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SOME THINGS THE SCOUT WOULD LIKE TO SEE IN MURPHY AND CHEROKEE COUNTY

An active Board of Trade or Char ler of Commerce, More Manufacturing Loustnes.

New Passenger Stations-A Union

More Improved Streets, Regular Library Hours,

A Reading Club.

A System of County Roads Supplementing the State Highways.

More Fruit Growing. Scientific Poultry Raising

EDITORIAL

Protect Highways

These rules are en- Time was when merchants imagined that and if we would think of them a our own, with unsightly rubbish.

The Coal Strike And The President

T NOW appears that President Coolidge because coal operators will not consent from coal miners by the coal operators. The coal operators refuse to consent to this practice, because they say it is unAmerican and in effect is "taxation without repre-

There is some truth to the contention of the coal operators. Many of the mine workers, even though they are in the unionsthey must be in order to hold their jobs in a union mine-do not agree with the principles of the union and have had no voice the dues of the union The very fact that the officials of the United Mine Workers insist on the coal operators holding the dues out of the wages of the miners is sufficient proof to show that the miners do not gladly pay their dues in the unthat if the union is not able to command the confidence of its members to the extens that the will willingly and gladly pay their dues of their own accord, then it is not right that they should be forced to hold back

the dues out of their pay. There is no doubt two sides to the ques tion. The operators were possibly forced to accept unionism and for this reason, will be just as obstinute in co-operating with the paions as they can without openly vie

Official Organ of Murphy and Cher- lating the avowed principles of the union the County, North Carolina operations. Union officials, on the other operators. Union officials, on the other Letters From the People hand, are doubtless trying to force the op-BRYAN W. SIPE Editor-Manager hand, are doubtless trying to force the op-MISS H. M. BERRY ... Associate Editor erators to accept their every demand. Where their is un unwilling yield, as in this case, there is anything but co-operaton.

holds for another term.

"Enough" Is Fatal

OUT of the beginnings of philosophy, there came this bit of truth. "If you BASCOM say you have enough, you perish. Always Chapel Hill, August 17, add, always walk, always proceed."

No author of the present day is writing anything that dies deeper into the "why of things" than does that thought.

The merchant who is satisfied is documed, chronicled this far-reaching event.

of necessity, the conselers adding, walking. The fast week then you had a fine asserts of the schools, with charmons benefit to lowed in this pond," colling, pressing for greater desfumess to draing the favoral.

of the State Highway Act, and struggling would be of little avail if see has made roles it were not for advertising which makes The Dictatorship modibiting the striving and struggling worth while, and ef-

ble by penalty just as any State law it was good advertising to merely keep the THE real power behind the second in from central headquerters tappessible, or name and location of a store in the public T Germany is Higher Stinnes. This su, can be avoided. They eye, with an occasional generality concern- per industrialist not only controls the con-

This probably served as well as anything in the days when people did not generally fictator as well. No ministry can survive the habit of assuming that the conservations st in the highways. They be, read advertising, not let it influence their his displaceure. He literally makes and of the State is so ingrained that it will tol-

we would not thoughtlessly pearew them ple are rending advertisements in pursuit one among the many instances illustrating tion. But that conservation yielded before Loctor Southers come to see

The result is, of course, that newspaper a resounding crash. is soon to have an opportunity to dem- advertising has become to be far more ef- If his motives were unselfish, and pat-

to what is known in union circles as the gauge and measure the amount and kind and his many gigantic industrial enterprises. could be induced to vote \$50,000,000 for "check-off", which is nothing more or less than the forcible collection of union dues of newspaper advertising which will be rethe is waxing rich upon the miseries of the quired for a specific project or product. German people and the notorious impotences \$65,000,000. They will no doubt say again down store or sell a piece of property.

The advertiser who says "enough," who thinks he is striving sufficiently, has really ceased to strive at all.

"Enough" is a delusion.

