HENDERSONVILLE, N. C., THURSDAY MAY, 1, 1913

CONTESTANTS HAVE ONLY 17\_\_\_\_INR. GUDGER ON F. BENNETT BUYS HENDERSONVILLE BLUE RIDGE FAIR

and French Broad Hustler

Western Carolina Democrat

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What do you propose doing during this time? --- Glazener's Prize a \$3.00 Silk Parasol to be awarded May 7th, Noon.

The time has arrived young ladies, for you to gather in every promised subscription. Many have already waited too long to do this for the time has come when it is impossible for the management to offer large Free vote offers. Le, us tell you now and let that be for all time to come. going to be made by the contest man- of Glazeners "Cut the Price" five cent

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DAYS IN

ager. Now Miss contestant the best thing | Standing of contestants. you can do is to stop right where you are for a short space of time, (and by the way make the stop 'a short one) but stop long enough to take stock of

NEVER again during the life of this their friends who wish to see this hand contest are we going to offer you a some parasol can do so by calling at free vote proposition. You may there- the Glazener establishment. Rememfore inform your friends that nothing ber that every one that subscribes or can be gained by putting you off until renews their subscription through any the closing hours of the contest with of the contestants between April 24th the hope that some BIG Bonas offer is and May 7th noon are entitled to one

lead pencils free. District No. 1. April 30th.

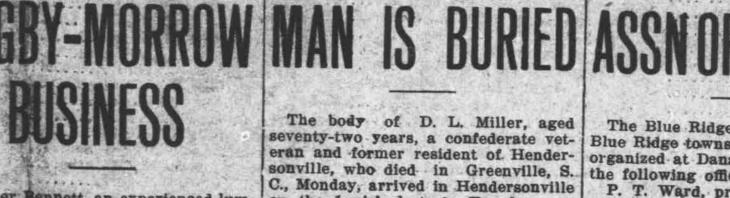
Hendersonville Township.

Hendersonville people will be interested to learn that Congressman J. M. berman, has purchased the interests was interred in Oakdale cemetary. ing to be erected in this city on the corner of Fourth avenue and Church Mr. Bennett assumes entire manstreet, as early as possible.

"As a partial result of these efforts," Mr. Gudger informs the Democrat, "I ial changes in the working forces at survived by the widow and three have received advices from the depart- | present. ment that the building is to be an upto-date one in every particular; that of the business, retires after nine Miss Jeannette Miller of Greenville, the working drawings are being taken years active service with this well and two sons, Walter and Tom Miller Friday afternoon, May 9, to make fur. upon approved sketches, and the esti- established concern. mate for materials is now being considered."

With reference to the modern character of the building in which Mr. Gudger is greatly interested, he says: "The facing of the exterior walls

from grade to about one foot above the



Foster Bennett, an experienced lum-

agement of the concern and it is an. nounced that there will be no mater- where he had many friends. He is

recently sold his interest in the Hen- Smith and Miss Mary A. Miller. dersonville Lumber company to his brother Howard Bennett, with whom ferer from leakage of the heart. he had been associated in the lumber business for some time.

red brick with limestone or sandstone | When asked by a representative | Walter Miller.

The body of D. L. Miller, aged eran and former resident of Hendersonville, who died in Greenville, S.

C., Monday, arrived in Hendersonville on the 1 o'clock train Tuesday and Gudger is urging the treasury depart. of the Rigby - Morrow com-ment to advertise for bids for the erec- pany, dealers in lumber and builders ducted at the cemetary by Rev. J. W. tion of the proposed postoffice build- supplies and takes charge of the bus- Shive, Rev. K. W. Cawthon and Rev. Dr. Sloan.

> The deceased for a number of years Mr. Morrow, president and manager | rens, S. C., Mrs. Harry Chewning and | crat: Mr. Bennett, it will be remembered ters in Hendersonville, Mrs. T. M.

first floor level will be limestone or the Rigby-Morrow company were sold, terian church of Greenville, Mr. and and will put forth every effort to make sandstone; above this point will be the office building being retained. Mrs. Chewning, Miss Jeannette and it the "greatest" Hendersonville day."

MARKETS BEEF CATTLE

The Blue Ridge Fair Association of seventy-two years, a confederate vet- Blue Ridge township and vicinity was organized at Dana last Saturday with the following officers:

P. T. Ward, president; T. E. Renshaw, vice president; E. B. Freeman secretary.

Board of Directors: R. H. Scadin, Jonathan Case, Samuel Rau, C. J. Edney, J. T. Staton.

