

STANLY ENTERPRISE.

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Those who have followed the reports of the murder mystery of Hendersonville in some of our newspapers will observe that North Carolina Journalism is not far removed from the yellow variety, and the presence of an element of sensation is all that is necessary to cause them to fall in line.

What happened in Maine on Monday of last week seems yet to be an uncertain quantity. The Prohibitionists conceded their defeat on the night of the election, but later returns indicated a victory for them. Following this reversal was yet another which gave the "wets" a majority. Press dispatches of September 14 indicated a "dry" majority of 256. So the matter stands, and only the canvass of votes by the Governor and his council will determine whether Maine's constitutional liquor prohibitory amendment has been repealed by the people or not. It is calculated that there was one vote for every thirteen of population.

The automobile has passed beyond the realm of merely expensive toys, and is now being reckoned as one of the factors in the industrial and social life of the future. The largest year of sales was 186,000 cars at an average retail price of \$1,333. Next year is forecasted for 210,000 cars at an average price of \$1,110. With the telephone, good roads, electric car lines, and other former luxuries reduced to a plane of practical needs, it is easy to dream of rural life in the near future bringing town and country together, with odds largely in favor of home-life in the country. It is the fool driver who is making the automobile unpopular with a certain class, but sanity will come in this as it did in getting used to the bicycle, and in time farmers themselves will adopt the more hasty means of travel. In fact, realities of to-day seem but as the dreams of yesterday, and whatever new or strange thing the future has in store will occasion no surprise.

Editor Banks, of the Hickory Democrat, in explaining for benefit of the Charlotte Chronicle the reason for his editorial columns being a little shy at times, gives a partial list of the country editor's weekly experiences, which finds an echo in the office of every weekly in the State. Here is the list:

Writing the editorials and the local news; reading the exchanges, reading all proofs; drumming up all the ads, often requiring three or four visits to the same advertiser; writing some of the ads; estimating on job work; superintending the job office and the delivery of the mail; ordering stock; writing the mail Thursday (1910) papers, keeping the subscriptions list straight; keeping the books and making out the statements for the local and foreign ads; and for the job work and subscriptions; soothing the subscriber whose feelings are hurt, and collecting from the fellow who won't pay the collector.

Hiding rough-shod into this schedule, comes a troop of those highwaymen, and Unforeseen Interruptions, and holds a man up anywhere from an hour to three-quarters of a day. Was it Horace Bushnell who lamented:

"Lost—irrevocably, irretrievably somewhere between sunrise and sunset, an hour of time?"

GENERAL NEWS.

A fire in Greensboro Sunday morning did \$25,000 damage to a business block owned by John R. Cutchin.

Trinity College opened on Wednesday of last week with the largest freshman class in the fifty-three years of history of the institution.

David Settle, son of the late Judge Thomas Settle, is charged with the death of Bob Allen, a negro, who was found dead near the front door of Settle's bachelor quarters, 12 miles out from Greensboro. He was admitted to bail in the sum of \$2,500.

Gaston county's Confederate soldiers who gave their lives in defense of the Southland are to have their memory honored by a magnificent granite shaft which will be placed in some conspicuous point in the town of Gastonia.

Governor Judson Harmon of Ohio will speak at the State Fair Grounds, in Raleigh, on Wednesday of Fair week, September 18. He is one of the central figures now in public life, being prominently named as a Democratic candidate for the Presidency.

Foley's Kidney Remedy (Liquid) is a great medicine of proven value for both acute and chronic kidney ailments. It is especially recommended to elderly people for its wonderful tonic and reconstructive qualities, and the permanent relief and comfort it affords them. For sale by all druggists.

WHEN TAFT IS SILENT.

Certain Points of Tariff Board History Which He Will Probably Not Refer to.

Washington, Sept. 18.—On his swing around the circle President Taft will tell the people it was necessary for him to prevent a reduction of the cost of living, because the tariff board hadn't reported.

Here is some tariff board history that the President will probably not refer to. The tariff board was created September 26, 1902. On June 7, 1911, 21 months later, Congress called for whatever data the board had collected on wool, and was informed the board had nothing to report. What was the tariff board doing during these 21 months?

