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## APPLES SELL FOR \$4.00 A BUSHEL BY E. C. SAUNDERS

E. C. Saunders, near Saluda, is demonstrating the fact that Henderson county apples properly grown and packed, will bring a fancy price.

While many farmers are letting fruit rot on the ground and others are selling by the load from fifty cents to one dollar a bushel, Mr. Saunders is selling his Stark's Delicious at \$4 a bushel.

Mr. Saunders gives a great deal of attention to his fruit and carefully wraps each apple after it has been properly graded.

## MOOSE LODGE TO BE ORGANIZED IN HENDERSONVILLE

A Hendersonville lodge of the Loyal Order of Moose will be instituted at an early date, according to a letter received today by L. J. Penney from the supreme lodge at Mooseheart, Ill. Instructions relating to the installation of officers, etc., are on their way to Mr. Penney, the letter read.

The Hendersonville lodge will begin with a charter membership of 32. Secretary of Labor James J. Davis is director-general of the order. Former Vice-President Marshall is one of the founders of Mooseheart, the national Moose home for widows and orphans.

The order is said to be one of the fastest growing ones in America.

## BOOM PREDICTED FOR INDUSTRY AS RAIL STRIKE ENDS

Full Business Will be Easily Handled by Railroads; Coal Output to Meet Demands

New York, Sept. 18.—Industry and business of the nation, according to reports received, will make a speedy recovery from the effects of the two strikes, and will move forward quicker than had been anticipated.

The soft coal output is running close to 10,000,000 tons a week and supplies of this commodity are such that the steel industry, which falls in the lowest class of priority, is now receiving sufficient fuel to run at 60 per cent of capacity instead of the 50 per cent of two weeks ago. More blast furnaces are being blown in and the trade expects all of August's losses in this respect to be made good presently. The limiting factor in steel works operations is now in fact not a shortage of fuel but a scarcity of the kind of freight cars needed to carry the industry's products.

With soft coal mining in swing and with anthracite mining in the process of resumption, the railroads are carrying the largest amount of freight in nearly two years. Car loadings for the week ended September 2 totalled 932,000, an increase of 41,000 cars over the previous week. Part of the gain is due to the accelerated movement of soft coal, nevertheless the volume of general merchandise carried also has continued to gain. The present traffic has been exceeded only during short periods in the autumn of 1920.

## E. J. RHODES BUYS CALDWELL QUARRY

The Wilson Creek stone quarries in Caldwell county have been purchased by E. J. Rhodes, of Hendersonville, formerly of this city, who will move his family to that point and take active charge of the property.

The quarry, located on the C. and N. W. railway, is one of the best in the south. One contract on hand calls for 60,000 tons of stone.

Mr. Rhodes moved from Asheville to Balfour in 1907 and was connected with the Balfour quarry for a number of years. Recently he has been in Gastonia with the Simmons Construction company. Mr. Rhodes is a practical business man and no doubt will develop the property extensively.

## BAPTIST LAYMEN OF THIS COUNTY HAVE ORGANIZED

The laymen of the Carolina Baptist Association organized Sunday afternoon at a three-hour session by electing W. A. Garland as president of this body for which the association recently provided in its annual gathering.

The purpose of the new organization is to foster those causes in which the Baptists as a denomination are interested.

The meeting was held in the First Baptist church building and was attended by representatives of a number of churches.

After songs led by Roy C. Bennett, scripture reading by S. S. Rozier of East Flat Rock and prayer by Mr. Pettit of that place, the meeting was addressed by Mr. Garland on the origin, purposes and advantages of the laymen's movement among the Baptists.

W. B. Sinclair addressed the meeting on the objects that need fostering by the laymen.

Both of the speakers covered the subject to the extent that little additional information was necessary as to tasks to which the Baptists might to good advantage lay their hands. A miscellaneous discussion followed and lasted for some time as to the best method of organizing. The meeting decided to elect a president and a secretary, Mr. Garland being elected president and Noah Hollowell the secretary. They will confer as to suitable persons to appoint as vice presidents, one being designated for each of the six groups of churches into which the Carolina Baptist association has been divided.

