# THE POLK COUNTY NEWS

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# An Historic Freet

The historical associations connected the forest of Vallombrosa are with very interesting. It was founded in the Twelfth century and given its which, literally translated. name "Shadowed Valley," by Saint means Giervanni Gaulberto, says Nelson Courtlandt Brown in the American Forestry Magazine. It was founded as a monastery and retreat for one of the Benedictine order of monks, and from its early inception the monks took great pride in caring for, cultivating and replacting the forests.

Saffren Once Reyal Celer. In Ireland saffron early became a regai celer and, for a long period after such exclusiveness was taken away in Brin, the yellow seffron-dyed shirt remained a mark of social distinction Hebrides. In art saffron was u the employed in medieval illumimuch manuscripts. In combination nated with tin foil as a substitute for gold, and. of course, at all periods the coloring of many textiles was done with little crocus stigmas.

#### A Sunflower Definition.

Really, a pessimist is only a person who expects to get the worst of it a little sooner than the rest of us .-Tepeka Capital.

With Books Near Breeks. Even lovers with sunny looks are and to select shady nooks .-- Cartoons Magazine.

### Taught by Experience Dr. Samuel Johnson, the man who

first said, "Hell is paved with good intentions," was a man who endured the severest poverty, and was always put off by those whom he asked for support, only to be told after he became famous that they had intended to help him.

Ravens of Tower of London. The ravens are an institution in the Tower of London, although there is no record that they are one of its historie features. One of the yeoman warden has charge of the ravens, giving each a particular name, such as "James Crow, thief," if it suits the character of the bird.

#### Too Late

After a woman has been married two years she wonders how she could have believed the things her husband said during their courtship .-- Hamilton Herald.

#### Notice of Application for Pardon.

To all whom it may concern:

Notice is hereby given that application will be made to his Excellency Cameron Morrison, Governor of North Carolina, for the pardon of Willis Johnson, convicted at Special June term 1921 Superior Court of Polk County for the crime of blockading and sentenced for 12 months on roads of Henderson County. All persons objecting to the granting of said pardon are invited to file their objections with the Governor without delay. This 8th day of October 1921.

to wit: J. A. JOHNSON.

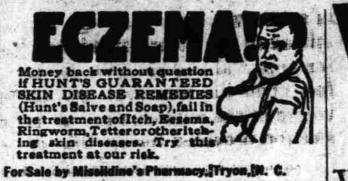


528 acres of land lying near Mills Gap and Landrum-Rutherfordton roads, less than one mile to Green's Creek High School, several churches, two stores and cotton gin. Known as the Liles or Carpenter land, recently owned by C. C. McMillin, adjoining Frank Giles and others. There is a two-

# NOTICE OF SALE.

Pursuant to the power of sale contained in that certain mortgage deed executed by Aaron Smithgall and Annie N. Smithgall, his wife, to Richard Verbeke and Marie Verbeke, his wife, on the 27th day of March 1917; and of record in office of Register of Deeds of Polk County, North Carolina, in Book No. 13 at page 399, to secure an indebtedness of \$160.00 and interest, default having been made in the payment of said indebtedness and interest, the undersigned will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, at the Court House door of Polk County, in Columbus, for cash, at the Court House deor of Polk County, in Columbus, N. C. on the 31st day of October 1921, at twelve o'clock, noon, the following described tract or parcel of land conveyed by said mortgage and described therein as follows:

All the following described piece or parcel of land lying and being in the State of North Caro- of Tryon, N. C., large lot, aplina, County of Polk, Township ples, pears, peaches, figs and of Tryon and known and designated as follows; vis: Lots numbered one, two, three and four in Verbek's sub-division to garage. the Town of Tryon, Beginning at a stake in the Erskine-Danforth Corporation line; thence S. 25 40 min E. 43 feet: thence S. 16 35 min E. 90 feet to a large pine tree; thence S. 68 15 min E. 116 feet to a pine tree; thence N.



# WANT COLUMN

For Sale:-Building lots on Morton Drive Valhalla fruit farm 2 miles west of Tryon on Auto Highway. These lots 50 to 100 ft. front by 100 ft, deep, the most desirabe building lots in this country, within 2 to 300 yds. of the Auto highway to Saluda, Pacolet river and Valhalla Tea G. E. MORTON. House.

Home-made chairs and stools: stained or decorated any color. See ARTHUR SCRUGGS.

