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EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE MAKES ARRANGEMENTS

For Convention of Laymen's Missionary Movement to Be Held Here.

The executive committee of the Laymen's Missionary movement, together with the other committees recently appointed, held a meeting last night at the Y. M. C. A. building. Supper was served in the auditorium

of the building, and then the business of the meeting was taken up. It was decided to hold another meeting on March 27 and before that time an effort will be made to have every man in the city, especially the church men, register their names in the movement.

At the next meeting there will be reports from committees representing each of the city churches as to the interest that will be taken in the convention to be held here April 20-21, and the tentative program will be presented. A number of prominent speakers will be secured for the sessions and an attractive program arranged.

The Reason.

He—And you loved me so long. She—Yes. But now you are so short.—Baltimore American.

MADAM! IF YOU DON'T FEEL RIGHT TAKE DELICIOUS "SYRUP OF FIGS"

Waste-clogged bowels, torpid liver and decaying food in Stomach cause the sick headache, gas, backache, sallowess, biliousness and indigestion.

All women get bilious, headache and constipated—simply because they don't exercise enough. They don't eat coarse food, or enough fruit and green vegetables. Those are nature's ways of keeping the liver and thirty feet of bowels active; but very few women employ them. The next best way is delightful, fruity Syrup of Figs.

Nearly all ills of women can be overcome with Syrup of Figs alone. There is no need to have sick headache, backache, dizziness, stomach sour and full gases, bilious spells, sallowess, coated tongue, bad breath, bad complexion, nervousness and depression. The surest and safest remedy is one or two teaspoonfuls of delicious Syrup of Figs. Try this tonight—you'll feel splendid in the

morning when the sour bile, clogged up waste and poisonous matter have been gently but thoroughly moved on and out of your system, without nausea, griping or weakness. Your head will be clear, complexion rosy, breath sweet, stomach regulated; no more constipation, gases, pains and aches.

It is simply a matter of keeping your stomach, liver and bowels clean and regular. Then you will always be well—always look and feel your best. But get the genuine—the old reliable. Ask your druggist for "Syrup of Figs and Elixir of Senna." Refuse, with contempt, the so-called Fig Syrups sometimes substituted to fool you. The true, genuine, bears the name, California Fig Syrup company; look for this on the label.

\$30,000 Funding Bonds of the City of Asheville

Sealed bids for above bonds will be received by the undersigned until noon, Tuesday, April 1st, 1913. Bonds dated March 1, 1913, due March 1, 1943 without option. Interest 5 per cent, payable semi-annually in New York.

Bonds engraved and certified as to genuineness by the United States Mortgage and Trust Company.

Opinion of Caldwell, Masslich & Reed, New York, as to validity, will be furnished purchaser.

Bids to be made on blank forms to be furnished on application to said Trust Company or the undersigned.

The right to reject any and all bids is reserved.

These bonds are part of a \$200,000 issue of which \$170,000 have been sold.

A certified check of \$1,000 must accompany each bid.

J. E. RANKIN Mayor.

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Asheville Steak Higher Than It Has Been Before

And Meat Men Think Prices May Rise, Since So Many Calves Are Being Slaughtered—Tenderloin Steak Is Retailing for 32 Cents.

Asheville people are paying more for meats at the present time than they have since the opening of the city market—in fact more than they have ever paid before. This is especially true of beef, and today the best cuts of tenderloin steak are retailing for 32 cents a pound. The gloomy side of the situation, however, is that the market men do not see any hope of any speedy reduction in prices, for they say that the supply is insufficient at present to effect a reduction.

The western beef comes highest, and if there were sufficient supply of local beefs to supply the demand, and possibly to over-supply it a little, there would be no necessity of forcing the western beef on the market. The market men declare, however, that the local supply is far short of the needs of the community, and the prospects are that it will become still shorter within the near future.

Their explanation of conditions is that too many young calves are being slaughtered to satisfy the tastes for

veal. It is estimated that between 125 and 150 calves are disposed of each week in the city market house, which means about 8000 a year. For this average is increased during the summer months. The calves bring a good price, and the owners seem to prefer a small profit without any expense to themselves, than to raise the heaves to two years or older.

The market men themselves seem to be powerless to do anything about the matter; but they want something done, at least a majority of them do. Swain county now has a law prohibiting the slaughtering of calves under two years old and the idea of this law is to conserve the supply of beefs in that county. It is believed that such a law in Buncombe, and the whole of western North Carolina, in fact, will become imperative before the meat market conditions can be materially improved. The outlook now is that the prices will go higher, and if the future follows the trend of the past few years Asheville may face a meat panic.

LARGE DOCKET BUT NO ROAD SENTENCES GIVEN

Probable Cause Found in Larceny Case Against Annie Pool—Other Cases.

There were a number of new cases in Police court this morning but a noticeable feature of the session was that there was not a single road sentence imposed. The case which was continued from yesterday, in which Annie Pool was charged with the larceny of \$50 from D. L. Jones, was taken up and the defendant was bound over to Superior court under a bond of \$200, upon the finding of probable cause.

