

MILLS RIVER RIPPLES.

An entertainment and box supper will be the sensation of the High school Friday, Oct. 23. This is the work of the Woman's Betterment society.

Messrs. Guy Corpening and Jennings Carland and Misses Reba Hill and Maye Osborne took a trip Saturday to Mount Pisgah.

Ural Carland, from Asheville, is visiting his relatives and friends on the River.

Mrs. J. S. Corpening and daughter Miss Ada, are leaving for Waydesville to visit for a week.

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Patton from Breward, are visiting Mr. T. L. Burgin.

Rev. W. W. Marr closed the revival services at the French Broad Baptist church Sunday. Eleven persons were baptized and several others were added to the church. Rev. Marr announced that his time spent with the people here has been very pleasant. The people realize that much good has been done during the revival services. Mr. Marr will go from here to Catawba county for another protracted service.

There has been talk of organizing a glee club at the high school and announcement has been given out to that effect for a meeting on Monday evening of this week. It is hoped that this may mean much to the advantage of school, church and community life.

Honor Roll Mills River High School.
First grade: Lucile Warlick, Maude Holden, Blanche Holden, Ethel Hutchins, Allen Barnett.

Second grade: Pearle Hutchins, Jack Bright.

Third grade: Faye Warlick, Mamie Bryson, Maude Fowler, Otto Whiteside, Roy Silver, Hilda Cathey.

Fourth grade: Lila Burgin, Sue Burgin, Myrtle Drake, Julian Corpening, Ruth Allison, James Barnett, Albert Corpening.

Fifth grade: Bettie Corpening, Josephine Gallamore, Mary P. Burgin, George Simpson.

Sixth grade: Lila Osborne, Ethel Drake, Elma Corpening, Clinton Whiteside.

Eighth grade: Grace Drake, Carrie Allen, Elsie Whiteside, Ruth Corpening, Lee Brittain, Susan Osborne, Nan Whitaker.

Ninth grade: Josephine Burgin, Margaret Kinzey.

Tenth grade: Irene Osborne, Sue Brittain.

HONOR ROLL

Oak Forest school for the month ending Oct. 9. Mr. and Mrs. O. F. Blankenship teachers.

Nelson Cunningham, Lula Cunningham, Preston Cunningham, Freno Dockings, Homer Livingstone, George Livingstone, Ruth Livingstone, Cora Livingstone, Sue Livingstone, Glenn Livingstone, Arthur Summery, Clyde Youngblood, Estelle Youngblood, Bertha Youngblood, George Youngblood, Mack Youngblood, Paul Youngblood, Roy Bagwell, Glazner Bagwell, Lona Barnwell, Boyd Barnwell, Lena Cunningham, Helen Russell, Harold Long, Annie Powers, Curtis Wilkie, Ulyses Wilkie.

POINT LOOKOUT VIEWS.

Rev. Mr. Morris preached a most interesting sermon at Mt. Home Sunday to a large congregation.

Remember the box supper which will be given at Point Lookout school house next Saturday night, Oct. 17th. Every one is cordially invited.

Mr. and Mrs. Burch Gibbs from near Hendersonville, visited friends and relatives of this place Sunday.

Misses Callie and Essie Matts and Mr. Burch Lance of Blittmore are visiting relatives of this place for a few days.

T. W. Whitesides and Miss Emma Nix of Edneyville, were married at the residence of "Squire J. H. Lamb's Sunday. Their many friends wish them a long and happy life.

Mr. Ben Merrell and little son visited relatives at Ottanola Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. John Horn of South Carolina, is visiting relatives at Ottanola for a few days.

COL. COHEN BUSY.

Washington, Oct. 9.—Colonel Sanford H. Cohen, manager of the Greater Western North Carolina association, has been here for several days in consultation with government officials. Today it transpired that his visit to the departments was in the interest of a great development for Western North Carolina, which if secured, and in all probability it will be secured will be of immeasurable benefit to the western section of the state. At one of the departments The Citizen's representative was informed that no definite details would be made public at this time, but he was assured that the movement now afoot loomed big with promise of one of the greatest windfalls Western North Carolina has known in more than twenty years.