With reference to the prespects of a most successful fair and the co-operwas a resident of Hendersonville, ation offered the Greater Hendersonville club in its movements for a fair Secretary Freeman had the following daughters; Mrs. Jeru Sullivan of Lau- to say to a representative of the Dem-

"Another meeting will be called for of Greenville. Surviving are two sis- ther arrangements for the fair. Everyone seems to be taking an interest and the indications are that we will The deceased had been a long suf. have an excellent fair. We note the Greater Hendersonville club expects The remains of Mr. Miller were ac- to ask us to set aside one day as "Hen-Usiness for some time. Only the business and supplies of Dr. Sloan, pastor of the First Presby-idea and we will be glad to do this

COMMISSION TAKKES RECESS.

will be proud of at the end of the con: test. Should you put of until the last the contest you will find when the race ple you were to see went unseen, and the reason that you did not receive the first prize in your district is due to that very fact. During the last two weeks many of our contestants have been deprived of the pleasure of workthe contestant or some member of sympathy, and truly hope that ere and that once more we will have the reports.

special prize will be awarded to the 



been in session at Concord for four days during the past week, will meet | Washington Post. annual session in Hendersonville s 1914.

The convention will bring a large olina and other sections.

## MISS FICKER WINS PRIZE.

lost Successful Contestant in North gressive Democrt. If my language Carolina For Short Story Prize Giv- at Baltimore created any impression en By Greensboro College.

he best sort story.

the high schools in the state, each between the State Department and the been's principal. abol being entitled to one story. Miss | Speaker in carrying out the policies icker represented the Hendersonville of the administration." figh school with a 1,700 word story, a mountain girl. She was notified the following:

entitled to the valuel medal.

bring about results, results that you Miss Louise Hodges..... 12,000 District No. 2. Fletcher, N. C. Saluda, N. C. Tryon, N. C. Marion, N. C. Old Fort, N. C. Brevard, N. C. Horse Shoe, N.IC. this time they have fully recovered, Miss Mitchell Corpening ...... 157.400 Waynesville, N. C. Rutherfordton, N. C. 

**VO BOYS SHOT BIG CHAUTAUQUA** Andrews, N. C.

Speaker Clark and Secretary Bryan "Bury the Hatchet" for Benefit of the Administration.

**KISSED AND "MADE UP."** 

Speaker Clark and Secretary Bryan net at a private luncheon in Washington, shook hands and issued public tol Sunday afternoon in the Tuxedo statements declaring they had buried section, two boys about thirteen years the hatchet and put the personalities old were accidentally shot.

of the Baltimore convention with the Information has been received here bygones. The luncheon was arranged to the effect that the Woman's Mis- by Theodore A. Bell, chairman of the sionary Convention of the Western California delegation supporting North Carolina conference, which has Speaker Clark at Baltimore, and was given by Ira E. Bennett, editor of the

> Secretary Bryan issued the following statement:

"My meeting with Mr. Clark has number of missionary workers to Hen- served to clear up a misunderstanddersonville from western North Car- ing as to my exact position toward him at the Baltimore convention. I have tried to make it clear to Mr. Clark that I have always regarded and now regard him as a clean, pro-

that I was charging Mr. Clark with Miss Elsie Ficker, a member of the being in sympathy with any of the enth grade of the Hendersonville reactionary forces, I am glad of the High school, has won the prize offered opportunity to clear any such misconhe high school girls of the state for ception of my words and acts, for I did not intend to reflect upon either The Greensboro Female Normal and the personal or political integrity of Industrial college offered a prize to the Speaker. It is my earnest wish elevating escapade in which a visitor ed at the commencement. The mag-

telegram this week that she was "It is beyond the power of Colonel roving and inglorious career, resulting ation, etc.

Although Mr. Gudger is urging the earliest possible action in this matter it is highly probable that the new building will not be completed before he experiences the pleasure, or displeasure as the case may be, of recommending the appointment of one of the several applicants for the position of postmaster at the expiration of the commission of Postmaster Brownlow Jackson, which expires about one

year hence. A number of democratic applicants are pressing their claims to the office and are exerting themselves mightily for the sweet morsel of pie-\$2,400 andevelopments and each of the many movements being made by the office-

seekers is watched with untiring interest.

