

Names:

Anniston Wins

Huntsville Defeated

Evening Tribune

Places:

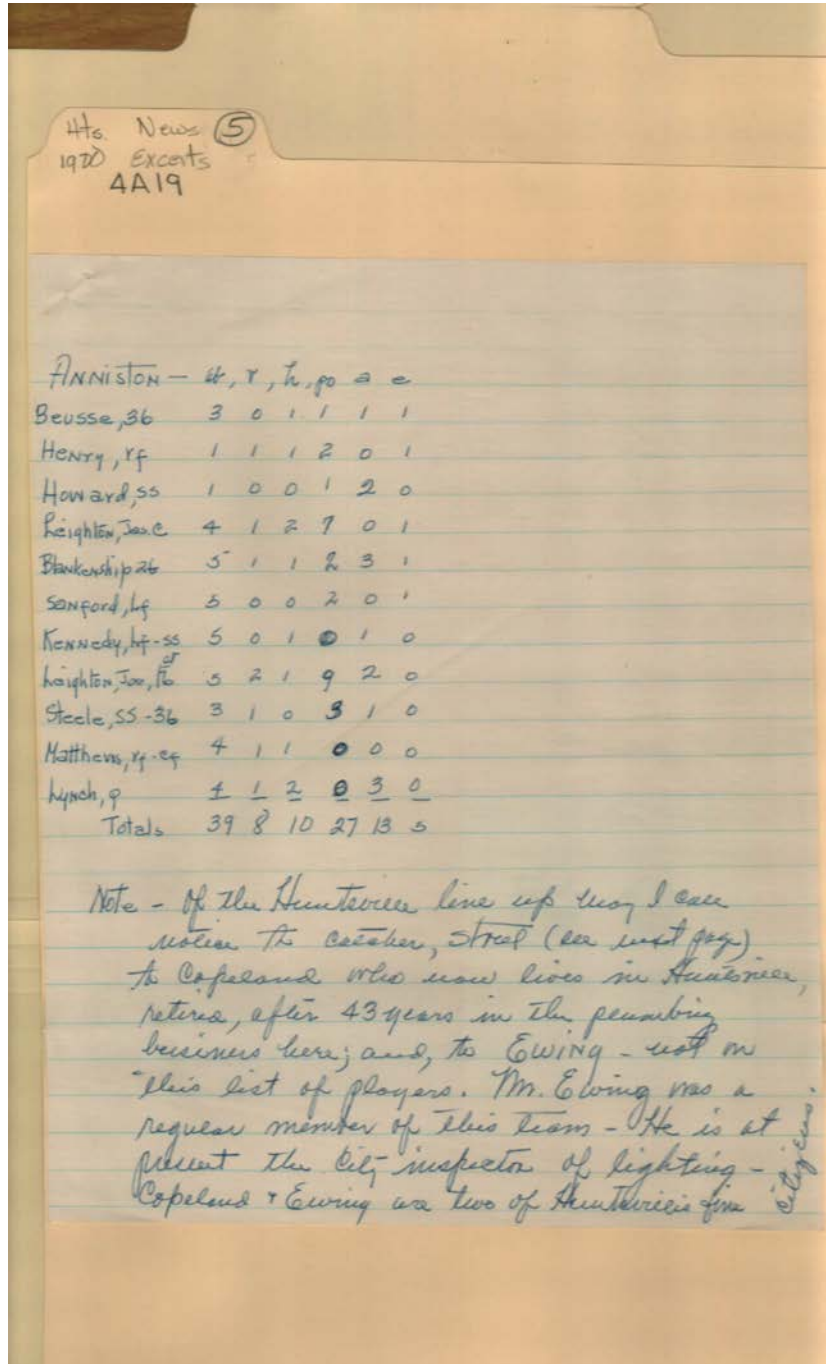
Huntsville, AL

Types:

notes

Dates:

Jul 29, 1902



Names:

Beusse,
Blankenship,
Copeland,
Ewing,

Henry,
Howard,
Huntsville Baseball
lineup

Kennedy,
Leighton, James
Leighton, Joe
Lynch,

Matthews,
Sanford,
Steele,
Street,

Places:

Huntsville, AL

Types:

notes

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Many of these players lived lives of prominence in Huntsville as, dentists, druggists, business men.

Huntsville	at	R	b	po	a	e
Hawk, cf	3	0	0	1	0	0
Miller, 1 st b	3	0	0	8	0	0
Lynsky, lf	4	0	1	2	1	1
Street, C	4	0	0	10	1	0
Green, 3b	4	0	1	1	3	1
Anderson, pb	2	1	0	3	2	0
Copeland, p-2b	2	0	0	0	3	1
Murphy, rf	3	0	0	1	0	0
Bomar, cf	3	0	0	2	0	0
Rushbrook, ss	3	0	1	2	2	2
Totals	31	1	3	27	10	7

Score by innings:
ANNISTON - 0 5 1 0 0 2 0 0 0 - 8
HUNTSVILLE - 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 - 1

SUMMARY
 Earned runs - Anniston 1
 Home base hits - Benzell
 Bases stolen - Lynch & Blankenship 2
 Struck out - Lynch 7, Copeland 2, Bomar 4
 Hit by pitcher - Leighton, Joe
 Wild pitch - Lynch
 Double plays - Benzell to Leighton - Howard to Leighton

→ This is "Gabby" Street
 First known to catch a ball dropped from top of Washington Monument.
 Also caught (and legend tells he lost it) and helped make the great Walter Johnson.
 All base ball fans of even a few years ago know Gabby's
 Umpire Watkins

Names:

Anderson,
Bomar,
Copeland,

Green,
Hawk,
Johnson, Walter

Lynsky,
Miller,
Murphy,

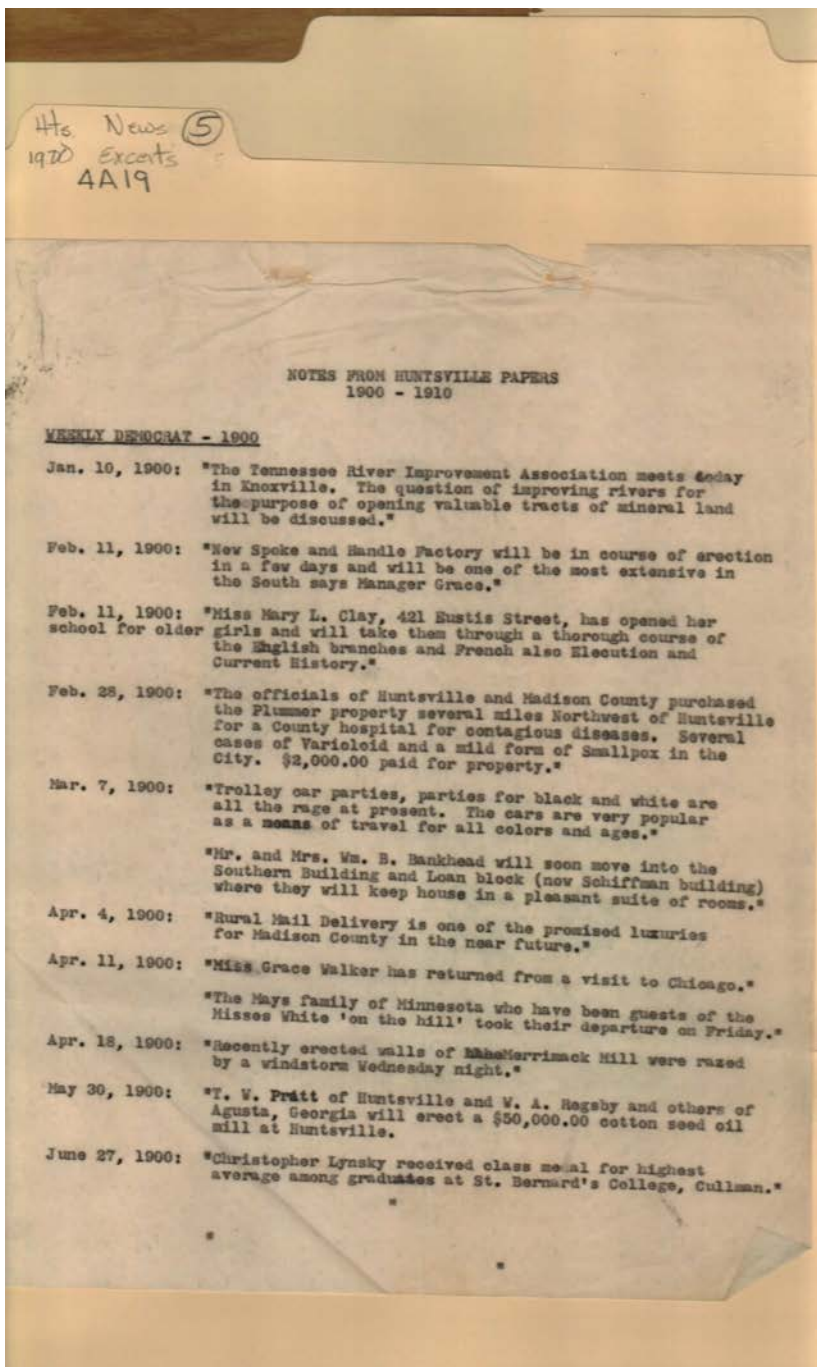
Rushbrook,
Street, Gabby
Watkins, Umpire

Types:

notes

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Names:

Bankhead, William B.
Clay, Mary L.
Grace,

Lynsky, Christopher
Mays,
Pratt, T. W.

Regsby, W. A.
Spoke and Handle
Factory

Walker, Grace, Miss
White, Miss
Weekly Democrat

Places:

Huntsville, AL

Types:

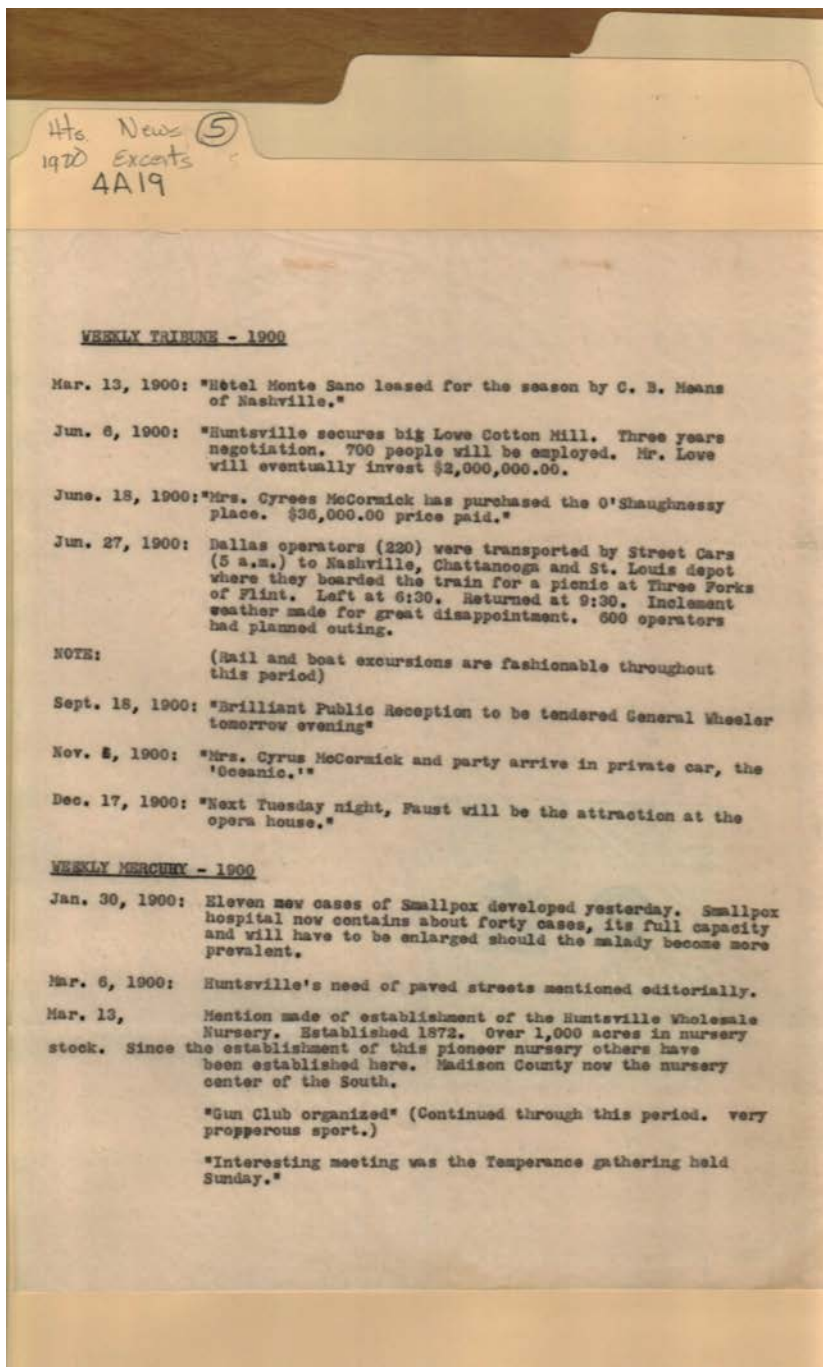
notes

Dates:

1900

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Names:

Lowe,
McCormick, Cyrus,
Mrs.