Mrs. Brown: "Jane, there's at least other stage hands there without fail." three months' dust in the drawing room." The Manager replied: "He will be there." Greensboro Daily News. "Why, surely you ain't going to blame me -Exchange.

FALSE RUMORS.

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Display Advertisements, 25c per column nch; legal advertisements, what ads, reading notices, orbituaries, and softmarks, etc., in actions, contact rate, will be furnished immediately upon request.

We reserve the right to refuse advertisements or any other advertisements or reading notices in the coal miners would take advantage of any other advertisements or reading notices not in keeping with the dignity this paper not in keeping with the dignity this paper will also be interested in the operators. Such action the same to the very time and the will are the defendant second to be subdivided into smaller administrative units, and especially so, when I to lines allogether except in so far as allogether except in so far as allogether except in so far as a choose are concerned, so perhaps discussion the coal miners would take advantage of the specially and the facility of the same of the teachers from Cherokee County in the coal may other advertisements or reading notices not in keeping with the dignity this paper maintains.

The people of Boston could not do without looking over some records of teachers of teachers of teachers from Cherokee County in the conting and especially so, when I to lines allogether except in so far as allogether except in so far maintains.

will give the President a chance to show the teacher's Bureau, of which I happened to Entered in the Postofice at Murphy, North Carolina as Second Class Mail Matter unsupportunity to either instance or abandon. It is Eureau by a travelling subsessam who for Ast of Murch 5, 1879, being of nonination for the high office he was connected with the educational work.

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of the report is on record also.

Respectfully Yours,

MANY THANKS.

merchant who believes that his bust, following week you carried full stories. Overhead could be enactionally reduced ongo, useful enough, impost about the functul, a late photograph of by the consolidation of 100 separate school the chief executive and a resume of the out- idministrations into one, and the amount In all lines of business there must be, standing events of the late President's life, saved might be applied to the actual work cooling—the reaching, rushing, showing, rient of ph tographs of scenes in Marien the pupils and with no increase of expense

want to congratulate you upon your efforts, extended to its most remote region, with

Of Stinnes

omic life of Germany: he is the political but are they so in fact? We have been in ever sut on a hot radiator, breaks governments.

Under the new conditions, however, peo- The fall of the Cuno government is quet of information concerning the particular the tremendous power which Stinnes wellds, the demand for better highways. It has not be'd die-and die he did?"-Avenuation specific things the stores have to sell, or it is a tradition that when he spends much blocked the work of the State Board of time in attendance upon the Reichstag, the Health, nor that of the board of public well. Another difference between There are more people in this community government is about to fall. On August 13, fare, although it has sometimes checked and taxes is that you can do all of your d whose purchases at stores are influenced or he honored the Reichstag with his pesence bindered such work. Why should it be assure and get through with its governed by advertising than ever before and the same day the Cano ministry fell with armed that it will forever prohibit the con- timore Sun.

onstrate his mettle as chief executive of the fective—that results from it are not only riotic, the objections to the dictatorship nation. President Lewis, of the United sure, but that they are usually quick and which Stinnes enjoys would not be so se-Mine Workers, has threatened to cut off them.

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It has become possible to wary possible It has become possible to very nearly which he as is employed solely for himself clared that the North Carolina legislature float a business venture, rejuvenate a run- of the German government.-Asheville that she is crazy when she talks about a

> An actor sens a telegram to a small town reasonable progress, theatre manager: "Will hold rehearsal tomorrow. Have stage manager, stage car-



Miss Berry's Idea

HARRET M. BERRY for governor, with the abolition of counties as her prothere is anything but co-operation.

Mr. oCollidge jumped into national prominence a few years ago when ne so effective depth has been sounded there is always the depth has been sounded there is always to other than a threshing over of old

I have many thanks to offer the Teacher's affects that happiness and well-being of Gazette.

