

**AN APPEAL FOR THE NEAR EAST RELIEF FUND**

While our folks are entering into the Christmas season with a joyful spirit enjoying good health, plenty and happiness, there are thousands of little Armenian orphan children starving for food and clothing in the near east, who have no father or mother to care for them. The United States has been appealed to to help save these children from starvation and our Governor has appointed me Chairman of this relief fund for the county of Watauga. Our quota is \$220 which is only 7 of these little starving orphans for the next twelve months to be provided for by this county, and these seven little starving children are looking and praying to our folks to provide bread and clothing to keep them alive another year and in the name of Christ and for His sake who said, "in as much as ye have done it unto the least of these ye have done it unto me," we appeal to the good Christian folks of the county to rally to the aid of these starving children. The drive is on and it will be impossible for the writer to see all the folks in person, but we need the sympathy and help of all in this worthy cause, and we beg you to give your donation to your pastor or Sunday School Superintendent or mail it to the writer who will forward same to headquarters so that it can be sent on to these little folks in order that they will have bread to live. The writer will try to visit all the pastors and churches possible, but time is short and we beg of you to think and pray over these things, and make your donations as liberal as possible if all will help we will go over the top.

Thanking you from the very depths of my heart for your liberal support and wishing you every one a Christmas of joy, I am,

Sincerely your friend,  
EDW. N. HAHN,  
County Chairman of Watauga Near East Relief Fund, Box 207, Boone.

**RESOLUTIONS OF RESPECT**

Whereas, it has pleased Almighty God to remove from our midst our beloved Conductress, Sister Mae E. Johnson,

Therefore be it resolved,

That we bow in humble submission to the will of the Great Creator, who has conducted her from this earthly Order to the Celestial Order above, where the Star of Bethlehem outshines the noon day sun and where all is peace and joy forever.

2. That Daniel Boone chapter No. 47 O. E. S. has lost a true and faithful member.

That the church has lost a devoted Christian.

That the parents have lost an obedient daughter.

That the husband has lost a true, loving and faithful wife.

That we as an order and as friends sympathize with the bereaved husband and parents in their deep sorrow and commend them to Him who doeth all things well.

That a copy of these resolutions be sent to the bereaved husband, a copy spread on the minutes of our order, and a copy sent to the Watauga Democrat with a request to publish.

Respectfully submitted,  
EMMA COUNCELL,  
HESTER M. LINNEY,  
ANNIS H. GRAGG, Com.

**THE NEWS THAT PAYS**

"Florida," said Col. Felker, "is simply another tribute to advertising the use of advertising wisely and unstintedly."

More industrial news I believe is carried by the press of Florida than by the newspapers of any other state at the present time. This is one of the reasons behind the present boom.

Florida editors consider development news big news. While newspapers in other sections were playing up crime, divorce and scandal; we were giving prominent display to stories of new buildings and business progress. Industrial news is what the Florida editors instructed their reporters to get first. Stories about a new bridge, new school or college or new office building, are considered the best and biggest news of each day. A paving project is given more play than a rum plot by the press of Florida. And we do not suppress crime news either. We simply put in its right place as we consider it. In other words we believe destructive news is secondary to constructive news. As a result of this editorial program the newspapers have built up a community spirit, a solidarity that has been tonic to the state and has helped its growth enormously.

"In Florida for many years the newspapers have been teaching their readers to like their home towns. What we printed was not just Pollyanna talk, either. Industrial progress speeded up under this press treatment."—Manufacturers Record.

**IN MEMORY OF MRS. MARY MILLER**

Mrs. Mary Miller, whose maiden name was Proffit was born December 8th, 1840. Died Oct. 23, 1925.

She professed faith in Christ at the age of 19 years and joined Meat Camp Baptist Church and lived a consistent Christian life of some until the year 1921, when she moved her membership to the Proffit Grove Baptist church as a charter member. She was married to Allen Musgrave in 1858. To this union two children were born, one died in infancy, the other still survives.

Her husband died in the Civil War and she was again united in marriage to L. D. Miller Sept. 15, 1867. To this union seven children were born, six with the husband, survive.

She died at the home of her son J. H. Miller on Meat Camp where she was especially cared for as a mother. Still clinging to that living faith obtained in early life.

She was a faithful and devoted wife, a loving Christian mother and a kind neighbor.

She leaves a host of friends to mourn her loss.

Therefore be it resolved,

1. That we, the members of the Proffit Grove Baptist Church, in conference assembled this 7th day of November 1925, express our sorrow for the great loss we have sustained by her death.

2. That we bow in humble submission to the will of Him who doeth all things well.

3. That we extend to the bereaved husband, children relatives and friends our deepest sympathy in this their great bereavement.

That a copy of these resolutions be spread on our church record.

D. L. GREENE  
L. E. WILSON  
MRS. BETTIE WINEBARGER  
Committee

**STONY FORK NEWS**

The revival meeting at Mtn. View Church conducted by Rev. Joe H. Wilcox of Summit and Rev. E. C. Hodges of Boone closed Sunday the 29th, with eight additions to the church, five by experience and baptism and three by restoration. The church was greatly spiritualized by the wonderful preaching they did during the revival.

Odell Smith of Stony Fork was killed in an automobile wreck in Pittsburg, Pa. Sunday morning the 22nd of November and funeral was held at Stony Fork Church Thanksgiving day after which the body was laid to rest in the cemetery at the Stony Fork Church.

**BEAUTY**

If you are in town will you try to keep the street in front of your own property as neat and clean as possible, allowing no litter of any nature to accumulate? We trust you

us about it. We want to know your opinion.  
Do you want something around your home attractive to the stranger who may pass by and that will induce him to come again. Then plant our own mountain trees and flowering shrubbery before spring comes.  
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EVAP. APPLES,	EXTRA CHOICE	17 <sup>c</sup>
PRUNES,	LARGE	15 <sup>c</sup>
SPANISH PIMENTOS,	LARGE CAN	14 <sup>c</sup>
FANCY RICE,	POUND	10½ <sup>c</sup>
PINTO BEANS,	POUND	8 <sup>1-3</sup>
SUGAR,	Granulated and Light Brown	6½ <sup>c</sup>
FAT BACK,	THICK	90 <sup>c</sup>

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**CHRISTMAS GREETING**

ONLY 15 DAYS TILL XMAS

Get the spirit of Christmas times.

Christmas comes only once a year and it is at this time that we should all get in the swing and remember the kiddies with some useful article that will render them pleasure. There is no place where a better selection of useful presents can be made for the entire family than an up-to-date Hardware Store. The articles in our store for your choice are too numerous to itemize. Come and see for yourself.

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