Means, C. B.
Smallpox develops
Wheeler, General

Weekly Mercury
Weekly Tribune

Places:

Huntsville, AL

Types:

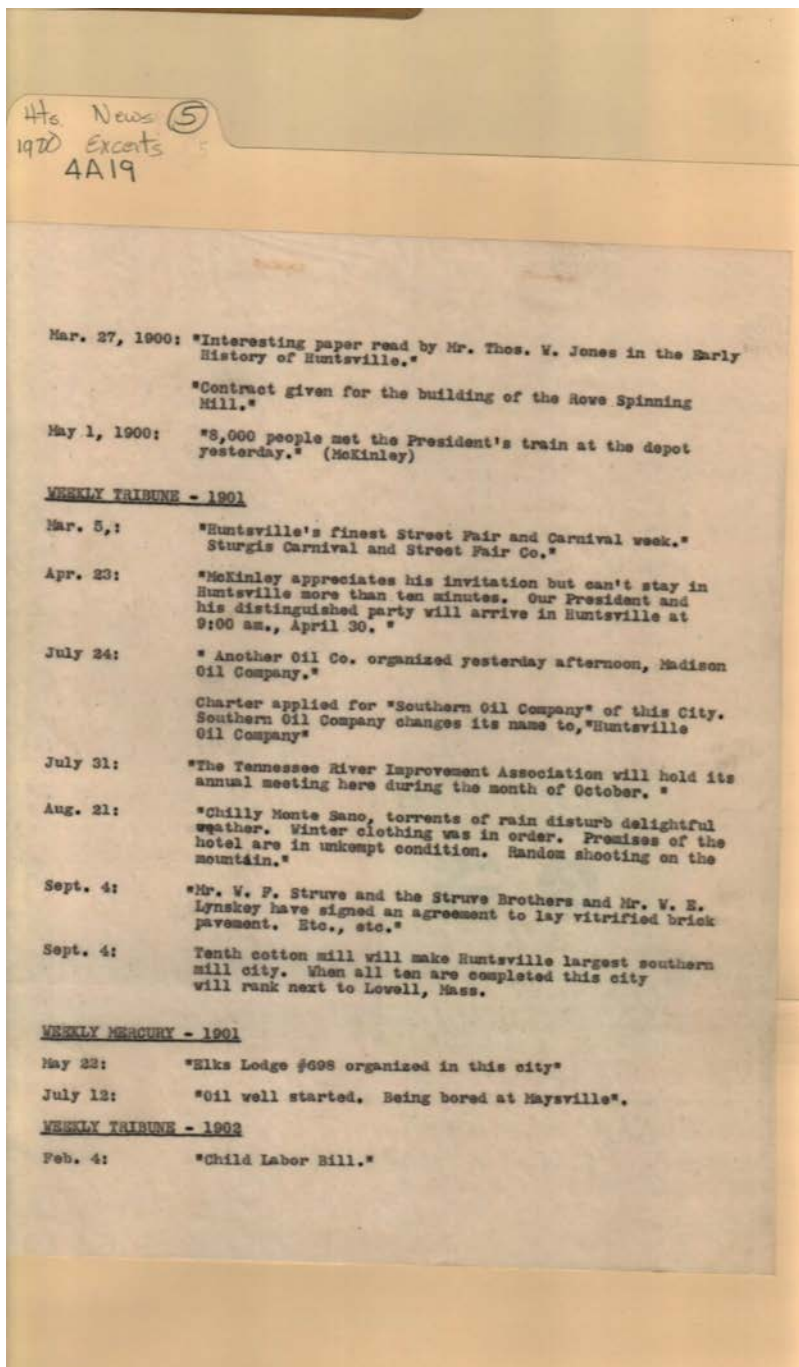
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Dates:

1900

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Names:

Jones, Thomas W.
Lynskey, W. E.

McKinley Visit
Struve, W. F.

Weekly Mercury
Weekly Tribune

Places:

Huntsville, AL

Types:

notes

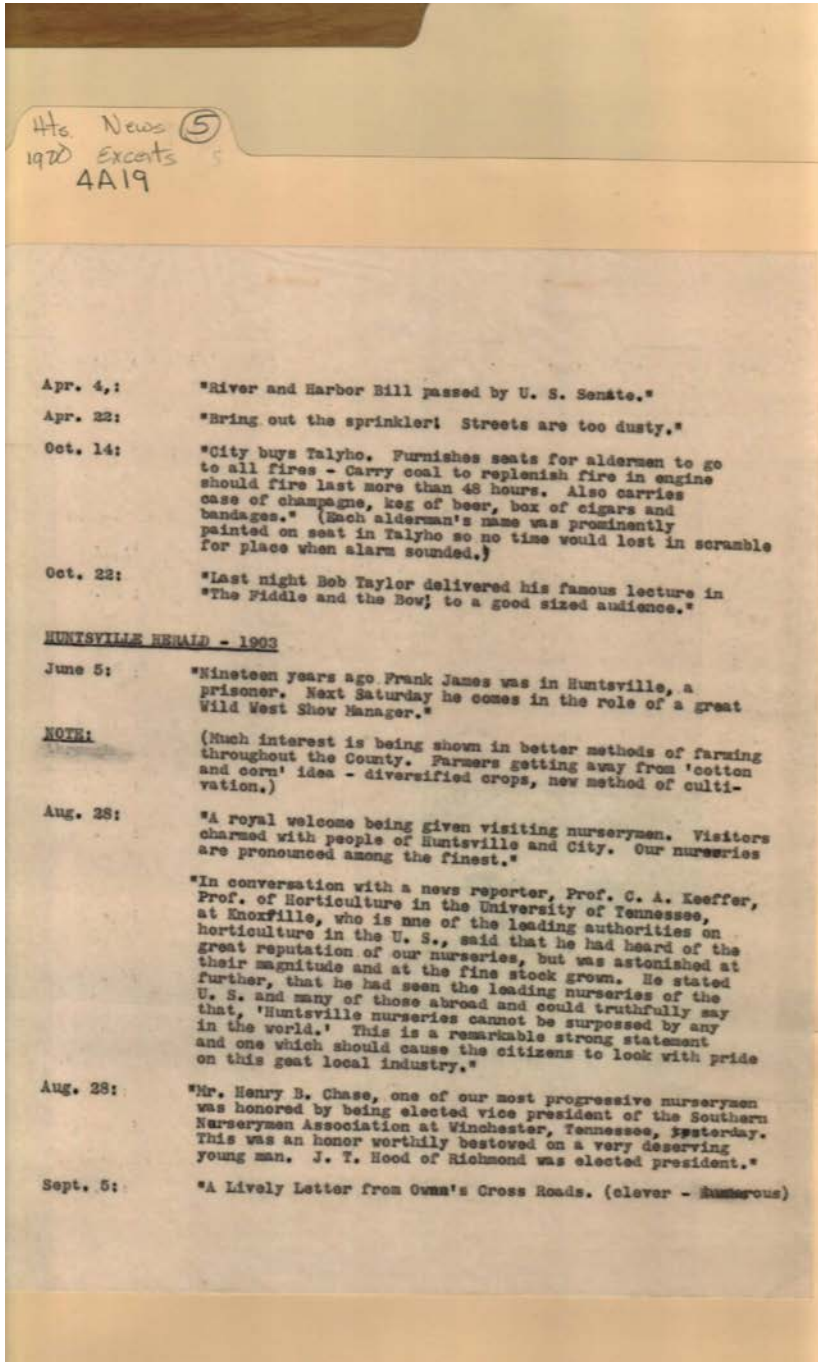
Dates:

1900

1901

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Names:

Chase, Henry B.
Hood, J. T.

James, Frank
Keeffer, C. A., Prof.

Taylor, Bob
Huntsville Herald

Places:

Huntsville, AL

Types:

notes

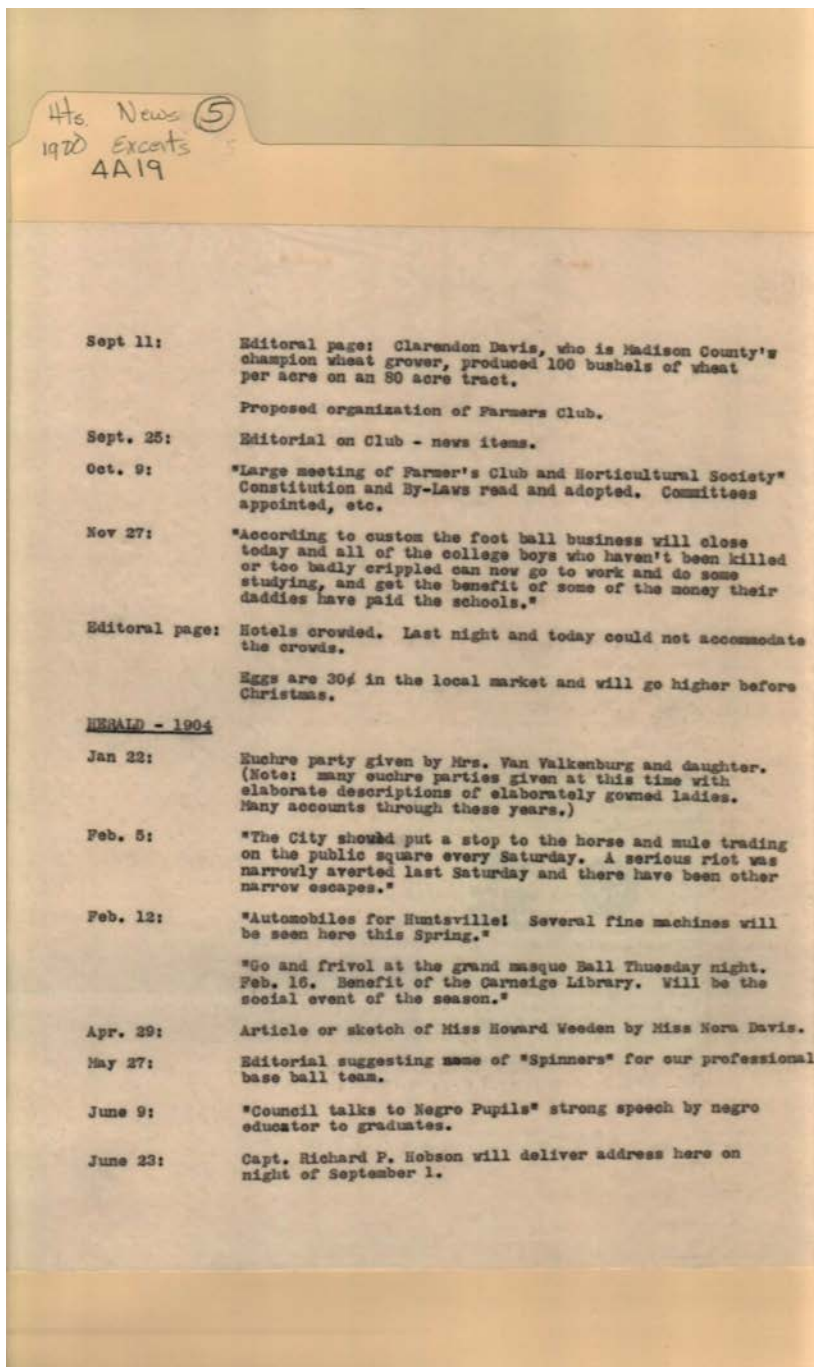
Dates:

1901

1903

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Names:

Davis, Clarendon
Davis, Nora, Miss

Hobson, Richard, P.,
Capt.
Van Valkenburg, Mrs.

Weeden, Howard,
Miss
Herald

Places:

Huntsville, AL

Types:

notes

Dates:

1903

1904

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4A19

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Names:

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Carneige, Mr.
Chase, Herbert S.
Field, Al G.

Griffity, John
Hall, Virginia
Hundly,
Menke,

Ripley, Louise, Miss
Sleaver,
Stevens,
Street,

Weekly Democrat
Weekly Mercury

Places:

Huntsville, AL

Types:

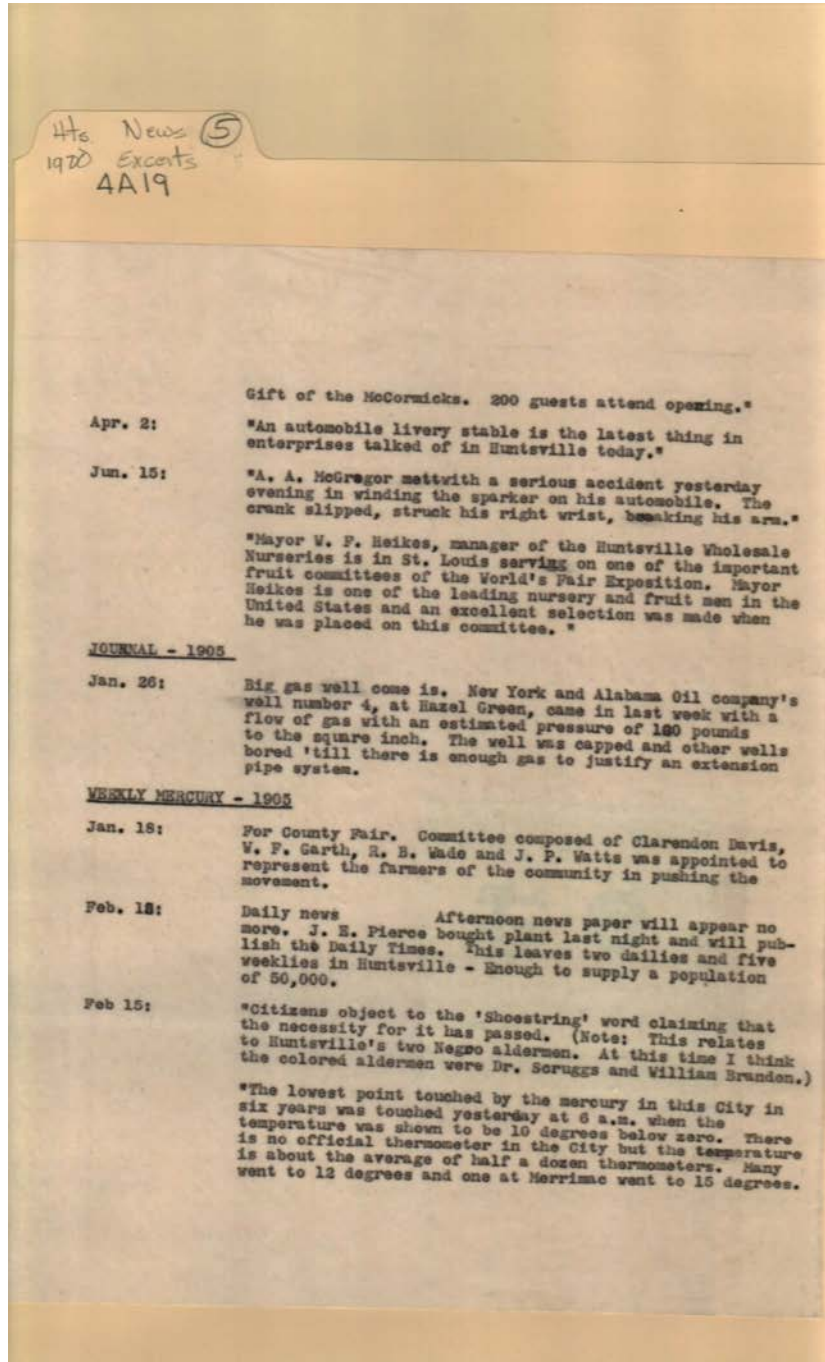
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Dates:

1904

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Names:

Brandon, William
Davis, Clarendon
Garth, W. F.

Heikes, W. F., Mayor
McCormick,
McGregor, A. A.

Pierce, J. E.
Scruggs, Dr.
Wade, R. B.

Watts, J. P.
Journal
Weekly Mercury

Places:

Huntsville, AL

Types:

notes

Dates:

1904

1905

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446 News 5
1900 Excerpts
4A19

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Names:

Condor, Prof.
Hundly, Oscar, R.,
Mrs.

