

The Board of Trade Banquet at the Hotel Gates Next Tuesday

The French Broad Broad Hustler.

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FRUITLAND NEEDS SUM OF \$600

For the first time in its history, Fruitland Institute is now out of debt.

There is now being erected a new building, of 30 rooms, to be used as a boy's dormitory. Sufficient money has been subscribed by the friends of the Institution to erect this building, \$2,500 of this amount having been paid in by friends who live outside of Henderson county. The building is to be heated, plumbing must be installed and sufficient inside furnishings procured to make it suitable for a home for the boys.

For this purpose about \$600 will be required.

We believe we need only to call the attention of residents of this county to this need and it will soon be supplied. Fruitland certainly has 600 friends here who will subscribe one dollar each for this most praiseworthy and laudable purpose. If \$2,500 can be raised outside of the county surely \$600 may be raised by its friends right here at home.

The French Broad Hustler will start off with one dollar, and subscriptions

Came to see the Court House.

A party of Madison county officials were in town last Friday, who came over from Marshall to inspect the Court House. They were very much pleased with the building and will recommend that the new one which will be built in Marshall be built on the same plan. The approximate cost will be about \$30,000. The party of inspection was composed of W. C. Ammons, chairman board of county commissioners; who remarked that Hendersonville, he believed was the finest town in the state; A. H. Bryan, member of the board; L. J. Bailey, county attorney and editor of the newly established paper in Marshall; and R. S. Smith, the well known Asheville architect, who designed the Henderson county court house.

Albert E. Shanks, of Daytona, Fla., will open a first-class candy kitchen in a part of the Red Store, opposite the Hustler office. Mr. Shanks will make only absolutely pure candy and it will be fresh every day. He expects to open about July 1st.

Board of Trade Banquet.

The Board of Trade will hold their banquet next Tuesday night, at the Hotel Gates. Covers will be laid for about 150. It is hoped to make this an annual event hereafter, and those who attend may expect an enjoyable time. There has been a keen interest manifested and over one hundred persons have already signified their intention to be present. The cost will be one dollar, and if you have not already put your name on the list you should see some member of the committee at once. C. E. Wilson, Sam T. Hodges, Jr., J. D. Waldrop and Dr. Hunter are on the committee. Everyone is invited, and if the committee has not called on you let them know before three o'clock, Tuesday, if you will attend.

The Rooster and the Bag.

That was a shocking occurrence on Main st., last Sunday. People who witnessed it shuddered and turned pale and asked themselves is there no limit to man's brutality? Is there no depth to the depravity of human nature? What punishment would fit those guilty of this nameless atrocity? Where were Mayor Schenck and Zeb Arledge, zealous guardians of the public weal while this black blot was being thrown on the fair name of our city?

Those who witnessed the terrible sight shuddered and felt the hand of fear, cold and remorseless, grasp their hearts, and turned away, sick with a nameless dread.

It was a rooster, with a big inflated bag fastened to his tail by a long string! He was tearing madly up and down Main st., torn by conflicting emotions, sometimes on his feet, sometimes in the air, and going so fast there seemed to be just one long streak of rooster. He seemed worried and slightly annoyed about something, and didn't seem to care much who was elected tax collector or who went to Jamestown free. He had something else to think about and didn't care if the lake was built or not. Finally the string broke and the fast seen of that dignified bird he was headed for Capt. Tom's swimming pool.

If the guilty parties are found they will taken before the tax assessors and compelled to list all their property at its full value.

The city authorities say this may be a severe punishment but they are determined to protect the rights of every rooster in town.

The Rink.

Will be open Tuesdays and Saturdays from 10 to 12 and 2:30 to 5:30, p. m., for the exclusive use of Ladies and Children. This will enable parents to give their children the benefit of this wonderful exercise and pleasure, it will divert their minds and prepares them for other duties more cheerfully. Give them this pleasure, it will benefit them.

The Managers wife will be in charge on these days. Admission 5c for children, Ladies 10c. Open every evening except Sunday, from 8 to 10:30, p. m.

Advertising Asheville.

When Asheville starts out to do a thing she sure does it and without any great waste of hot air, either. Just now she is spending \$2,197 in letting the great public know why it should spend the summer in Asheville and nowhere else. All this money is being spent in Southern newspapers. The ads. are attractive and well worded and will bring results.

