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SUNDAY SCHOOL ASSOCIATION.

Second Annual Convention Convenes at Valley Hill Church October 26th and 27th.

The second annual convention of the Henderson county Sunday School Association will convene next Thursday, October 26th at the Valley Hill Baptist church. Arrangements will association.

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The association in this county is well organized in every township. Each township Association has its much for the upbuilding of the communities.

It is expected at the next annual meeting to have almost all the members present who can come during the days of sessions and a special appeal is made to those who do not belong to the Association but are interested in the work.

day school workers in any place in the state.

The program for the second annual convention in this county promises to be very interesting and quite a number of prominent talkers will be present. Below is the program in detail:

First Day-Morning. 10:00-Praise Service. 10.30-The Problems of the Super-

HENDERSONVILLE'S FINANCIAL INSTITUTION IS PROGRESSIVE Wonderul Showing Made in Large

Advertisement of This Issue of The French Broad Hustler.

The First National Bank of Hendersonville the oldest and strongest financial institution of this county be made to make this the largest at- places before the thousands of readtended meeting in the history of the ers of the Hustler this week, an advertisement in which are statements

that cannot be denied.

"Aim High and Consider yourself president and secretary, and the work Capable of Great Things," the leading carried on by these societies has done sentence of the page advertisement, can pertain to every man woman and child of this county. This kind of advertising helps the county in many ways.

The First National Bank is conducted in the interest of Hendersonville and Henderson county. Its officers an dthe majority of its directors are Henderson county citizens. Read the The State Association will convene list of directors and see for yourself in Asheville next April which will be if it does not contain many of the one of the largest gatherings of Sun- leading citizens of the community. With capital, surplus and undivided profits of \$125,000.00, and total resources of over \$521,000.00. The First National Bank leads all other banks of the city and today is one of the

> Western North Carolina SHOULD MONUMENT BE MOVED.

> strongest financial institutions of

HOTEL GATES SOLD.

Famous Hostlery Owned by A. A Gates Changes Hands.

Hendersonville's famous hostelry said to have been over \$40,000.

this community.

Gates began operation.

BLUE RIDGE FAIR. County Township Will Hold Two Day Event for Henderson County Farm-

Henderson county will have a fair Hotel Gates has been sold by Mr. and of the first type known as the Blue Mrs. A. A. Gates to J. H. Milford of Ridge Township Fair to be held at now being conducted from the offices Greenville The purchasing price is Dana, N. C., six miles from this city of The Hendersonville Wholesale on November Sth and 9th. 100.00

This transfer of property is one of Premium list books are now going one of the oldest wholesale houses in the largest in the history of the city. to press and will be out in ten days. the city, will conduct the Armour & Hotel Gates is one of the best known Over \$200.00 will be given to Hender- Co., accounts in connection with the hotels in Western North Carolina and son county farmers and citizens for already large wholesale grocery busihas a wide reputation all over the the best exhibits at this fair.

United States. A. A. Gates, the own-er and proprietor has spent over \$5,000 in the past four years adver and R. E. Ward is secretary. The able to advertising his hotel far and near. board of directors Jonathan Case Prominent people from all parts of chairman, including, H. L. Ward, Z. fore. It was for this reason the grothe country have stopped here and in B. Jackson, B. F. Pace and Dr. J. A. many cases the Hotel has been the Frazier, have charge of the fair and mour & Company local agency. means of getting out side investors in are all busy getting thing in shape. In this issue of the Hustler can be

city was first being made known as a ed in getting quite a number of busi- Wholesale Grocery company, which is progressive summer resort town. He ness men interested in giving prizes managed by some of the livest and purchased what was known as the and premiums besides placing on ex-Imperial hotel. After spending hibition displays of their goods at the city. This new venture into a larger thousands of dollars on improvements fair grounds at Dana.

represented with display of goods. Mr. Gates has been a "booster" for The Dana High school building has country.