While carelessly playing with a pis-

Unless complications set in the

Dr. A. B. Drafts and Dr. J. Frank

wounds will not likely prove serious.

Cranford attended the young men and

addressed the wounds. The Capps

boy who was holding the gun, suffered

a shot wound, in one hand and the

same shot glazed the left side of the

Although the wounds were not con-

sidered dangerous by the physicians

they were quite painful and the young

sters were very much frightened over

Is Under Arrest in California Follow

ing Visit to Hendersonville in 1911.

By reason of Hendersonville's popu-

larity as a summer resort it is now

FIGURES IN ESCAPADE.

HENDERSONVILLE VISITOR

son of J. L. Pace.

the accident.

humorous vein slightly hesitated then modestly replied: "I'm going to be a summer visitor."

## · EVANGELISTIC SERVICES.

Special Series of Evangelistic Sermons to Begin at East Hendersonville Baptist Church Sunday.

Rev. R. D. Carroll, . pastor of the East Hendersonville Baptist church, announces that a special series of evangelistic meetings will be held at morning,

burg, who will do the preaching, will year. open the corver at 11 o'clock Sunday morning.

solicited in making the meeting a suc.

Arrangements are making for a ten

days' chautauqua to be held at the

Chautauqua-Auditorium in Henderson-

ville during the month of July under

the auspices of the Greater Hender-

No means will be spared in making

this the best chautauqua ever held in

Hendersonvile and although the man-

agement is not prepared to furnish a

complete program of the undertaking,

it is stated that most excellent talent

The Greater Hendersonville club is

rapidly perfecting arrangements for

HIGH SCHOOL MOUNTAINEER.

sonville club.

will be employed.

School Society.

the meeting.

Senator Allen Sees Opportunity Offered Beef Growers and Will Raise Beef Cattle on Bigger Scale.

Senator T. B. Allen of the Mills River section marketed the last of his eef cattle in Asheville this week.

During the winter Senator Allen had about forty beef cattle and returning from Raleigh he marketed thirty of them, the remainder of which he marketed this week.

The genial senator says that there is the church, beginning next Sunday fairly good money in raising beef cattle and that it is his intention to go in-Rev. W. P. Southern, of Spartan- to the business on a bigger scale next

Within a short while he will begin to buy cattle from various sources The public is cordially invited and over the county; will place them on the co-operation of all Christians is pasturage for several months land then will fatten them during the winter for market.

> DISTRICT MEETING OF U. D. C. Next Annual Meeting to Be Held in Hendersonville.

District of U. D. C. was held in Bre- out the differences in important vard on last Saturday. The morning amendments, such as' the financial session was given to business. At scheme of the State as to taxes and 1:30 an elegant and bounteous lunch- ; changes in the judicial districts. eon was served in the chapter house by the Brevard chapter. And then followed a beautiful program which had been arranged by Mrs. T. B. Glenn, of Asheville, the director of the district. Mrs. Lila Ripley Barn- Bailey, Raleigh; C. S. Wallace, Carwell, of this city, was on the program teret. giving a sketch of the life of Mrs. William Parley, of Wilmington, the founder of the N. C., Division of U. D. C. R. L. Haymore, Surry; H. Q. Alexan-

well, Mrs. M. Schenck, Mrs. L. E. Fish- | Article 3. Executive Department-Marie Lane.

## Strike For Higher Wages and The Street Car Company Imports Strike. breakers, Causing Trouble.

On Saturday the street car conductors and motormen deserted their cars care company operated the cars on a partial schedule.

About a score of strikebreakers arrived in Asheville Sunday afternoon from northern cities, but they found

After Organization and Selection of Committeess Constitutional Committee Adjourns to June Fourth.

Raleigh, N. C., (Special)-The Legislative Commission on Constitutional Amendments finished the work of its preliminary meeting for organization and took a recess to June 4th when a second session preliminary to the tak. ing up of the real work is to be held. The committees, one on each of the 14 divisions of the State constitution, were announced today and the bills and resolutions that were introduced in the last Legislature looking to amending the constitution were referred to the committees on the sections of the constitution proposed to be amended. The committees are to gather any and all suggestions as to changes in the constitution that come from creditable sources and report them to the full meeting of the commission June 4th. The meeting at that time is to be only a session of a few days. Then the commissioners go to their homes and the committees have conferences at their convenience and later there will be sessions of the full commis-

The first meeting of the Asheville sion for possibly 30 days to thresh

The committees announced by Presdent A. M. Scales follow; the first named being chairman:

Article 1. Declaration of Rights-Senator A. D. Ward, Newbern; J. W.

