

PRESNELL'S FATHER TO BE TRIED IN ASHEVILLE NEXT SATURDAY

Charged with Attempting a Jail Delivery

HACK SAWS FOUND IN CAN

The following is taken from Thursday's Asheville Citizen:

Under a charge of attempting to deliver Milton Presnell from Buncombe County jail yesterday, W. F. Presnell will be given a hearing Saturday morning before Magistrate B. L. Lyda, following his arrest upon a warrant sworn out before Magistrate Lyda. According to jail attaches, W. F. Presnell visited the jail yesterday with a can of tomatoes as a "gift" to his son, Milton. Noticing new solder on the can, the jailer took the container to Sheriff E. M. Mitchell, who discovered several small hack saws secreted within the can. Milton, the son, was being held here for safe keeping for Madison County authorities. He is awaiting trial at the next criminal session of Madison Superior Court on a charge of

murder in connection with the death of Fred Anders, May 2. He was brought here July 17. When he appeared at the jail yesterday and asked permission to speak to his son, Presnell was accompanied by a daughter. He failed to make bond of \$1,000.

Announcement of the 16th Annual Convention of the N. C. Forestry Association

The 16th Annual Convention of the North Carolina Forestry Association will be held this year at Morehead City, on Thursday and Friday, September 2nd and 3rd.

Two subjects of extreme importance will be given consideration—one, the equitable taxation of forest land; and the other, more adequate protection of our forests from fire. The legislation necessary to accomplish the above will be discussed, and a legislative committee appointed to present the suggested legislation to the General Assembly of 1927.

State Parks and National Parks in North Carolina will be considered, and those attending the convention will have an opportunity to visit Ft. Macon State Park. Recent forest legislation has been enacted which affects North Carolina, namely the Weeks and Clarke-McNary laws; forest protection; National forests; and the Appalachian Forest Experiment Station, which receives an increased appropriation of \$180,000.

The speakers at the convention will include prominent national as well as North Carolina persons.

Special delegates are being appointed from the counties & cities, and the Association extends a cordial invitation to all others who are interested in the forestry problems of our State to attend the convention.

From STOCKSVILLE

Rev. L. R. Williams of Magnolia and Rev. T. G. King of Burnsville are conducting a revival meeting at Piney Mt. Baptist church.

The grove meeting near Georgetown came to a close Aug. 4 after continuing for almost a month. There were more than 30 converted during the meeting. Rev. Perry Sprinkle, Rev. J. Sanford, Rev. Dandy, Rev. Gross, and others delivered some wonderful gospel sermons and a lot of interest was shown by the members of the different churches that took part in the meeting.

Mrs. J. R. Evans escaped with slight injuries when the car which she was driving was hit and badly wrecked in Asheville last Wednesday. The man who hit her had her car repaired.

Anna Laura Evans is spending the day with her grandmother, Mrs. L. R. Evans. They have with them some

BROTHERHOOD

By EDGAR A. GUEST

This would I have for my fortune—neither fortune nor fleeting fame,
But the love of the friends who have known me and the wealth of a worthy name,
The fair esteem of my neighbors, some service I tried to do,
A hand that gave as it gathered, a heart that loved all it knew.

For what is this left we cherish if we make it a strife for gold?
Why live for a fame that shall perish as soon as the blood grows cold?
Let the cynics scoff in their wisdom and the haughty sneer at the meek,
The self-same death shall take them both to the self-same God they seek.

Brothers are they in the graveyard, and the boastful stones of the great
Which the living have raised to their glory but an earthly difference state,
There the poor are rich as the richest, the oldest and youngest dead
Lie alike in the silent acres when the last of the tears are shed.