Henderscaville and there has never been selected as a suitable place to been on a single sheet of the thou- show the indoor exhibits. The exsands upon thousands of pieces of hibits from the farmers' wives in this literature of his hotel that the beauti- county will be large. Premiums have ful city of Hendersonville was not been offered on most every thing an inside "tip" on the railroad situapraised at its best. While advertising which can be made from the pantry, tion which might ultimately effect the his hotel Mr. Gates has done a great Agricultural products will probably future of Hendersonville if built.

Local Agency Placed With Well Letters Being Sent to all Towns in Known Hendersonville Wholesale Grocery Co.

ARMOUR & CO., MOVES.

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The local management of Armour & Company has changed hands and is Grocery Company. This company.

The traveling representatives will be able to quote prices and sell a more complete line of goods than ever becery company decided to take the Ar-

his community. Mr. Case spent several days in Hen- found a large display advertisement Mr. Gates came to this city when the dersonville this week and has succeed-1 of the well known Hendersonville in side and out the now famous Hotel A number of local firms will be well al of the many patrons and friends of the firm throughout this section of the

NEW TRUNK LINE.

The Greenville News seems to have deal for this city. The citizens of be the largest item on exhibition. Within the last few weeks a corps of town: C. C. Lord Dr. I. J. Rrcher, the city are grateful for what he Henderson county has not had a fair civil engineers passed through this There is a strong agitation in the has done and regret very much in several years and many of the city and surveyed a route first selectthat he has decided to return to farmers will be surprised to see the ed by the consulting engineer, Mr.

GREATER W. N. C PLANS.

This Section.

Furthering the project for a "Greater Western North Carolina," the movement for which was recently launched, Secretary N. Buckner, of the Asheville board of trade, has sent out about 250 letters to the town and municipal organizations in the western part of the state, requesting the names of those who have been appointed to atness in this immediate section of the tober 24, when a permanent organizatend the meeting in Asheville on Oction for the further development of Western North Carolina will be considered.

> Together with this letter is the speech of President W. W Finley, of the Southern Railway company who addressed the banquet given on the night of October 9 at the Battery Park hotel.

A full attendance is urged at the next meeting when a committee appointed to furnish plans for a permanent organization, will make his report.

The letter is signed by the committee, which is composed of the following persons: G. S. Powell, chairman; M. L. Shipman, R. E. Waernicke, Thomas L. Shipman, S. H. Hardwick, D. Harris and N. Buckner secretary. As an evidence of the ready response given this movement Montreat. held a meeting yesterday and appointed the following to represent that

intendent. Order in the School, 10 minutes)

How to create the School spirit. (10 minutes.) 3. How to secure accurate Re-

cords, (10 minutes.) 4. Weak Points in the School, (10 minutes.)

General Discussion.

11:20-Our Country Work-Van Carter, General Secretary N. C. S. S. Association. Enrollment of Delegates. Appointment of Committees.

Recess. Afternoon.

2:00-Singing.

2:15-The Graded Sunday School. 1. The Elementary Division, (25 minutes.)

Discussion, (15 minutes.) 2. The Advanced Divison (25 min-

utes.)

Discussion. 3. The Adult Division, (25 mini) Discussion.

4:30-Recess.

Night.

7:30-Worship. 7:50-World Wide S. S. Work, Rev. Lewis Collins.

8:20-Song.

and State Work. 8:45-The Bible and School's Text Book and its power through teaching, Col. V. S. Pickens.

Second Day-Morning. 9:00-Worship.

9:30-The Aims of the Teacher, (20 minutes.)

Discussion,)10 minutes.) 10:00-The Home Department.

10:15-The Organized Adult Bible Class, J. Van Carter. 10:45-Song.

11:00-A brief report or word of Report of County Secretary. Report of County Treasurer.

Work: 1. A reasonable year's work, (1

minutes.) 2. How to advertise the Township Convention (15 minutes), Rev. Lewis Collins.

