
Like dew her mother's kiss;
Their love and goodness made her home,
Like heaven, the place of bliss.

Beneath such tender training,
The joyous child had sprung,
Like one bright flower, in wild-wood bower,
And gladness round her flung;
And all who met her blessed her,
And turned again to pray
That grief and care might ever spare
The happy Alice Ray.

The gift that made her charming
Was not from Venus caught;
Nor was it, Pallas-like, derived
From majesty of thought;
Her healthful cheek was tinged with brown,
Her hair without a curl—
But then her eyes were love-lit stars,
Her teeth as pure as pearl.

And when in merry laughter
Her sweet, clear voice was heard,
It welled from out her happy heart
Like carol of a bird;
And all who heard were moved to smile,
As at some mirthful lay,
And to the stranger's look replied,
"'Tis that dear Alice Ray."

And so she came, like sunbeams
That bring the April green;
As type of nature's royalty,
They called her "Woodburn's queen!"
A sweet, heart-lifting cheerfulness,
Like spring-time of the year,
Seemed ever on her steps to wait,—
No wonder she was dear.

Her world was ever joyous—
She thought of grief and pain,
As giants in the olden time,
That never would come again;
The seasons all had charms for her,
She welcomed each with joy,—
The charm that in her spirit lived
No changes could destroy.

Her heart was like a fountain,
The waters always sweet,—
Her pony in the pasture,
The kitten at her feet,
The ruffling bird of June, and
The wren in the old wall,
Each knew her loving carefulness,
And came at her soft call.

Her love made all things lovely,
For in the heart must live
The feeling that imparts the charm,—
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NEWS BRIEFS.

James K. Jones, chairman of the Democratic National Committee, has issued a call for the committee to meet at the Shoreham Hotel in Washington, Tuesday. January 12, for the purpose of deciding upon the time and place of holding the Democratic National Convention.

Hon. Hal. T. Lewis, of Georgia, the delegate who nominated Bryan for the Presidency in the Chicago convention in 1896, died on the 10th inst.

Ott Robinson was killed on Hominy, Buncombe county, last week, by a tree he had cut down falling on him.

Harry Mills, one of the Emma burglars who was sent to the penitentiary from Buncombe county, died a short time ago.

A Frightened Horse.

Running like mad down the street dumping the occupants, or a hundred other accidents, are every day occurrences. It behooves everybody to have a reliable Salve handy and there's none as good as Bucklen's Arnica Salve. Burns, Cuts, Sores, Eczema and Piles, disappear quickly under its soothing effect. 25c. at Smith's Drug Store.

The Baptist State convention met in Charlotte on the 10th inst., and is largely attended.

Jacksonville, N. C., chose prohibition last Thursday by a vote of 34 to 19.

Mrs. B. Padgnall was fatally burned at her home in Buncombe county last Friday while using kerosene oil to start a fire.

At High Point, N. C., last Friday night fire destroyed the plant of the Globe Home Furniture Company, and part of the bobin and shuttle factory of J. Elwood Co. Loss about $4,000.

Fight Will Be Bitter.

Those who will persist in closing their ears against the continual recommendation of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, will have a long and bitter fight with their troubles, if not ended earlier by fatal termination. Read what T. B. Basil of Basil, Mich. has to say: "Last fall my wife had every symptom of consumption. She took Dr. King's New Discovery after everything else had failed. Improvement came at once and four bottles entirely cured her." Guaranteed by F. T. Smith, Druggist. Price 50c. and $1.00. Trial bottles free.

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Denmark and Austria Recognize Panama.

Copenhagen, Dec. 10.—King Christian of Denmark, following the recommendation of his ministers, has recognized Panama as an independent State.

Vienna, Dec. 10.—Austria-Hungary formally recognized the independence of Panama today.

Doc Weaver, a white boy 19 years old, in Asheville, last Thursday, was sentenced to seven days work on the streets and taxed with costs for throwing snowballs at an old man who is 79 years old, and for throwing firecrackers in his house and dragging him around the yard by his coattails.

Pension Warrants.

Clerk Lee Crawford yesterday received the pension warrants for Macon county, and is giving them out to the old veterans.

There are two first class, three second class and 51 third class, and 36 widow pensioners, total, 92 on the lists. The amount received is $1390. Since the lists were made out two veterans and one widow have died.

The Debt Paid Off.