Bureau , to this man, and alco, Mr. A. L. Martin, who have added me in refuting this institution of the equalizing fond the State. Mandy Riggs and Joshua White, beg ing of all the people; and certainly nothing to answer in the affiguative, statement and I am glad to know the source has already recognized, in theory, that every the deef and dumb school, were ma North Carolina child should have opportun- last night. Both are unspeakable happy ity to secure adequate education, even if he The Phoenix. BASCOMB R. CAMROLL lives in a poor county. But as things now stand the equalizing fund is not equitably Author: "I have come here to find distributed, owing to the wide variation in spiration." assessed values in the various counties. Some Clerk: "Wal, I'm a law-abidet things" than does that thought.

The people who have ceased to "add. EDITOR SCOUT: I want to congratu- of the counties are carrying part of the load myself, but I think the hotel that might be, and ought to be, carried by eight dollars a quart."—Siren office are carrying part of the load myself, but I think the hotel has walk and proceed" have ceased to be use. News of the death and burial of the late the beneficiary counties the anciver. On ful to society. The preacher, teacher, eds. President Harding. Your paper was the the other hand, some of the counties, even Mother: "What's keeping you on ful to society. The preacher, teacher, ed.: President Harding. Your paper was the the chart and the equaliting fund, are not porch. Helen?"

Mother: "What's keeping tor or student who do not make honest efficient to reach us following the death of Mr. with and from the equaliting fund, are not porch. Helen?"

Harding. Ablorgh he lied Thursday night able to affect their children the education. The least "Fad looking at the Friday some immediately following all opportunity that ough, to be presented to mother."

to the State. The advantages of the State's bell me before I got undressed You are publishing a good paper and we power and resources for education might be Under to deen conditions, this striving Murphy, August 18. A. READER. the result that North Carolineans of the next

no region of North Carolina is so maccos, sible as to make administration of its schools has been zone five minutes."

The moral obstacles seem to be great, advice is hardly necessary to anyone who solidation of the educational work of the

State educational system to take the place of 100 county systems; but it seems to us that her idea once more lies in the path of

At any rate she has an idea, which is penter, property man, electrician and all whose mention as possible candidates for more than can be said of a number of men governor rouses no surprise whatever .-

> e swme that had the evil spirit cast into them?"

"They were made into deviled ham."-Steele's (Dayton) Lion.

Sign in the window of a haberdashery: Big sale on Shirts for Men With 16 or 17 Necks."-American Legion.

To the belle of the Southern Sea, A ood missionary said, said he:

"A calico skirt Is as cheap as dirt!" "But is it as cool?" said she.

for that mum! I've only been 'ere three weeks "-Passing Show (London).

Fat Man's Corre

"Is it true that you and your wife one frouble lyesterday, Ristory

"No, sah, it want no trouble to mah jest fer me."-Judge. a-tall-mostle . .

"You heard the quarrel be seen this

Mother: "Well, send the mosale home and come in."-Punch Box

Shoriff: "Hey, there's me

Lovely Vision: "Oh but who Sheriff: "Wal, I reckon there law against that!"-Punch Row!

"Are you looking for a particular

"I'm satisfied if you are," she said . .

"Married or unmarried?" thundered t counsel.

"Unmarried four times," answered witness from Reno without battling

Diner: "You poor fellow, how you has come down in the world! Fancy become a waiter."

Waiter: "Well, I don't have to eat a meals in this restaurant."-Sutton Register

"Well, I hear your uncle died and left he had to an orphan asylum."

"What did he have?"

"Fourteen children."-Illinoise Certa Magazine.

Little Boy (visiting Washington for the first time): When are we going to se red tape?"-Jack-o'-Lantern.

+ + Customer: "Do you make life-size largements?"

Photographer: "Yes." Customer: "Please do this one for i It's a little snapshot I have Buttetin (Sydney).

"Has your father a bad odd."
"No, he was only reading out the "No, he was only reading sian situation alone."-- l'ari le Parrott