Afternoon.

2:00-Singing. 2:15-The Teacher's Meeting, (2) minutes.) Discussion.

2:40-Teacher Training; Why? How? J. Van Carter.

3:20-Song. Looking after the Absentees: The Secretary's Part, (10 minutes.) The Teachers's Part, (10 minutes.) The Supt's Part, (10 minutes.) The Pastor's Part (10 minutes.(4:05-Reports of Committe on Nominations.

Election of Officers

city that the Confederate monument which now stands in the middle of Greenville his former home. Main street in front of the court house be moved to a more suitable place. possible in the court house lawn. This matter has come up before the city council and will probably be acted.

upon before the work of placing the asphalt on Main street begins. The city council desires to ascertain the sentiments of the citizens in this matter and will appreciate any suggestion which may be offered.

TO PAVE MAIN STREET.

Council Decides to Give Contract Within Next Few Weeks.

The contract for paving Main street and Sixth avenue from the depot to Main street will be let within the next two weeks is the statement made by several members of the city council. The only question which is now to be years from the date of issuing money.

The city council desires to pay the principal and interest at the rate of the passion Play and those who see \$2,000 per year.

The method in which the city will borrow the necessary money will be the streets in preference to all other pavements. This is said to be the most economical pavement and it is guaranteed to last fifteen years and in cases where it will be taken cared The next place of meeting selected. of it will last twenty years or more. Main street has been badly in need cheer from every Township President. of pavement for some time and with the laying of the street car track it has become necessary to place some 11:30-Problems of the County kind of pavement immediately. Sixty working days after the contract is

given Hendersonville will have paved streets.

RECEIVERSHIP CONTINUED.

Affairs of Asheville Hardware Company to be Wounded Up-The Concern's Indebtedness Aggregates \$91,000.

Asheville, Oct. 16 .- Saturday afternoon Judge Lane signed a decree making several orders in the matter of the receivership of the Asheville Hardware Company, which was recently placed in the hands of a tem. porary receiver, J. E. Rankin. The receiver, through his attorney

Judge J. D. Murphy, filed a bid from the Ottis Green Hardware Company for the purchase of the stock of the company on the basis of 66 2-3 per ness cent of the cost on which action was deferred until court meets, November 23. He also filed a report of the con-

one of the strongest supporters and Dana farm. with his departure the company looses one of its largest patrons.

Mr. Gates leaves this week for Greenville his future home. The new the coming event in his section and he management has succeeded in leasing assured every one who visits the fair the Hotel which will still be known that there will be amply room for all as Hotel Gates, for the winter by Mr. and that those who desire to say over O. H. Foster of New York. The lease takes effect this week and the hotel will continue to be run, on the same high plane

AT THE PALACE.

The Famous Production, The Passion Play Given Friday and Saturday Evenings.

One of the most famous productions, the Passion Play, will be shown settled before placing the contract is at the Palace this week by special rethe manner in which the money may quest. The company is advertising be secured by the city. C. A. Webb of this show in this issue of the Hustler Asheville offers to lend the city of and the performance promises to be Hendersonville \$20,000 payable within one of the largest ever attended. This 5 and 10 years. His company wants wonderful picture in addition to the Offerings and Pledges for County the first amount to fall due in five regular two reels and special music by the orchestra.

Most everybody knows the story of it Friday and Saturday evening will receive a rare treat. The price of adadmission has been changed for the decided at the next meeting of the two nights only. Adults will be ccuncil. Asphalt will be placed on charged 25 cents while the children will be admitted for 10 cents. An illustrated song composed and

sung by H. C. Meyer of this city was shown at the Palace theater last Saturday night before one of the largest crowds the Palace Theater has had this season. The management is thoroughly pleased with the attendance the past week and will continue to give special features this winter.

Auspicious Opening of The New Blue Ridge Inn.