Article 2-Legislative Department-Representative W. A. Devin, Oxford; Attending from the Hendersonville der, Mecklenburg; A. D. Ivie, Rockingchapter, were Mrs. Lila Ripley Barn- ham; E. J. Justice, Greensboro.

er and Misses Edith Waldrop and R. A. Doughton, Alleghany; D. Y. Coop er, Henderson; H. W. Stubbs, Martin;

Article 4. Judicial Department-J. W. Bailey, Raleigh; George W. Connor, Wilson; R. A. Doughton, Alleghany; A. D. Ward, Craven; E. R. Wooten, Lenoir.

Article 5. Revenue and Taxation-Representative E. J. Justice, Greensboro; H. A. Page, Moore; A. D. Ward, Craven; N. J. Rouse, Lenoir; R. R. Williams, Buncombe; A. T. Grant,

Article 6. Suffrage and Eligibility to Office- : T. M. Washington, Wilson; N. J. Rouse, Lenoir.

Article 7. Municipal Corporationsafter rolling them into the barns about | D. Y. Cooper, Henderson; C. S. Wal-12 o'clock. The office force of the lace, Carteret; A. D. Ivie, Rockingham, Article 8. Corporations other than Municipal-N. J. Rouse, Lenoir; D. Y. Cooper, Henderson; H. A. Page, Moore.

Article 9. EducationH. Q. Alex-

Last Issue of School Year Soon to be Issued in Magazine Form by High The fourth issue of the High School Mountaineer, which will be the last issue of the present school year, will be

issued about May 20. This will be by far the largest issue of the Mountaineer as it will conenjoying a little limelight in an un- tain the class exercises to be renderthe successful short story writer of that there may be cordial co-operation to this city in 1911 is said to have azine will contain about thirty-five pages of interesting reading matter According to press dispatches. Mrs. prepared by the High school society. Dr. Jefferson W. Reams, wife of a Copies can be secured by addressing Then Speaker Clark made public Spartanburg pharmacist in 1911, after the business manager, R. C. Bennett, visiting in Hendersonville has had a enclosing ten cents for cost of publi-

Motormen and Conductors of City

Asheville is experiencing the first street car strike in its history and in Davie. fact the first strike of any kind with

such serious proportions.

things unpleasant and heeded advice ander, Mecklenburg; R. L. Haymore, Bryan or any one else to correct the in her arrest in San Francisco, Cal., on Following is the personnel of the from Mayor Rankin and departed Surry! R. R. Williams, Buncombe.

ASHEVILLE HAS STRIKE

Next year the district meeting will George W. Connor, Wilson. 9 held in Hendersonville.

