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STATEMENT	
Showing Receipts and Disbursements of the County of Henderson for the Months of June, July, August, September, October and November, 1918. And Statement of Bonded Indebtedness for the Year Ending November, 1918.	
Receipts for June 1918	
General property	\$2,050.23
Discovery	6.95
B. and C. Tax	857.04
Fines, fees and forfeitures	113.89
General Co. roads	678.60
Total	3,705.69
Receipts for July 1918	
General property	586.74
Discovery	9.32
B. and C. Tax	1,220.00
Fines fees and forfeitures	46.50
Official fees	65.07
County sinking fund	22.30
Total	1,949.89
Receipts for August 1918	
General property	1,247.09
B. and C. tax	365.50
Fines fees and forfeitures	20.00
Official fees	126.25
County sinking funds	6.00
Schools	2,817.80
Totals	4,582.65
Receipts for Sept., 1918	
General property	3,002.66
Discovery	3.32
B. and C. tax	26.00
Official fees	66.20
County sinking funds	10.20
Total	3,108.38
Receipts for October	
General property	4,065.65
Discovery	22.41
B. and C. tax	55.00
Official fees	126.32
General Co. roads	320.88
Total	4,590.22
Receipts for November 1918	
General property	1,296.00
Discovery	26.78
B. and C. tax	10.00
Fines, fees and forfeitures	11,487.42
County sinking fund	251.40
Stenographer fees	15.50
Jail fees	65.35
Jury tax	91.20
Total	14,637.65
Received check, State Highway Commission	678.60
Fees from Co. home	181.43
Fees, Drake, ex-sheriff	10.80
J. P. fines	150.50
Clerk of court fines	124.00
V. B. Sherman, bail	132.70
Received from State auto registration	1,406.20
Received, donations for school	6,565.08
Total	9,249.39
Disbursements	
June 1918	
General Fund	
L. R. Rhodes, listing tax in Edneyville	96.00
B. F. Staton, meeting with election board	24.15
J. S. Hart, 1 day bailiff at election	2.00
J. L. Pace, 4 days work	10.00
H'ville Furniture Co., for furniture	20.00
J. C. Sexton, jail fees R. R. fair board and auto	9.00
J. W. Morgan, reg. elections	12.00
Sallie Johnson, salary and expenses	102.49
B. F. Hood, 24 days work in June tax listing	72.00
H. C. Jones, reg. elections	12.00
J. H. Rogers, 1 day Bailiff elections	2.00
W. F. Brown, stamps	21.00
O. V. F. Blythe, atty., services as atty. board of Co. com.	10.00
W. F. Edwards, meeting 7 days with board, 49 new reg	23.80
Hunter's Pharmacy, supplies Co. home	2.90
Rector Pub. Co., printing	111.40
Slayden Fakes & Co., supplies to Co. home	14.50
Huston & Son, supplies to Co. home	30.30
F. H. Kincaid, supplies to Co. home	17.20
H'ville Hdwe. Co., 1 plow sweep	.70
M. M. Shepherd, supplies to Co. home	6.00
H'ville Hdwe. Co., 1 cradle to Co. home	4.50
M. C. Dotson & Co., 2 horse and whip	.75
O. Williams, supplies to Co. home	4.18
The Rose Pharmacy, supplies to Co. home	2.55
City of H'ville, water consumed	15.99
M. Allard Case, salary	83.33
M. Allard Case, fees for month of June and feeding prisoners	110.00
M. Allard Case, janitor hire	25.00
A. B. Drafts, salary	46.60
A. B. Freeman, 24 days listing taxes	72.00
Mutual Printing Co., printing notices, etc.	103.68
J. R. Williams, Lumber Co., erecting election booths	11.20
W. H. Zimmerman, supplies to tax office	8.85
Walker Evans and Cogswell Co., rebinding 4 vols. vital stat.	20.25
Southern Sanitary Co., sanitary floor oil	24.60
Edwards & Broughton Printing Co., supplies to R. D.	8.50
Frank Fleming, salary for June	60.00
R. C. Hill, 14 days services listing taxes	42.00
A. W. Russell, 17 days listing taxes Green River	51.00
E. O. English, 2 days hold-	