Matt, Uncle
Somers, Joe
Spragins, Senator

Webb, Prof.
Weeden, Howard,
Miss

Places:

Huntsville, AL

Types:

notes

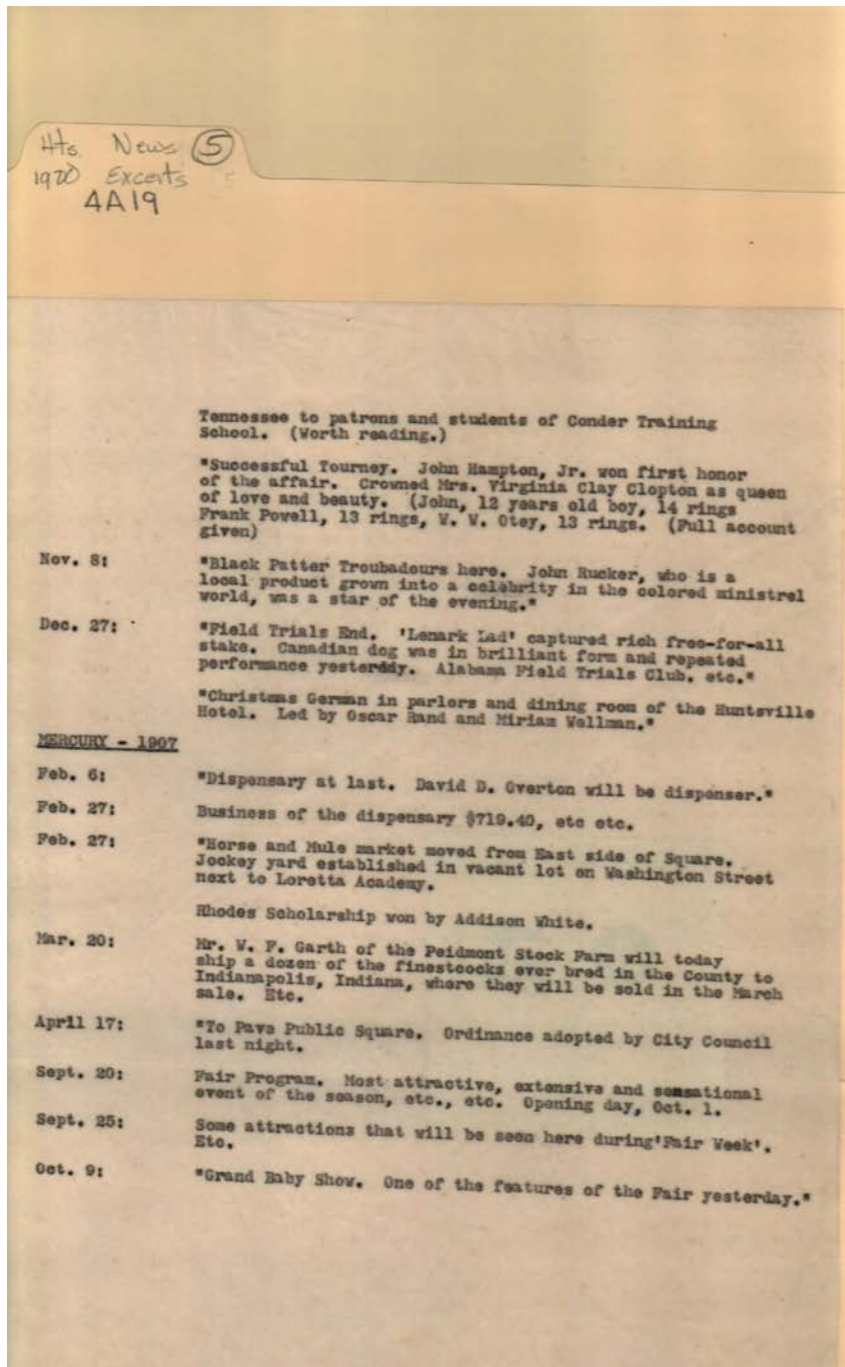
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Names:

Clopton, Virginia
Clay
Garth, W. F.

Hampton, John, Jr.
Otey, W. W.
Overton, David D.

Powell, Frank
Rand, Oscar
Rucker, John

Wellman, Miriam
White, Addison

Places:

Huntsville, AL

Types:

notes

Dates:

1905

Hts. News (5)
1900 Excerpts
4A19

Oct. 9: Big Fair closed.

Nov. 20: Opening of Elks Theatre to the public last night.

"New Elks Theatre. The initial performance in this elegant building will be next Thursday night. Oscar Figman in the 'Lightning Conductor.'"

Names:

Figman, Oscar

Places:

Huntsville, AL

Types:

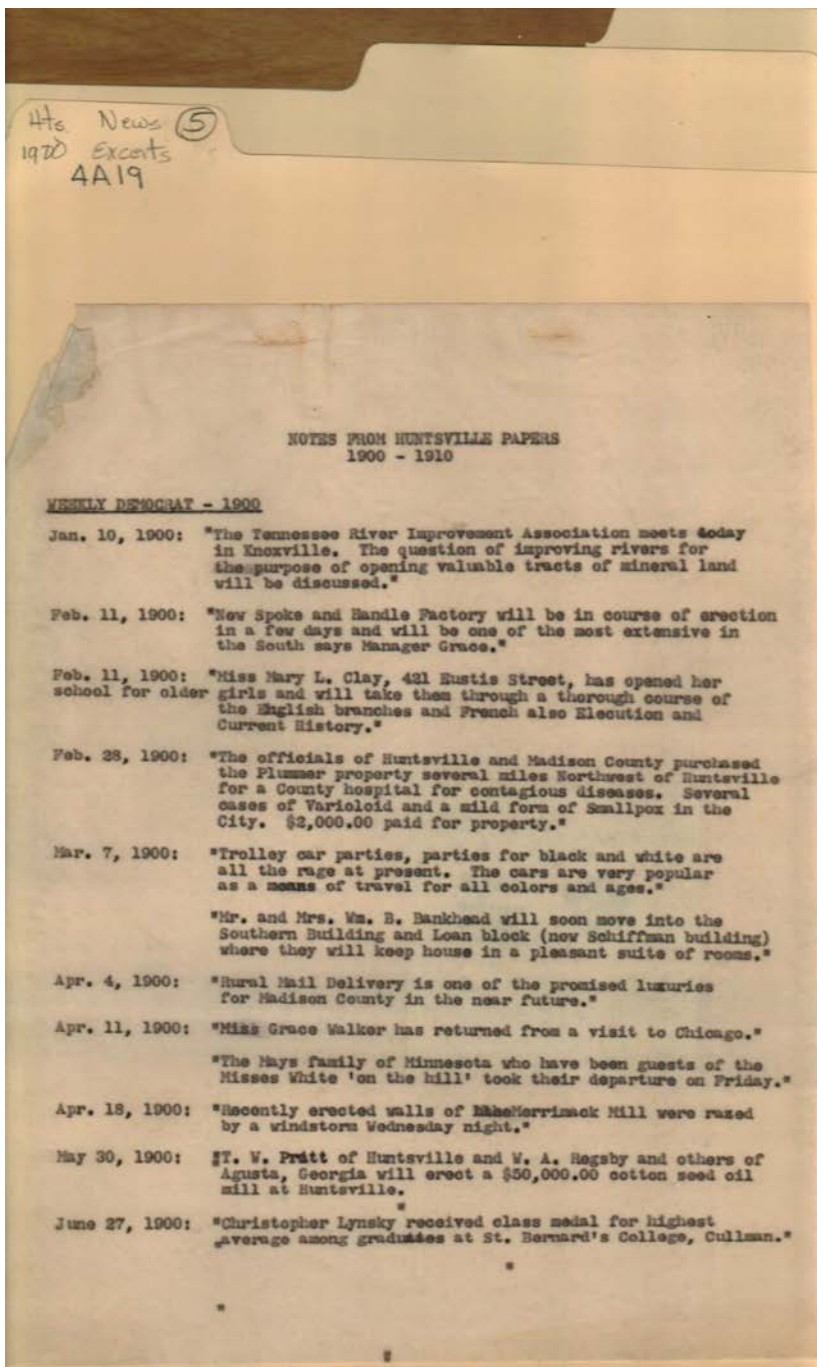
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1905

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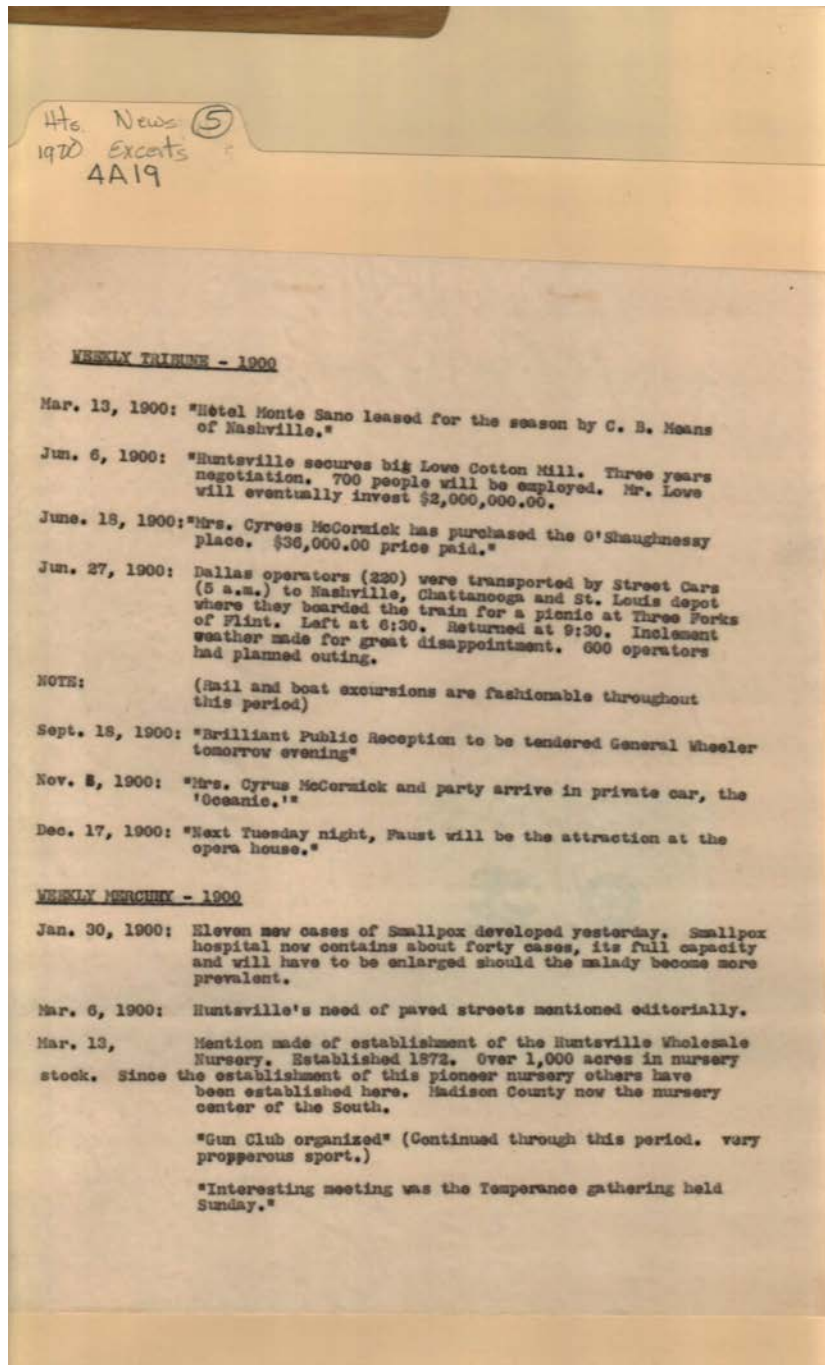
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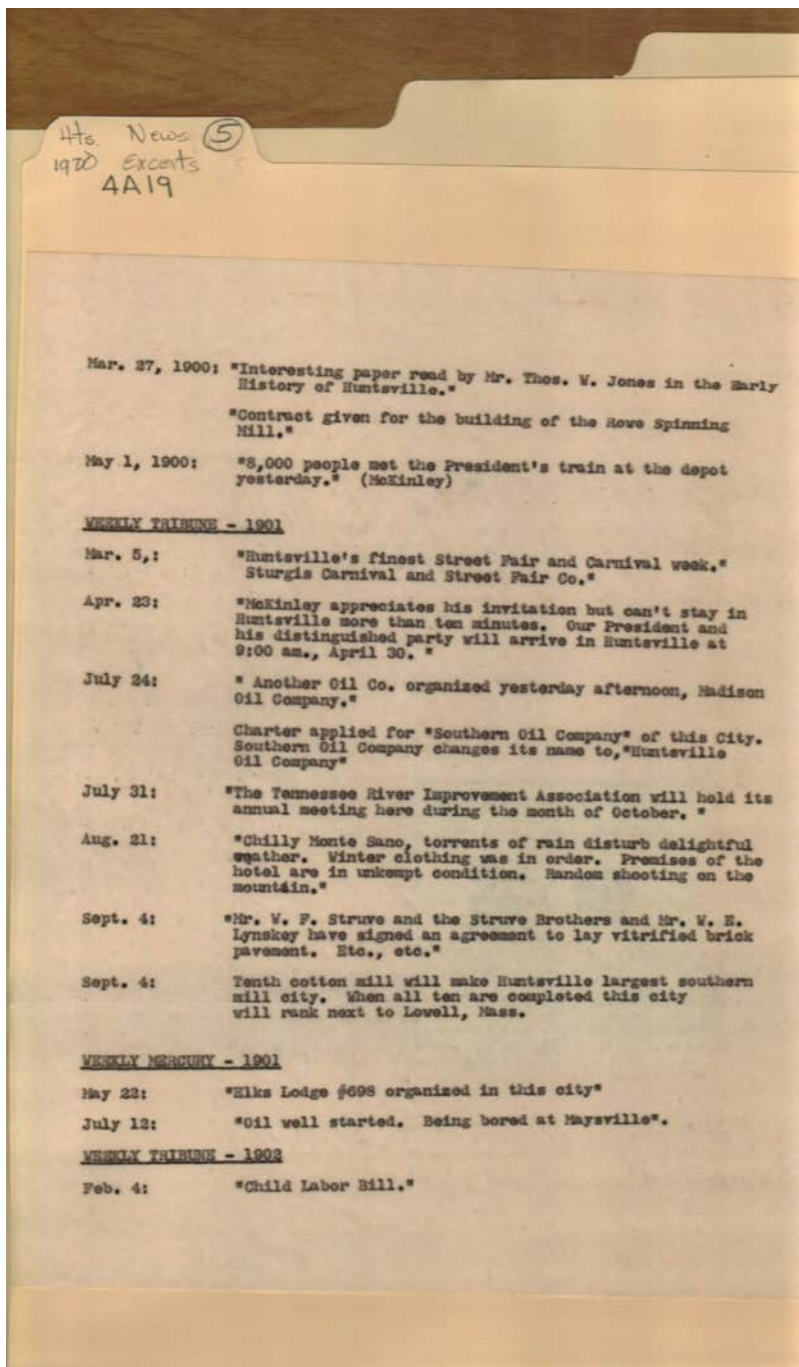
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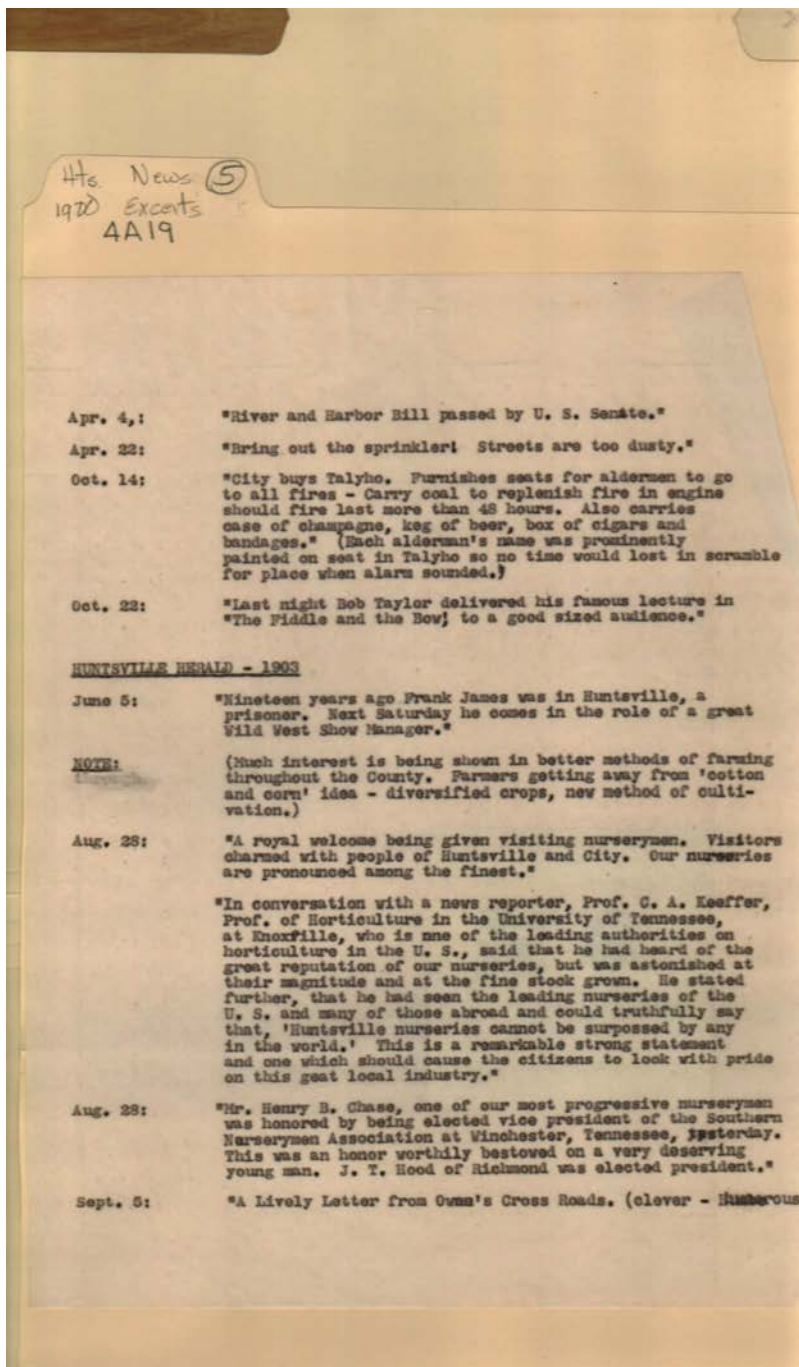
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44c News (5)
1970 Excerpts
4A19