Soon after the appointment of the board, its chairman, Henry C. Emery, established headquarters in the private residence of Frederick Hale, son of Senator Eugene Hale of Maine, who has been known for years as one of the most powerful defenders of ultra protection.

In October, 1910, it was announced that "the work of the tariff board" was to be limited to a series of inquiries. For three months the busy quelling campaign occupied the time and attention of the board. Among the hosts was the Arkwright club, the leading association of high protection manufacturers of the country. Then on February 1, 1911, Chairman Emery was the guest of the National Association of Wool Manufacturers—the wards of Schedule K—with William H. Wood on one side and Vice-President F. S. Clark on the other.

The plan finally adopted for estimating costs is the plan which, at this dinner, Emery advised to adopt. And this is the board for whose report all tariff revision must be held up!

Government by Stealth. The Taft administration is even unpopular with the army of government employees in Washington. While they are not saying anything publicly, they are very bitter because of the many rules inaugurated under Mr. Taft which enjoin them from appealing to Congress for any improvement in their conditions. If the clerks should criticize their conditions publicly they would be discharged.

The object of the administration in resorting to these harsh gag rules is to prevent a leakage of information which might prove injurious to the Republican party.

The administration managers will not permit any government employee to give out information to newspaper men until it has been O. K'd by the head of the department. The following official order signed by George Oris Smith, director of the Geological Survey, gives an idea of the Russian-like censorship attempted in this department: "Rule 2. That no interview shall be granted without securing from the person soliciting the same a promise that he will, before submitting the material to his publication office, present a copy of his manuscript to the director for approval."

So far as is known among newspaper men in Washington, nothing so drastic as this in the way of censorship was ever attempted before in America.

Democrats Keep Promise. Last November Maine elected a state-wide primaries. That promise has just been fulfilled, exactly as the Maine Democrats promised it would be.

Three years ago the Republican of the nation elected William H. Taft to the presidency on his personal pledge that he would revise the tariff downward. President Taft has turned down two opportunities to keep his word.

The Democratic legislature of Maine did after election what it promised to do before election. Mr. Taft has but exemplified the old Republican rule of forgetting promises as soon as an election is won.

Mission, Sept. 19.—H. D. Crayton's family is improving, we are glad to note.

Calvin Hinson, who left this county fifteen years ago, is visiting in the community.

The meeting at the Baptist church came to a close Sunday. The pastor was assisted by Rev. C. J. Black. Twelve additions were made to the church.

Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Efrid of Big Lick spent Sunday here.

The Stanly Association will meet at the Baptist church on Thursday before the third Sunday in November. Rev. J. S. Harris the pastor here has resigned and Rev. C. J. Black has been called.

Foley Kidney Pills Will reach your individual case if you have any form of kidney and bladder trouble or urinary irregularities. Try them. For sale by all druggists.

WEATHER OBSERVATIONS. For week ending Sept. 18, 1911, Albemarle, N. C.

Table with columns: Hour, Highest, Lowest, Barometer, Wind, Clouds, Character of day. Data for Sept 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31.

M. J. HARRIS Cooperative Observer.

CASTORIA For Infants and Children. The Kind You Have Always Bought Bears the Signature of J. C. Ayer & Co., Lowell, Mass.

COUNTY NEWS THIS WEEK.

New London, Sept. 19.—Neal Lefter spent part of last week in Atlanta.

W. J. Ross of Salisbury is here for a few weeks visiting relatives and friends.

Joe Miller of Spencer spent Saturday and Sunday here visiting friends.

Norman Lefter went to Richmond on the excursion last week.

Miss Mary Crowell of Norwood is the guest of Miss Edna Ivey for a few days.

John Conroy who has been working at Blawie Falls returned home Saturday.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. David Jones, a daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Vann Sikes and little son of Monroe spent Sunday here with Mrs. Sikes' parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Ivey.

The Lightkeepers' missionary society of the Methodist church will give an ice cream supper in the grove at the church on next Friday night, September 22. The public is cordially invited.