ing elections Etowah	4.00
M. S. Anderson, listing tax Allard Case, expense for June	45.00
H'ville Light & Power Co., lights	6.60
Stony Mt. Co., lumber	6.00
R. S. Sentell, tobacco and snuff to jail and gro. to Watson	3.80
Reg. of Deeds, stamps and office expense	3.81
Jackson & Stepp, 2 days services Co. com. mileage	8.20
S. J. Whitaker, 2 days services Co. Com. mileage	4.60
Smith, Jackson & Morris, insurance on court house	6.40
John T. Staton, 2 days services Co. com. mileage	123.75
Bland Hdwe. Co., supplies	7.00
W. G. Guillick, 1 days attendance at pension board	1.10
J. P. Johnson, member of pension board	2.00
T. J. Shipman, member of pension board	2.00
L. B. Morse, 1 day board health	2.00
Asheville Tel. & Tel. Co., telephone service	4.00
G. F. Clark, 21 days listing tax	7.05
J. A. Garren, 4 days judge elections	63.00
J. N. Russell, 21 days listing tax Hoopers creek	8.00
Road Fund	
Mack Brittan, Mack Brittan 6 days	11.62
Tom Brittan, 8 days	10.69
Mrs. T. B. Allen, supplies	2.70
Carolina Oil & Soap Co., supplies	24.15
Dennies Hooper, hay	15.65
H. W. Meas, blacksmith bill	30.00
Nory Edney, salary June night guard	180.00
T. B. Allen, 100 bu. corn	30.00
Sam Ward, salary for June guard	40.00
Fred Gillian, salary for June guard, use of car for prisoners	100.85
B. B. Souther, salary and supplies	11.95
S. Holbert, pay roll	406.15
H'ville Buggy & Wagon Co., supplies	14.40
Slayden Fakes Co., supplies to chain gang	37.90
Houston & Son, supplies to chain gang	89.45
M. C. Letson & Co., supplies to chain gang	7.50
W. D. Justus, blacksmith	8.80
Ottis Powers, prisoners expenses	100.40
H. E. Trenbain, work on road	14.00
P. F. Patton, salary for June	35.00
Bland Hdwe. Co., supplies dredge acct.	8.67
Total	1,179.38
Bridge Fund	
W. M. Orr, pay roll	303.99
H'ville Lumber Co., lumber	16.15
Rigby-Morrow Co., builders supplies	2.40
Total	322.54
Pauper Claims for June 1918	
Harriet Jackson	3.00
Leah Freeman	5.00
Ellen Wallace	5.00
Betty Stepp	5.00
Lindy Rhodes	3.00
July 1918, General Fund	
Sallie Johnson, salary and expenses	89.30
Jean Drake, 10 days helping on tax books	12.00
M. Allard Case, services and expenses	282.48
Justus Pharmacy, supplies to Co. home	.75
E. Lewis & Son, supplies Co. home	1.40
E. Lewis & Son, supplies to Co. home	7.39
M. C. Dotson & Co., repair work	3.30
Byers Brothers, supplies to Co. home	11.96
F. H. Kincaid, supplies to Co. home	9.80
H'ville Hdwe. Co., supplies to Co. home	2.90
J. C. Sexton, work on court house and jail	35.00
John T. Staton, meeting with board and mileage	7.00
S. J. Whitaker, meeting with board and mileage	6.40
J. F. Stepp, meeting with board and mileage	4.60
Bland Hdwe. Co., supplies to jail	7.10
Rose Pharmacy, supplies to Co. home	2.55
Hunter's Pharmacy, supplies to Co. home	4.90
Slayden Fakes & Co., supplies to Co. home	1.00
R. P. Freeman, supplies to Co. home	1.00
Houston & Son, supplies to Co. home	31.05
Slayden Fakes & Co., supplies to Co. home	14.55
The Southern Sanitary Co., supplies to jail	16.00
J. W. Smathers, sharpening and setting lawn mower	2.00
Rector Pub. Co., notices, ads, etc.	21.00
S. J. Justice, 3 days judge elections	6.00
A. B. Freeman, work on tax lists	90.00
B. F. Hood, 29 days listing taxes	87.00
Clerk Superior court, office expense	10.18
Rector Pub. Co., book of extracts, ordered by tax collector	45.00
City of H'ville, water consumed	8.25
Frank Fleming, services as farm demonstrator	60.00
O. V. F. Blythe, atty., salary as atty. for board of com.	10.00
J. H. Burgan, 3 days judge elections	6.00
W. F. Brown, tax collector,	