Sept 11: Editorial page: Clarendon Davis, who is Madison County's champion wheat grower, produced 100 bushels of wheat per acre on an 80 acre tract.
Proposed organization of Farmers Club.

Sept. 25: Editorial on Club - news items.

Oct. 9: "Large meeting of Farmer's Club and Horticultural Society" Constitution and By-Laws read and adopted. Committees appointed, etc.

Nov 27: "According to custom the foot ball business will close today and all of the college boys who haven't been killed or too badly crippled can now go to work and do some studying, and get the benefit of some of the money their daddies have paid the schools."

Editorial page: Hotels crowded. Last night and today could not accommodate the crowds.
Eggs are 30¢ in the local market and will go higher before Christmas.

HERALD - 1904

Jan 23: Euchre party given by Mrs. Van Valkenburg and daughter. (Note: many euchre parties given at this time with elaborate descriptions of elaborately gowned ladies. Many accounts through these years.)

Feb. 5: "The City should put a stop to the horse and mule trading on the public square every Saturday. A serious riot was narrowly averted last Saturday and there have been other narrow escapes."

Feb. 12: "Automobiles for Huntsville! Several fine machines will be seen here this Spring."
"Go and frivel at the grand masque Ball Tuesday night. Feb. 16. Benefit of the Carneige Library. Will be the social event of the season."

Apr. 29: Article or sketch of Miss Howard Weeden by Miss Nora Davis.

May 27: Editorial suggesting name of "Spinners" for our professional base ball team.

June 9: "Council talks to Negro Pupils" strong speech by negro educator to graduates.

June 23: Capt. Richard P. Hobson will deliver address here on night of September 1.

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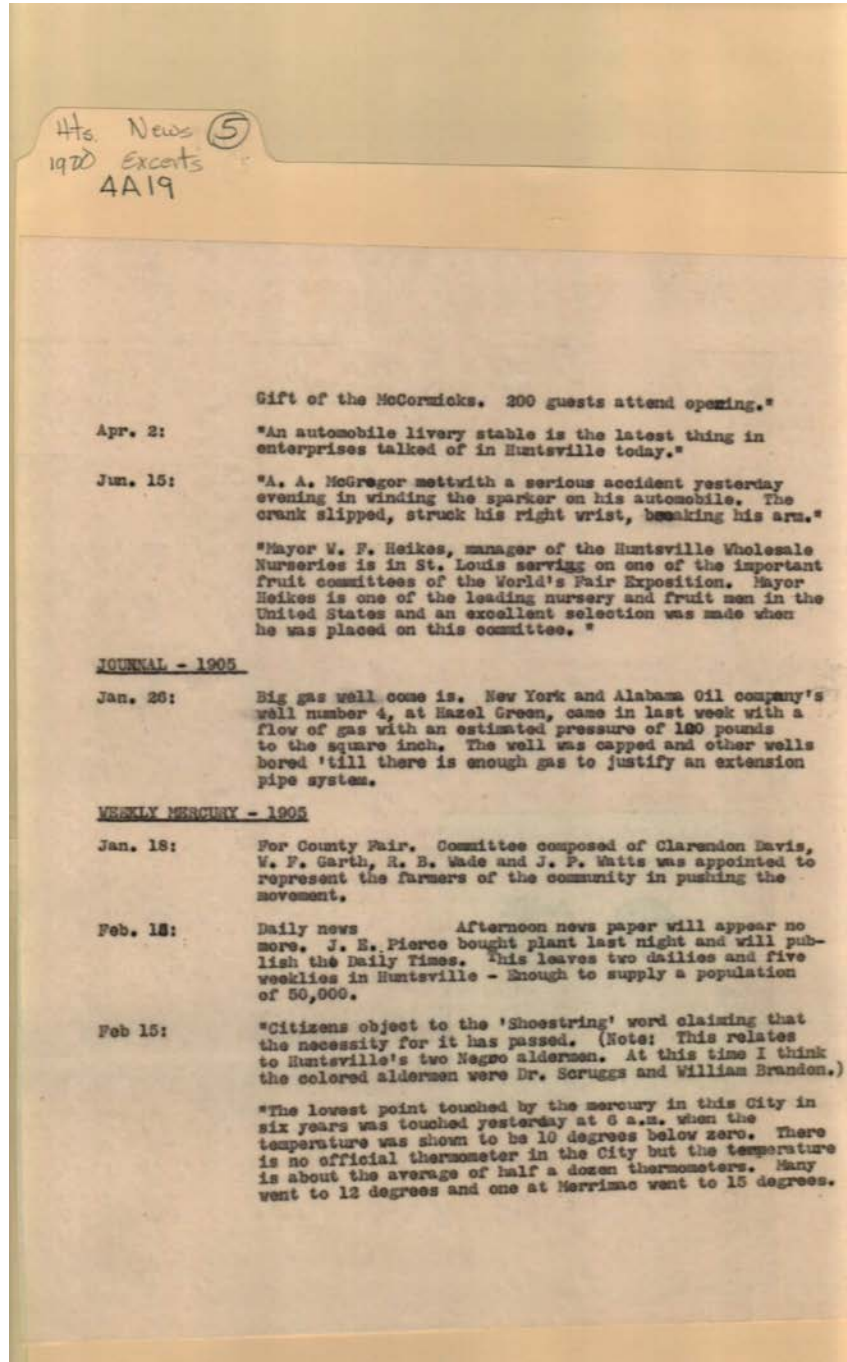
WEEKLY MERCURY - 1904

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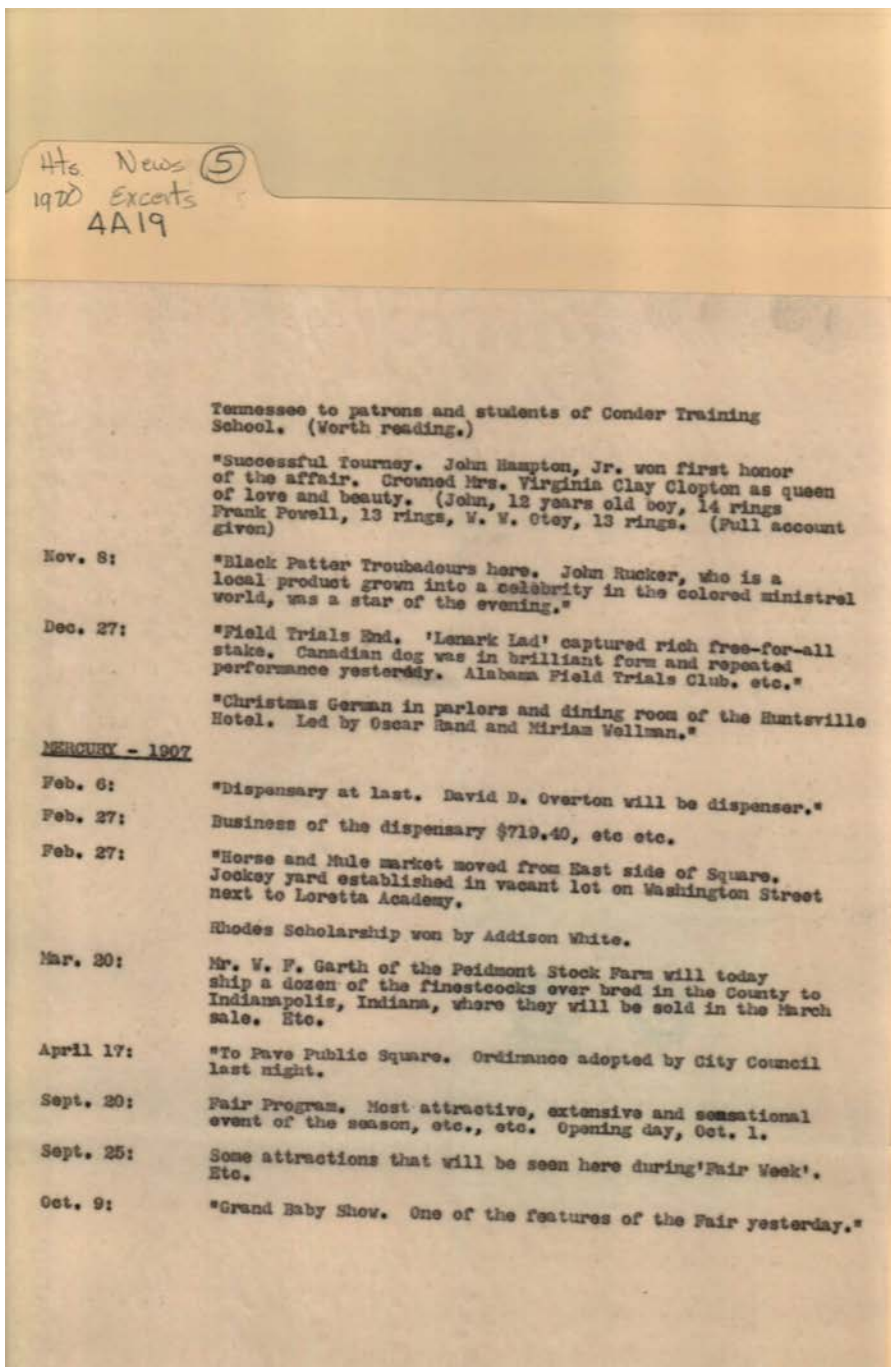
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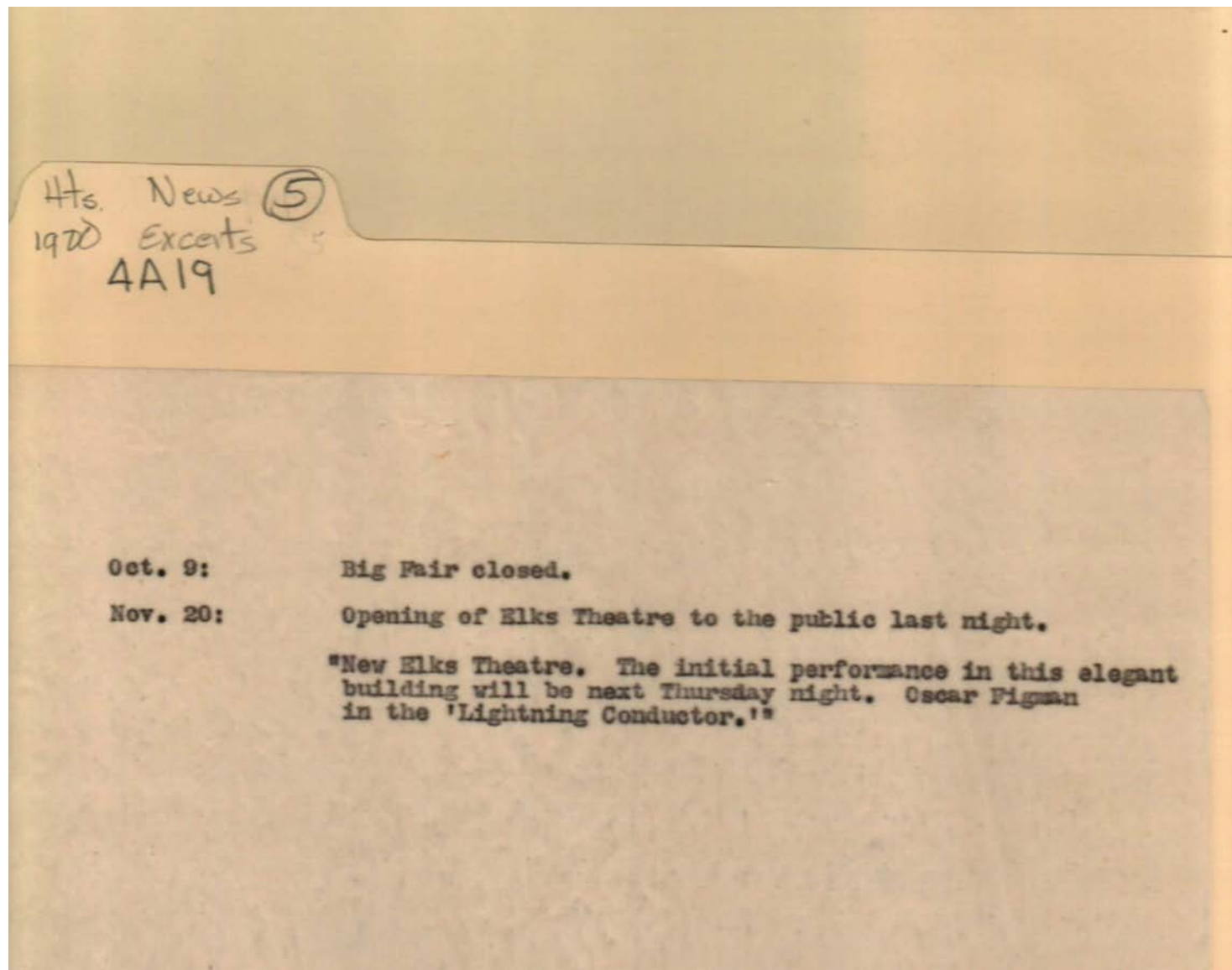
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1861 - 1875