Mr. V. L. Norman the new lessee of the Blue Ridge Inn is very much en- during the two days. couraged over his successful opening and hopes to gain back all the patronage once enjoyed by this hostelry. The traveling men who knew him at chambermaids have been employed qualities of a fowl. and the Inn has an air of cozy comfort, cleanlines and hospitality. Mr. Norman wants the citizens of the

wonderfue developments made by Bailey of this city.

Mr. Gates has long been a friend of many in the past years. Some startthe Hustler Company. He has been ling exhibits are scheduled out at the the Greenville & Knoxville have all

> farmers in the county is devoting a are willing to do their share in getgreat deal of his personal attention to ting it.

night will be well cared for. There will be hundreds of farmers from all over the county in attendance

many of them live too far to make the trip in one day. These will remain in Dana over hight. "It will be a straight county fair

"We farmers of the Ridge section tails can be arranged. have had in mind some time the idea

what we wanted," said Mr. Case. Purpose of the Fair.

betterment of the condition of the year anyway and it is better that we bring a sample of what we have done

and all compare them. Our premium list is not as large as we want but it is enough to interest many to put on exhibition what they have. I have met with more success from the merchants of Hendersonville than I first expected. They seem to want us to ment A. Evans and others.

make a success and are wiling to aid in both exhibits and money. We want the people of this county to come ond and have a glorious time and at the same time see what Henderson ing. county is producing in the way of live stock and farm products. Everybody is invited to attend,' enthusiastically emarked Mr. Case last Tuesday.

Temporary sheds of all kinds will be constructed at Dana to take care of the live stock on exhibit. Several

large barns near by have been placed at the disposal of the management

Poultry Exhibits. Poultry boxes and yards will be constructed to show the magnificent chickens which have been raised in his other hotels are coming to his aid and out of Hendersonville. An exand the fact that he is in charge guar- pert poultry judge will be secured antees to them that they will be well from out of town one who is thorcared for. White waitresses and oughly able to distinguish the best

In the way of amusements there will be plenty for those who desire. The management have secured the county especially to make his house services of the Hendersonville string their headquarters while in the city band for the occasion and many selecand extends to their wives the use of tions will be rendered on the grounds the North Carolina-Tennessee state his parlors and conveniences while by this celebrated band.

tional Chairman.

year from then.

port but it is generally understood that they too may be able in reproduc- en business men of this city.

Whether the Transcontinental or sold out the citizens of Henderson Mr. Jonathan Case one of the livest county want a road through here and

> The following might be read with interest by those who have been keeping up with railroad news in Western North Carolina:

Atlanta, Oct. 16.- A new trunk line which will connect the Tennessee coal fields and the South Atlantic seaduring November 8th and 9th and board, will be built from Knoxville, Tenn., to Savannah, Ga., according to the most authentic rumors that are now heard in Atlanta. It is understood that the road will be built by without the usual side shows," assured English capitalists and that work will Mr. Case to a Hustler representative. be begun as soon as the necessary de-

It is understood that President W. of getting up a fair and until recently J. Oliver of the Oliver Construction had not fully made up our minds company is now in New York closing the financial arrangements for the road. It is said that the concern that The purpose of the fair is for the will build the road has already secured control of the Knoxville and Sevfarmers of Henderson county. "We lierville railroad which runs from farmers should get together once a Knoxville, 40 miles, toward Greenville, S. C., branching at Patterson to Canton, N. C

Right of way has also been secured from Greenville to Augusta. This right of way was that which was once surveyed for the old Augusta and Greenville railroad when that project was undertaken by the late Gen. Cle-

Options have been secured on a number of roads from Augusta south including the line that has been built from Bullochville to Stephens' cross-