Chairman. Maleigh, N. C., (Special.)—The Leg- slative Commission appointed by the Legislature to make recommendations to the extra session as to amendments to the State Constitution, met for or- sanization, which was accomplished by the election of Hon. A. M. Scales as president, and Joseph B. Cheshire, In calling the commission to order, Governor Craig declared that in his opinion no body of men could have been selected from all the State who would discharge with more ability, honesty and patriotism the duties de- tolving on the commission than they, ad, that no more important work will tome to the generative in Next Con-	timore. The loss of the presidential nomination was a small thing as com- pared to the injury done to my repu- tation in the eyes of the world. But now that Colonel Bryan, in his public statement, has done what he can to remove the injurious impressions that were created by his Baltimore speeches I feel that we can all the better co- operate for the good of the adminis- tration. I can only repeat what I have publicly declared, time and time again, that all person or selfish considera- tions must give way to the duty that all Democrats owe to our party and to our country." <b>NO MORE OVERDRAFTS.</b> The banks of Hendersonville are giv- ing notice in this issue of the Demo- crot to the effect that they will no longer carry overdrafts on their books, having decided that the overdraft fea- ture is an ijnustice to the stockholders	<ul> <li>who it is believed is in California, although Mrs. Reams who goes under the name of Mrs. Rogers claims not.</li> <li>Warrants were issued in Spartanburg for the arrest of the couple.</li> <li>The following press dispatch will be of interest in this connection:</li> <li>Dr. Reams and family lived in the same boarding house at which McCaslan resided. Taking her little son, Orlando, Mrs. Reams went to Hendersconville, N. C., in the summer of 1911 for a visit. It has since been learned that she took \$4,000 in cash with her. McCaslan went to Hendersonville at the same time. They vanished, but were traced to Asheville. The trail was then lost until June, 1912, when word was received that they were in Norcross, Ga. When efforts were made, however, to apprehend the couple, they again departed.</li> </ul>	R. O. Lyday, editor-in-chief; M. W. Egerion, managing editor; Miss Bessie Steedman, faculty editor; W. T. Crane and M. F. Trice, assistant editors; R. C. Bennett, business manager; Harry G. Hunter and L. J. Pace, assistants. <b>ERROR IN COURT CALENDAR.</b> <b>The Attention of Witnesses and Others Intrested Is Called to Error in dates On Which Cases Will Be Called.</b> The attention of the Democrat has been called to an error in the dates as they apply to the calendar as pub- lished in last week's paper with refer- ence to the two weeks term of civil court to convene here on May 12 with Judge C. C. Lyon presiding. In order that witnesses may not be mislead by these dates the explan- ation is given that the first day of the calendar opened with "Monday 11," when it should have been "Monday	tered and threatened to do them in- jury, serious consequences being avert- ed only by the timely action of the po- lice force. No cars were run on Monday and Tuesday, the schedule being resumed on Wednesday after a number of strike breakers arrived and were barricaded at the car barns. The street car com- pany called upon the city and county authorities for protection from viol- ence. Upon going to press nothing had been heard of the activities of Wednesday more than it was the in- tention of the company to operate cars. The street car men struck for higher wages ranging from 21 to 25 cents an hour instead of the old rates of 18 to 21 cents per hour. <u>Missionary Day.</u> Announcement is made that Mission- ary day will be observed at the Horse	tions-E. R. Wooten, Lenoir; A. T. Grant, Davie; T. M. Washington, Wil- son. Article 11. Punishment, Penal In- stitutions and Charities-A. D. Ivie, Rockingham; A. D. Ward, Craven; R. L. Haymore, Surry. Article 12. Militia-T. M. Washing. ton, Wilson; W. A. Devin, Oxford; H. W. Stubbs, Martin. Article 13. Amendmenis-S. C. Wallace, Carteret; J. W. Bailey, Ral- eigh; E. R. Wooten, Lenoir. Article 14. Miscellaneous-R. R. Williams, Buncombe; H. A. Page, Moore; A. T. Grant, Davie. Deals In Beal Estate. The firm of John L. Orr & Son has sold to Mr. B. W. Robbins of St. Pet- ersburg, Fla, two lots at Osceola lake, the consideration being \$500. Mrs. B. W. Robbins has purchased from the same firm a lot on Mt. Hebron street,
<sup>tolking</sup> on the commission than they, and, that no more important work will tome to the generation in North Caro- ana than that entrusted to this com-	The banks of Hendersonville are giv- ing notice in this issue of the Demo- crot to the effect that they will no longer carry overdrafts on their books, having decided that the overdraft fea- ture is an ijnustice to the stockholders depositors and the drawers themselves. Why doesn't Brother Hearst swim over to Japan and lick the whole na-	were traced to Asheville. The trail was then lost until June, 1912, when word was received that they were in Norcross, Ga. When efforts were made, however, to apprehend the couple, they again departed. Dr. Reams was grief-stricken at the loss of his son and has employed dc- tectives and adopted other means suggested in an effort to recover the	court to convene here on May 12 with Judge C. C. Lyon presiding. In order that witnesses may not be mislead by these dates the explan- ation is given that the first day of the calendar opened with "Monday 11," when it should have been "Monday May 12." A similar error was made in the date of each day's calendar as	hour instead of the old rates of 18 to 21 cents per hour. Missionary Day. Announcement is made that Mission. ary day will be observed at the Horse Shoe Baptist church at 10 o'clock next Sunday morning. Exercises will	The firm of John L. Orr & Son has sold to Mr. B. W. Robbins of St. Pet- ersburg, Fla, two lots at Osceola lake, the consideration being \$500. Mrs. B. W. Robbins has purchased from the same firm a lot on Mt. Hebron street, the consideration being \$500. An exchange says that Montanegro is a bantam. Ah. yes: that accounts