<u>Date</u>	<u>Event</u>	<u>Reference</u>
Jan. 26, 1867	Issuance of Bonds for \$1,000 for purchase of land for Poor House approved by act.	Archives p. 324
1867	Construction began on Methodist Church Bldg. (Previously burned by Federal forces in 1864).	Same
May 22, 1868	North Alabama Bar Association had organizational meeting in Huntsville	
October 1868	Big Ku Klux Klan Parade in Huntsville	
1870	Population of Huntsville 4,907 - Madison County 31,267	Folder 6
March 3, 1870	New City Charter granted	Archives p. 327
February 17, 1871	City limits extended to 2 miles from Square	Same
1872	Major Heikes comes to Huntsville to establish nursery business - Beginning of this important business in the area, associated with Mrs. Moss.	Folder
1872	David P. Lewis, Radical from Huntsville elected Governor of State	
Dec. 9, 1873	Provision made by State legislature for the formation of a colored Normal School at Huntsville	Archives p. 337

Names:

Heikes, Major

Lewis, David P.,
Governor

Methodist Church
rebuilt

Types:

notes

Dates:

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Hts News (5)
 1920 Excerpts
 4A19

<u>Date</u>	<u>Event</u>	<u>Reference</u>
Jan. 31, 1883	City was empowered to improve various types of commercial licenses	Archives page 338
April 26, 1884	Frank James trial (colorful event)	Folder 7
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March 17, 1886	North Alabama Improvement Co. chartered - leaders in Huntsville's development in the 1880's.	
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1887	Electric light plant operated by Charles Thomas on Miller St.	Folder 7
1887	New Huntsville Post Office authorized corner Rustis, Greene and Randolph.	Folder 7
1887	Building of Randolph St. Church of Christ begun.	Folder 7
May 5, 1887	Huntsville Building & Loan Assn. formed	Folder 7
June 1, 1887	Hotel Monte Sano opened. Opening Grand ball with band.	Folder 7
1888	J. D. Humphrey Drug Co. organized - (still in existence).	
Dec. 12, 1888	New Charter for city amended Feb. 11, 1889	
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Names:

Chase,
 Humphrey, J. D.

Hutchens, W. T.
 James, Frank

Monte Sano Hotel
 opened

Thomas, Charles

Types:

notes

Dates:

1883

1887

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4th News (5)
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4A19

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Dec. 13, 1888	New Charter for city amended Feb. 11, 1889	
Oct. 31, 1889	Chase Brothers bought 400 acres of land and incorporated under name Ala. Nursery Co.	Folder 8

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1875 - 1890

<u>Date</u>	<u>Event</u>	<u>Reference</u>
Feb. 25, 1876	City limits reduced to 1 1/2 miles from square	Archives p. 337
March 3, 1876	North Alabama Immigration Society incorporated at Huntsville to bring new people to state.	Same
1878	William Manning Lowe colorful political figure in Greenback movement	Folder 8
1878	Opening of negro Normal school under the leadership of William Council noted negro educator.	
1879	G. H. and W. L. Halsey Grocery Co. organized (still in existence.)	
1879	J. B. and D. T. Harrison Hardware organized on the south side of Square. (Still in existence.)	
1880	Huntsville Census - 4,977 - Madison Co. 37,625	
1881	Huntsville Cotton Mill Co. organized with capital stock of \$100,000. Run by steam power. A. S. Fletcher, president, E. L. Pulley, treasurer, Col. W. W. Garth, General Samuel N. Moore, Mr. Luke Matthews, directors. Manufactured thread.	Textile Folder
1881	Considerable coal mining carried on on Monte Sano.	Folder 7
1883		

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Names:

Council, William
 Fletcher, A. S.
 Garth, W. W., Colonel
 Halsey, C. H.

Halsey, W. L.
 Harrison, D. T.
 Harrison, J. B.

Lowe, William
 Manning
 Matthews, Luke

Moore, Samuel N.,
 General
 Pulley, R. L.

Types:

notes

Dates:

1875-1890

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1875 - 1890

<u>Date</u>	<u>Event</u>	<u>Reference</u>
Feb. 25, 1876	City limits reduced to 1/2 miles from square	Archives p. 537
March 3, 1876	North Alabama Immigration Society incorporated at Huntsville to bring new people to state.	Same
1878	William Manning Love colorful political figure in Greenback movement	Folder 6
1878	Opening of negro Normal school under the leadership of William Council noted negro educator.	
1879	C. H. and W. L. Halsey Grocery Co. organized (still in existence.)	
1879	J. B. and D. T. Harrison Hardware organized on the south side of Square. (Still in existence.)	
1880	Huntsville Census - 4,977 - Madison Co. 37,625	
1881	Huntsville Cotton Mill Co. organized with capital stock of \$100,000. Run by steam power. A. S. Fletcher, president, R. L. Pulley, treasurer, Col. W. W. Garth, General Samuel H. Moore, Mr. Luke Matthews, directors. Manufactured thread.	Textile Folder
1881	Considerable coal mining carried on on Hoto Run.	Folder 7
1883		

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1875 - 1890

<u>Date</u>	<u>Event</u>	<u>Reference</u>
Feb. 25, 1876	City limits reduced to $1\frac{1}{2}$ miles from square	Archives p. 337
March 3, 1876	North Alabama Immigration Society incorporated at Huntsville to bring new people to state.	Same
1878	William Manning Love colorful political figure in Greenback movement	Folder 6
1878	Opening of negro Normal school under the leadership of William Council noted negro educator.	
1879	C. H. and W. L. Halsey Grocery Co. organized (still in existence.)	
1879	J. B. and D. T. Harrison Hardware organized on the south side of Square. (Still in existence.)	
1880	Huntsville Census - 4,977 - Madison Co. 37,425	
1881	Huntsville Cotton Mill Co. organized with capital stock of \$1,000,000. Run by steam power. A. S. Fishers, president, E. L. Fuller, treasurer, Col. W. W. Garth, General Samuel H. Moore, Mr. John Matthews, directors. Manufactured thread.	Textile Folder
1881	Considerable coal mining carried on on North End.	Folder 7
1883		

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1861 - 1875

<u>Date</u>	<u>Event</u>	<u>Reference</u>
Jan. 26, 1867	Issuance of Bonds for \$1,000 for purchase of land for Poor House approved by act.	Archives p. 324
1867	Construction began on Methodist Church Bldg. (Previously burned by Federal forces in 1864).	Same
May 22, 1868	North Alabama Bar Association had organizational meeting in Huntsville	
October 1868	Big Ku Klux Klan Parade in Huntsville	
1870	Population of Huntsville 4,907 - Madison County 31,267	Folder 6
March 3, 1870	New City Charter granted	Archives p. 327
February 17, 1871	City limits extended to 2 miles from Square	Same
1872	Major Heikes comes to Huntsville to establish nursery business - Beginning of this important business in the area, associated with Mrs. Moss.	Folder
1872	David P. Lewis, Radical from Huntsville elected Governor of State	
Dec. 9, 1873	Provision made by State legislature for the formation of a colored Normal School at Huntsville	Archives p. 337

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Names:

Heikes, Major
 Lewis, David P.

Methodist Church
 built

Moss, Mrs.

New Huntsville
 Charter

Types:

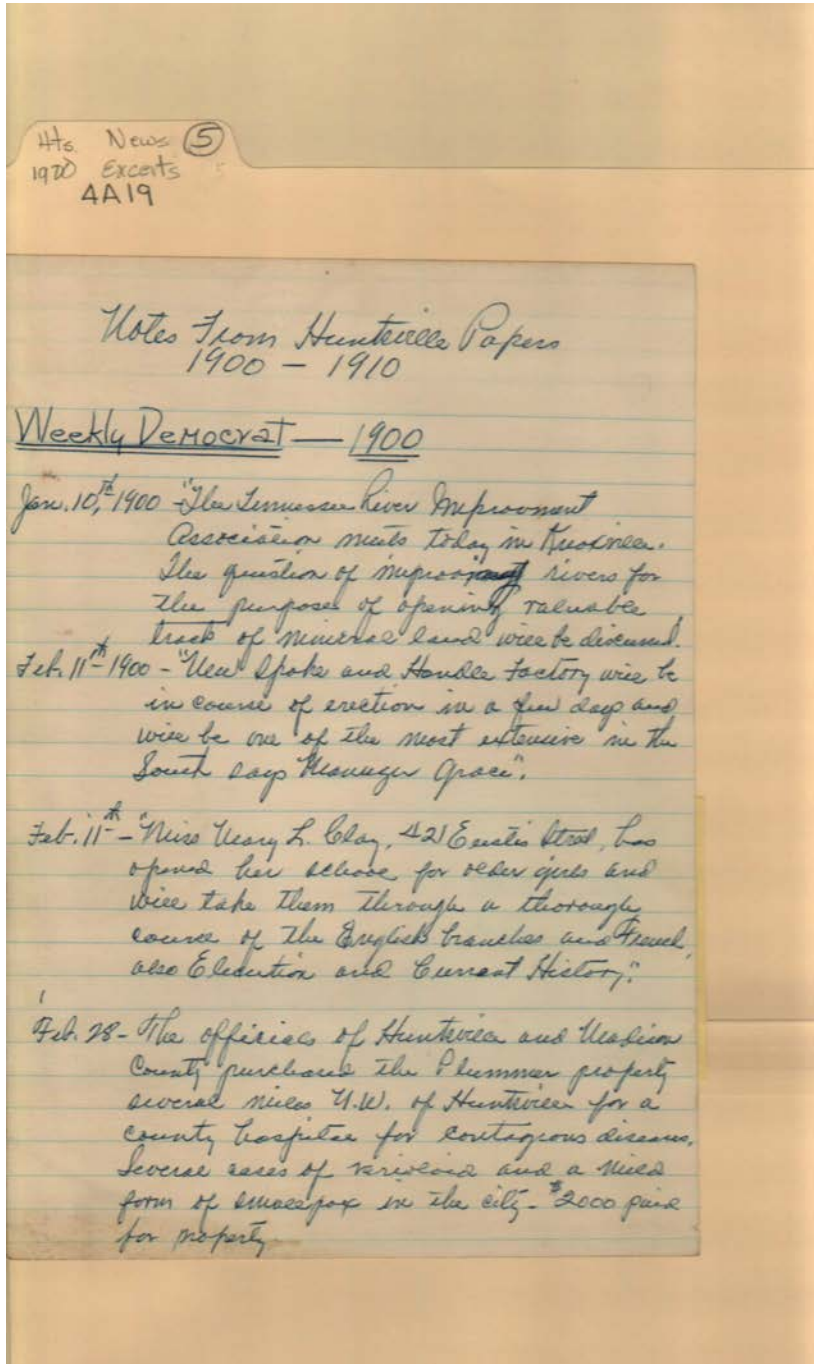
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Dates:

1861-1875

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Names:

Clay, Mary L.
Huntsville Papers

Spoke and Handle
Factory

Weekly Democrat

Types:

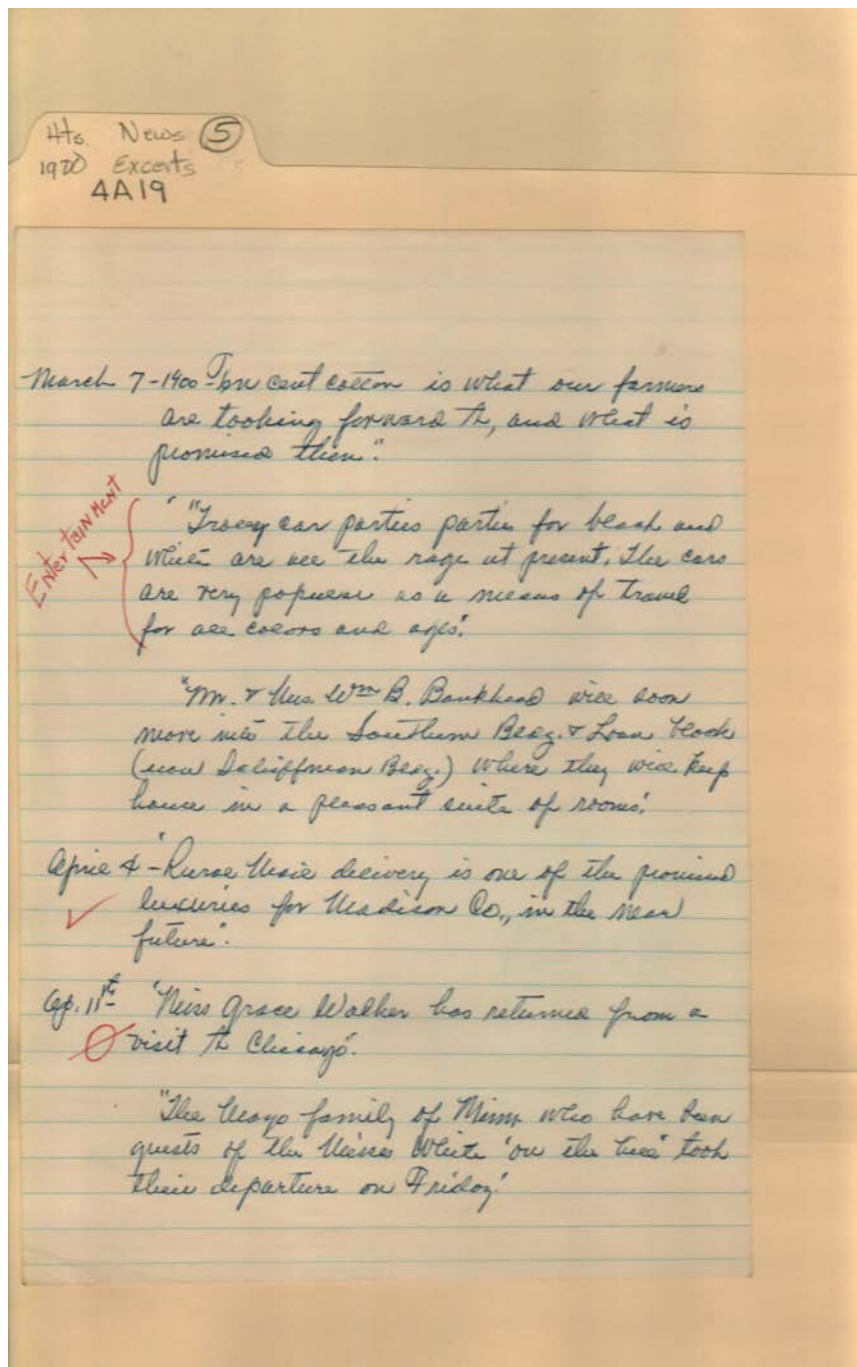
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Names:

Bankhead, William B.

