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ITEMS FROM THE DEMOCRAT OF NOVEMBER 8, 1906

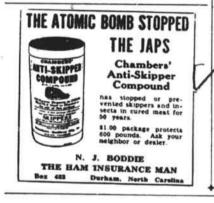
Mrs. F. A. Linney, after a visit of several weeks to her parents in Taylorsville, has returned to her home, was raised in South Carolina, was much improved in health.

ing Tom in the head with a dirt for some time with the narratives of shovel, inflicting a very serious if his life. Uncle Ben wants to live not fatal wound. It is hoped that to be 100 years old, and we trust the wounded man may recover, but how long he will be spared. He has

the election of Hackett over Black- whom have been very kind to the burn. The following counties gave old gentleman, as all people are. Hackett majorities as quoted: Alexander 5, Alleghany 310, Ashe 102, Iredell 935, Rowan 1,000, Cabarrus 195, Stanley 241. Total 2,788.

Mr. Blackburn's majorities by counties are as follows: Wilkes 739, Surry 379, Watauga 275, Caldwell 149. From the above it is easy to Mrs. Cinda Hardin. get the Hackett majority, which is 1,246, but these figures may vary a final canvass of the vote is taken, by all.

the county vote is being made, and ica is nine months too long. Mr. Hodges (John W.) is elected for and contemplates making improvesheriff; May for register, and prob- ments there besides needed repairs. ably others on the Republican ticket, while just now it appears that Hodges on his careful oversight of David Ragan, independent by a the place. small majority. The Democrats are claiming the election of John H. Bingham as clerk, and W. C. Coffey and J. B. Clarke as commissioners. Of course this is somewhat speculative, but the vote is so close it will



| take the official count to decide it. Uncle Ben Culler, who for many

years was miller for us all, was here to vote. He is 97 years old. He captain on a ship for 26 years, work-Miss Mary Lillington Hardin is off ed on a railroad and rode on the for a visit of several weeks to friends in Wilkesboro, Mooresville and other towns east of the ridge. Messrs. Tom and Aquilla Watson of Deep Gap, had an altercation last week, that resulted in Aquilla strik- school and entertained the students and Mr. Williams, guidance director, it seems the chances are against him. a number of children, grandchil-The congressional race resulted in dren and great grandchildren, all of

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Richard M. Greene and family left Saturday for a two weeks' visit to relatives in Russell county, Tenn. Mrs. W. R. Spainhour of Bristol, Tenn., is visiting her sick mother,

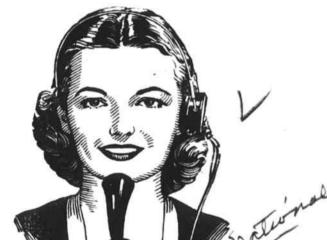
Mr. C. F. Helsabeck of Rural Hall, a former student at the A. T. S., has bit in either direction when the been in the village for several days. Mr. W. W. Stringfellow and lady but Hackett's election is conceded recently returned from a delightful sojourn abroad, but claim that a As we go to press the canvass of year's absence from dear old Amer-

He complimented Mr. Millard

Mrs. Lucinda Hardin has been quite sick for some days, and at this time, Wednesday morning, there is but little if any change for the bet-

ter. We had hoped to get the list of Methodist Conference appointments in this issue, but the final proceedings failed to reach us in time. However, we learn from a private letter from Miss Mary L. Hardin, written to her mother from Hickory, that Rev. J. H. Brendall has been returned to the Boone circuit.

Thos. Dougherty of Dunmore, Pa. died from having a needle stuck in his heart. He attempted to embrace his sweetheart who had a needle sticking in the bosom of her dress. The point went through the fifth rib while the blunt end rested against her corset.



Appalachian Hi Automobile Prices

In preparation for the observance of the 25th anniversary of National Education Week, members of the National Honor Society sent out more than 100 invitations to patrons and friends to visit the schools dur-ing the week of Nov 11-12. The ing the week of Nov. 11-17. They also distributed leaflets on the importance of education, and placed posters in the store windows and other public places.

As part of the preparation, the teachers prepared special bulletin boards along the theme of education, wrote a special bulletin on education.

On Monday evening, Nov. 12, a special meeting of the P.-T.A. was held in the library, where National Book Week was the theme of dis-cussion. After the program open house was observed when members of the P.-T.A. visited the class of the P.-T.A. visited the class rooms.

Following this, every day of the week had some special "extra" ac-tivity. On one day the physical ed-ucation classes discussed the past ucation classes discussed the past growth and present needs of education. These discussions reached ev-ery student in school, since all are required to take health and physical education. In the English classes themes were written on National Education Week. The school paper featured articles on both these top-

ics. As a climax to the observance of As a climax to the observance of National Education Week, the as-sembly program Friday morning was devoted to this theme. Members we regret that it is impossible to Stringfellow visited his place at of the community made talks on the give all the men elected this week. Blowing Rock for a day last week general theme of education for the general welfare.