Were it not for A. A. Gates, Hendersonville would receive but little publicity these days. Mr. Gates is using a great deal of space in all the prominent Southern papers. The cut of the hotel generally used, and the advertisements are attractively worded and well displayed, and occupy considerable space. In one, for instance, runs the phrase, "Hendersonville, an ideal summer resort, The Hotel Gates, an ideal hotel."

Notice.

Having qualified as administrator of the estate of Permetia E. Sitton, deceased, all persons having claims against her estate, are hereby notified to present them to me on or before the 15th day of June, 1907, or this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery, and all persons indebted to the estate will please make payment.

This 15th day of June, 1907.

T. L. HOLDEN, Administrator

Frank Barber, member of the well known firm of Asheville, was in town Saturday on business and a short visit to his mother, Mrs. Barber.

News From the Free Trip to Jamestown Contest.

In spite of the cold days last week which usually retards the sales of soft drinks, the war of ballots for the most popular young lady who will get the big free trip to Jamestown as offered by Hunter's Pharmacy continued right along and the number of votes polled by the many anxious young boys and girls, bachelors and maidens, and gray haired men and women, were fully as many if not exceeding that of the first week. There was "something doing" when the big ballot box "Stufferful" was opened on last Friday afternoon.

Bill Stradley was duly sworn in as an assistant Judge by Mayor Schenck and after promising to make all the girls numbers as big as possible, the two proceeded with the second weekly count. Miss Nina Pace was found to have made the greatest progress during the six days and was entitled to the first place on the list.

Miss Gussie Dotson received the second largest number this week and these two young ladies were presented the fine boxes of Munnally's Candy. Miss Lula Gates holds third place, having made big progress.

It will be noticed that there were several unlooked for changes on the big list especially between three contestants who were away down the list but who made big strides toward the top of the column. No doubt there will be surprises in the standing of many contestants before the middle of July to say nothing of what may be looked for by August. Mr. Hunter sees everybody is invited to call and see the list at his store each week.

Report of the Judges.

We hereby certify that the following list is correct as found by us in the second weekly count out on Friday afternoon June 14th 1907. We count the weekly vote only and not the total as it will only be given at the close of the contest.

Signed by the Judges: Michael Schenck, Claude Pace, Alfred Glazner, Bill Stradley

Nina Pace.....	202
Gussie Dotson.....	145
Lula Gates.....	102
Joe Lane.....	61
Inez Waldrop.....	60
Nellie Orr.....	54
Estelle Egerton.....	52
St. Clair Hawkins.....	40
Lillie Davis.....	36
Sadie Smathers.....	35
Amie Edwards.....	30
Fay Reese.....	27
Brownie Morris.....	26
Francis Hollerfield.....	25
Catherine Platt.....	25
Fay Gurley.....	21
Mattie Thompson.....	21
Ada Grant.....	18
Louise Williams.....	16
Katie Byers.....	14
Bessie Hodges.....	13
Mary McCreary.....	12
Blanche Pons.....	12
Hattie Crane.....	12
Corrie Burckmyer.....	11
Helena Morris.....	11
Imogene Garren.....	11
Hattie Walker.....	10
Josie Gale.....	10
Dorothy Barrows.....	9
Bessie Carmichael.....	8
Nell Justus.....	8
Ruth Burckmyer.....	8
Annie Aiken.....	8
Lena Lewis.....	7
Connie Morrow.....	7
Lillian Waldrop.....	7
Lillie Allen.....	6
Virginia Lane.....	5
Bertha Waldrop.....	5
Annie Justus.....	5
Edna Hart.....	5
Norma Bryson.....	5

Endorsed by his Home Folks.

(Cleveland Star.)

Through the kindness of you or some other friend I had the pleasure of reading your brightly and newsy paper of June 4th (The Cleveland Star). I love to read a paper that has the ring of true democracy and the Star certainly has. I want to thank you for the many kind words written of our most worthy young man of Henderson County, Mr. M. L. Shipman, a true and tried democrat, worthy of any place the people can put him. You cannot say too much in commending him for the position of commissioner of Labor and Printing.

In the first place he is thoroughly competent and always does faithful and effective work. He is true and tried. With best wishes for Star, I remain Fletcher, N. C. B. T. M.

HON. A. CANNON TALKS ABOUT THE BOARD.

"The board of agriculture after thoroughly considering the proposal by you inviting co-operation on the part of the two boards in the experimental work of the two institutions, declines the same. We are of the opinion that it would be unwise and detrimental to the best interests of both institutions to comply. And, in view of the fact that the last legislature, after thoroughly canvassing both sides of the matter, decided it was for the best interest of both to be separate, we feel we ought to carry out their wishes. We wish to assure you that you shall have any assistance in our power."