Mimms,

Walker, Grace, Miss

White, Miss

Types:

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Hts. News (5)
1920 Excerpts
4A19

Apr. 18 - "Recently erected masts of the Tennessee tower were razed by a wind storm Wed. night."

May 30 - "T. W. Pratt, of Huntsville, and W. A. Regsby and Plans of Aqueduct, Ga. will erect a \$50,000 cotton seed oil mill at Huntsville."

June 27 - "Christopher Lynsky received class medal for highest average among graduates at St. Bernard's College - Cusseta."
sports

Weekly Tribune - 1900

March 13 - "Hotel Montedano leased for the season by C. B. Means of U.S. Hotel."
Cotton

June 6th - "Huntsville secures big Lowe, Miss. Stern years negotiation - 700 people will be employed. Mr. Lowe will contribute \$2,000,000."
Cotton

June 13 - "Mrs. Cyrus W. McCormick has purchased the Oldburgh messy place - \$36,000 price paid."
ET

June 27 - "Dances operators (220) were transported by street cars (5 AM) to U.S. Hotel - Chest. &

Names:

Lowe,
Lynsky, Christopher

McCormick, Cyrus,
Mrs.
Means, C. B.

Monte Sano Hotel
open
Pratt, T. W.

Regsby, W. B.

Types:

notes

Dates:

1900

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The News ⑤
1900 Excerpts
4A19

(St. Louis depot where they boarded the train for a picnic at Three Forks of Flint. Left at 6:30. Returned at 9:30. Unpleasant weather made for great disappointment. G.O. operation had planned outing.

Cont. (Raic and boat excursions are fashionable through out this period)

Sept. 18 - "Brilliant Public Reception to be tendered General Wheeler tomorrow evening."

Nov. 6th - "Mrs. Cyrus W. Cornick and party arrive in private car, the "Oceanic".

Reg. (17th "Next Tuesday night, Faust will be the attraction at the opera house"

Weekly Mercury - 1900

Jan. 30th - Eleven new cases of small pox developed yesterday. Small pox hospital now contains about forty cases, its full capacity, and will have to be enlarged should the disease become more prevalent.

Names:

McCormick, Cyrus,
Mrs.

Smallpox develops
Wheeler, General

Weekly Mercury

Types:

notes

Hts. News 5
1920 Excerpts
4A19

March 6 - Huntsville's need of food stocks mentioned
editorially.

March 13 - Mention made of establishment of the
Huntsville Wholesale Nursery - Established
1872. Over 10000 in Nursery stock. Since
the establishment of this pioneer Nursery
others have been established here. Madison
County now the Nursery center of the
South.

Local
Excerpt
Sports

"Gun Club organized" (continues through
this period. Very popular sport.)

"Interesting meeting was the Temperance
question held Sunday"

March 21 - Interesting paper read by Mr. Tho.
W. Jones on the Early History of Hamilton.
"Contract given for the building of the new
Spinning House."

May 1 - "8000 people met the President's train
at the depot yesterday" (M³K.)

Names:

Huntsville Wholesale
Nursery

Jones, Thomas W.
McKinley, President

Types:

notes

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Weekly Tribune - 1901

March 5 - Huntsville's first Street Fair and Carnival
Ent Week - Sturgis Carnival and Street Fair Co.

April 23 - Mr. Kaulay appreciates his invitation but
can't stay in Huntsville more than ten minutes.
✓ Our President and his distinguished party
will arrive in Huntsville at 9:00 AM, Apr 30.

July 24 - Medison Oil Co. organized yesterday afternoon
"Medison Oil Company".

Charters appear for - "Southern Oil Company"
of this city. - So. Oil Co. changes its name
to, "Huntsville Oil Company".

July 31 - "The Tenn. River Improvement Association" will
hold its annual meeting here during the
month of October.

Aug. 21 - "Chill, North Snow," torrents of rain
disturb delightful weather. Winter clothing
was in order. Premises of the Hotel are in
immaculate condition. Random shooting on
the mountain.

Names:

McKinley, President

Weekly Tribune

Types:

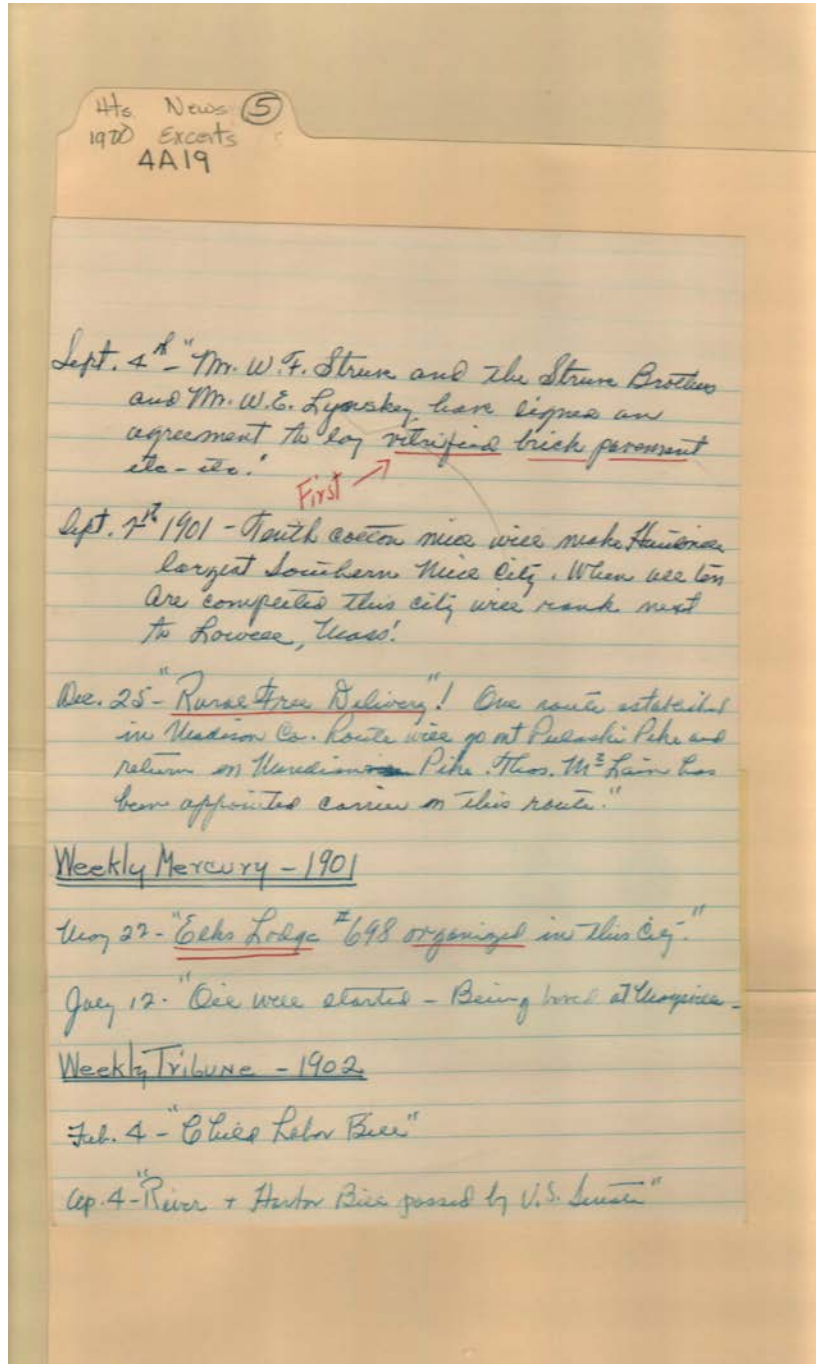
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Dates:

1901

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Names:

Lynskey, W. E.

McLain, Thomas

Struve, W. F.

Weekly Mercury

Types:

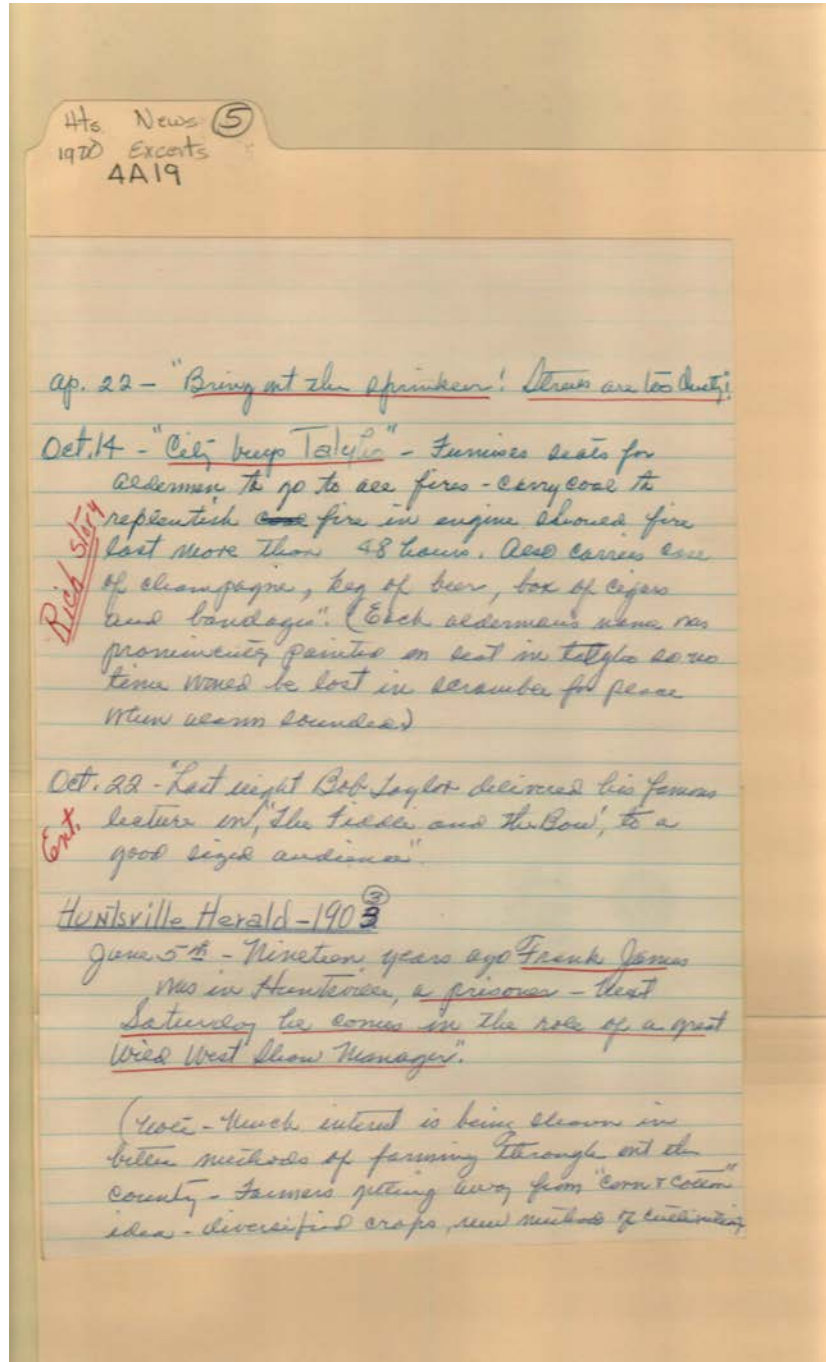
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Dates:

1901

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Names:

James, Frank

Taylor, Bob

Huntsville Herald

Types:

notes

Dates:

1903

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Hts. News (5)
1920 Excerpts
4A19

Aug. 28 - "A Royal Welcome" being given visiting nursery men - Visitors climbed with papers of Huntsville and city. Our nurseries are pronounced among the finest.

In conversation with a news reporter, Prof. C. A. Kieffer, Prof. of Horticulture in the Univ. of Tennessee, at Knoxville, who is one of the leading authorities on Hort. in the U.S., said that he had heard of the great reputation of our nurseries, but was astonished at their magnitude and at the fine stock grown. He stated further, that he had seen the leading nurseries of the U.S. and many of them abroad and could truthfully say that, "Huntsville nurseries can not be surpassed by any in the world." This is a remarkably strong statement and one which should cause the citizens to look with pride on this great local industry.

Aug. 28 - Mr. Henry B. Chase, one of our most progressive nursery men, was honored by being elected Vice President of the Southern Nurserymen Association at Winchester, Tenn., yesterday. This was an honor worthy bestowed on a very deserving young man. J. J. Hood of Richmond was elected President.

Names:

Chase, Henry B.

Kieffer, C. A., Prof.

Types:

notes

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4th News (5)
1920 Excerpts
4A19

Sept. 5 - "A Lively Letter" from Owen's Cross Roads.
(Clara - Humorous)

Sept. 11 - Editor's Page - Clarendon Davis who is
Madison County's champion wheat grower
produces 100 bu. wheat per a. on an 809. tract.
Proposed organization of "Farmers Club"

Sept. 25 - Editor's on club - news item.

Oct. 9th - Large Meeting of "Farmers Club and Horticultural
Society" - Constitution and Bylaws read and
adopted - Committee appointed - etc.

Nov. 27 - According to custom the foot race business will
close today and one of the essays says that wood
has killed or too badly crippled can now go to
work and do some thinking, and get the benefit
of some of the money their bodies have paid the
schools.

Editor's Page - House crowded - Last night and today -
Could not accommodate the crowd.

Exp. on 20th in the loose market and vice versa

Names:

Davis, Clarendon

Types:

notes

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446 News (5)
1920 Excerpts
4A19

higher before Christmas.

Herald - 1904

Jan. 22 - Euclia party given by Mrs. Van Valkenburg and daughter. (with many euclia parties given at this time with elaborate descriptions of elaborate games ladies - many accounts through these years)

Feb. 5 - "The City" should put a stop to the horse and mule trading on the public square every Saturday. A serious riot was narrowly averted last Saturday and there have been other several escapes.

Feb. 12 - "Automobiles for Huntville! Several fine machines will be seen here this spring."