postage	6.00
Staton & Rector, insurance covering court house	123.75
Walker, Evans & Cogswell Co., 2 records of deeds	65.00
G. H. Murray, 2 days as judge elections	4.00
H'ville Light & Power Co., light consumed	7.65
H'ville Furniture Co., furniture to jail and Co. home	42.60
J. M. Smathers, supplies to Co. home	9.80
A. B. Drafts, salary and expenses	49.36
R. S. Sentell, goods by A. W. Watson	3.00
R. S. Sentell, supplies to jail	2.53
H. Patterson, supplies to jail	5.60
John Smathers, Co. home	1.15
A. O. Jones, R. D., expense, stamps, express	2.90
Total	1,217.20
Road Fund	
R. E. L. Freeman, overseer	10.00
H. E. Trenbain, team work	43.09
G. J. Jackson, work on bridge	83.55
Purcee Brannon, corn and hay	76.05
James Stepp, teamster	25.00
H. W. Meese, supplies to Co. home	3.15
S. B. Lance, corn and hay	61.50
Gather Stepp, teamster	24.00
Tom Orr, supplies to chain gang	13.04
Davenport & Whitaker, supplies to chain gang	4.00
J. L. Lane, supplies to chain gang	3.27
A. E. Erwin, supplies to chain gang	5.15
J. M. McCall, supplies to chain gang	87.40
B. B. Souther, salary and supplies	112.20
Nora Edney, salary for July	30.00
Fred Gillian, salary	35.00
J. V. Blythe, chain gang	7.50
J. S. Holbert, road and bridge work	501.41
Slayden Fakes & Co., supplies to chain gang	146.12
Houston & Son, supplies to chain gang	152.09
P. F. Patton, salary for July	35.00
Southern Supply Co., supplies to chain gang	13.74
Tom Allen, supplies	47.15
Missy Jackson, supplies to chain gang	1.50
Texaco Co., supplies	43.65
Bland Hdwe. Co., supplies to chain gang	48.14
J. R. Willson Lumber Co., lumber	4.11
M. C. Letson, chain gang	25.45
M. C. Dotson & Co., chain gang	24.75
Total	1,667.00
Bridge Fund	
J. C. Drake, hauling lumber and work on bridge	3.00
J. P. Allen, bridge work	44.00
O. V. Parr, bridge work	2.65
V. P. Whitaker, bridge work	32.25
V. Shipman, bridge work	23.30
H'ville Lumber Co., bridge cement	47.30
H'ville Lumber Co., lumber	2.50
Burt Painter, lumber and bridge work	4.50
Total	159.50
Pauper Claim for July, 1918	
Herriette Jackson	3.00
Lindy Rhodes	3.00
Leah Freeman	3.00
Total	9.00
General Fund	
Allard Case, salary and expenses	282.53
Bland Hdwe. Co., supplies to jail	2.10
W. F. Edwards, registration of absentee and postage	57.26
H'ville Light and Power Co., light consumed	6.00
M. M. Shepherd, supplies to jail	6.58
H'ville Hdwe. Co., supplies for court house	20.45
Rector Pub. Co., printing notices statutes, etc.	40.00
Walker Evans & Cogswell Co., engraving and postage	2.84
Justus Pharmacy, supplies to Co. home	6.82
O. V. F. Blythe, salary as atty. board Co. com.	10.00
R. K. Osteen, on Jury inquest held over A. Tankersley	1.00
J. W. McIntyre, work on court house	17.30
W. S. Shile, 1 day's services on board of health	4.00
Dr. T. W. Sumner, holding inquest over A. Tankersley	10.00
French Broad Hustler, ads, letters and post cards	14.25
H'ville Furniture Co., supplies to jail	108.15
T. E. Osteen, on jury, inquest over A. Tankersley	1.00
James Houston Case, drawing jury	50
J. C. Sexton, extra work and expense	35.00
Edwards & Broughton, 3 claim books	13.79
F. H. Kincaid, supplies to Co. home	6.80
Mrs. Sallie Johnson, salary and help for Co. home	82.10
Everett Waddy Co., supplies for registers office	15.60
Slayden Fakes Co., supplies to Co. home	5.65
Rose Pharmacy, supplies to Co. home	4.55
Hunter's Pharmacy, supplies to Co. home	1.25
Slayden Fakes & Co., supplies to Co. home	14.40
Houston & Son, supplies to Co. home	22.30
Byers Bros., supplies to Co. home	1.50
W. T. Smith, supplies to Co. home	15.79