For Sale by owner-Small farms and rural home sites, fine fruit land 2 1-2 miles from Tryon. wood and water on each tract; choice building sites. T. MILLS, Tryon, N. C.

house of six large rooms and bath, in the best residential part small berries, flowering shrubs and flowers, nice lawn, fine large shade trees, city water, electric light, chicken house and small

Will sell very reasonable. JAMES LEONARD.

FOR SALE:-Six and one half acres of land adjoining the land of H. G. Cannon and others for particulars apply to agent WADE A. BLACKWELL. Q. M. C. Camp Meade, Md.

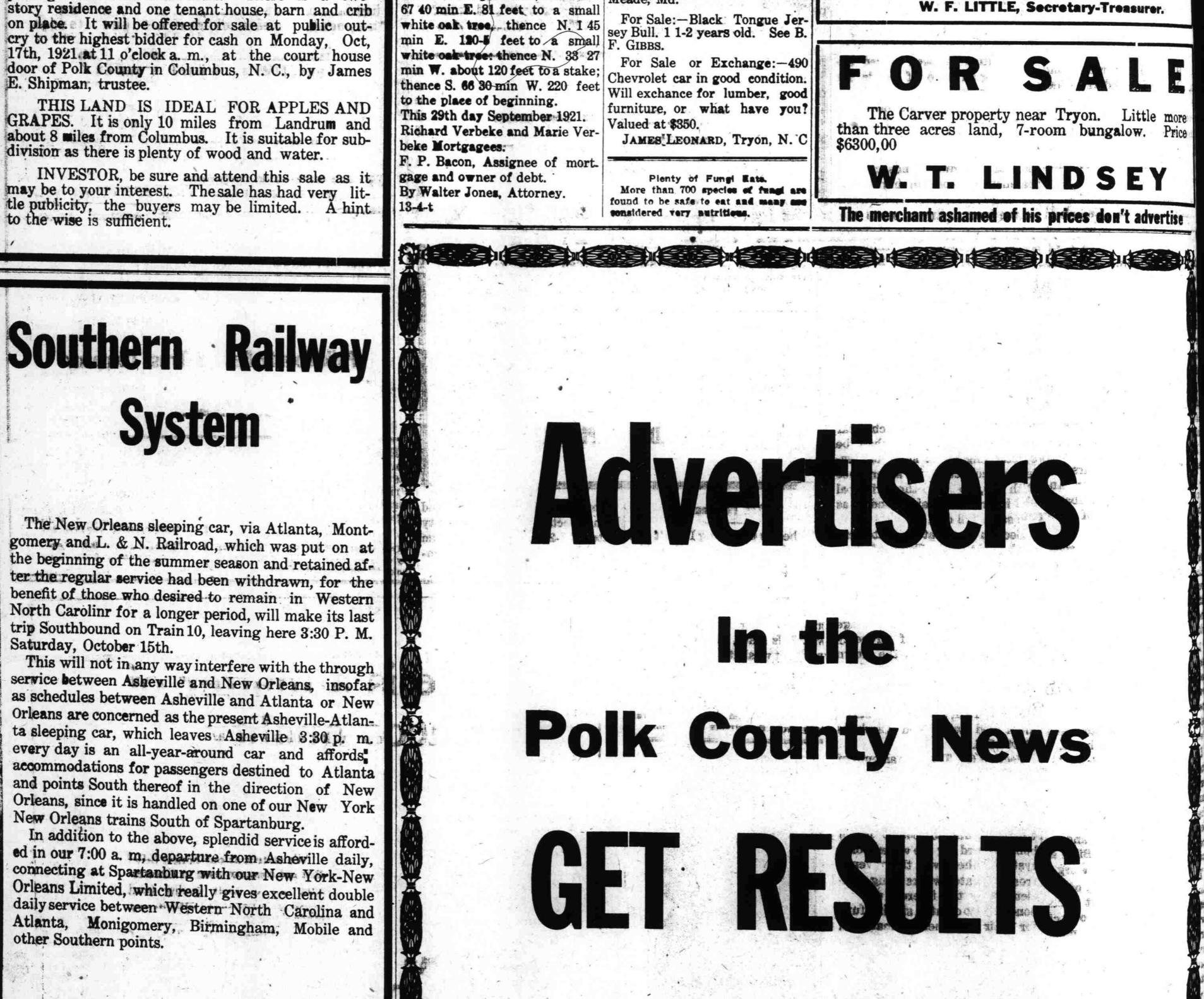
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