Howard Cottrell presided at this program and introduced speakers. Devotionals were conducted by Rev. Mr. Troutman of the Lutheran Church, and Rev. Mr. Parker of the Presbyterian Church. Mr. Wey, high

school principal, gave some interest-ing statistics on education in the state and nation. Among the things he said was the statement that the money invested in education throughout the nation represents a larger sum than that involved in anything else except the national debt. Paul Winkler talked on the value of higher education; Prof. Chappell Wilson reviewed the prog-

ress of the local schools during the last 25 years. Ted Hagaman showed the importance of good high school training to a college student. Joan Lovill spoke on the assets of college life and Enid Carroll sumup some immediate needs of med Appalachian high.

The program was very fitting and was well attended by parents and cther visitors.

> the theme of many worthwhile activities at the high school last week. At the P.T.A. meeting programs in the form of miniature books were handed each member. The program was on this subject, and many new and attractive books were on display. At various times during the week, bulletin boards in the library and in the classrooms featured

> books. ooks. The library, Miss Clardy, and the uidance director, Mr. Williams, guidance director, Mr. Williams, presented a guidance bulletin on books, their use and care, on Wed-

nesday morning. The main hall bulletin board carried a book presentation each day of the week. The title and author were to be guessed by students. Nineteen won in the book contest and will be announced in chapel next Friday. These got all five of books correct.

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School News Bowles Says Prices On Average to Be No Higher Than 1942 Announced by OPA

OPA Sunday night announced that retail prices for new Fords, Chrysler-built and Studebakers will be up one to nine percent over January, 1942 prices. Retail prices for General Motors cars will be cut an average of 2.5 percent.

Bowles said that on the average prices the public pays for new cars "will be no higher than those charged in January, 1942."

account some price increased based on design and engineering changes.

nine percent. Bowles said that manufacturers' prices, apart from increases due to specification changes, "will be increased on the average of less than 3½ percent above 1942 levels."

The OPA chief rejected dealers' demands that they be exempt altogether from having to absorb any of manufacturers' price increases resulting from higher production costs. Bowles announced, however, that dealers' discount margins will be uniformly trimmed by only 2.5 per-

centage points. He had indicated earlier that the pre-war average discount of 24 percent might be cut by 4 to 5 percentage points.

The only actual ceiling prices announced were for Ford and Studebaker. Others will be made public "as soon as final details can be worked cut," Bowles said.

Legion Post News

Watauga Post, American Legion, met on Friday night, Nov. 16, their regular meeting time, and there was a good attendance. Several subjects were discussed, and it was decided to change the regular meeting night to the 2nd and 4th Friday nights. There will be another meeting Friday night, Nov. 23, of the Legion and Auxiliary, and refreshments will be served following the meeting.

It was also suggested that we have some checker and setback games after the meeting. So bring whatever equipment you want for the games. Members of the Auxiliary that served refreshments at the last meeting were Mrs. B. K. Osborne, Mrs. Ralph Greer and Holly Adams. All men in and out of service are National Book Week furnished invited to join the American Legion

and their wives the Auxiliary

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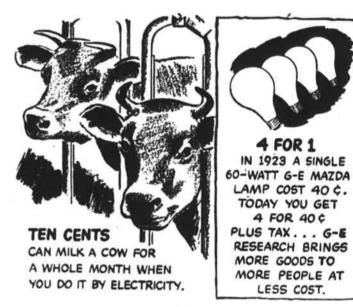
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Specifically, the program will provide telephones for all who have been waiting for them. This is one of our first jobs! A greatly expanded telephone program for our farmer friends is also in process. Expansion of long distance service is being scheduled too. It will include the installation of coaxial cables to handle more calls with speed and convenience for you, and provide more facilities for that exciting visual art-television. A mass of construction is to be done and a new service to motor vehicles is also in the offing.

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Here's a program of achievement, to be worked out together by North Carolina and the Telephone Company as they have worked out their attainments of the past. By mutual understanding and cooperation, North Carolina and the Telephone Company will grow greater than ever.

It's a big program that shall become a reality as fast as materials become available-a reality to be translated into prosperity and payrolls for the people of North Carolina. For a business is like an individual. If he fares well, his community fares well with him. And that is the way it should be, among friends.

E. H. WASSON, Carolinas Manager

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status of education came at a fitting time just when congress is giving consideration to the federal aid bill. The public is urged to study this bill, learn how it would benefit education, and lend support to it in every possible way

GREENE REUNION

The Greene reunion was held at at the home of Ben Greene Saturday, Nov. 11th. It also was a birthday dinner in honor of Ben C Greene, who celebrated his 65th birthday. Those attending were Epsie, Richard, Johnt, Lum and Ben Greene, of Boone; Wilby Greene of Beaver Dam, and Hort Greene, of Wisconsin. The families of each were there, too. There were also two guests, Fields Baker and Claude Norris



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