The new line which will give a direct outlet for the Tennessee coal fields, will bring the valuable deposits 120 miles nearer to the Southern and will bring great trade to Savannah. The above despatch to the Columbia Record of yesterday afternoon will create no great surprise in Greenville, for already The News has published practically the same facts. The issue of September 3rd appeared a news story entitled "Negotiations on For the Purchase G. & K. and K. S. & E., setting forth the facts contained

in the above Atlanta despatch. The first paragraph of this particular story published in The News read as follows:

"That the South Atlantic Trans-continental Railway, the great proposed line which is to connect the Tennessee coal fields with the Atlantic Seaboard at Southport, N. C., and upon which work has already begun near line, has entered into negotiations

their husbands are attending to .is:- Besides each department having a looking toward the purchase of the manager whose duty it will beto give Greenville & Knoxville Railway and a description and information of the the Knoxville & Eastern railway, with many exhibits in his department there | the view of getting into possession of will be instructive talks made by sev- a route from the west to either the eral members of the agricultural South Carolina or the Georgia coast, board at Raleigh. These gentlemen via the city of Greenville, is the startgreat success. The financial commit- will be on hand to give the farmers of ling rumor which gained currency the county any information desired yesterday among a possible half-doz-

and F. L. Jackson.

GOOD ROADS BOND.

With a Petition of Two Thirds of the Voters the Commissioners Will Act. A systematic campaign will begin in a few days for the purpose of getting a bond issue of least \$100,000 for good roads in Henderson county. Formany months some of the leading citizens of this county have been discussing various ways and means in getting the correct sentiment of the citizens of the county in this great movement.

County Supervisor George Justice has spent a great deal of his time in the county starting a movement by which the county may secure a good road bond issue.

It is thought now that with petitions circulated throughout the county signed by over two thirds of the voters of the county, that when presente dto the honorable board of county commissioners at the right time there will be no hesitancy on its part in granting a bond issue of \$100,-000 for the perminent improvement of the roads of this county.

Sand clay roads will be built mostly. This variety of road has already proven a success in this county and the difference in expense from other roads has placed it in line with the most acceptable roads for Henderson county.

The county will have no trouble in getting all the sand necessary at a very low expense in building these roads and with sufficient road machinery it would be only a question of a few months before the county would have good roads in every direction.

STOCKHOLDERS MEETING.

There will be an adjourned meeting of the stockholders of the French Broad Hustler Inc., in the office of the company on Thursday, October 26th. at 5:00. It is desired that each member of the company shall be represented in person or by proxy.

M. L. SHIPMAN, President. This Oct. 12, 1911.

ORME EDWARDS OPERATED UPON

Sudden Attack of Appendicitis Necessitates Operation in Philadelphia.

Orme Edwards who has been with the Radcliff Lyceum Bureau for the past month was operated on last Monday in the St. Joseph Hospital in Philadelphia for appendicitis. The operation was successful and Mr. Edwards is reported to be getting along. nicely. As soon as he is able he will return home where he will recuperate from the rather sudden attack coming. upon him in a distant city.

Wife of Ross French Goes Back on Him . Asheville, Oct. 16.-The following letter from the wife of Ross French the Cherokee Indian who is in jail here charged with the murder of Miss Ethel Shuler at Birdtown over two weeks ago, to the sheriff of Buncombe county explains itself: "Birdtown, October 13, 1911. "To the Sheriff of Buncombe County, Asheville, N. C. "Dear Sir: You will please see the jailer and tell him I don't want hime to mail me any more letters from Ross French as I will not receive them.

Recess.

Night.

7:30-Praise Service. 8:00-Discovering and Developing Song.

Workers, (20 minutes), A. I. Justice. 8:25-Missions: How best to teach scholars to obey the Lord's command of Matt. 28:18-20: " Go ye therefore and make disciples."-Rev. Lewis Collins.

9:00-Farewell words from any one. Resolutions. "Blest be the tie that binds."

Benediction.

District Meeting K. of P.

The Annual District Meeting of the Thirteenth District Knights Pythias, will be held with Tryon Lodge, No. 118 J. H. Hyder, M. C. Huggins, A. M. on the evening of Oct. 26th.