Another meeting will be held at an early date, when a noted speaker will be present.

## BOOSTERS CINCH CHAMPIONSHIP IN SERIES, 5 TO 2

The Hendersonville Boosters, on Friday, cinched the championship 5 to 2 for the Western North Carolina League is concerned, by beating the Asheville team, the last count being some 15 runs to 3.

The series was really won on Thursday, however, when the locals defeated the Skylanders on their own grounds, after Manager Bull had refused to play in Hendersonville, as stipulated. With Friday's game the series stand 5 to 2 for Hendersonville.

Pat Richards, sport writer for an Asheville paper, describes the game of Friday as a farce, decrying the fact that the fans paid out good money to see it.

A farce it was, but the comedy did not begin until after the first two or three innings, when an adding machine, hastily requisitioned by the scorekeepers, proved ineffective since it only registered up to a certain amount. The outcome being thus definitely settled, so far as the Boosters were concerned, with a half dozen home runs and a dozen scores to their credit, the Skylanders proceeded to turn the tragedy into a comedy. "Red," the little batboy for the locals, scored the last run, after getting an infield hit off Pitcher McBannister.

## Cleveland Johnson Died Here Friday

T. Cleveland Johnson, after a long illness died at his home on Fifth Avenue, west, Friday, September 15. He is survived by his wife, two daughters, Ethel and Mildred and an infant son, T. J., Jr., also by his father, one brother, Henry, of Arcadia, S. C., and by five sisters, Mrs. Elsha Osteen, Mrs. Claude Wood, Mrs. W. J. Bridgeman, Mrs. Edgar Lamb and Mrs. Annie Good.

He was a Modern Woodman, a Christian in the last month of his life and a man of such genial disposition that he made many friends.

His funeral was conducted Saturday from his home by Rev. E. E. Bomar, Rev. B. F. Siler and the local chapter of Modern Woodman of America.

The deceased had been a sufferer for more than a year. He underwent operations and treatment in various hospitals and they could give no permanent relief.

Some day the intellect in moving pictures will equal the amazing mechanical perfection of that industry.



## COL. SMITH IS CRITICALLY ILL

W. A. Smith, who has been indisposed for some time, having been confined to his home for the past few weeks, took a turn for the worse the latter part of the week and his friends are grieved to know that his condition for the last two or three days has been considered critical and very unfavorable.

Col. Smith suffered a nervous breakdown during the summer and although he rallied sufficiently to make his appearance at his office again he soon grew worse and his friends have not been permitted to visit him for the last few days.

## FORD PLANTS MAY RE-OPEN SOON

Detroit, Sept. 18.—Although the manufacturing plants of the Ford Motor Company were closed on Saturday last, officials of the company today expressed the hope that developments will occur in the near future in the coal crisis that will permit the re-opening of the plants.

Nothing would be left undone, it was said, to find a way of obtaining at what was considered a fair price sufficient fuel to reopen the plants. It was pointed out that the mere delivery of a large amount of coal would not warrant a reopening, but that a continuing supply at satisfactory prices was necessary, owing to the magnitude of the industry and the necessity of co-ordinating the work of all departments on a schedule not susceptible to interruption.

The reported plan of the Chamber of Commerce of the United States of a day-to-day co-operative distribution of fuel had not been presented to Ford officials tonight, nor had the details of the plan been laid before the local Chamber of Commerce.

Mr. Ford said he could not discuss the plan without giving it careful study, but indicated it would be considered by his advisers.

That part of the proposal relating to equalized distribution and the stabilization of prices was in line with the position taken by Henry Ford and it was believed the manufacturer might look upon it with favor.