James Reynolds was convicted of assaulting a woman, Annie Johns, and was fined \$25 and the costs for the offense. Will Rosebud was found not guilty of an assault on Essie Rosebud, but was fined \$5 and the costs for disorderly conduct. Essie Rosebud was fined \$5 and the costs for malicious injury to personal property.

There was one other assault case, in which R. C. Spencer was charged with assaulting Lishe Lominae. The defendant failed to answer to the charge and a capias was issued for him.

Rankin Blackburn and Jesse Wilson were each found guilty of exceeding the speed limits in the city and were fined \$15 and the costs.

The case against John Day, charged with retailing to Mack Napps, which has been continued for some time, was called but the defendant failed to appear and the court ordered that a capias be issued for him.

A. E. Roberts was found not guilty on the charge of passing a worthless check.

Will Goldsmith and C. E. Hallman were found guilty of being drunk in the city and were given the pledge for a year each in order that road sentences of 30 days might be suspended.

Ed English was found not guilty on charges of disorderly conduct and malicious injury to personal property. Ben Johnson was fined \$5 and the costs on one charge of disorderly conduct and the other was not pressed. A nol prosee was also taken in the case charging Clarence Taylor with malicious injury to personal property.

BATTERY PARK ELECTS OFFICERS AND DIRECTORS

The stockholders and directors of the Battery Park bank held the annual meeting last night, at which time reports of officers for the past year were presented and the election of officers and directors for the coming year was held. The reports showed that the institution has enjoyed a most prosperous year and in the election all the officers and directors who have served during the past year were re-elected. The name of J. W. Norwood of Greenville, S. C., was added to the board of directors. He is well known in banking circles, being the president of the Norwood National bank of Greenville and vice president of the Wilmington Savings and Trust company.

RAILROAD IS SOLD

Three Miles of Track Used by Weaver-Ville Line Transferred by Mr. Howland.

For the sum of \$20,000 Stanley Howland, as agent for his father, R. S. Howland, has sold to the Asheville and East Tennessee railroad about three miles of railroad between Grace and the Burnsville road. This part of the Weaver-Ville line originally was a mountain, and the stretch from Crazy Action to the foot of Sunset mountain, and the stretch from Burnsville road to Crazy was sold several months ago to the southern. The Weaver-Ville company has been using the track just acquired by deed ever since the road was built and the deal just consummated contemplated no change.

ANOTHER CONVENTION COMING TO ASHEVILLE

International Bible Students' Association to Meet Here on July 20-27.

Another important convention has been slated for Asheville during the 1913 season. Secretary C. Buckner of the board of trade having received a letter yesterday afternoon from the secretary of the International Bible Students' association in Brooklyn, in which it was stated that the association will meet here July 20-27. It is expected that his convention will be attended by about 2000 delegates from all parts of the country, and the city Auditorium will be turned over to them.

A committee of the association decides each year on the meeting place

TRUSTEE'S SALE

By virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain Deed of Trust made by Eliza Cook and Ellen Cook to the late Eugene Way, Trustee, Oct. 15th, 1908, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for Buncombe County, North Carolina, in Book of Mortgages and Deeds of Trust, in Book 73 and pages 2 et seq., which reference is hereby made for more particular description, etc.

Whereas, the said Eugene Way having been requested to advertise and sell said premises contained in the said Deed of Trust, and having failed, neglected and refused to exercise the power of sale as provided in the said deed of trust, and whereas the said Eugene Way being deceased, and whereas the provisions stipulated in the said deed in trust for more particular description, etc., have been fully authorized and empowered the beneficiary or beneficiaries to appoint any person whom they may desire to execute the said trust, and the said P. H. Thrash and Olive B. Thrash, party of the third part in the said deed in trust and the holders of the notes secured thereby having in full conformity with the terms and provisions in said deed in trust, made constituted and appointed the undersigned as successor and trustee to become operative, and the party entitled to receive the money due on account of said indebtedness having made demand on the said undersigned trustee, that he sell the land and premises conveyed in said deed in trust according to the terms of said instrument and apply the proceeds as therein directed, the said undersigned Trustee will on Friday, the 18th day of April, A. D. 1913, at 12 o'clock, noon, sell at public auction, for cash, at the Court House door, in the City of Asheville, County of Buncombe, State of North Carolina, all the land and premises conveyed in and described in said Deed in Trust, and which are more particularly described as follows:

First Tract—Situate, lying and being in the City of Asheville, County of Buncombe and State of N. C., bounded as follows: Beginning at a stake in the south margin of Mountain Street at a point 100 feet west of the corner of Pine and Mountain Streets; and runs thence with south margin of Mountain Street, 74 deg. and 44 min. West 35 feet; thence South one degree and 49 minutes west about 123 feet to a stake at the southeast corner of lot as deed to R. Greenwood; thence with line of lot No. 11, North 82 degrees, 16 minutes west 73 feet to a stake; thence north 3 degrees East about 150 feet to the south margin of Mountain Street to the place of beginning.

