

# FARM GRIT.

## GRIT GRINDS

Edited by  
COUNTY AGENT

Let us grow clover and grass on the hill;  
While intensely the level and flats we till.  
The cows and hens will settle our daily bill;  
While the beebes, shoes and tobacco the coffers fill.  
And, when orchard, garden and sty the larder fill,  
Then, with a smile, will Mary greet her Bill.

**CAN YOU BEAT THIS?**—H. B. Woody at Joe, has a piece of tobacco that is real tobacco. He has Judy's Pride planted and from the very start it has grown fast. He used 800 pounds of 12-4-6 fertilizer to the acre, and by measure the leaves are 29 inches long and 17 inches wide all over the field. The most striking thing about this tobacco is that it is free from worm holes. He said that he had used Arsenate of Lead for the Bud Worm. To use this, take six table-spoonfuls of Arsenate of Lead and mix with one peck of corn meal and put just a pinch in the bud early in the morning while the dew is on the tobacco. This peck will go over an acre.

**SPECKS ON TOBACCO LEAVES**—In traveling over the county there has been several of the men asking about their tobacco leaves spotting. This is a small brown spot on the leaf that does not seem to spread. We think the cause of that is due to the rain. The tobacco has grown very fast and the hot sun scalds the leaf and then the hot rain scalds this spot. We do not think that is either Angular Leaf Spot or Wild Fire. We have collected some leaves to send to Dr. Wolfe at Duke University for examination.

**YOU CAN DO IT, TOO**—Starting this spring without any experience in the poultry business, Mrs. L. C. Reed at Barnard ordered five hundred White Leghorn baby chicks and she as over two hundred very fine pullets now. She has convinced Mr. Reed that she can make money in the poultry business and they are building a laying house for the pullets. If you have any pullets that will lay in a month or two get busy and clean out your laying house and get the pullets in their place where you are going to keep them this winter. The pullets should get used to their new place and they should be fed growing mash till the first ones start laying, then gradually change to laying mash.

**4-H CLUB CAMP**—The camp at Swannanoa for the 4-H club boys and girls for western North Carolina is near completion. The boys from this county will go the week of the 22nd. There will be eight or nine boys going in this group. The week will be divided so as to give the boys a program that will be of interest and value to them. There will be lectures on the different lines of agriculture as well as demonstrations. There will be time provided for recreation as outlined by the instructors.

**LOOK FOR BLACKHEAD**—You may have some turkeys to become droopy and lose their appetite. This symptom may be more frequently seen in young turkeys than old ones. In case you have turkeys that are sick it is time then to have them looked over and see if you have Blackhead. This disease of turkeys is the most dangerous disease to the turkey raiser. There is very little to do as a cure for this disease. The thing to do is to practice sanitation and keep the turkeys on fresh land as near as possible. Mr. Van Franklin of Big Laurel has lost all of his young turkeys this spring. It is not known whether Blackhead was the trouble or not, because they were not examined, but from the description he gave it appeared to be Black-

head. If you have sick turkeys, notify the Office of County Agent and they will be glad to look over your turkeys.

**BE SURE BEFORE YOU TREAT**—Mr. Hob Massey at Barnard discovered that he had worms in his flock of White Leghorn pullets. He treated the flock for worms and in a short while he said he believed he would give them another treatment, that they were still sick. He was told that probably he had some other trouble, that the first treatment for worms would rid them. There was a post mortem held on some of the sick birds and found that the birds had Muco-enteritis. This is a new disease of poultry and very little work has been done as to the particulars of the disease. The disease affects the intestine of the bird and completely closes the intestine. Therefore, the second treatment for worms would be injurious to the bird and they should not be treated more than necessary.

**STILL NEAR THE TOP**—Mrs. T. A. Woody last month ranked third in the State as to returns above feed cost on her flock of White Leghorns. Even she was third in returns above feed cost, her average price for eggs for the month being 33 cents, whereas the highest flock's average price was 42 cents. Her feed cost per dozen eggs produced was down next to the lowest one.

