

Waynesville Mountaineer
14 Church Street
Wm. A. BAND, Editor-Owner
POLITICALLY DEMOCRATIC
Display Advertising Rates:
Forty Cents per column inch
Guaranteed Circulation

SUBSCRIPTION RATES
Subscriptions payable in advance
(\$2.50 if not so paid)
1 Year\$2.00
6 Months 1.25
3 Months65

Entered at the post office, at
Waynesville, N. C., as Second
Class Mail Matter, as provided
under the Act of March 3, 1879,
November 20, 1914.
PUBLISHED ON THURSDAY

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 7, 1926

**MUNICIPAL ELECTRICAL SYSTEMS
EXTRACTS FROM COUNTY
AGENTS WEEKLY REPORT**

Polk, Jno. W. Artz.
Due to the lack of funds, the county cannot afford to appropriate funds for a county fair, however, the commissioners have agreed to give \$100 for premium money for a Boys' and Girls' fair which the Home Agent and I have planned. The premium money was raised to \$210 by the Polk County Club—an organization devoted to the development of all interests in the county. The Home Agent and I have about 75 active club members each and we are urging every one to bring an exhibit.

Henderson, E. F. Arnold.
Rye co-operation sales reached 1800 bushels this week. Curb market since May 15th have passed the \$14,000.00 mark. Gay Banks has 24 feet of his 14x36 foot silo up. I attended committee meeting in Asheville with agents Thrash and Patton, at which time details for our request for a trucking specialist, Swannanoa were worked out and agent Thrash authorized to present the matter to the budget committee of Department of Agriculture and State College. Have been busy with our county fair departmental heads and the different committees in getting ready for the fair. Everything looks good for a big fair this year.

Clay, W. R. Anderson.
This week has been chiefly devoted to getting up and taking an orchard tour to North Georgia sections. This was a study tour to find out just the strong and weak points so we could shun the mistakes and profit by their experience. The thing we observed most was that they were over ridden by large orchards. The small orchards were more perfectly kept and more profitable. The real thing we learned was that we were on the right system of orchard management, and had a much superior locality for orchards. All the men came back with the firm determination that they would not get their orchards too large and would keep them well. Mr. Niswonger made the trip much more valuable in that he is alert to all incidents that made for success and failure and readily pointed them out to us.

Buncombe, J. R. Brown, Asst. Agent.
The work this week has been with the adults. I have been planning some silo work and have got three new poultry houses under construction.

Cherokee, R. W. Gray.
This week I have finished cleaning the county and loaded 4 cars of cattle. I think that this cleans up the cattle for sale in the county. Mr. Adams left over nine thousand dollars in the county. We have good crowds and they are much interested in the pictures. I find there is more interest in the dairy reels that I had expected to find.

McDowell, W. L. Smarr.
Friday at which time 822 pounds of advertised poultry shipment for hens, 610 pounds of chicks, 118 pounds of cocks and 4 pounds of ducks were sold for \$310.63. Mr. H. C. Daves, Dysertsville, and J. M. Kanipe, Old Fort, each are building poultry houses 20x24 as per plans furnished through this office. Mr. W. McIver and Mr. W. P. Miller, dairymen, who are milking about 16 to 18 cows, are mixing their dairy rations at a saving of \$11.00 per ton. Others are being lined up for home mixing of dairy feeds as well as poultry feeds. Most of week was spent in interest of community fairs. The premium list was completed and turned over the printer and most of the dates were set. 10 community fairs will be held, most of them being held between the middle of October and the middle of November.

Avery, C. B. Baird.
On Monday I went to Johnson City to investigate the present market for cabbage and the future markets for head lettuce. At the present time the cabbage market is dull, but I was told by leading produce wholesale dealer in Johnson City that we will have no trouble in marketing through the Johnson City wholesale trade, our entire future lettuce crop, provided we put out the class of lettuce we have done this year and pack it so it will reach them in attractive form. This assurance will give our growers a basis for growing more acreage next year. Next week will be the try-county fair at Spruce Pine, and we have devoted some time this week in getting exhibits ready for the fair.

Buncombe, L. D. Thrash.
There are 3 remote communities of the county which are being constructed hard surfaced roads. These roads will give them an outlet to the markets, something that they have never experienced before. The farmers of these communities are desirous of finding some crop suitable for a cash crop, with this in mind Mr. F. R. Farnham and I have visited all these communities this week and explained the details of establishing cream stations with late pastures and a number of cows in two of these communities. The proposed cream stations will be started in the very near future.