Let me live my life for the living: Let me see in each one I meet
The common end of my journey, let me put pride under my feet.
Let me write my struggle in kindness, let me honor a good man's worth.
If in death we shall fare as brothers, let me brother with him on earth.

relatives from Landrum, S. C. place for a short stay.
H. A. Henderson spent the past week with his daughters, Mrs. Etta Chandler and Mrs. C. Carrier in Johnson City and returned by Burnsville, where he spent a few days with his daughter there, Mrs. Curtis Chandler, and returned to Asheville into it in about 6 weeks. He has Sunday, after stopping with his daughter, Mrs. J. R. Evans, at this close of the World War, which he

FRENCH BROAD ASSOCIATION TO MEET IN MARSHALL NEXT WEEK

The French Broad Association Thursday, August 19. The suggested program will shall Baptist Church next be found below:

SUGGESTED PROGRAM

FRENCH BROAD ASSOCIATION, 1926

Thursday, August 19

- 10:00 A. M.—Sermon by L. R. Williams.
- 11:00 A. M.—Organization. Welcoming Visitors.
- 11:20 A. M.—Co-operative Program discussed by Representatives State Mission Board.
- 11:55 A. M.—Appointment of Committees.
- 12:00 M.—Adjournment for Dinner.
- 1:00 P. M.—Period of Song and Prayer.
- 1:15 P. M.—Reports as follows:

- State of Churches—W. B. Metchalf;
- B. Y. P. U., Ezra Burnett;
- Woman's Work, Mrs. Cora Allison;
- Miss Della Huggins' Report;
- General Discussion of Local Work, Needs and Outlook.

- 2:35 P. M.—Report of Historian and Digest of Letters.
- 2:50 P. M.—Report on Orphanage, Chas D. Herron.
- 3:30 P. M.—Miscellaneous Business.
- Adjourn at Will.

Friday, August 20

- 9:00 A. M.—Song and Prayer.
- 9:15 A. M.—Reading of Minutes.
- 9:30 A. M.—Report on State Missions _____ P. L. Elliott.
- 10:00 A. M.—Report on Home Missions _____ L. R. Williams.
- 10:30 A. M.—Report on Foreign Missions _____ H. L. Smith.
- 11:00 A. M.—Report on Christian Education _____ Ira Plemmons.
- 11:35 A. M.—Report on Biblical Recorder _____ H. L. Story.
- 12:00 M.—Dinner.
- 1:00 P. M.—Song and Prayer.
- 1:15 P. M.—Report on Temperance _____ A. J. Sprinkle.
- 1:45 P. M.—Report on Ministerial Relief _____ Robert Tweed.
- 2:15 P. M.—Report on Nominations, Finance, Time and Place, etc.
- Miscellaneous Business.
- Adjourn at Will.

BOARD TO BUILD FARMING SCHOOL FOR LEICESTER

was in.

From the looks of the tin cans that are being hauled by here, some folks have a lot of beans and tomatoes.

Mr. R. Evans and children motored to Burnsville Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Franklin and children went to Middle Work Sunday and came back Monday.

Miss Ruth Burnett and Miss Robbie Evans have gotten home after a two weeks' visit in Landrum and Campobello, S. C. They reported a wonderful time.

Best wishes to the News-Record and its editor.

MASONIC RING FOUND, LOST 32 YEARS A G O

Cozad, Neb.—A gold Masonic ring lost here in the fall of 1894, just thirty-two years ago, has been found and returned to its owner, W. R. Sinks, of Chicago. The finder read it to the Grand Secretary of the Grand Lodge at Washington, who sent it on to Mr. Sinks.

—SCOTTISH RITE NEWS.

FARM WORK STOCK NOW ON DECLINE

Work stock will soon bring a premium in North Carolina because few farmers in the State are raising their own animals and the supply grown by breeders is getting less and less each year.

"A survey shows that old horses and mules have decreased 16.3 per cent in the last five years and young animals have decreased 52.8 per cent," says Louis W. Anderson in an address before the Farmers State Convention. "At the present rate of production it would require 60 years to replace the horses on the farm at the present time. It would require 182 years to replace the mules. We are practicing false economy in depending on someone else to supply our work-stock. Pretty soon, we shall pay dearly for our neglect."

Mr. Anderson is county agent in Perquimans County and knows of actual conditions on the farms. He believes that many mares could be used in raising colts without interfering with the regular work. Work-stock should be regarded as a farm product, he states, and be produced at home.