"Go and drive at the grand League Race Sunday night - Feb. 16 - Benefit of the Carnegie Library. Will be the social event of the season."

Apr. 27 - Article or sketch of Miss Howard Weeden by Miss Nora Davis. ("spinners")

May 27 - Editorial suggesting some of "spinners"

Names:

Carnegie Library
Davis, Nora

Van Valkenburg, Mrs.
Weeden, Howard

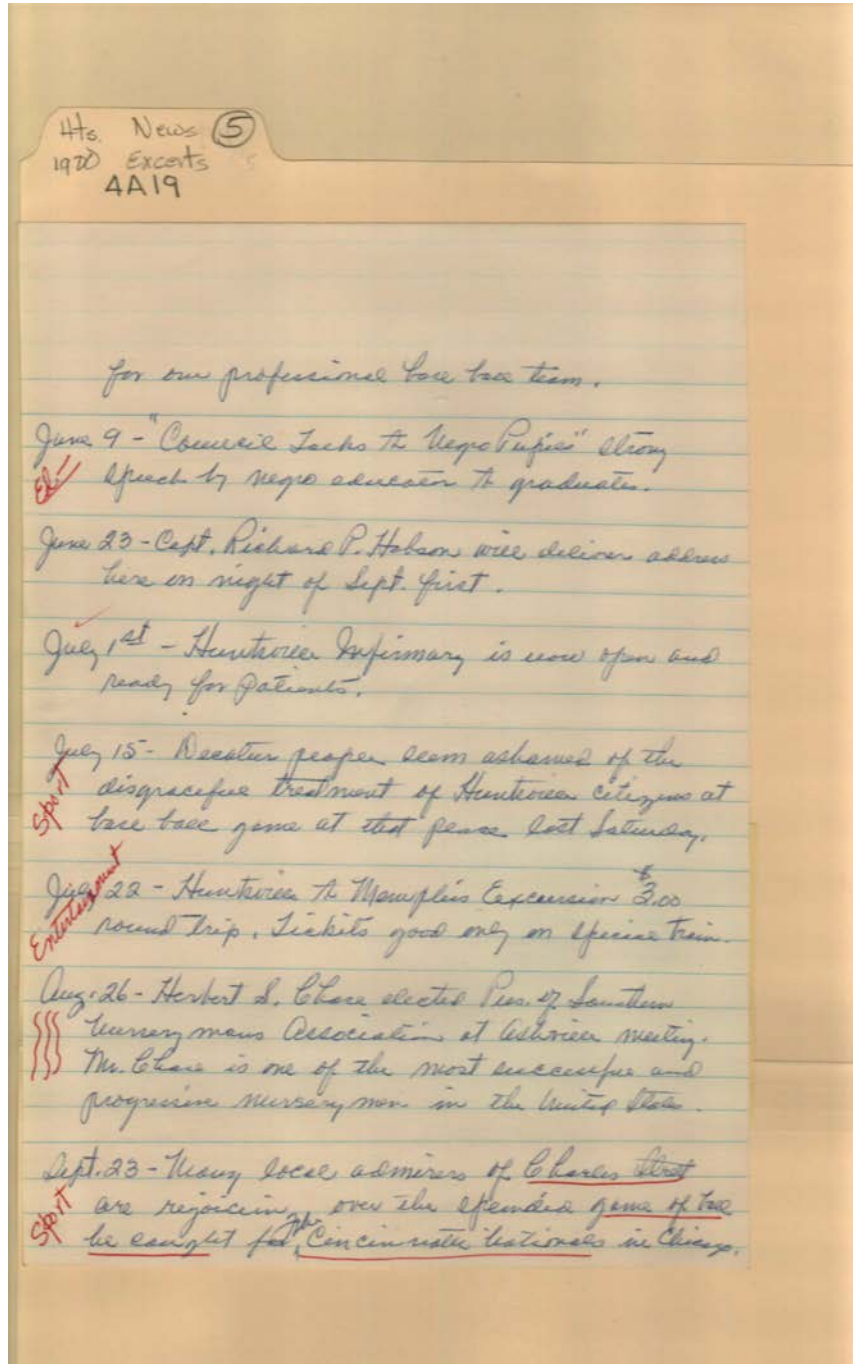
Herald

Types:

notes

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Names:

Chase, Herbert S.

Hobson, Richard P.,
Capt.

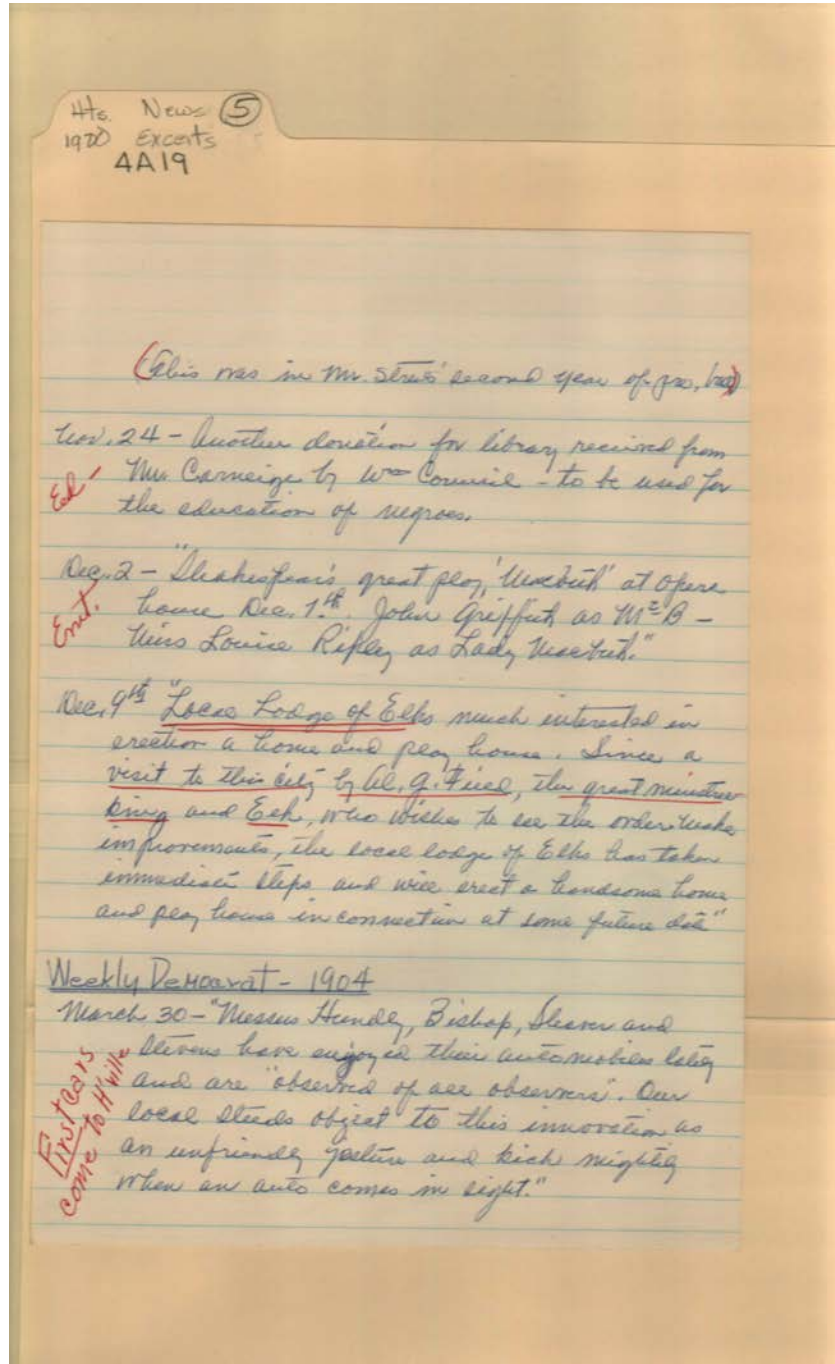
Street, Charles

Types:

notes

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Names:

Bishop,
Carnegie, Mr.
Council, William

Field, Al G.
Griffith, John
Hundley,

Ripley, Louise
Sleaver,
Stevens,

Weekly Democrat

Types:

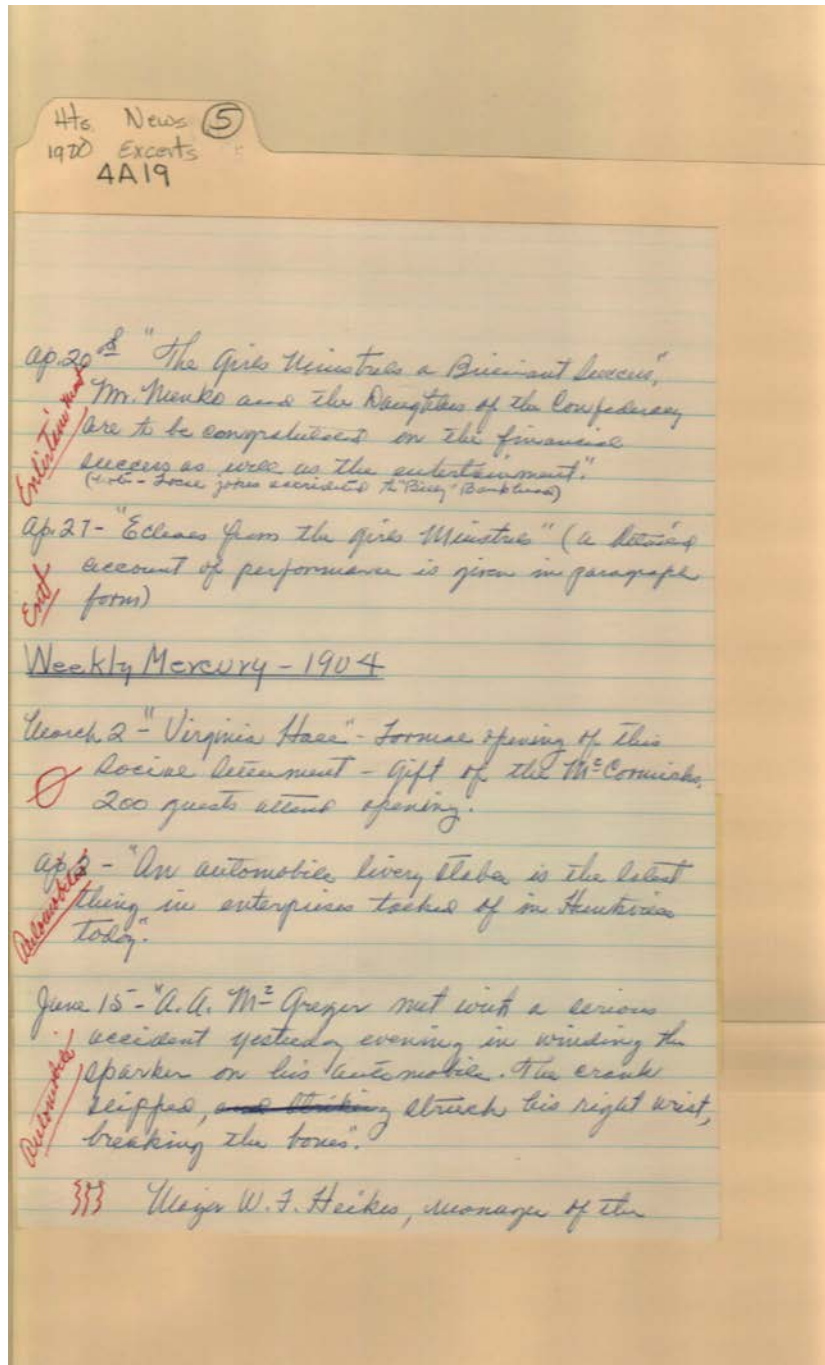
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Dates:

1904

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Names:

Heikes, W. F., Major
McCormick,

McGregor, A. A.
Menks, William

Weekly Mercury

Types:

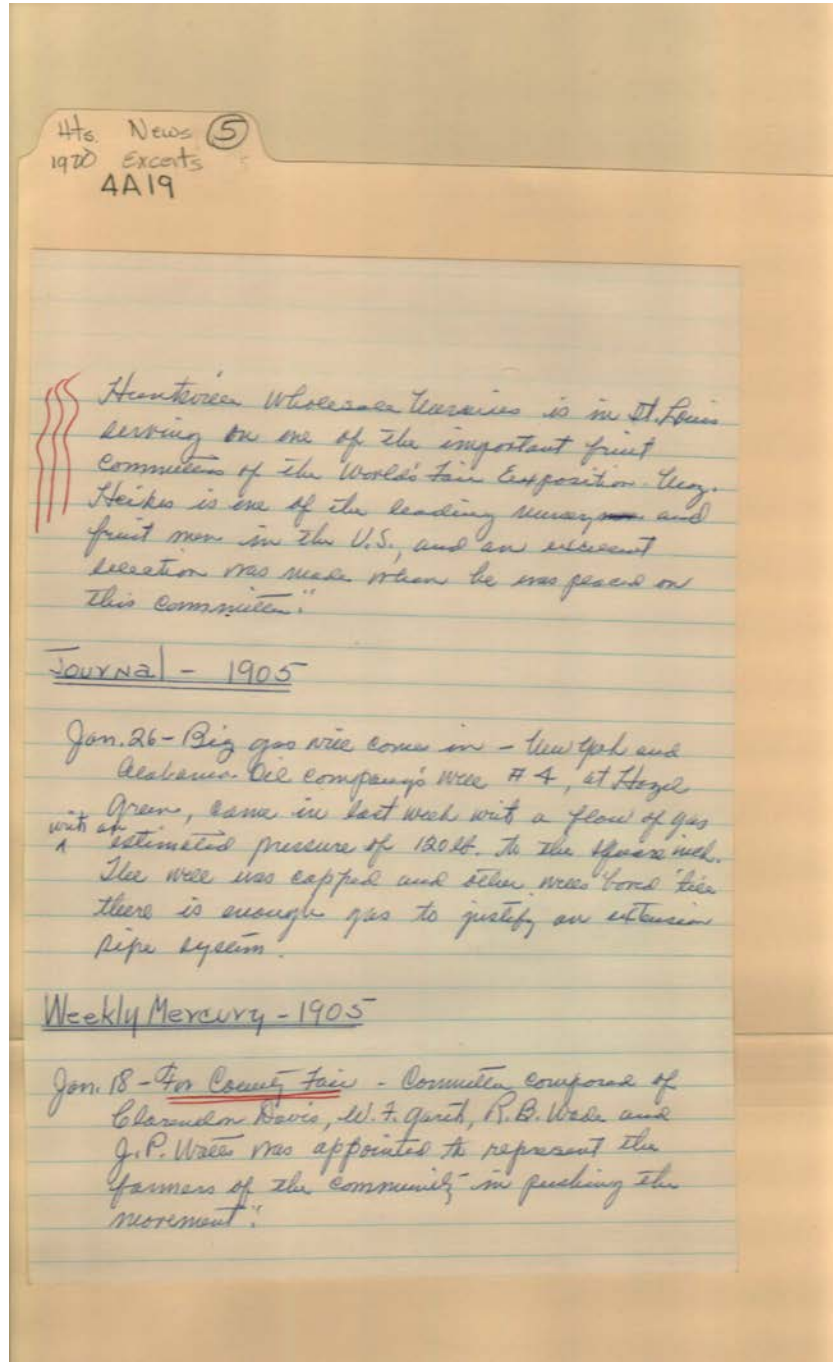
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Dates:

1904

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Names:

Davis, Clarendon
Garth, W. F.