**IMPORTANT WAREHOUSE MEETING**—There will be a meeting of the stockholders of the Farmers Warehouse in the Court House at Marshall on Saturday, July 20th at 2 P. M. This meeting is for the purpose of organizing the new company. The board of directors will be chosen at this meeting. The figures for the construction of the new building will be presented at this time, and the charter will be there. This meeting is for the interest of the farmers of the county and it is requested that all farmers that are interested be present. It will be settled at this meeting whether we, the farmers of Madison County, will build the new Warehouse or let all the work drop. We need at this time about two thousand dollars to have the required amount and it is up to each and every one to do his part in raising this balance. Do you want the Warehouse? Then, come out Saturday and help out it across. You all know how hard it is to start a heavy load rolling again after the wagon once stops, so let's all get our shoulders to the wheel and keep it rolling.

**W. A. SAMS**  
Physician and Surgeon  
Office Front Room Over  
Citizen Bank.

"Pussyfoot" Johnson is now working to make India dry. That is one country in which it would be an advantage to have blind tigers.

—The Pathfinder  
Farm men and women of North Carolina have a cordial invitation to attend the exercises of the annual Farm and Home Week at State College, July 22 to 27.

### Report of the Condition of THE BANK OF FRENCH BROAD

at Marshall, N. C.  
to the Corporation Commission at the  
Close of Business on the 29th Day  
of June, 1929

RESOURCES	
Loans and Discounts	\$415,609.50
Overseas	199.94
United States Bonds	15,300.00
North Carolina Bonds	20,000.00
County and Municipal Bonds	20,000.00
Banking House	40,154.24
Furniture and Fixtures	9,898.14
Cash in Vault and Accounts Due from Approved Depository Banks	124,082.16
Checks for Clearing and Transit Items	459.20
Cash Items (Items Held Over 24 Hours)	10.00
Other Real Estate	9,000.00
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$654,713.18</b>

LIABILITIES	
Capital Stock Paid In	\$ 25,000.00
Surplus Fund	50,000.00
Undivided Profits (Net Amount)	3,788.14
Reserved for Interest	1,000.00
Reserved for Depreciation	10,000.00
Other Deposits Subject to Check	214,684.23
Deposits Due State of North Carolina and Any Official Thereof: Secured; Unsecured	124,843.70
Demand Certificates of Deposit (Due in Less Than 30 Days)	184,372.86
Cashiers Checks Outstanding	1,362.80
Savings Deposits (Due on or After 30 Days)	39,661.45
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$654,713.18</b>

**STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA**—County of Madison  
Frank Roberts, President, S. B. Roberts, Director, and C. E. Rector, Director of the Bank of French Broad, each personally appeared before me this day, and being duly sworn, each for himself, says that the foregoing report is true to the best of his knowledge and belief.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 12th day of July, 1929.  
A. W. WHITEHURST, Notary Public  
My commission expires May 14, 1930.  
FRANK ROBERTS, President.  
S. B. ROBERTS, Director.  
C. E. RECTOR, Director.

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### Appalachian State Teachers College

A Summer Enrollment in the Appalachian State Teachers College Bears With It A Great Many Interesting Corollaries

To many the location is a matter of surprise: Boone, the county seat of Watauga County, is the largest town in this northwest section of the State. And it is destined to be much larger with a brief time because, it is here that the great arterial highways, East and West and North and South, cross. Over the streets of Boone and by the campus of the Appalachian State Teachers College pass highways No. 60 from Wilmington, northwest across the State through Sanford, Greensboro, Winston-Salem and the Wilkesboro and up over the mountains into Tennessee by way of the Daniel Boone Trail; and also the great scenic highway of eastern America which threads its way longitudinally through the Appalachian mountain system from Montreal, Canada with its rigorous climate southward through the Shenandoah Valley by Independence and Galax, Virginia, swinging into North Carolina over highway No. 69 via of Sparata, Jefferson, Boone, Linville City, and on to Miami, Florida, with its sunshine, and flowers. To these may be added highway No. 17 from Hickory via Blowing Rock making this the radical point for through going traffic to all points of the compass.