Hon. A. Cannon, member of the State Board of Agriculture from the tenth congressional district, referring to the above dispatch, in an interview with a representative of this paper said:

"Yes, we declined the proposition of the A. & M. trustees for what we believe to be good and sufficient reasons. While fully realizing the work being carried on by the A. & M. College, we believe the farmers who are now actually at work in the fields, the men who pay the tax on the fertilizers, are the men who should receive the direct benefit of tax derived from them.

"The State, of course, makes no appropriation whatever for this department, all income being derived from the farmers, and as I have said, we be-

expert along that line, and a great interest has been awakened in the Eastern and Western part of the state in those important industries. The State Horticulturist showed the farmers of Brushy Mountain how to spray their trees; the result was they wanted an experimental farm in their locality. The people of Cherokee mountains are also insistent for a farm. There is nothing which can take the place of an actual demonstration as to how to do a certain thing, and this is what the Department is now doing, and with success.

"The Board of Agriculture desires, in the near future, to place small experimental farms in various other parts of the state, in addition to those already in operation.

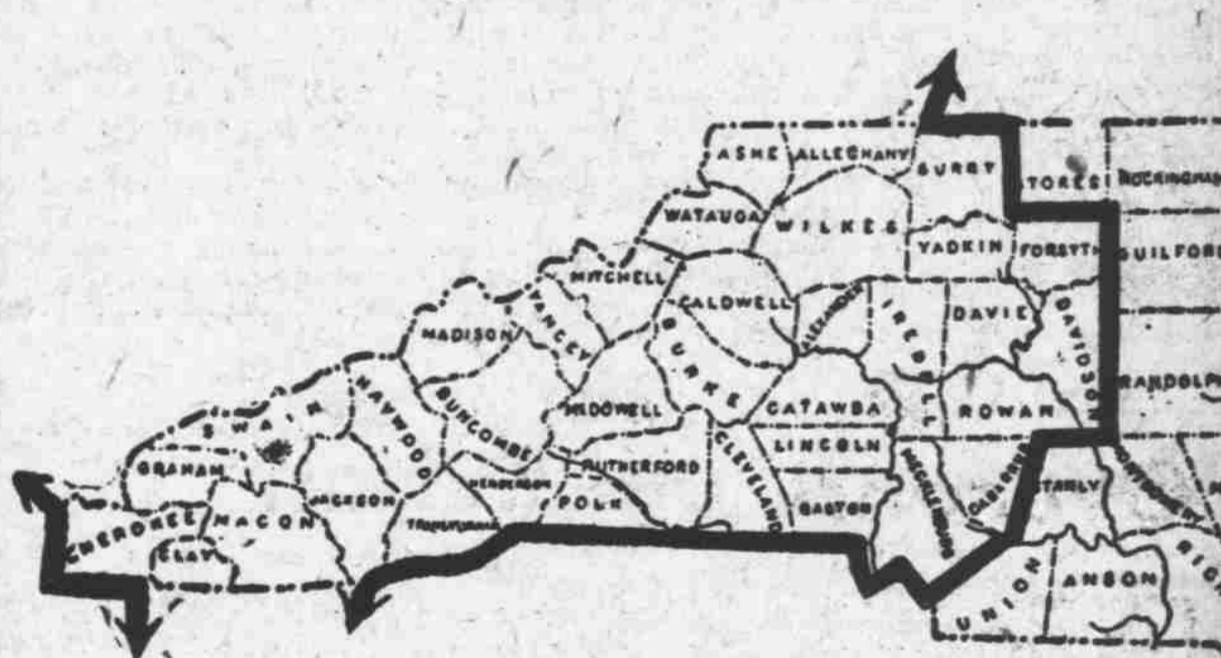
"The farmer's institutes are becoming a great factor in the development of the State's agriculture, and the interest and attendance upon them is most gratifying. They result in bringing the farmers in contact with one another, and in contact with men who are theoretical as well as practical along the various agricultural lines. There are 97 counties in the state. We have held 164 institutes with an average attendance of 125. The average attendance, when I first became a member of the board was from

AN OBJECT LESSON

What the State Board of Agriculture has done towards exterminating Texas Fever in North Carolina



The Quarantine Line in 1901



The Line as it is to-day

have the money should be expended for the direct benefit of the men who furnish it. We are willing to help the college, but prefer to be free to work along our own lines.

"In this connection, possibly a brief outline of the work we are carrying on may be of interest.