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SMITH-LEVER ACT, EDUCATIONAL

No Government Funds Provided for Grants to Individuals.

Washington D. C.—Many letters are being received by the U. S. Department of Agriculture which indicate that farm women in various sections of the country have come to believe that the government is about to assist them with grants of money to individuals. This unfortunate mistake which, it is feared, will be the cause of considerable disappointment, appears to have arisen through a misunderstanding of the Smith-Lever act recently passed by congress. Under this act funds contributed both by the Federal and State governments are made available for practical demonstration work in agricultural and home economics. Experts from the agricultural colleges and county agents, both men and women, are to show farmers and farm women the value of modern methods in agriculture and housekeeping, and demonstrate the use of labor-saving devices. The purposes of the act are thus entirely educational; and there are no provisions whatever for direct financial assistance.

This demonstration work which the Smith-Lever act is designed to promote has already met with considerable success in the State where it has been started, but the additional funds now available will greatly increase its efficiency. To avail themselves to the full of its possibilities the department officials recommend that farm women form local clubs and then communicate with the county agent or the State agricultural college. In this way it will often be possible to secure a visit from the county agent or from the home economics expert.

OCTOBER CROP REPORT, N. CAR.

Bureau of Crop Estimates, in Cooperation With Weather Bureau, U. S. Department of Agriculture.

Corn—

Oct. 1 forecast, 1914, bus. 54,600,000.

Final, 1913, bus. 55,282,000.

Wheat—

Preliminary esti. 1914, bus. 7,026,000.

Final, 1913, bus. 7,078,000.

Oats—

Preliminary esti., 1914, bus. 4,020,000.

Final, 1913, bus. 4,485,000.

Rye—

Preliminary esti., 1914, bus. 460,000.

Final, 1913, bus. 474,000.

Buckwheat—

Oct. 1 forecast, 1914, bus. 166,000.

Final, 1913, bus. 174,000.

Potatoes—

Oct. 1 forecast, 1914, bus. 1,560,000.

Final, 1913, bus. 2,400,000.

Sweet Potatoes—

Oct. 1 forecast, 1914, bus. 6,990,000.

Final, 1913, bus. 8,000,000.

Tobacco—

Oct. 1 forecast, 1914, Lbs. 137,000,000.

Final, 1913, Lbs. 167,500,000.

Hay—

Preliminary esti., 1914, Tons 353,000.

Final, 1913, Tons 419,000.

Apples—

Oct. 1 forecast, 1914, bus. 8,230,000.

Final, 1913, bus. 30,000,000.

Clover Seed—

Condition Oct. 1, 1914, 82.

Condition Oct. 1, 1913, 84.

Cabbages—

Production, % of full crop, 1914, 70.

Production, % of full crop, 1913, 78.

Sorghum—

Condition Oct. 1, 1914, 83.

Peanuts—

Condition Oct. 1, 1914, 80.

DISCOVER WAY TO MAKE

TABLE SIRUP FROM APPLES.

Washington, D. C.—Following extensive experiments begun last spring the head of the fruit and vegetable utilization laboratory of the Department of Agriculture has applied for a public service patent covering the making of a new form of table sirup from apple juice. This patent will make the discovery, which the specialists believe will be of great value to all apple growers as a means of utilizing their culls and excess, common property of any cider mill in the United States which wishes to manufacture and sell apple cider sirup.

The new sirup, one gallon of which is made from seven gallons of ordinary cider, is a clear ruby or amber colored sirup of about the consistency of cane sirup and maple sirup. Properly sterilized and put in sealed tins or bottles, it will keep indefinitely, and when opened, will keep under household conditions as well as other sirups. It has a distinct fruity aroma and special flavor of its own which is described as being practically the same as the taste of the sirupy substance which exudes from a baked apple.

The sirup can be used like maple or other sirups for griddle cakes, cereals, household cookery, and as flavoring in desserts. The government cooking experts are at present experimenting with it in cookery and expect shortly to issue recipes for use of the new sirup in old ways and for taking advantage of its special flavor in novel dishes.

