

Freckles Worth Weight In Gold At The State Fair



WHO IS THE FRECKLE KING OF NORTH CAROLINA?

Who is the most freckle faced boy in North Carolina? Freckles will be worth twenty dollars in gold at the State Fair in October!

The little brown specks the sun has put on during the long summer days ploughing on the farm or fishing along the river banks will be worth just as much money in Raleigh next fall.

No one to try lemon juice to get rid of 'em because your best girl don't like a freckle faced boy. They may mean just twenty dollars in gold if they are thick enough.

The State Fair is offering a number of new and original attractions this year, but nothing is likely to create more interest than the freckle faced boy contest—too bad that the girls are not in on this, probably though,

IN MEMORIAM.

REV. GEORGE A. SPARROW.
(Born July 14, 1845; Died July 25, 1921.)

Resolutions Adopted By the Session Of the Union Presbyterian Church, Lowell, R. F. D., N. C.

God has, in His infinite wisdom, removed from the scene of his earthly home to his Heavenly home, our beloved pastor, Rev. George A. Sparrow. He had been for over twenty-eight years the faithful pastor in this church, and his wise counsels and zealous interest has contributed much to its life and development.

His death has caused profound grief among his friends and the members of his church and Sunday school, whom he loved and served so loyally. The esteem in which he was held by the people of his church cannot be expressed, but this simple testimony bears a wealth of love and gratitude for the privilege of knowing and being led by this noble character.

Therefore, be it resolved, that we will always hold our dear pastor in most affectionate memory. "Blessed are the dead which die in the Lord—they may rest from their labors; and their works do follow them."

That we assure the members of his family of our sincerest sympathy and of our prayers that the God of all peace may comfort them in their hour of sorrow.

That, a page in our minutes be dedicated to his memory, and that a copy of these resolutions be sent to the family and also a copy be sent to the "Presbyterian Standard" and "The Gastonia Daily Gazette."

THE ELDER'S AND DEACONS OF UNION PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.

GASTON AND LINCOLN CASES TO BE TRIED WEDNESDAY

(Charlotte Observer.)

Announcement of the days on which the criminal cases of the different counties will be taken up in the Charlotte division of the western North Carolina district of federal court which will open the first Monday in October is made by F. A. Lamey, district attorney.

The court will be opened Monday, October 2, by Judge E. Yates Webb, of Shelby, the first day being devoted to the criminal cases from Mecklenburg county.

The cases from Cleveland and Cabarrus counties will be heard during the second day of court and Wednesday will be devoted to the trial of cases from Gaston and Lincoln counties. The Union and Anson county cases will be tried Thursday.

This, according to the announcement, is the order in which all criminal cases of the federal court will be taken up in the future terms.

One cannot help sympathizing with a President who has two big strikes and one Republican Congress on his hands at once.—Philadelphia Record.

SILLYADS



Should the husband of a prominent movie actress get sore when he kisses her, if she asks for Moore? People always want more of the good things they get at Piggly Wiggly.

An auto, like a baseball nine, must have its battery in good shape to keep going ahead. Don't let your battery strike out. Have it recharged now at Philadelphia Service Station.

The woman who finds it hard to get in the notion of doing the family sewing, will find herself in all kinds of good notions, after she visits The O'Neill Co.

To show their disapproval of continued investigations, the government has received from the packers "a Swift kick." There is no kick about meat when R. O. Harbin's Sanitary Market, Phones 60-61.

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The man who walked out of our barber shop without paying for his shave—knew he was in a good scrape. Walters-Wilson Barber Shop.

You should see the change in baby. He swallowed a nickel and dime. Lots of change in cows, means a little change put in Sogarine Dairy Feed from Johnson Feed Co.

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ASHEVILLE'S GREATEST RIVAL.

(Winston-Salem Journal)

In their "Know North Carolina Trip" to Cleveland and Rutherford counties last week, some of the editors of North Carolina became so enthused that they kept going. They "discovered" Hendersonville, and those who did will never forget the day. For surely if there is one single spot in all North Carolina, inhabited by people, that is more beautiful than any other, it is Hendersonville.

For the opportunity of seeing that little wonder city of the "Land of the Sky" and having it interpreted to him this editor is indebted to three friends, Col. W. A. Smith and his son Walter B. Smith, enthusiastic citizens of Hendersonville, and Noah Hollowell, editor and publisher of The Hendersonville News.

To reach Hendersonville by highway you scale the top of the Blue Ridge and stay there. Although the town is several miles distant from what they tell us is the apex of the great mountain range, it is practically on a level with it. For Hendersonville is in the center of what is, perhaps, the most beautiful plateau on the continent.

For this reason, Hendersonville is Asheville's only serious rival for supremacy as a summer resort in all that section of the state. And the citizens of Hendersonville are confident that some day their town is going to eclipse the more famous city. "Why? It is all summed up in one word: "Climate."

"I have myself," said Col. Smith "seen the sun rise clear in Hendersonville and then jumped in an automobile and run to Asheville and seen it rise again the same morning above the fog that envelops that city."

Col. Smith contends—and so far nobody has been able successfully to contradict him—that all conditions tending to promote vigorous health are in and around Hendersonville. Unique hygienic conditions give the city the driest atmosphere, the purest air and water in the Appalachian mountains. For proof of this you have only to ask any man, woman or child who is really in position to know, that is, who lives in Hendersonville.

They have kept count on the weather. In the course of a year it runs like this: 214 clear days, 91 partly cloudy, and 69 cloudy. And the normal annual mean temperature is 56. In view of these figures, is it any wonder that Hendersonville is thronging with summer visitors?

The most picturesque spot in the Hendersonville community is Laurel park, made possible largely if not altogether through the vision of Col. Smith. It is just outside the city limits. Some who have traveled far declare that this park is the most beautiful natural playground in America, offering all the recreation found at the famous bathing beaches in addition to fishing, dancing, boating, hiking over long trails and through lover's retreats, or motoring over miles of well-graded roads. This park appeals also to the home-seeker as an ideal spot to build a home in the heart of nature's wonderland with all the conveniences of a city. And many new residences are going up.

A two-story casino with an auditorium and bath houses connected; the bathing beach recently doubled in capacity; Crystal Springs beautified; a new scenic drive—these are some of the recent improvements installed by the Laurel Park management.

Although Hendersonville is a town with a normal population of only 5,000; and property valuation of \$6,000,000, it will entertain this season more than fifty thousand visitors, and part-year residents. It did about that well last year, and this is a better season. North Carolinians who really want to know North Carolina will miss one of the most delightful and picturesque spots in the mountains, if they fail to see Hendersonville.

Natural Mistake.

Overheard in a West End barbershop: "Hello there, Henry, I haven't seen you for years. You don't look as husky as you used to. Married, I suppose." said the barber to man who had just entered the shop.

"No," replied Henry, "I am not married; it's the heat that makes me look that way."—Bill Peters.

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