Transylvania, L. A. Ammon.
Spent half day on W. Breese farm on mountain top, showing the men how to inoculate vetch and sow same for improving soil. This farm is to be an orchard and from the old trees and the excellent apples, they ought to succeed. No diseases up there yet. Have 3 poultry farms interested in supplying hatching eggs to hatcheries this year, in large quantities. Seem willing to abide by rules. One car of rye to be returned and one diverted to another seed house. Rye that left here in good condition, proved to have spoiled on the road, and the only reason I can find is that the weather has been too damp for the grain to dry out sufficiently for standing up in closed cars.

Burke, R. L. Sloan.
Several clover fields have been inspected this week where it was feared the clover was dead, but the agent was agreeably surprised to find sufficient patches alive to warrant leaving the field to clover next year. W. A. Jones sowed about 5 acres on wheat in March and has a fair stand. The county home farm has three acres and many others will have clover where the land was limed and inoculated according to recommendations of extension workers.

Madison, Earl Brintnall.
Olin Jarrett, route 1, brought in a report on his flock of poultry. Olin purchased 100 day-old chicks from Sterling Kline, Valdeese, last March. He raised 100 of these chicks. Up to date, these chicks have cost—in-cluding feed, oil for brooder, and cost of chicks, \$51.90; cockerels sold, to date, amount to \$17.36; eggs sold to date, \$4.50. This makes the net cost of the flock to date \$30.00. There is some feed on hand. There are 51 pullets in the flock today that Mr. Oliver valued at \$2.50 each. Olin has ordered 2 cockerels from a flock recommended by Mr. Oliver, the best the owners had. These will be mated with 30 of the best pullets of the flock. These chicks were raised in a brooder house that cost in actual cash \$1.50. The house and brooder are ready for another year's work. Had we counted the cost of these items, the chicks would have cost today 90 cents each.

Jackson, C. W. Tilson.
My two weakest clubs were met this week. The attendance at one was good and much interest shown. The other club was minus over half of the older club members and stronger members, gone away on the bus to the consolidated school. I believe both clubs will come through with fairly good work for the year, however. Six scrub bulls were castrated this week. Two more will go out of these communities by way of slaughter soon and more by knife or slaughter to clean up these two communities. A full weeks' work on scrubs next month will practically clean them out of the county I think. A full car of lime was placed with 12 farmers up in Hamburg section this week.

JNO. W. GOODMAN,
District Agent.

PLAYER PIANO FOR SALE—This Player Piano has beautiful Mahogany Case. Is in perfect condition. Was sold to party for \$495.00. Can be bought for balance owing on it, which is \$295.00. 15 Rolls good music. Write Clark Jones-Sheely Co., Morristown, Tennessee. 15Oct.c

NORTH GOODWILL PARTY IN PORTLAND, MAINE.

Land of the Sky Folks Enjoy Sail and Banquet Here.

Portland Evening Express.

Present Pilgrimage is third in series of six engineered by F. Roger Miller, secretary of Asheville Chamber of Commerce. Florida and Texas were goals in first two, and this trip is declared best of goodwill tours.

The Land of the Sky, represented by 130 lusty North Carolinians and the Land of Sea, represented by a delegation of Portland's most prominent business and professional men, rubbed elbows today.

The occasion was the visit of the Land of the Sky Special, a train from North Carolina bearing a large group of representatives from that section who are making a tour of the leading cities of the Northeastern United States and nearby Canada.

It was the second Southern group of similar character that Portland has had the privilege of entertaining within the past few weeks, and it was welcomed with a cordiality that forever gave the lie to the theory that Northerners are quiet and restrained and lacking in camaraderie.

Greeted by Local Leaders.
When the de luxe train bearing the Carolina group steamed into the Grand Trunk station at 12:01 o'clock exactly on schedule time there were on hand to meet the visitors President Chester A. Jordan of the Portland Chamber of Commerce and Howard H. Waldron, acting executive secretary of the Chamber, who had in charge arrangements for the entertainment of the visitors, Neal W. Allen, chairman of the City Council, Harrie B. Coe, secretary of the Maine Publicity Bureau, and A. L. T. Cummings, manager of the State Chamber of Commerce, who served as official greeters, while many other Portland folk unofficially extended a welcome.

Originator of Goodwill Tour.
With the Carolina party was F. Roger Miller, secretary of the Asheville Chamber of Commerce, who has the distinction of being the originator of the Goodwill tour, having first sponsored an affair of the kind 18 years ago.