The department chemists have already produced over ten gallons of this sirup in their laboratories, using summer and other forms of apples. The success of the experiments has greatly interested some of the apple growers, and during October a large cider mill in the Hood River Valley, Oregon, will in cooperation with the government chemists, endeavor to produce 1,000 gallons on a commercial scale and give the new product a thorough market test by making it accessible through retailers in a limited field.

THE FODDER IN THE SHOCK.

(Wilkes Patriot.)

The fodder pulling season for this county is practically over with and, notwithstanding several days of perverse weather, an unusually large quantity of fodder and tops have been saved, while agriculture departments decry the practice of saving fodder, saying that as much is lost in the corn as is saved in the fodder, yet many prefer to harvest it in this way as a grain crop. With the raising of more hay and other forage crops, the custom of pulling fodder may for the most part become an obsolete practice.

MAKES NOVEL COMPLAINT.

Parris Sues Railroad Because Its Employees Aided Police.

Spartanburg, S. C., Oct. 11.—Because the conductor and fireman of a Southern Railway train helped the police to take him off the train and put him on the chalingang for selling liquor, J. Roland Parris has brought an action against the Southern in the Court of Common Pleas of this county for \$2,000 damages.

Parris, as proprietor of the Shamrock and Clover Clubs, made lots of money selling beer and rode in an automobile until John F. Floyd became mayor and put on the lid. Parris was convicted time and again of violating the liquor laws but invariably appealed to the Supreme Court and kept on selling.

Such an accumulation of convictions arose against him, however, that he left the city and went to live in Hendersonville, N. C. After his departure the Supreme court handed down a decision affirming the conviction of Parris in nine cases, in which he was sentenced to serve nine months.

The police were informed on August 14 that Parris had left Hendersonville on a train bound in this direction. They went to Spartanburg Junction and arrested him. He served 30 days of his sentence and then obtained his release on a point of law.

He declares in his suit that the railway employees, in helping the police, invaded his rights and humiliated him.

N. C. FARMERS MOVE FREQUENTLY

In compiling data for the last Federal Census the enumerators asked every farmer in North Carolina this question: "How long have you lived on the farm you now occupy?" This question was answered by 235,657 of the 253,725 farm operators in this State. More than 61,000 stated that they had occupied their farms only one year or less; 54,746 from 2 to 4 years; 36,170 from 5 to 9 years and 73,469 10 years and over. The most restless class of people in this State is the tenant who operates his farm on the share basis. There are 92,248 of these farmers in this State; 78,290 of them made answer to the query and their replies indicated that 39,041, of about 20 per cent of them moved every year.—Farmers' Union News Service.

Result of Frequent Change by Farmers

An official of the Federal Census bureau, in discussing the report recently issued by the government dealing with the term of occupancy of farms in the United States, said:

"This frequency of moving from farm to farm, or instability of occupancy, very likely, forms one of the chief causes for the decline of rural prosperity, or is a hindrance to greater progress. Frequency of removal of farmers results in general shiftlessness; the roads and bridges are generally in a poor condition because the farmers, moving at frequent periods, are not particularly interested in their upkeep. Farm buildings of such farms are not usually kept in good repair, as the farmer who is about to move will leave the repairs for the next tenant to make. The same reasons will apply for lack of interest by the 'unstable' farmer in the schools, churches and general welfare of the community. They move frequently; they do not remain on a farm long enough to get the best results from it, consequently they are usually in a poor financial condition."

BRITT SAYS HE DID; GUDGER SAYS HE DIDN'T; NOW WHAT?

Great Campaign Controversy up Over Drafting of the Parcel Post Bill.

Black Mountain, Oct. 8.—"When John A. Moon says that I did not chiefly draft the parcel post law, he utters an unqualified falsehood, and every person who repeats it after him likewise utters what is absolutely untrue." So declared James J. Britt here tonight during the course of his speech wherein he took occasion to reply to Congressman John A. Moon's statement, published in The Citizen today, in which Mr. Moon said that Mr. Britt had no part in drafting the parcel post law. Continuing his arraignment of Mr. Moon, Mr. Britt said:

"While advocating in one of my public speeches an extension of the parcel post, I incidentally stated that I had, under direction of the postmaster general, and the request of the senate committee on postoffices and post roads, chiefly drafted our present parcel post law. This statement Mr. Gudger challenged, and secured a letter from Hon. John A. Moon, chairman of the house committee on the postoffice and post roads, to the effect that I had nothing whatever to do with the drafting of that measure, which statement is absolutely untrue, and every time Mr. Gudger repeats it, he repeats that which has not in it a scintilla of truth."

