

## BIG FARMERS' MEETING MONDAY, JULY SIXTH

Madison County's Agricultural Committee is working. They have planned a big meeting for the FIRST MONDAY in July. There will be two sessions; one at 10 A. M., and another at 2 P. M. Some of the State's best authorities on Agricultural subjects will be present and address the people. These men are loaded with agricultural methods and we may expect them to expose ideas that will be valuable if used. The Committee is holding this meeting for the farmers and wants every farmer in Madison County to attend. The meeting is for you, Mr. Farmer; your attendance and the attendance of your family and of your neighbor and his family can make it a success. Store up your questions, load up your family and come. Do not forget to tell your neighbor about it.

Remember the day: First Monday, July 6th.  
Remember the time: Ten o'clock A. M. and two o'clock P. M.

Remember the place: Court-house, Marshall.

### TUBERCULOSIS CAN BE AVOIDED

You can avoid tuberculosis by: Not moving into a house or working where a person who has had tuberculosis has lived until it has been disinfected by the board of health or your doctor. Fumigation alone will not kill germs. The free use of disinfectant, followed by sunlight and fresh air, and then white-wash, calcimine or fresh papering will remove danger of infection from germ-laden rooms. Not spitting yourself or allowing anyone about you, sick or well, to spit where it cannot be burned up or thrown into the sewer.

Admitting sunlight and air to every room in your house or work place, and keeping these rooms as clean as possible.

Taking care of your body and those of your family. Eating good, properly cooked food, taking a warm bath once a week, avoiding late hours and dissipation of all kinds, spending as much time as possible out of doors.

Wearing loose, light clothing that does not cramp your lungs. Not stooping your shoulders or allowing your children to do so.

Not letting your children come in contact with people who cough, because children take tuberculosis easier than grownups. You need not be afraid of a careful, cleanly consumptive, but avoid the careless one and keep your children away from them.

### PEACHES ARE MOVING

Georgia peaches are now moving to market, the first car, destined to New York, having been handled out of Atlanta by the Southern on 2nd No. 36 at 2 a. m., Friday, May 15. This car reached Potomac Yards eleven hours ahead of schedule and was on the New York market, Monday, the 18th. It was loaded at Byron, Ga. a station of the Central of Georgia Railway.

Georgia peach growers are expecting a normal yield and an exceptionally high quality of fruit this year with the time of marketing distributed over a much longer period than last year when the first car handled by the Southern moved on June 1.

Present prospects are that the Georgia peach movement will furnish a lot of action for the Atlanta-Washington and Atlanta-Cincinnati lines throughout June and July.

—Southern Bulletin

Home demonstration club women of Nash County are building and furnishing their own club rooms, reports Mrs. Effie Vines Gordon, home agent.

How many apples did Adam and Eve eat?

Some say that Eve 8 and Adam 2, a total of ten only.

Now we figure the thing out far differently; Eve 8 and Adam 8 also, total 16.

We think the above figures entirely wrong. If Eve 8 and Adam 8 2, certainly the total would be 90.

Scientific men, however, on the strength of the theory that the Antedeluvians were a race of giants, reason something like this:

Eve 8 1 and Adam 82, total 163. Wrong again. What could be clearer than if Eve 8 1 4 Adam and Adam 8 1 2 4 Eve, total 9,938.

Still another calculation is as follows: If Eve 8 1 4 Adam, Adam 8 1 2 4 2 oblige Eve, total 82,056.

—Science and Invention.

### MADISON COUNTY LIVESTOCK MARKETING ASSOCIATION

The Executive Committee urges that every farmer come to the Agricultural Meeting on the first Monday in July. The men that are to address the meeting are up-to-the-minute on their work. Mr. Gwyn will be there, just returned from the Virginia markets, and will be able to tell you what cattle are worth. Mr. R. E. Ramsey will start out inspecting cattle listed with the association for sale, early in July. Every man having cattle can list them on this day and Mr. Ramsey will inspect them in turn as fast as he can get around. Farmers take advantage of the opportunity to get some of the latest information on farming and of selling your cattle by a system that insures the best price at the least expense for selling.

Monday, July 6th., at the courthouse in Marshall.



**BEN FRISBY**  
who will appear at the Pastime Theatre July 2 and 3.

### SAVE GRAPE CROP BY PROPER SPRAYING

It is not unusual for a third or more of the crop of bunch grapes to be destroyed by specking and rotten a short while before maturity.

The way to prevent this heavy loss is to spray with the Bordeaux Mixture which may be prepared in large or small quantities in the proportion of three pounds of bluestone and four pounds of stone lime to fifty gallons of water.

