

THE NEWS.

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Arrival and Departure of Trains.

NORTH BOUND.

No. 10 Mail and Ex. ar. 1:22 p.m.
No. 62 " " " 2:10 p.m.

SOUTH BOUND.

No. 9 Mail and Ex. de. 1:50 p.m.
No. 63 " " " 9:05 a.m.

PAVING VS. MACADAM.

Since our town is arranging to do some permanent street improving, we have given the matter a good deal of thought and have come to the conclusion that we would make a mistake to put down Meadam instead of paving on the principal streets of the town. Take West Main street, for instance, and the very best possible meadam will only stand the heavy and increasing traffic of that street a few years and will require repairing every year.

If, however, the street be paved with vitrified brick and properly done, the street will require no more attention for a generation. The surfacing and grading of the streets will be practically the same, whether paving or macadam be used, therefore, the only matter to be considered, in a question of cost, will be the difference between macadam and the vitrified brick. We have not given the matter of cost enough investigation to say what the relative cost would be, but are inclined to the opinion that the principal streets on which the traffic is heaviest should be paved. Another great consideration is the cleanliness of paved streets. A shower of rain acts as a cleaner to paved streets, washing all filth away in the gutters while this is not the case with macadamized streets. We hope the town Commissions will take this matter up and investigate it fully before doing any work and we believe they will decide that paving is the thing for some of our streets.

We believe the additional cost of paving will be more than compensated in the lasting and other advantages of the paving over the macadam.

New Recruit.

Charlotte Observer.

The anti-administration Republicans in North Carolina have gained another valuable recruit in the person of Mr. Frank A. Linney, of Boone, the solicitor of the thirteenth judicial district, and a son of ex-Congressman R. Z. Linney. Like his father, Solicitor Linney does not hesitate to speak his mind, whether the matter under discussion be politics or any other subject that is engaging the public attention. Just now the younger Linney is interested in the movement having for its object the overthrow of the administration forces in this State and giving to Speaker Cannon North Carolina's vote for the presidential nomination. The Observer correspondent induced Mr. Linney to get into action by asking the question: "Have you a choice among the presidential candidates?"

"Certainly I have," replied the solicitor of the thirteenth. "I am for Joseph G. Cannon, and I cannot understand how any true North Carolinian can oppose his nomination. He was born in our State and has grown so great in his adopted State that all the nation

has delighted to honor him. He has never been called to any post of duty in which he did not grow greater by a faithful discharge of every duty both to his party and the nation. Conservative in thought bold in action, he is pre-eminently the Abe Lincoln of modern Republican thought. "I believe his nomination would be an instant panacea for the present financial stringency. I believe 'Uncle Joe's' armor is panic proof. With his nomination would come a complete restoration of public confidence and a revival of business prosperity. His messages and public utterances could easily be traced to the platform on which he was elected, and their deliverance would elicit applause from his friends and not his enemies. North Carolina should, of all States, be for him.

"It is said that the administration is for Taft, and that, therefore, the office-holders are for him. If that be true, and Secretary Taft should be nominated and elected, then his first act should be to carry out his Southern scheme, launched at Greensboro two years ago—turn out the Republican office-holders and put in their places respectable Democrats. To oppose a native son and follow the administration invites that fate and proves that the Secretary's observations were well founded and that the Republican party in this State deserves the rebuke."

"Do you think some of the men holding office under Mr. Roosevelt will be for Mr. Cannon?" asked The Observer correspondent.

"Certainly I do," replied Mr. Linney. "I know many of them. Of course, in all parties,

"You shall mark Many a duteous and knee-creeking knave That, dotting on his own obsequious bondage, Wears out his time, much like his master's ass. For naught but provender."

"Many of the very best men in the State are holding official positions under the present administration who reserve to themselves the right to be free in the selection of Mr. Roosevelt's successor, and you will find many of them who will refuse to play the role of their 'master's ass for provender.'"

As a parting shot, the correspondent asked: "Do you believe Mr. Cannon will carry the counties in your congressional district?"

"I believe he will carry every county in the district, if any effort is made in his behalf. There are, possibly, two doubtful counties in the district. Undoubtedly he is the choice of the eight congressional district. The mountain counties are certainly for Cannon and a return to 'safe and sane' Republicanism. You may say that the eighth district will send two delegates to the national convention instructed to vote for Cannon."