Second Tract—Situate, lying and being in the city of Asheville, Buncombe County and state of N. C., and beginning at a stake on Lawson Miller's North line about 100 feet west with line of lot No. 11, now Miller's line, 82 degrees and 15 minutes east about seven feet to a stake in Miller's line; thence North 31 degrees about 57 feet by line of said house of T. M. Andrews; thence 71 deg. 24 min. west about 7 feet to a stake, thence S. one deg. and 49 min. west about 57 feet to the beginning, and for more particular description reference is hereby made to Book 77, pages 2 and 4.

This the 18th day of March, 1913. CHARLES J. E. RYAN, Substituted Trustee.

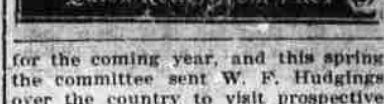
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for the coming year, and this spring the committee sent W. F. Hudgings over the country to visit prospective towns and cities where the convention might be held. He traveled over a wide territory and then finally came to Asheville, and his decision was immediately rendered as to where the next convention should be held. His recommendation was accepted.

It was announced several months ago that an effort was being made to secure this convention and considerable literature was sent out by the board of trade to members of the association.

This association held three conventions last year, one at Toronto, one in Washington city and the last at Pertle Springs, Mo. The first of these was attended by 1200 delegates, the second by 3500 and the last by 1100.

TO ADVERTISE FOR BIDS FOR \$30,000 CITY BONDS

Remainder of \$200,000 Issue Recently Made—To Place in Sinking Fund.

The remaining \$30,000 of the Asheville 30-year, five per cent refunding bonds, of the issue of \$200,000 recently made, will be sold to the highest bidder here on April 1. Bids have just been advertised for, and the city reserves the right to reject any and

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all bids. To insure good faith each bid will have to be accompanied by a certified check for \$1000. The money which will be realized from this sale will be placed in the treasury of the city as a part of the sinking fund. The \$170,000 of this issue, which was sold here recently, brought the highest price ever paid for city of Asheville bonds, a New York firm having bid them in at 1.0327. A bid even higher than this was received too late to be considered. It is expected that there will be a rush of bidders for the remaining \$30,000 and that the previous high record may be broken. The issue was for the purpose of paying off the floating debt of the city, but only the \$170,000 was necessary for this purpose.

GRAY FADED HAIR, OR BEAUTIFUL, DARK, ATTRACTIVE--CHOOSE, MADAM!

Says Sage Tea Mixed With Sulphur Restores Natural Color and Lustre.

Gray, faded hair turned beautifully dark and lustrous almost over night, is a reality, if you'll take the trouble to mix sage tea and sulphur, but what's the use, you get a large bottle of the ready-to-use tonic, called "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Hair Remedy" at drug stores here for about 50 cents. Millions of bottles of "Wyeth's" are sold annually, says a well known druggist, because it darkens the hair so naturally and evenly that no one can tell it has been applied. You just dampen a sponge or soft brush with Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur and draw it through your hair, taking one small strand at a time. Those whose hair is turning gray, becoming faded, dry, scraggly and thin have a surprise awaiting them, because after just one application the gray hair vanishes and your locks become luxuriantly dark and beautiful—all dandruff goes, scalp itching and falling hair stops. This is the age of youth, gray-haired, unattractive folks aren't wanted around, so get busy with the Sage and Sulphur tonight and you'll be amazed at your youthful appearance and the real beauty and healthy condition of your hair within a few days. Inquiries at drug stores here shows that they all sell lots of "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur" and the folks using it are enthusiastic. Smith's Drug Store.



The Inviting Chalmers "Thirty-Six"

Inviting because it simply appears good and right. Some houses are that way—the ones you know are right, without knowing just why. The wide door invites you to step in, the deep cushions to sit down, the big steering wheel to drive. Just keep your seat—don't get out in the street again. The control of this car is centered on the cowl'd dash.

Push a button and the Chalmers cranks itself. Chalmers air pressure starter does it—best starter made because simplest, most economical, quickest acting, most reliable under all conditions.

Chalmers was the first car to have a dependable starter. Chalmers "Thirty-Six" gave a trade name to the year 1912. That year goes down in automobile history as "Self-Starter year." Chalmers cars set fashions. Just move a lever and the carburetor is adjusted.

Turn a switch and the electric lights are on. The levers and pedals and wheel are just where you want them. In fact, all the "controls" of the Chalmers are right to your hand—most of them artistically grouped on the stylishly cowl'd dash. And, by the way, that's another big automobile improvement the Chalmers had first—the cowl'd dash. Compare this one feature with the same on other cars—see if the Chalmers isn't better done. Rims are demountable. Tires may be inflated from the compressed air tank—no pumping. Others ask you to pay extra for this feature.

In view of all these good points, a Chalmers "Thirty-Six" is particularly inviting because of its price—only \$1950 (f. o. b. Detroit) for a fully equipped up-to-the-minute motor car of A-1 goodness. Always on view at our showrooms.

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