FASSIFERN NEWS

(By Evelyn Byrd Graham.)

Saturday, December 14th, was a "Red Letter" day for the Fassifer Junior Auxiliary and that day having been set aside for faculty and students to observe as "Red-Cross" day, proved a record-breaking one.

The program began at eleven a. m., when Misses Ruth Sasseen and Peggy Coleman, two members of the Freshman class, entertained the school in the basement with some clever stunts, which they performed on trapeze. Later a bazaar was held in the auditorium which was a great credit to Miss Shipman and her co-workers. Candy, hot chocolate, cake in addition were sold and Miss Sampson's "John Bull" plum puddings, which cannot be equalled, seemed to be the most popular booth. At night a play, "When the Boys Come Home," was given by members of the Senior and Junior classes.

The fact that \$117.45 was cleared shows what a success both financially and socially the day proved.

The Seniors, Juniors and Sophomores have completed comfort rugs and the Freshman made a quilt which was turned in to headquarters.

Sunday at eleven o'clock, Rev. A. W. Farnum held services at the school. Mrs. McBee and Miss Shipp were guests of honor Monday evening at a beautifully appointed four-course luncheon, given by the Senior, Junior and Sophomore Domestic Science classes. Christmas decorations pervaded and the centerpiece was a small Christmas tree with a present on it for each guest. The honored guests received handsome pieces of silver. Those invited besides the guests of honor were: Mrs. Annie Walker, Miss Schutt, Mrs. Waddell, Miss George, Miss Jenny Westfelt and Miss Thrall.

Tuesday at 8 p. m. Miss Pixley's music pupils gave a recital. The freedom and ease of action and self confidence showed that Miss Pixley's pupils are thoroughly at home at the piano. These recitals are always looked forward to by the faculty and students.

At nine p. m. Miss Graham gave a Christmas party to her main building girls, fifty in number. Other invited guests were Mrs. McBee, Miss Shipp, Miss Pixley, Miss Lucy Bomar and Miss Thrall. The Domestic Science dining room, the scene of the party, was transformed into a woodland of holly and the Christmas spirit pervaded throughout the evening. Assisting Miss Graham in serving were Misses Annett Wright, Dorothy Merrimon, Elizabeth Flint, Emily Creech and Mary Clinkscales.

The last Wednesday afternoon service of the year was held at 5:30 by Rev. A. W. Farnum.

Thursday night Mrs. McBee and Miss Shipp will give a Christmas tree in honor of the students. The Fassifer Glee club, under the directorship of Miss Lucy Bomar, gave a concert Thursday evening.