Here, we are told, is assembled the largest number of Elementary Public School Teachers to be found in the State. Sixty-nine of our one hundred counties are represented, and in addition, there are students from ten other states. The average radical distance from home, of the student body, is 152 miles. Seventy-two percent of us are more than fifty miles from home.

The beauty of the mountains at this season of the year is so well known to tourists and so indescribable in extent and quality that it seems a presumption to speak of the variegated shades of green spread over mountain and valley and touched into colored glory with the flowering tan of the chestnut, the delicate pinks of the rhododendron, the spangled white and yellow of the daisy, and the bewildering shades of wild flowers and shrubs that make of it all an artist's paradise.

Then, too, one cannot overlook the luxury of cool nights that refresh and invigorate. A summer term here, despite the school work, leaves one rested and loath to return to the heat of the lowlands. Because of this many who had come for the first term only are planning to matriculate for the second term on July 23rd.

Student, Appalachian State Teachers College.

### HOME DEMONSTRATION WORK

The new 4-H Camp for Western North Carolina at Swannanoa opened Monday morning with 100 girls from Madison, Buncombe, Rutherford and Henderson counties. This camp is situated back of Government about 1 mile from the Black Mountain highway in the heart of the Blue Ridge Mountains.

There in the midst of the mountains and wild flowers, enough space has been cleared to build the main camp building which includes the dining, recreation halls and kitchen. A lake is under construction in front of the main building. The city water has been tapped and shower baths have been installed. Four cabins have been completed and are ready for use.

The camp is in charge of Mrs. Sarah Porter Ellis, District Home Demonstration Agent, Miss Frances Crafton, Home Agent of Madison County, Miss Adna Edwards, Home Agent of Buncombe, Miss Ada Walker of Henderson County, and Miss Laura Hoar of Rutherford County.

The program has been arranged by Miss Edwards and Miss Crafton. It will include arts and crafts, nature study, swimming, hiking, plays and games, stunts, athletic tournaments, and vespers every evening, and on Monday night a camp ceremonial and a lecture demonstration each day on manners in public places by Mrs. Ellis.

The food and meals planning is in charge of Misses Walker and Howard of Henderson and Rutherford Counties.

Those leaving Monday morning with Miss Crafton for camp at Swannanoa were:

- Clara Merrell—Pioneer Club.
- Mary Lee Merrell—Pioneer Club.
- Marie Roberts—Pioneer Club.
- Lucille Bryan—Walnut Creek Club.
- Genell Fox—Pioneer Club.
- Katie Carter—Pioneer Club.
- Hazel Bryan—Walnut Creek Club.
- Ada Meadows—Spring Creek Club.
- Bonnie Meadows—Spring Creek Club.
- Agnes Stanton—Walnut Club.
- Nina Goldsmith—Walnut Club.
- Gertrude Gahagan—Walnut Club.

### HEALTH CONTEST

And Friday, July 19th, Miss Crafton will take Miss Josephine Ramsey of Walnut to Asheville for the District Health Examination. The healthy girl in the district will enter the State Health Contest in Raleigh the week of July 29 to August 3. On Thursday night, Aug. 1, the healthiest boy and girl in the State will be crowned the King and Queen of Health of the State. In the County Health Contest conducted by Dr. J.



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N. Moore, Miss Ramsey scored 98 2-3.

### WOMAN'S SHORT COURSE

Monday, July 22, the representatives from the Demonstration Clubs of the County will go to Raleigh to the Woman's Short Course. There will be about 9 delegates from this County. The bus will leave Asheville Monday, July 22, promptly at 8:30, from the Court House, end of College Street. Please be there on time as the bus must leave promptly.

The fare will be about \$8.00 for the round trip.

### SCHEDULE FOR NEXT WEEK

Monday—Ehon girls will not meet.  
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Tuesday—Pioneer women at 2:30 P. M.  
Wednesday—Big Laurel girls at 10:30 A. M.  
Wednesday—Big Laurel women at 1:30 P. M.  
Thursday—Hot Springs girls—9:30 A. M.  
Friday—White Rock girls 10:30 A. M.

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