Does Coffee disagree with you? Probably it does! Then try Dr. Shoop's Health Coffee. "Health Coffee" is a clever combination of parched cereals and nuts. Not a grain of real Coffee, remember, in Dr. Shoop's Health Coffee, yet its flavor and taste matches closely old Java and Mocha Coffee. If your stomach, heart, or kidneys can't stand Coffee drinking, try Health Coffee. It is wholesome, nourishing, and satisfying. It's nice even for the youngest child. Sold by J. E. Shell, druggist.

Judge D. M. Furches, of Statesville, North Carolina's venerable ex-Chief Justice, was here attending court this week. He is an enthusiastic Taft supporter and declares that he believes Taft is the best equipped for the presidency of any man who was ever proposed for the office. He believes that the big War Secretary will be nominated on the first ballot.—Wilkes Patriot.

"Prevents" will promptly check a cold or the Grippe when taken early or at the "sneeze stage" Preventies cure seated colds as well. Preventies are little candy cold cure tablets, and Dr. Shoop, Racine, Wis., will gladly mail you samples and a book on Colds free. If you will write him. The samples prove their merit. Check early Colds with Preventies and stop Pneumonia. Sold in 5c and 25c boxes by J. E. Shell, druggist.

Sound Advice and a Warning.

Louisburg Times.

Elsewhere we publish an account of the theft of six thousand dollars from a citizen of this county, who had hid away in his home. The sympathy of the people goes out to Mr. Jeans, and his awful experience should be a warning to all others of the danger of thus hoarding money. If you keep money hoarded at home it is a standing invitation to criminals to come and take and murder you. You are tempting weak people to commit crime. Save your money, but save it in a bank where it is safe. In doing this you not only save your money, and perhaps your life but your money will be doing good in the world. It will make business and better prices for your products. An idle dollar is as bad as an idle man. If you don't need your money for immediate use place it out of reach of thieves and where it will be working for you and others all the time. The Times hopes it will never have to publish such another piece of news as the loss of this six thousand dollars.

The Few—No Pure Drug Cough Cure Laws would be needed, if all Cough Cures were like Dr. Shoop's Cough Cure is—and has been for 20 years. The National Law now requires that if any poisons enter into a cough mixture, it must be printed on the label or package. For this reason mothers, and others, should insist on having Dr. Shoop's Cough Cure. No poison-marks on Dr. Shoop's labels—and none in the medicine, else it must by law be on the label. And it's not only safe, but it is said to be by those that know it best, a truly remarkable cough remedy. Take no chance, particularly with your children. Insist on having Dr. Shoop's Cough Cure. Compare carefully the Dr. Shoop package with others and see. No poison marks there! You can always be on the safe side by demanding Dr. Shoop's Cough Cure. Simply refuse to accept any other. Sold by J. E. Shell, druggist.

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BUSINESS LOCALS.

WOOD FOR SALE—Dry oak rails cut into stove wood. Joe Powell, Jr.

PLENTY of Fertilizers, The same Reliable Brands that we have always carried. Moore's Old Postoffice Building.

Dr. W. H. Wakefield, of Charlotte, N. C., will be in Lenoir at The Martins on Thursday, April 2nd, for the purpose of treating diseases of Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat, and fitting Glasses. Half the usual fees will be charged for testing eyes for glasses on this visit.

Don't fail to see my line of King Quality Oxfords for men. W. A. Watson.

Big line of shirts for Spring wear at W. A. Watson's.

A beautiful new line Queen Quality Oxfords at Newland's.

Oxfords of all styles for Men, Women and Children at Watson's.

A full line of Crosset low quartered shoes for men at Newland's.

Spring Gingham at Newland's.

A Snappy Spring line of Clothing at Watson's.

All kinds of feed at Newland's.

FOR RENT—One 7 room house with large lot near Bernhardt's shop, also two shoats for sale. R. H. Holsclaw.

A nice line new spring shirts at Newland's.

FOR RENT—A five room house near Weaver School building in East Lenoir. Apply to J. C. Steele, Route 1. Kings Creek, N. C.

Now's the time to take Rocky Mountain Tea. It drives out the germs of winter, builds up the stomach, kidneys and liver. The most wonderful spring tonic to make people well. You'll be surprised with results. 35c. Tea or Tablets. Dr. Kents and Granite Falls Drug Co.