Friday the girls will leave for the Christmas holidays. We wish the Hustler success during the coming year, and in behalf of the school we wish you all a Merry Christmas and Happy New Year.

CHRISTMAS 1918

America approaches the Christmas season this year with a heart overflowing with gratitude to the Giver of all Good for the manifold blessings vouchsafed during the year now rapidly drawing to a close. Timely intervention by a divine hand has again brought peace to a bleeding world and established beyond controversy that the Christian religion shall prevail throughout the universe. Victory over death was won on Calvary eighteen hundred years ago. By the same guiding hand right triumphs ever might today and ushers in another era of joy and good will. Christmas is here and all christendom rejoices in the message of cheer it brings this year.

In the opinion of every educated and consecrated mind, no writer can appropriately refer to, or comment upon, Christmas day without going back to that day of glad tidings nineteen hundred and eighteen years ago, when the wise men of the East, and seeking out the child, Christ, "fell down and worshipped him; and when they had opened their treasures, presented unto him gifts—gold and frankincense and myrrh." From the day those wise men established the precedent for the custom of gift-making on the advent of our Saviour into the world each succeeding generation has practiced the beautiful spirit of making glad the hearts of youths and maidens, husbands, wives, mothers and fathers, kindred and friends.

Christian people the world over make of the Christmas period a season of fellowship and good cheer. It is, indeed, the day of generous feeling, kind impulses and benevolent tendency; a day when deeds of charity are bestowed—often, too, by those who know not to give at any other time; a joyous day on the morning of which came into this sin smitten universe the greatest blessing the mind of man could possibly conceive; the day, above all others, that the people of every clime throughout Christendom should most fittingly observe. Behold these glorious days nineteen hundred and eighteen years ago went forth the joyful proclamation: "Behold we bring you glad tidings of great joy."

It should be the purpose of every one to make glad the hearts of those around him. Let one and all strive to carry pleasure into the homes of those in distress, taking due notice of the poor, the sick and unfortunate individuals in every walk of life. "It is more blessed to give than to receive." The purpose of every Christian heart should be to bestow comforts, in so far as fortune will permit, upon the needy ones in their midst; to see that one day in the year, at least, nobody goes without dinner.

Happy are those who dispense the necessities of life to the deserving poor, accompanied by a pleasant smile, a glad hand and a message of cheer.

On no other day of the year does so much joy come to the little children of parents who are able to provide them with Christmas joys, until their little "cup runneth over." What a day of pleasure and joy with them. Should we not let every gladness enter their little hearts with rejoicings, expressed by the innocent utterances of their cheerful voices be themselves impressed with the truth and beneficence which the day commemorates.

To those who are charitably inclined the opportunity to change joys into sorrows and tears into smiles is offered. Even small tokens of the true Christmas spirit will be appreciated by the poor little children to be found in almost every community under the shining sun.

Remember the widow and orphan, the sick and afflicted in the exercise of the Christmas spirit this year and may your cup of joy be filled to overflowing.

MR. MORRISON A CANDIDATE

Hon. Cameron Morrison, of Charlotte, formally announces that he will be a candidate in the democratic primary two years hence to succeed Governor Bickett. This early announcement is due to recent publications to the effect that he was virtually "out of the running," although his name had been discussed in connection with the governorship ever since he decided not to make the race two years ago. This conclusion left the field to Attorney General Bickett and Lieutenant Governor Daughtridge, but only deferred the hope of the Charlotte man, who enters the next fight to stay until the finish. And a fight it is going to be, for Mr. Morrison is a scrapper of the old school and other entries are momentarily expected.

The governorship is a coveted honor and the winner usually knows he has been in a fight after the returns are all in and the result declared. Mr. Morrison's announcement has the ring of truth. This is what the fighting Mecklenburger has to say: "I will be a candidate in the next democratic primary for governor to succeed Mr. Bickett."