Better utilization of work-stock is also necessary, he stated. The stock should be kept busy, but not too busy. As a general rule, when the stock is not idle, it is worked too hard and a plan or crop rotation can be devised where the work is better balanced throughout the year. An idle team is expensive but an over-worked team will not long remain an asset on any farm.

Agriculture Building, First in County, May Bring More

Construction of an agricultural school building, the first in the county, to be erected for the Leicester school community, near the site of the present school, was authorized Monday of last week by the county board of education.

Funds for the erection of the building, to be devoted entirely to the agricultural education, have been obtained through a loan from the literary fund of the state board of education.

The Leicester community County Superintendent of Schools, A. C. Reynolds, declared Monday, following the meeting of the board, is the richest agricultural section in the county. With the erection of the new building, and the employment, for the first time, of an agriculture teacher for the school, Leicester will have educational facilities that are unsurpassed in the state, he said.

The new building, plans for which have already been drawn, will contain, in addition to the usual class rooms, agricultural laboratories of the first class.

Plans and specifications for the new building have been approved by the state department of public instruction.

The new building will be erected largely through a \$6,000 loan from the state department of public instruction. Morris Kimsey, the new agricultural teacher at Leicester, comes to the county highly recommended. He is a graduate of State College at Raleigh.

Erection of the new building at Leicester is expected to pave the way, within the next few years, for the extension of agricultural work in a number of other rural schools of the county.

LIST OF JURORS

List of Jurors drawn for August Term Superior Court, August 23rd, 1926. To-wit:

- No. 1 TOWNSHIP—B. F. West, D. T. Worley, J. A. Martin, R. S. McDewitt, E. E. Tweed, W. E. Smith, C. O. Coward.
- No. 2 TOWNSHIP—R. M. Franklin, L. L. Chandley.
- No. 3 TOWNSHIP—J. R. Hunter, D. C. Boon, J. W. Roberts.
- No. 4 TOWNSHIP—R. L. Pender, H. J. Jarvis.
- No. 5 TOWNSHIP—W. E. Hawkins, J. T. Tilson, C. B. Swan.
- No. 6 TOWNSHIP—John Friabee.
- No. 7 TOWNSHIP—John A. Johnson.
- No. 8 TOWNSHIP—R. G. Cogdill, Eli Hips, M. P. Coward.
- No. 9 TOWNSHIP—Sam W. Erley, C. B. Trolinger.
- No. 10 TOWNSHIP—Henry Rice.
- No. 11 TOWNSHIP—J. W. Davis.
- No. 12 TOWNSHIP—John Shelton, Reagan Worley.
- No. 13 TOWNSHIP—E. V. Bousley, E. H. Pinkerton, W. H. Rainey.
- No. 14 TOWNSHIP—Thos. Rice, B. A. Dill.
- No. 15 TOWNSHIP—Marion Edwards, E. E. Jarvis, Isaac Hamlin.

STATE FARM CONVENTION WAS GREAT SUCCESS

Filled with messages of optimism and helpfulness from some of the leading farmers, agricultural leaders and civic workers of the State and Country, the twenty-fourth annual session of the State Farmers Convention held at State College last week closed Thursday, July 29, after a most successful meeting.

There were approximately 1,700 farmers and their wives registered at the convention. Other hundreds drove in for a day to attend some special affairs, rural school, home building, and crop and livestock showing. Each afternoon was devoted to lectures on important farm and home problems while the forenoons were given over to special addresses. The evenings were devoted to inspirational talks and social affairs.

Mrs. J. S. Turner of Rockingham County was elected as the next President of the State Federation of some Demonstration clubs.

The other officers elected are: Vice-President, Mrs. R. A. McCullen of Sampson County; Secretary, Miss Myra Bennett of Beaufort County; Recording Secretary, Mrs. C. E. Carr of Buncombe County and Treasurer, Mrs. Cornelia C. Morris of State College.

The new officers for the Farmers Convention are: President, C. F. Bates of Mebane; First Vice-President, P. D. Bagley, of Moyock; Second Vice-President, James O. K. Moore of Asheville; and Secretary, Treasurer, James M. Gray of State College.

Before adjournment on Thursday evening the assembled farmers passed resolutions advocating many of the important matters brought before the convention.