W. L. Cotton recently sold three of the fifty farms advertised for sale near this place. He sold the two farms known as the Mary Crawford and Tom Forrest farms to Messrs. James Magee and John Loftin, of Concord; also part of the Crowell mining tract to Geo. W. Thompson, near this place. Mr. Cotton is offering these farms at a bargain, and they will probably all be sold within the next few weeks.

Mrs. H. C. Ivey is in Concord visiting her two sons, Messrs. Chas. and Leroy Ivey.

L. J. Trott is taking a short vacation in Richmond, Baltimore, Norfolk, Washington, and other points of interest.

The State high school at this place opened Monday with an enrollment of something near 100. Prospects are very good for a prosperous year. During the vacation month the school building was thoroughly renovated and a number of repairs made, and when school opened the pupils found that things had been greatly changed.

Prof. A. V. Cole of Pilot Mountain has charge of the high school department, while Miss Lucy Kaiser of King's Mountain has charge of the fourth, fifth, sixth, and seventh grades, and Miss Edna Ivey of this place has charge of the first, second, and third grades.

One of the most enjoyable events of the season was the supper given by Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Ross Monday night in honor of Miss Sallie Hardesty, of Winston-Salem, and Misses and Maude Biggers of Florida. About forty young people were present and everyone enjoyed the occasion very much. Oysters, salads, and fruits were served. At 11:30 the crowd departed, wishing Mr. and Mrs. Ross many happy returns.

Eastern Cabarrus, No. 7 Township, Sept. 19.—Mrs. Geo. H. Lingle is Sept. 19 at this writing.

E. D. Barringer of No. 8 died on September 14 after an illness of several months of paralysis, aged 68 years, 6 months and 6 days. The remains were interred in St. John cemetery Friday. Funeral services were conducted by his pastor, Rev. Long.

Mrs. Wm. Barrier died September 15, after a lingering illness and the remains were laid to rest in Bear Creek cemetery Saturday evening. Funeral services were conducted by Rev. P. S. Zaugg of Albemarle.

Quite a number of No. 7 people attended the decorating services of the J. O. U. A. M. at Gold Hill Sunday evening.

Miss Florence Dry, who has for some time been staying at Dr. C. M. Lentz's at Gold Hill, has returned home.

The A. C. Lentz Harness Works is getting out some very fine harness to go to Virginia.

On next Sunday, September 24, holy communion services will be held at Bear Creek by the new pastor, Rev. B. L. Stanley and assisted by Rev. Paul Barringer of Mt. Pleasant. Preparatory services on Saturday preceding at 2:30 o'clock.

J. N. Punniger, our road supervisor, is doing some good work on the No. 7 public roads which is much needed and appreciated.

Mrs. V. C. Lentz is spending several days in Albemarle at A. S. Lentz's.

Work on the Peck school house is progressing nicely and the painter's brush will very soon add much to the outward appearance of same.

Life insurance agent McCubbin of Salisbury recently visited No. 7 and wrote up some insurance.

Lucust, Sept. 18.—Hurrah for the railroad! J. F. Hartall has installed a new pump.

Miss Eva Eudy of Albemarle is visiting relatives here.

The public school building is being given a nice coat of paint.

J. S. Osborne is suffering intensely from white swelling or some painful malady caused by being thrown from a horse a week ago. As is his wont, Rev. A. C. Davis preached one of those interesting and helpful sermons Sunday afternoon at the home of J. Greene Treese, using as his theme "The promises of God," clearly distinguishing the difference between the things which God directs and the things He permits.

Diarrhoea is always more or less prevalent during September. Be prepared for it. Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy is prompt and effective. It can always be depended upon and is pleasant to take. For sale by all dealers.

The Truth About Kansas Prohibition.

I assert that the drunkenness in Kansas has been reduced to such a point that I have not seen a drunken man in the city of Topeka, a place of 60,000 inhabitants, during the last twelve months; that I do not have any recollection of having seen a drunken man in my home city of Lawrence, a place of 15,000 people, for several years; that in making a campaign throughout the entire State and delivering public addresses to ninety-two counties I do not recall seeing a drunken man during the year.