## Criminal Court Will Convene Here Oct. 2

Superior court for the trial of criminal cases will convene in Hendersonville for a term of two weeks with Judge Bryson presiding on October 2. Cases of only minor importance are on the docket.

## Road Case for Today Has Been Postponed

The road injunction proceedings, which it was thought would be concluded today at Waynesville, have been postponed for a few days and a date will be agreed upon that will be suitable for all the parties concerned.

## FREEZE LEASES LOCAL SILK MILL TO MAKE HOSIERY

R. P. Freeze, of the Freeze-Bacon Hosiery Mills, has leased the plant of the Harkins-Hammock-Whitlock Company, near this city, manufacturers of hosiery silks.

Mr. Whitlock, of the latter company, will be associated with the new management in the manufacture of the product. Hose, manufactured by the combined mills, are being shipped over a wide market and distributed to jobbers everywhere.

Mr. Freeze, who has just returned from a trip to New York, states that the prospects for business are getting brighter and is very much encouraged over the outlook.

## Mr. Martin Will Hold Another Meeting At Grove Street Church

The ministry of W. S. Martin of Tallapoosa, Ga., was so well received that he has been invited to continue the services, which came to a close Sunday night at the Grove Street church.

After making the necessary arrangements at his home Mr. Martin will return on the 19th and speak at Grove Street church each night at 8 o'clock, beginning with next Tuesday night. Mr. Martin is a gifted man of God and knows the Word and gives it out with no uncertain sound, and his ability as an evangelistic expositor is seldom equaled, say those who heard him. The public is cordially invited to these meetings.

## THE NEWS FURNISHES MODEL FOR CAMPAIGN OF CIVIC PUBLICITY

J. H. Stevens, who will be recalled as the publicity artist who assisted The News in its Civic and Industrial campaign, the sixth article of which appears in this issue, is so well impressed with the manner in which this paper has conducted the publicity campaign that he is using The News pages as models and comments in a letter to the editor as follows:

"I noticed the news story and editorial you carried concerning each article, also the box on front page, etc. This in my opinion lends a most decided beneficial influence to the articles themselves and I am glad to see you giving the underwriters something a good bit above the average for their money, a fact they should appreciate. So few editors consider this point.

"In showing your articles to Lee Weathers at Shelby I called his attention to editorials, etc., and right away he got busy himself and said he was going to follow the same idea. In fact, have had several very pleasing compliments on the Hendersonville pages. I would like to have your entire series."

## 14,000 TONS COAL NEEDS FOR COUNTY

Fuel Distributor R. O. Self of Raleigh has figured out that the coal consumption of North Carolina is on the average of one ton a year for each person, but the most of this goes to the big industries.

Henderson county's annual requirements are estimated at 14,000 tons. While the shortage in the state as a whole is said to be somewhat acute, Hendersonville has not suffered as yet.

With the coal strike over it is believed sufficient coal will be mined for the country but the problem of transportation is looming quite large at this time by reason of the crippled condition of the railroads.

## MURPHY MAN SHOT BY 16-YEAR OLD BOY

Murphy, Sept. 18.—Henry Logan, of this city, aged 22, is in a local hospital as the result of a shot fired by Claude Picklesimer, 16 years old, the bullet striking him in the abdomen and he is reported to be in a serious condition. Picklesimer is reported to have flown to the mountains.

The shooting is thought to have grown out of a fight between Picklesimer and Herman Logan, brother of the wounded boy, which took place Saturday afternoon while the boys were in swimming in the Hiwassee river. The younger Logan boy, a Roberson boy and one or two other small boys are said to have thrown "spoiled" eggs at Picklesimer, while he was out in the river. He came to the bank and it is reported hit Herman Logan over the head with a piece of two by four scantling. It is thought that Picklesimer suspected the older Logan boy came over to Factory Town to take his brother's part and this caused Picklesimer to arm himself and be on the lookout. As no one has talked to Picklesimer since the shooting his version of the story is not known. He is said to be hiding in the mountains.