Variety of thought is as universal as the leaves, blades of grass or innumerable stars that glitter in the spheres of omnipotence.

Greatest spring tonic, drives out all impurities. Makes the blood rich. Most reliable spring regulator. That's Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. 35c. Tea or Tablets. Dr. Kent and Granite Falls Drug Co.



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An absolute necessity for every house. The final touch to a well furnished home. Our special line of Nottingham lace curtains is the best in town and our line of draperies is unsurpassed. Even if you have enough now it will pay you to buy for future use.

BERNHARDT-SEAGLE Hardware & Furniture Co.



—that is the hosiery with the guarantee about which you have read so much. EVERWEAR does away with darning for twenty-six whole weeks—if holes, rips or tears come in a pair of EVERWEAR HOSIERY within six months, all you have to do is to send them back and get a new pair absolutely free.

EVERWEAR HOSIERY has a rich, soft, silky finish and the colors are fast. Men's socks are made in light and medium weight in black, black with white feet, blue, steel gray, light and dark tan.

Women's hose are made in black, black with white feet, light tan.

Sold in boxes of six pair, one size to a box, at \$2.00.

For Sale by

MELTON, TUTTLE & BALLEW.



E. L. CURTIS' Great Reduction Sale

Beginning Monday March 16th and Lasting for 30 Days.

- Men's Suits worth \$12.50 for..... \$ 11.00
- Men's Suits worth 11.00 for..... 9.00
- Men's Suits worth 10.00 for..... 8.00
- Men's Suits worth 8.00 for..... 7.00
- Men's Suits worth 7.00 for..... 5.50
- Men's Suits worth 5.00 for..... 4.00
- Youths Suits worth 7.00 for..... 5.50
- Youths Suits worth 5.00 for..... 4.00
- Boy's Suits, Ages 4 to 16, very cheap.
- Shoes and Oxfords worth \$3.50 for..... 3.00
- Shoes and Oxfords worth 3.25 for..... 2.75
- Shoes and Oxfords worth 2.50 for..... 2.00
- Shoes and Oxfords worth 2.00 for..... 1.75
- Shoes and Oxfords worth 1.75 for..... 1.50
- Shoes and Oxfords worth 1.50 for..... 1.25
- All my 50c goods for..... 40c the yard.
- All my 25c goods for..... 20c the yard.
- All my 15c goods for..... 12 1/2 the yard.
- All my 12 1/2 goods for..... 10c the yard.
- All my 10c goods for..... 8c the yard.
- Men's Hats worth \$2.00 for..... \$ 1.50
- Men's Hats worth \$1.25 to 1.50 for..... 1.00
- Men's Hats worth 1.00 for..... .75
- Youth's and Boys Hats worth 75c for..... .50
- Boys 50c Hats for..... .40
- Boys 25c Hats for..... .20
- Ladies Hats worth \$2.50 for..... 2.00
- Ladies Hats worth 2.00 for..... 1.50
- Ladies Hats worth 1.50 for..... 1.00
- Ladies and Misses Hats worth 1.00 for..... .75
- Ladies and Misses Hats worth .75 for..... .50
- Ladies and Misses Hats worth .50 for..... .40
- Ladies and Misses Hats worth .25 for..... .20
- Men's Pants worth \$2.50 for..... 2.00
- Men's Pants worth 2.25 for..... 1.75
- Men's Pants worth 2.00 for..... 1.50
- Men's Dress Shirts worth \$1.00 for..... .80
- Men's Dress Shirts worth 50 for..... .40
- A few pairs Cotton Blankets at cost.
- A few Comforts at cost.

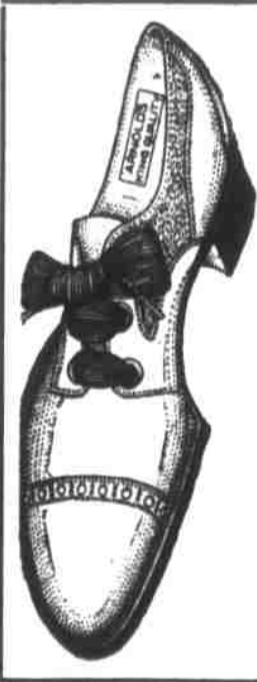
A lot of other things too tedious to mention, at a low price.

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of Spring Clothing now ready for inspection. Oxfords for Women and Children. A beautiful line of



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