Mr. Miller has been the motive power behind three Goodwill tours put on by Western North Carolina, and the section which he represents has profited greatly thereby, an increase of 85 per cent in mail inquiries from the Southwest having resulted from a single tour to Texas and the Southwest last Spring.

The current tour is the third of a series of six which the Land of the Sky will undertake. The first tour was to Florida and the Southeast, the second to Texas and the Southwest, and the current tour has already taken the travelers to Harrisburg, Pa., Buffalo and Niagara Falls, Hamilton, Toronto, Ottawa, Montreal and Quebec, with Boston, Hartford, New York City and Philadelphia to figure on the return trip.

Contemplated tours will visit cities of the Middle West, and a later tour will embrace Colorado and other states in that section, while the final tour will probably include such cities in the Northeast as have not been visited in the current tour.

Most Satisfactory Tour
The present tour has been the most satisfactory of all the Goodwill tours to date, according to J. C. Topping, official publicity man with the party, partly because of the attractiveness of the routes, partly because of the remarkably fine receptions that have been given the visitors, and partly because it gave to several of the group their first opportunity to smell the salt air and feast their eyes upon the broad Atlantic.

First Seaport Visited
As Portland is the first seaport city to be visited on the present tour, those who had not already made the acquaintance of the briny deep tumbled out of the special cars with great alacrity at the Grand Trunk, and could hardly wait to distribute to the Portland greeters the small golden keys to the City of Asheville which are the official insignia of the trip before rushing to the State Pier to glimpse the tossing waves, and to enjoy the novelty of glimpsing sea-going craft of all kinds. The sight of the revenue cutter tied up at the State Pier gave them a distinct thrill, and when someone pointed out a boat which had been a captured rum runner their cup of joy was full to overflowing.

Eminent Writer Aboard
A prominent member of the Asheville party is Helen Topping Miller, wife of F. Roger Miller, secretary of the Asheville Chamber, who is one of the leading fiction writers of the present day and author of more than 400 short stories. Mrs. Miller was, as she expressed it, "letting the local color seep in," and interesting copy from her pen may yet depict ro-

(Continued on another page.)

To You Who Have Helped Us Grow

TO PASS OUR SECOND ANNIVERSARY WITHOUT A WORD OF APPRECIATION TO OUR GOOD FRIENDS AND CUSTOMERS WOULD BE SHORTSIGHTEDNESS ON OUR PART.

WE PROMISED ONE YEAR AGO, OUR FIRST ANNIVERSARY, THAT IF CONTINUED HONEST AND SQUARE DEALINGS WOULD KEEP YOUR CONFIDENCE AND GOOD WILL THAT WE WOULD HAVE MANY MORE SUCCESSFUL YEARS TO LOOK FORWARD TO.

THE YEAR PAST HAS SHOWN A WONDERFUL INCREASE IN NEW CAR SALES, AS WELL AS ADDED A GOOD NUMBER OF LOYAL CUSTOMERS TO OUR LIST, AND WE ARE INDEED GRATEFUL FOR THIS PROOF OF APPRECIATION OF OUR SINCERITY OF PURPOSE.

WE WILL ALWAYS STRIVE TO IMPROVE OUR SERVICE, TO MAINTAIN AN UP-TO-DATE PLACE OF BUSINESS, AND TO KEEP OUR PRICES ON MERCHANDISE AND SHOP LABOR AS REASONABLY LOW AS POSSIBLE.

We Want Your Business

Duckworth Moror Co. Authorized Ford Dealers

Ellison's
Where Prices Are Less
Ladies' Princes Slips 98c
\$3.50 Bed Spreads \$2.49

SCHOOL TIME IS HERE

How About the Children's Dresses, To See Them is to Buy

We have them in Gingham; Size, 6 to 14; Specially Priced from 98c to \$1.49

We have them in Tweed. Flannels, Woolens; Size 3 to 14 years at prices that will appeal to the Pocket Book of Mothers. We ask you to call and look at them.

Children's 3-4 length Sox. For The Children specially Priced: 19c

Gifts for the Kiddies: Suitable For Birthday Parties. Prices Range from 10c up.

Children's School Handkerchiefs: In Plain and Colored Borders. A Dandy Value at 5c

Children's school shoes for boys and girls, the kind that wear solid leather from tip to heel. Prices are right. All sizes from the little ones up.

School Sweaters for them-all. All wool. Part wool Slip overs-Coat style-Lumber Jacks too. Be sure to see ours before you buy.

Good heavy Overshoes for the bad rainy days-All sizes, 98c.

Just Received Big Line Stamped Goods. For Embroidering

Ladies' Crepe Ties, 49c and 98c. All Colors.