(Special to News and Observer.)

Charlotte, N. C., Dec. 11.—Secretary Gray, of Atlanta, made a great speech on home missions tonight, the master effort of the session of the Baptist Convention.

Subscriptions were secured amounting to enough to clear the debt on the Baptist Female University. The subscriptions are payable in January and are considered gilt-edged by conservative members of the convention.

Prof. D. L. Guy will close the Fall [illegible] at the Franklin High School [illegible] and he and wife will move [illegible] place. It is probable

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TAXES, TAXES.

To the tax payers of Macon Co, Please read the following law carefully and remember that I am compelled to obey the same; and every tax payer in the county will be compelled to conform to this law. Laws —1901, chapter 7.

"SEC. 76. All taxes shall be due on the first Monday in September in each year, &c."

"SEC. 77. The Sheriff or his Deputy, or Tax Collector, shall attend at the Court House or his office in the county town during the months of September and November for the purpose of receiving taxes. He shall also in like manner attend at least one day during the month of October at some one or more places in each township, of which fifteen days notice shall be given by advertisement at three of more public places and in a newspaper, &c."

"CHAPTER 558, Sec. 1. Whenever the taxes shall be due and unpaid, the Sheriff shall immediately proceed to collect them as follows:

If the party charged have personal property of a value equal to the tax charged against him the Sheriff shall seize and sell the same as he is required to sell other property under execution &c., &c."

I shall endeavor to follow strictly the above law. Therefore all parties are earnestly requested to come forward and settle their taxes.

I will visit the places named below for the purpose of receiving the taxes on the days and dates named.

Millshoal,	Saturday	October	10
Elijay,	Monday	"	12
Sugarfork,	Tuesday	"	13
Highlands,	Wed. & Th	"	14-15
Flatts,	Friday	"	16
Smith's Br.	Saturday	"	17
Cartoogechaye,	Monday	"	19
Nantahala,	Tuesday	"	20
Briartown,	Wednesday	"	21
Burningtown	Thursday	"	22
Cowee,	Friday	"	23
Franklin,	Saturday	"	24

All tax payers are earnestly requested to meet me at the above times and places and pay their taxes as this is the last and only round without cost. Respectfully,

T. B. HIGDON,
Sept. 30, 1903. Sheriff.

WANTED—SEVERAL PERSONS OF CHARACTER and good reputation in each state (one in this county required) to represent and advertise old established wealthy business house of solid financial standing. Salary $21.00 weekly with expenses advanced, all payable in cash direct each Wednesday from head office. Horse and carriage furnished when necessary. References. Address inclose self-addressed envelope, Manager, 215 Dearborn St., Chicago.

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TALLULAH FALLS RAILWAY COMPANY.

TIME TABLE NO. 29.

Effective Monday Sept. 21, 1903, 8 a. m. Eastern Time.

No. 12 Daily	Miles		STATIONS.	No. 11 Daily
AM			LV. AR.	PM
11 30	0		Cornelia	6 45
11 50	5		Demorest	6 25
12 03	8		Clarkesville	6 10
12 15	9	F	Hilla	6 00
12 22	11	F	Anandale	5 53
12 30	13	F	Rollywood	5 45
12 40	16		Turnerville	5 35
12 55	20	F	Tallulah Lodge	5 20
1 00	21		Tallulah Falls	5 15
	29		Wylie	
	32		Tiger	
	36		Clayton	
PM			AR. LV.	PM

F. For flag stop.

Wylie, Tiger and Clayton are new stations on the extension, trains not being operated to them on regular schedule at present.

W. S. EWIN, General Manager.

SUPPLEMENT TO TIMETABLE NO. 20, EFFECTIVE SEPTEMBER 21, 1903.

Effective Sunday, November 8th, 1903. Trains Nos. 12 and 11 will be operated to Mathis, Ga., on the Extension as follows:

No. 12	Arrive	Tallulah Falls	1:00 P. M.
	Leave	Tallulah Falls	1:10 P. M.
	Arrive	Mathis	1:40 P. M.
No. 11	Leave	Mathis	4:30 P. M.
	Arrive	Tallulah Falls	5:00 P. M.
	Leave	Tallulah Falls	5:15 P. M.

Hacks will meet train No. 12 for passengers for Clayton. W. S. EWIN, General Manager.

NO. 5, $35.00. NO. 7, $50.00

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