JOHN M. HARRISON DIED IN ASHEVILLE HOSPITAL LAST FRIDAY MORNING

(Asheville Citizen)

Following an extended illness, John M. Harrison, well-known resident of Fletcher, died at the Meriwether hospital yesterday morning at 4:30 o'clock. Arrangements have been made to hold the funeral services at the home in Fletcher at 11 o'clock this morning. For the past 25 years Mr. Harrison was known as a progressive citizen of Fletcher.

He was born in Laurens county, South Carolina, on May 1, 1859. The deceased is survived by his widow, one daughter, Miss Lois Harrison, one sister, Mrs. E. T. Bishop, and three brothers, W. F., Robert and T. B. Harrison, all of South Carolina.

The man who has the right of way is safe, if he doesn't try to take it.

## DOG SAVED LIFE OF MASTER WHEN GORED BY BULL

A. F. Drake Attacked and Gored by Angry Bull When Dog Came to Rescues

The friendliness and helpfulness of a dog was strikingly demonstrated last week when A. F. Drake was seriously gored and trampled upon by an infuriated bull.

Mr. Drake went to get a calf from the pasture of John Perry and was chased by the bull, which overtook Mr. Drake and gored him and then trampled upon him at which time Mr. Drake's dog came to the rescue, attacked the bull and thereby attracted his attention. Although seriously crippled Mr. Drake had sufficient presence of mind to crawl under the wire fence and thereby evade further attacks from the bull.

Mr. Drake suffered a number of broken ribs, his breast was badly injured and his face mutilated when members of his family found him after his failure to return home. His condition has been quite serious.

## MUSICAL COURSE IS OFFERED IN CITY SCHOOLS

At a meeting of the city school board of instruction Friday morning definite arrangements were made to add violin instruction to the regular course of study.

This course will be open to every child in both graded and high schools.

Pupils from seven years and up will be eligible to enter the classes.

Developing musical talent in the schools is understood to give the children higher credit marks and afford this city a higher rating as an educational center.

The instructor for this special branch of work is Prof. Maurice Sebastian Karp, who has been associated with schools in this particular kind of work for the past six years.

Prof. Karp plans to form two orchestras in the schools, one in the high school and the other among the boys and girls in the grammar school.

"The violin is the most essential instrument in forming school orchestras, and incidentally as Hendersonville is a progressive and rapidly growing city, it is not looking into the future too far to be laying the foundation for the Hendersonville Symphony Orchestra, by getting ready material on hand by training the young people," said Prof. Karp.

A similar institution was made possible by Prof. Karp's efforts in Miami, Fla., which did much towards making Miami a musical center and showing tourists the advantages that were to be obtained for their children.

Parents who are desirous of having their children take this special course offered should enroll their names with the class teacher.

## GROVE STREET CHURCH BEGINS DAILY MEETINGS

W. S. Martin, of Tallapoosa, Ga., will speak on the following subjects this week at Grove Street church, beginning Tuesday evening.

Mr. Martin recently conducted services for several days at the Grove Street church with such gratifying results he was induced to conduct another series of services, which will begin tomorrow night:

Tuesday evening, 7:45 P. M., "The Unchangeable Christ."  
Wednesday morning, 10:30 A. M., "How Some Time May Become Always."

Wednesday evening, 7:45 P. M., "Who is On the Lord's Side?"  
Thursday morning, 10:30 A. M., "Principles of Realized Blessing."  
Thursday evening, 7:45 P. M., "Why Jesus Only."

Friday morning, 10:30 A. M., "Adam Or Christ?"  
Friday evening, 7:45 P. M., "Prudent Men And Foolish Men."  
Sunday morning, 11:00 A. M., "John, Three Sixteen."

Sunday evening, 7:45 P. M., "Who Is To Blame If You Are Eternally Lost?"

Chemists once thought the atom could not be subdivided and financiers that the mark could not go any lower.