"Bunch grapes are more seriously affected by attacks of black rot and anthracnose than are the Muscadine and Scuppernon varieties, yet many demonstrations have proven that by proper spraying these diseases may be controlled," says G. W. Fant, extension plant disease specialist at the State College. "We recommend the Bordeaux mixture. If fifty gallons of spray are needed, dissolve the three pounds of bluestone in twenty-five gallons of water. Slake four pounds of stone lime in a separate container, slowly, with water and when the slaking has ceased, dilute with water to make twenty-five gallons and strain. Pour the two solutions together, simultaneously, into the spray tank while stirring thoroughly. One pound of lead arsenate powder is added to each fifty gallons for the control of insects. The spray is

## THE NEWS-RECORD WOULD BE RELIABLE

### DON'T SEND IN FALSE STATEMENTS OR YOU MAY BE EXPOSED

The News-Record, above all things else, wishes to be reliable. We would like to have it said that when you see a thing in the News-Record, you may count on it being true. In order to do this we ask the cooperation of all our readers. We cannot understand why anyone would wish to have a falsehood published in a newspaper. Yet several times recently articles have been sent to this paper that were known to be false when they were sent. It is to be expected that once in a while, people may be mistaken about a matter. If a person is honestly mistaken, it is easy to explain. But when a person deliberately tries to deceive the public such a thing is inexcusable. Last week we published two accounts of weddings that have since been denied to be true. A mother came to this office and gave us an account of the death of her married daughter and her infant, which she wished published and we were glad to publish it as news, only to find out later that not a word of truth was in it. How could a mother wish the public to read that her daughter was dead when she was not? If we are deceived again by this woman, we expect to expose her to the public. We cannot believe anything else she may tell us and if she ever gets another statement in this paper, it will be paid for over her name, unless she should find some roundabout way to deceive us.

We do not like to call people names, but the person who sent to this paper last week the account of the Mars Hill couple being married that was absolutely false may yet be exposed. It is our purpose to break up such deception if possible. This paper wishes to publish the news, but it does not wish to publish what is not true.

—THE EDITOR.

then ready to apply." Mr. Fant states that in order to protect the grapes as they develop, the spray should be applied every two weeks and the work needs to be thoroughly done.

### THE IDEAL GIRL

(By Robert Wesley Hunter, Marshall, Route 3)

It has well been said that a bad girl is the worst thing on earth and a good girl is the best thing on earth; therefore, an ideal girl is the best thing that this world possesses, for she is surely a good girl. She is more than a human to me. She is a fairy, a sylph, I don't know what she is—anything that no one ever saw and everything that everybody wanted. She lives a life beyond the gainsay of all critics. Her virtue is of the highest type; her character is written in beaming letters of gold in an open book and tells a true story of her true, faithful, joyous, earnest, honest life. Her honesty and truthfulness can never be surpassed by anyone.

She is honest, first with God, second with her friends, and third with her self. She lives a life, not for self alone, but for her Creator and friends.

A strong, healthy body is

one of the best assets of any girl. Her happiness, social standing, and life's success depend, to a great extent, on the condition of her health. If her health is not good, she can not take her place in a society; she is often receiving help but seldom giving. Her usefulness is measured, not by what she receives from the world, but by what she gives to the world. A good healthy girl, who always meets the world with a smile, drives out darkness and scatters sunshine wherever she goes. A weakly girl who is always complaining drives out the sunshine with darkness.

A girl of this day should have at least a high school education, and the more education she has the better it is for her. Her education does not consist of book knowledge alone. She should be able to converse on most subjects, to grasp new ideas and to intelligently solve problems for herself. To polish her understanding and neglect her manners, is, of all things the worst she could do. An ideal girl puts honesty before wisdom and good nature before wit. She not only understands what is good, but practices it.

The women of today are given a voice in the government. They have equal privileges with the men at the ballot box. They should, therefore, know

### FAILED TO LIST TAXES

To the great surprise of the County Commissioners, after they were so kind as to extend the time for listing taxes until June 15, there are yet several who have failed to list in the various townships.

Failing to list your taxes at the proper time is a flagrant violation of the law and you are subject to indictment and double tax. The Commissioners are determined to prosecute and double tax all persons who have failed to list their taxes for 1925, as it is their sworn duty to do. It will cost you one dollar to list your taxes to the Register of Deeds.

## EMINENT SURGEON CLAIMS CANCER CAN NOW BE PREVENTED

"Cancer is the great human menace. It is increasing by leaps and bounds. If anything, it is increasing more rapidly in the United States than it is in the British Isles. Of those now living in the British Isles, 5,000,000 are doomed to die of cancer if they do nothing to prevent it. In the United States the doomed number is 10,000,000 and might easily rise to 15,000,000 or 20,000,000."

This remarkable statement is made by Sir W. Arbuthnot Lane, Bart., one of the world's most eminent surgeons and physicians, in an article appearing in the June 20 issue of The Dearborn Independent.