"I will go into every county in the State and present direct to the people a proposed program for the continued progress of the State."

"For more than twenty-five years I have given much of my time and thought to public questions and particularly to the democratic party and as I grow older the spirit of public service becomes stronger in me. I would fully appreciate the high honor of being governor of our great State. But I would not go through such a contest as is possibly in front of me for the honor alone; I have a deep desire for the larger opportunity to serve the State and its people afforded by that high office."

Mr. Morrison's ability, his long party service and his high standing in democratic councils are to his credit. He has been fighting the battles of his party, in season and out of season, for twenty-five years. Courageous,

JOHN W. GRIMES DIED IN ASHEVILLE FRIDAY

John W. Grimes, a well known young man of Hendersonville for a number of years but more recently of Asheville, died at the latter place at 2:30 last Friday morning, death being the result of pneumonia.

Interment was made at the cemetery, Hendersonville, at 10 o'clock Sunday morning, the service conducted by the Masons, the being a past master of this lodge.

Surviving are the wife, who was Miss Helen Smith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Smith, and two children, Helen and Dorothy.

Mr. Grimes came to Hendersonville from Portsmouth, O. about 14 years ago. He was popular in business, social and fraternal circles. He was identified with a number of business institutions and for several years was with the Wanteska Bank & Trust Co., and the First Bank & Trust Co. He was an officer of the Merchants association, the Board of Trade and the Community club and was active in all these organizations. He was the recipient of Masonic honors and was also a member of the Knights of Pythias. Mr. Grimes was a member of the Methodist church.

For the last year or two Mr. Grimes lived in Asheville. Until recently he was with the Central Bank & Trust Co., but for a short while until his illness was instructor in commercial law in the Emanuel Business college of Asheville.

Mr. Grimes was an upright young man and was held in high esteem.

PROF. RANDOLPH DISPOSES OF INTEREST IN BLUE RIDGE SCHOOL FOR BOYS; WILL FARM

Prof. A. G. Randolph, who was associated with Prof. J. R. Sandifer in the establishment of Blue Ridge School For Boys, with which he has since been actively identified, has disposed of his interest in this institution to Prof. Sandifer, effective the first of the coming year, and will move to Black Mountain to engage in farming and stock raising.

The institution Prof. Randolph helped to establish five years ago has grown from year to year. The present year is the best in the history of the school. Prof. Randolph was reared on a farm and the longing to get back closer to nature calls strongly for him. His decision to leave his decision to move to his newly-purchased farm near Black Mountain, where he will develop it, farm and raise cattle. He quits school work after a service of several years.

Prof. Sandifer is arranging for help to take up the work to be dropped by his associate.

Prof. Randolph and family have been living in Hendersonville for the past few months in order that their children might enjoy public school advantages.

D. A. R. HELPS THE LOCAL RED CROSS

The Hendersonville Chapter of American Red Cross is in receipt of a \$100.00 Liberty Bond of the third series donated by the Joseph McDowell Chapter of the Daughters of American Revolution of the city.

The Red Cross acknowledges receipt of this liberal contribution, and in so doing wishes to thank each member of the D. A. R. for the spirit shown in so practical a way, and to also wish future success and usefulness to their association.

H. F. STEWART, Secretary.

SOLDIERS IN CASUALTY LIST

The casualty list of last Thursday carried the name of Robert C. Morgan of Hendersonville among those wounded slightly.

Sunday's casualty list contained the name of Edgar S. Pace, Hendersonville, as slightly wounded.

INTERESTING HUSTLER FEATURE NEXT YEAR

An interesting news feature of the Hustler during the coming year will be weekly news letters from Raleigh relative to the proceedings of the legislature, especially as they affect Western North Carolina and particularly all bills that affect Henderson county.

Hon. M. L. Shipman, State Commissioner of Labor and Printing, while in the city this week, entered into an agreement with the Hustler to furnish this interesting weekly feature during the session of the legislature.