BETTER BABIES CAMP.

It cost approximately \$950 to conduct the Better Babies' camp at Saluda, N. C., last summer, according to statements made yesterday by the officers of the organization. Of this amount approximately \$850 is in sight and the balance will be raised within the next few weeks. The baby hospital was established early in the summer by the Better Babies, Camp association and continued in operation until September 10. During the summer 27 babies and 16 mothers were cared for.—Spartanburg Herald.

WM. LORIMER INDICTED.

Chicago, Oct. 8.—William Lorimer, voted out of the United States senate after an investigation on the ground that he had not been legally elected, was indicted in Federal court today on a charge of misapplication of the funds of the LaSalle Street National bank, the forerunner of the defunct LaSalle Street Trust and Savings bank. Lorimer was president of both institutions.

The National Association of Coffee Roasters have set aside week of October 19th to 24th as

Coffee Week

I have on sale for this occassion one of the biggest lines of Coffee in Hendersonville.

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Any of these Coffees that are unsold next week will be sold the following week at the same price--These are absolutely good Coffees and should merit your attention.

M. M. SHEPHERD

Better Coffee for Less Price

WAS HE FROM HENDERSONVILLE, THE UNDERTAKER A DEVELOPER.

(Asheville Citizen.)

"I have heard some reasons assigned for not joining the board of trade in the last two days," said one of the workers yesterday, "but today I ran up against something entirely new in excuses. There is a man on Patton avenue—a business man—who does not belong to the board of trade, and his reason for not joining is probably the most unwise of any ever advanced under similar conditions. He says that the reason that he does not join the board of trade is that the organization is boosting Asheville to such an extent that it is growing too fast for the welfare of the city, and is bound to be hurt by too much boosting. For that reason he does not wish to add further funds to the resources of the board and declines to join. That sounds unreasonable, I know, but so does the fact that there is a business man on Patton avenue who is not a member of the board of trade."

ABOUT NORTH CAROLINA FARMS.

North Carolina has 253,725 farms; of this number 146,538 are operated by owners and managers and 107,287 by tenants.

Fifty-eight per cent of the farms of this State are operated by owners and managers and 42 per cent by tenants.

The farm home owners and managers of North Carolina cultivate 5,670,000 acres of land and the tenants till 3,113,000 acres in this state.

The value of the land and buildings of the tenant farms of this State is \$137,081,000; that of the home owners and managers is \$319,543,000.—Farmers' Union News Service.

BOSTON HOLDS CHAMPIONSHIP OF BASEBALL OF THE NATION.

Boston, Mass., Oct. 13.—The Boston National league club today completed the most sensational record in modern baseball history by defeating the Philadelphia Americans in the fourth and final game of the world's series at Fenway Park, 3 to 1.

Beginning with their rush from last place in the senior league in the middle of July, the Braves have broken traditions and records with speed and abandon. They emerged late today champions of the world, leaving a trail of startling surprises and upsets in their wake.

Last and far from the least of their accomplishments was the overthrow in four consecutive games of the world famous baseball machine of Connie Mack, with its hundred thousand dollar infield, home run heroes and corps of skillfully blended veteran and youthful pitching stars. Tonight the new champions, gathered under the management of George Stallings, are celebrating their ascent to the championship, while the wreck of the Athletics' baseball juggernaut is bound for home, stunned and stupefied.

spirited citizens in a movement for the upbuilding of their community or by their indifference snag an industrial enterprise.

It takes live men to build a community and there is no sadder sight in life than a few noble spirited citizens staggering under a load of dead timber. The undertaker is oftentimes a developer.

—Farmers' Union News Service.

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