The meeting will be called to order by D. D. G. C., F. O'C. Fletcher of Asheville, N. C. Grand Chanceller C. C. McLean of Greensboro will be present.

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dition of the company.

The decree finds that the company is indebted to the National State and City Bank of Richmond in the sum of \$22,000 and has other indebtedness which makes the aggregate about \$91,000.

Jury List-First Week. M. R. Allen D. T. Forest, John Perry, Sr., D. A. Lyda, C. P. Rogers, K. D. Kuykendall, H. T. F. Drake,

John W. Lanning, J. B. Guice, J. H. Dill, H C. Hyder, H. S. Newman, T. J. Pace, J. D. Evinins N. C. Ray, Erwin, P. A. Kuykendall, Sam B. Hudgins, El. M. Merrell, J. N. Whitesides S. J. Hoots, R. L. Nix.

Second Week

A. C. McKinney, H. H. Laught Reports from all lodges will be Herman Souther, L. L. Johnson, J. L. heard, various matters of importance Holbert, John A. Ward, K. M. Os- in a seriou scondition. Moise was committee meets Wednesday to act will be made which will not only discussed and talks by prominent teen M. M. Stewart, J. H. Stephen-A pleasant time is asside and and and and and state chair- in reference to the trunk line being This is higher than they have been at members are requested to alloid if R. J. Fletcher D. H. Osteen, D. C. able to determine the extent of his being both national and State chair- in reference to the trunk line being This is higher than they have been at Hood, S. W. Israel.

W. N. C. FAIR SUCCESS.

The Western North Carolina Fair held in Asheville last week was a tee has not yet made a complete rethat it was a financial success as well ing a similar exhibit for the fair one The rumor was taken up by a repas in other respects.

Many citizens of Henderson county and witnessed the fair. Over 20,000 and hundreds of Hendersonville peopeople entered the fair gates during ple will journey out on November 9th. not comment further in regard to the the three days of exhibition.

One More Victim of Football. Athens, Ga., Oct. 15-Suffering from rendered unconscious by the blow and upon the resignation of Mr. Huppuch. prove glad tidings to Greenville, but

resentative of The News and traced to

Farmers of Henderson county in a certain source, and there the rumor entered exhibits and some won prizes. every section hail the coming of the was confirmed. The source from The names of these gentlemen could Dana fair with much pleasure and all which this information was secured not be acsertained before going to who can will spend a day with the cannot be divulged, but the confirmapress. Crowds of people spent at people in the Ridge. Dana will be tion of the report is thoroughly relialeast one day in Asheville last week very muchly on the map next month ble and little short of authoritative. At the particular time the News can-

above story, other than assure the public that it not "mere talk." Cer-Norman Mack to be State and Natain facts relative to the above mat-

Buffalo, N. Y. Oct. 15 .- The Ex- ter, far more enlightening than those blow on the head received in a foot- press tomorrow will say that Norman contained in the Atlanta despatch are all game between the scrubs and re- E Mack is scheduled to succeed Win- known to The News, but cannot be diserves yesterday, F. M. Maise of field A. Huppuch as chairman of the vulged at this particular time. In South Carolina, is in a local hospital Democratic State committee when the due course of time announcements

son, W. M. Lott, L. A. Mace, H. J. had not regained consciousness late If this program is carried out Mr. will bear out the truth of the state-A pleasant time is assaid and all Israel, Joseph Hill, C. W. Freeman, today. Physicians tsate they are un-

"Yours truly, "MELINDA FRENCH."

Cost of Living Rises.

Chicago, Oct. 17 .- That the cost of living has taken a jump upward is shown by prices quoted in South Water street for dressed beef, and also by the prices on butter and eggs, which have reached the highest point in ten months.

Fancy creamery butter has advanced to 29 cents a pound, wholesale, and