"The work done by the department in the past five years in the cattle quarantine question alone is saving the farmers of the state at least \$50,000 per year, in enabling them to market their cattle at a higher price, besides the losses previously sustained from Texas fever, or what we call the "disease," which amounted to many thousands of dollars each year. A glance at the map will show more fully than I can explain just what has been accomplished in this most important matter.

"Through the vigorous work of the department, the United States Department of Agriculture has become keenly interested, and is now working in connection with the State, and have, right now, more than a dozen men assisting in the work, which, in a few years from now we believe will cover the entire State.

"Then there is the soil survey, a most important branch of the department work, the object being to find out just what class of fertilizer is best adapted to the various kinds of soils. It will be readily seen how this saves the farmer thousands of dollars annually. There are five different soils in North Carolina, and the ingredients of one class of fertilizer would by no means meet the requirements of all soils.

"There is much work being done in the trucking and fruit industry, and the department has employed Prof. Hut, a

30 to 35. "In connection with the institutes for men, there are to be held institutes for the wives of the farmers, with the same idea of helping them in their work, such as poultry and dairy, beautifying their homes and grounds. This work is under the direction of Dr. Tate Butler, who has held in the State, within a year, 164 institutes, with an average attendance of 125.

"The Department is also showing results in its work for desirable immigration. It appropriated \$5,000 to this purpose, which was added to the State appropriation of an equal amount. Sec. T. K. Bruner has charge of that work, and just recently has brought into the state, 20 sturdy young Scotchmen, who will make desirable citizens in every way. He will push this work energetically and the results will be of direct benefit to our farmers.

"The Department, within two years has built the Agriculture building at the A. & M. College at a cost of \$80,000, every penny of which came from the fertilizer tag fund and not a cent from the treasury of the State. We still owe \$30,000 of that amount, which will take three years to pay.

"This, in brief, is something of the work the Board of Agriculture is doing. We want to aid the college trustees in their work for the advancement of the young men of North Carolina, and will do all in our power in the future, as we have in the past, to help make it a success.

"We believe we can be of great aid to the farmers now at work, who furnish the funds to carry on this work, by working alone on the lines which experi-

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A View of Fruitland

to the fund will be published in this paper as rapidly as received.

Send all subscriptions to T. H. Posey, financial agent of the Institute, Hendersonville, N. C.

The faculty at Fruitland will be stronger this year than ever, the prospects for a successful school year were never so bright. Great progress is being made in educational matters in Henderson county, and Fruitland Institute stands for all that is good and desirable in education and Christian training.

You can help the cause of Education in Henderson county by sending Prof. Posey one dollar to aid, in furnishing the new building. Send him a dollar and he'll send you a catalog of the school, just as soon as they are published.

Application for Pardon.

State of North Carolina, Henderson County.

Notice is hereby given to the public that application will be made to the Governor of North Carolina, for the pardon of George Gaylean, convicted at the March term of the Superior Court of Henderson County for the crime of larceny, and sentenced to the penitentiary for the term of 12 months.

The State Normal.

The State Normal and Industrial College, at Greensboro, had an enrollment last year of 845 students. The faculty will be increased for the coming year and additional dormitory accommodations will be also provided. Tuition is free to students who take the pledge to become teachers in North Carolina for at least two years after leaving the College. All free-tuition applications should be made before July 15th.

List your Property and Poll at Once.

The Board of Assessors for Hendersonville Township request every one who has not listed their property and poll to come in at once and thereby save the officials of the county a lot of extra trouble and save themselves cost, double tax and possible indictment for misdemeanor, as the law provides.

Excursion Rates.

Commencing on July 3 and continuing until Sept. 13, the following rates will be in effect on the Toxaway line: On Wednesday of each week, round trip tickets to Lake Toxaway will be on sale at \$1.45. For July 4th the round trip will be one and one-third first class fare for round trip, tickets sold July 2, 3 and 4, and good returning until July 8th.

For Sale.

Farm of 32 acres on Breyard road near Mt. Hebron, 4 1/2 miles from Hendersonville. Comfortable cottage, R. F. D., public school near by, good apple and peach orchards, abundance of good water and firewood. Building site suitable for country boarding house or summer home. Price reasonable. Apply to Wm P. JONES, Hendersonville, N. C.



To the Citizens Hendersonville

We wish to state we have started up the Purity Ice and Laundry Plant. We will distribute our own ice and from this date operate the Laundry the year round. We will compete in any prices made and propose to give our patrons a square deal.

J. B. Seawell & Son