According to Sir Arbuthnot, cancer is not caused by the bacillus that scientists have so long sought and not yet found, but rather by poisons created in the body by the food that is eaten. It is a filth disease, and its prevention is accomplished by keeping the digestive tract thoroughly drained of its accumulations.

Continuing, the doctor says: "What we should do then, if we would avoid cancer, is to eat whole-wheat bread and raw fruits, and vegetables, shunning all meat, first that we may

something of politics. The girl who does not make herself acquainted with the political world and vote intelligently is giving the lower class of people the advantage, for they will surely be represented at the polls.

She need not necessarily be a girl possessing a great fortune in money, but she should know how to spend what money she does have to the best interest of mankind.

Above all things, she should be educated in home making. The women are the home makers; and if they fail to make good, happy homes, the work will never be done by anyone else.

A girl who does not love, honor, and obey her parents is not an ideal girl. If she is obedient in all things to her parents, she will be loved more by her friends. She must be a friend-making girl, and to be this she must be a friend to all, the rich and the poor, the great and the small. She must not only love, honor, and obey her parents, and be a friend to all; but she must be lovable. If she is an ideal girl she knows all the common rules of etiquette. She is able to adapt herself to circumstances, and to give her friends a good time, but in the right way. In fun and pleasure she knows where right ends and wrong begins.

She is always cheerful and gay, and never wears a sarcastic look. All girls have a love for the opposite sex; the ideal girl knows how to control and direct that love.

An ideal girl is a consecrated Christian; her life proves to the world that she is a Christian. She keeps in close communion with Christ by daily Bible reading and prayer. She is not a shirker in the church, but she tries to lead people or to higher planes of Christian living. She is not found pleasure riding with boys on Sunday, but is found in her place in B. Y. P. U. and other church activities.

In order to attain fully to the requisites of an ideal girl she must add to all the other requirements beauty; not the beauty bought from the drug store in cosmetic jars, but a Nature-given beauty. Her size is not so very important, but a girl of medium size is more attractive than one too large or too small.

Any girl who lives up to all the requirements of this paper is not, as someone has said, "the eighth wonder of the world," but she moves the other seven back and takes her place as the first wonder of the world.

be better nourished, second that we may more easily eliminate waste products and thus adequately drain the house in which our cells live. Whoever foregoes white bread will perform a great service for himself. It is deadly."

It is a difficult task to change the food habits of a nation or to induce people to take sufficient exercise each day. Sir Arbuthnot says, however, that "whoever will correct his diet to a reasonable extent, take reasonable exercise and keep his digestive tract absolutely clean, need have no fear of cancer."

### ADDED SWINE SHOW FOR STATE FAIR

An added feature of the swine show at the North Carolina State Fair to be held in Raleigh during the week of October 12 to 17 is a barrow class to be held in the direction of W. W. Shay, swine extension specialist at State College.

According to an announcement that Mr. Shay has sent to all farm agents and to swine growers over the state a total of \$498 will be offered in premiums on ten classes of barrows. The classification has been arranged to admit barrows of two different ages including those farrowed after January first of this year and those farrowed on or after March first. Mr. Shay states that there will be eight premiums paid in each of the single classes and seven premiums paid in each class of pens of three animals and pens of five animals.

Premiums on the singles will start at \$12 and the first five places carry a total of premiums amounting to \$41. The premiums on pens of threes start at \$8 and the first five placing will total \$63. The premiums on pens of fives start at \$20 and the first five placings will total \$75.

In addition to these, the champion will win \$10 and the reserve champion will win \$5. The same is true for the champion pen of three barrows. The champion pen of five barrows will win \$20 and the reserve champion, \$10. The sweeps-takes pen of three or five barrows will be given \$20.

Mr. Shay states that should the five best barrowers at the fair in either age class be owned by one exhibitor, it would be possible for this exhibitor to win a total of \$144.

If enough exhibitors are sent to the fair to make a carload, arrangements will be made by E. V. Walborn, manager of the fair, to sell all barrows on the fair grounds.

### RAILROAD AND AUTO ROUTE TO BLOWING ROCK COUNTRY

In connection with the east Tennessee and Western North Carolina Railroad operating from Johnson City, Tenn., to resorts in the Linville, N. C. section, and automobile stages, handling passengers and baggage between Boone, Lenoir, Hickory and Morganton, the Southern Railway System and the Carolina and Northwestern Railway have arranged joint rail and automobile routes and rates which enable passengers to purchase variable route return trip tickets to Linville and the resorts in the Blowing Rock Country.

Under this plan, passengers may make the going trip via Johnson City to Linville and Boone by rail, thence by automobile to Blowing Rock and Lenoir, returned via Hickory or Morganton, N. C. or the reverse with stopover privilege at any point en route. The Carolina and Northwestern may be used direct, or passengers may travel between Hickory and Lenoir or between Morganton and Lenoir by automobile. —Southern Bulletin