I assert that crime has decreased in Kansas under the influence of temperance legislation. I will show you by the records of our penitentiary that we had 724 convicts when the prohibitory law was passed, twenty-nine years ago; that notwithstanding a steadily increasing population the record shows that after two years of prohibition the number decreased to 667; that since that time the population has increased nearly 100 per cent, while the number of convicts has increased only seventeen per cent. And here let me add that we have no capital punishment in Kansas and hence prisoners for murder become permanent occupants of the penitentiary to be carried on the rolls.

At the present time more than fifty per cent of our county jails are without a prisoner under conviction. Last year forty-nine of the 155 counties did not send a prisoner to the penitentiary. We have only one convicted prisoner in our county jails for 7,000 inhabitants—an almost unbelievable fact in criminal statistics. And the Attorney General estimates seventy-five per cent of these prisoners are in jail for the violation of the prohibitory law; of the 860 convicts in our penitentiary only 143 are natives of Kansas.

Chief Justice Johnston makes this statement: "The closing of the saloons and joints has had an excellent effect upon the morals and general interests of the people of the State. Among the consequences of prohibition are better homes, happier families, higher standards of intelligence and education, and, of course, a great reduction of crime. No statement or proof is needed to support the claim that these results follow the closing of saloons and the effective enforcement of the prohibitory law. They are the natural and inevitable results and these have been realized in Kansas."—W. A. Johnston, Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of Kansas.

Gladstone, Sept. 19.—Farmers are getting busy with fall work. The Mitchell Home school opened up the 18th, with a full attendance.

Mr. Reynolds, a northern man, is working some one at the Barringer mine with good results.

W. D. Sell and son Charley went on the excursion to Richmond last week and returned Saturday.

Mrs. Ada Bentley went to Spencer Monday for a week's stay with her brother Clarence Fraley.

J. B. Eldenhour of Salisbury made a quick visit to friends Monday and returned in the evening.

Mrs. Nancy Fisher of Granite Quarry is visiting homefolks.

Bethel E. L. church will enclose their cemetery with an iron fence at an early day.

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All meats, fish, oysters, game, etc., fresh as the season demands.

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It's not too early to plan for heating during the cold months. You'll probably need a new stove—and you want the best one.

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The Favorite is the only base burner that pours heat into the house from every square inch of its surface. Every nook and corner—upstairs and down—may be luxuriously and evenly warmed with a Favorite.

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Latest styles in Coat Suits and Skirts made of the season's most fashionable fabrics. Anything in Ladies wearing apparel made to individual measurements.

Dress Goods. Silks. All the new weaves in all colors on display. Latest ideas in colorings and weaves approved by Fashion Experts.

The Stanly Supply Co.

The Norwood Hog and Poultry Farm

is now looking orders for July pigs at \$15 a pair, \$8 each, with pedigrees furnished. Fully registered \$1 extra. My hogs are from the most noted blood known to the Duroc Jersey family. My male is a grandson of Buddy K the IV which sold for the sum of \$5,025, and my sows are rich with the blood of Ohio Chief, the most noted Duroc that ever lived.

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Lying six miles north of Albemarle, 1 1/2 miles from Palestine station on the Winston-Salem Southbound Railway, 1 1/2 miles of Moss siding on the Southern Railway, and 2 miles of New London. Good house on the property, good springs, fine farming land, and plenty of timber to pay for it. Price \$2,250. \$1,000 cash, balance one, two and three years credit.

90 Acres adjoining the above on Mountain creek, good house, fine orchard, and nice spring. Also lots of fine pasture land on it, and lot of old field pines, splendid farm opening on it. This place is not over five miles from Albemarle. Price \$1,800, one half cash, balance one to two years credit.

Both tracts lie in five miles of Whitney, the second greatest water power in America and which will no doubt be developed in the near future.

64 Acres lying 1 1/2 miles from the eastern limits of Albemarle. Place has good four room house, good barn, good orchard, well and spring, and good meadows. Fine for cotton, corn, wheat and oats. Some old field pine timber. Price \$2,000, one half cash, balance one to two years credit.

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Respectfully, J. M. MORROW, Albemarle, N. C.

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You are cordially invited to come and see the most up-to-date stock of Ladies, Misses and Children's Fine Headwear ever shown in our city. Our prices are reasonable.

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