Heikes, Major
Wade, R. B.

Watts, J. P.
Journal

Types:

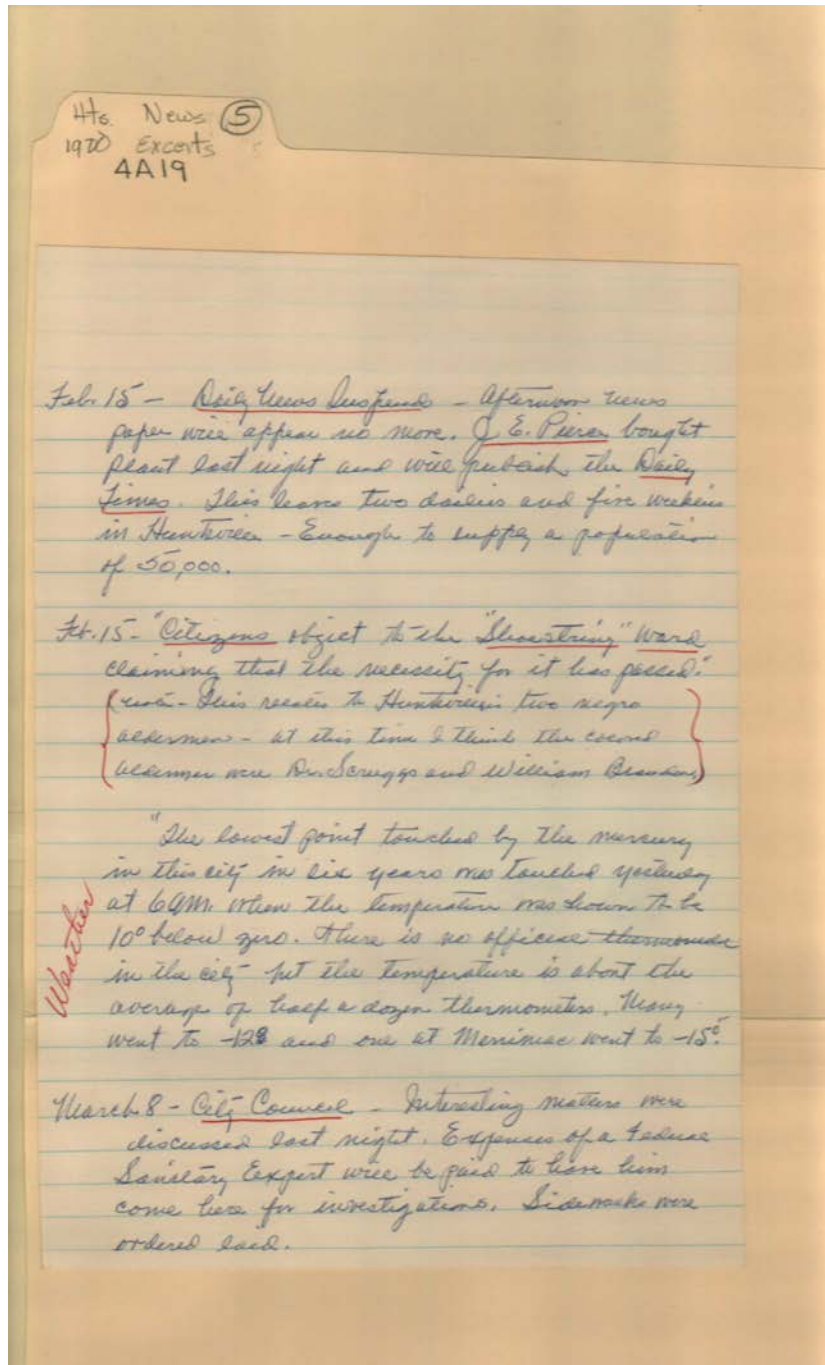
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Dates:

1905

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Names:

Brandon, William

Pierce, J. E.

Scruggs, Dr.

Daily Times

Types:

notes

4th News (5)
1920 Excerpts
4A19

Apr. 5 - Elks name building. It will be known hereafter as the "Echo Theatre" and will be managed for first season by the Lodge. Old officers were residents. Sight of erection East St.

Apr. 12 - City Infirmary - Plans for second ward will be taken up. On advice of physicians three rooms will be added to hospital.

Apr. 19 - "Miss Howard Weeden passes" - (Retrieving notices and "In Memoriam")

Apr. 26 - "Uncle Matt is Dead" - Pictorial character dies of pneumonia. He was taken to New York by the sixty-seventh Reg. in 1849 - When the regiment reached the city, the red man was placed at the head of the parade column -

May 3 - Season begins soon - May 20th date set by Tri-State League. Huntsville fans have accepted proposition of Joe Somers to bring team here and play in Huntsville uniforms for the season if a bonus of \$750⁰⁰ is given him - etc etc

Description of elaborate card party given by Mrs. Oscar R. Hundley -

Rich Colver
Sports
Mr. Base Ball
Social

Names:

, Matt, Uncle

Hundley, Oscar R.,
Mrs.

Somers, Joe
Weeden, Howard

Types:

notes

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4th News 5
1920 Excerpts
4A19

May 31 - "New Market School" - Senator Spragins is authorized by the closing exercises - writes an interesting letter to the Mercury editor.

June 14 - Prof. Conder will locate school here. Will open a training school and bring several boarding students.

✓ "Money needed to insure success of centennial celebration - Com. has made arrangements for the biggest affair ever seen here."

Sports
"Among its many other attractions Huntsville is noted for its many elegant and beautiful spans and driving ~~trails~~ turns."

July 5 - "Huntsville took two - visiting team was an easy mark yesterday - (See acct. of game, Mon. etc.)"

B. Ball
Aug 2 - Huntsville at pepys Club - Home Team - Score: Huntsville 8 - Yeakle 4.

Ed
Sept. 20 - Lecture to school delivered by Prof. Webb of Berea College, Tenn. to patrons and students of Conder Training School. (Worth reading)

Names:

Conder, Prof.

Spragins, Senator

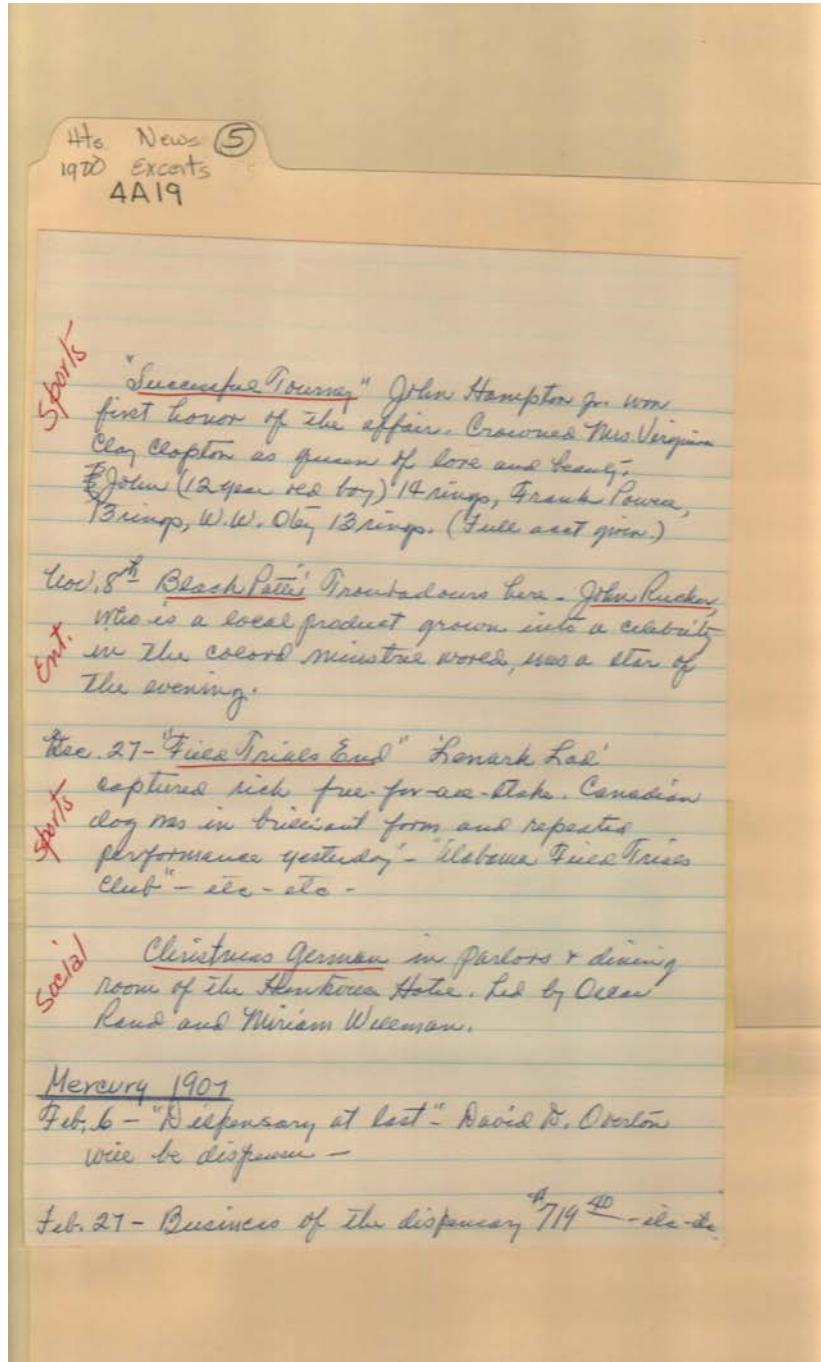
Webb, Prof.

Types:

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Names:

Clopton, Virginia
Clay
Hampton, John, Jr.

Otey, W. W.
Overton, David D.
Power, Frank

Rand, Oscar
Rucker, John
Wellman, Miriam

Mercury

Types:

notes

Dates:

1907

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Hts News (5)
1920 Excerpts
4A19

Local color *
Feb. 27 - Horse and News market moved from East side of square. Jockey yard established in vacant lot on Washington Street next to Lott's Academy.

Rhodes Scholarship won by Addison White

March 20 - Mr. W. F. Garth of the Piedmont Stock farm will ^{send} ship a dozen of the finest cocks ever bred in this county to Indianapolis, Ind. where they will be sold in the March sale - etc -

Apr. 17 - "To Have Public Square" - Ordinance adopted by City Council last night.

Sept. 20 - "Fair Program" - most attractive, extensive and sensational event of the season - etc - etc - etc -
Opening day - October 1st.

Sept. 25 - Some attractions that will be seen here during "Fair Week" - etc + 1 - - - -

Oct. 9th - "Grand Baby Show" one of the features of the fair yesterday -

Names:

Garth, W. F.

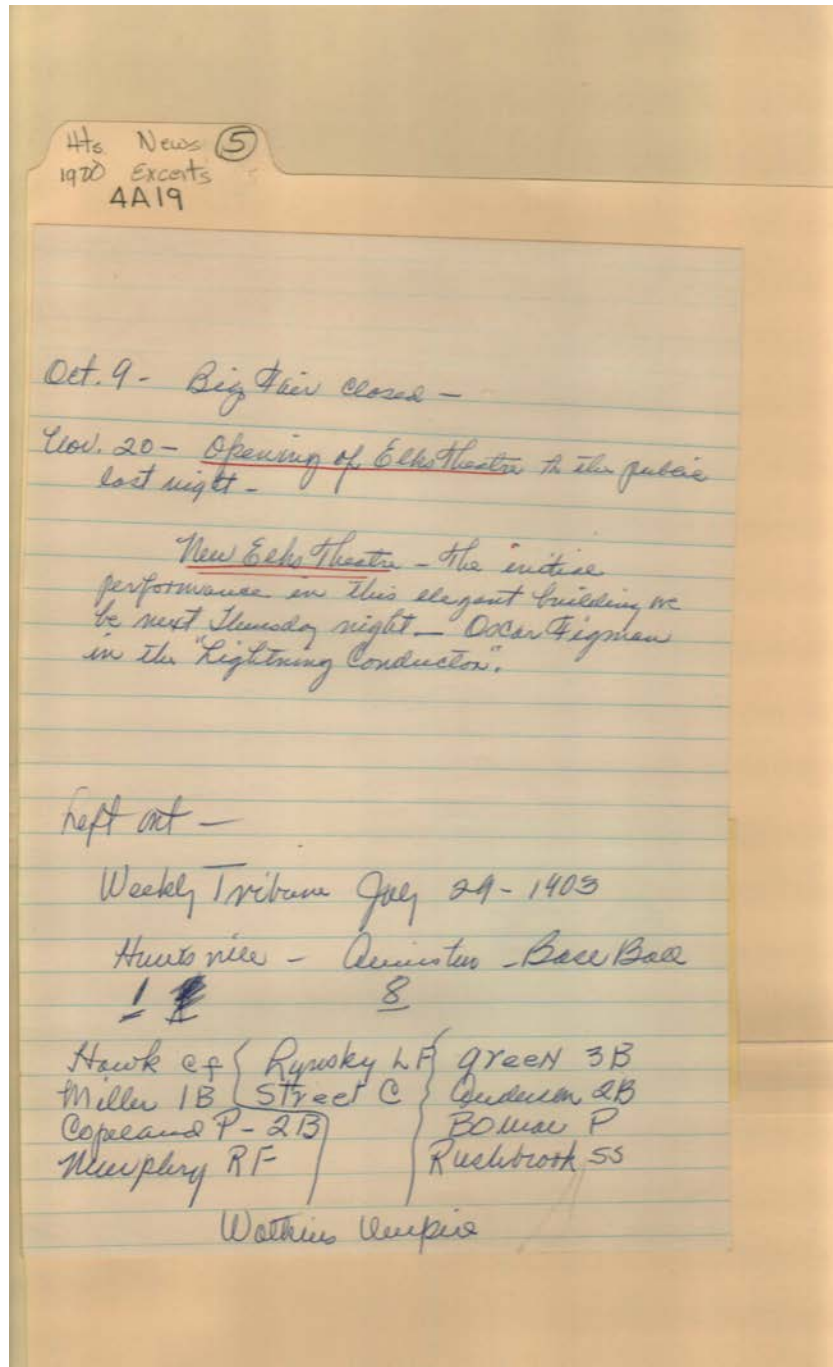
White, Addison

Types:

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Names:

Anderson,
Bomar,
Copeland,

Figman, Oscar
Green,
Hawk,

Miller,
Murphy,
Rushbrook,

Watkins,
Weekly Tribune

Types:

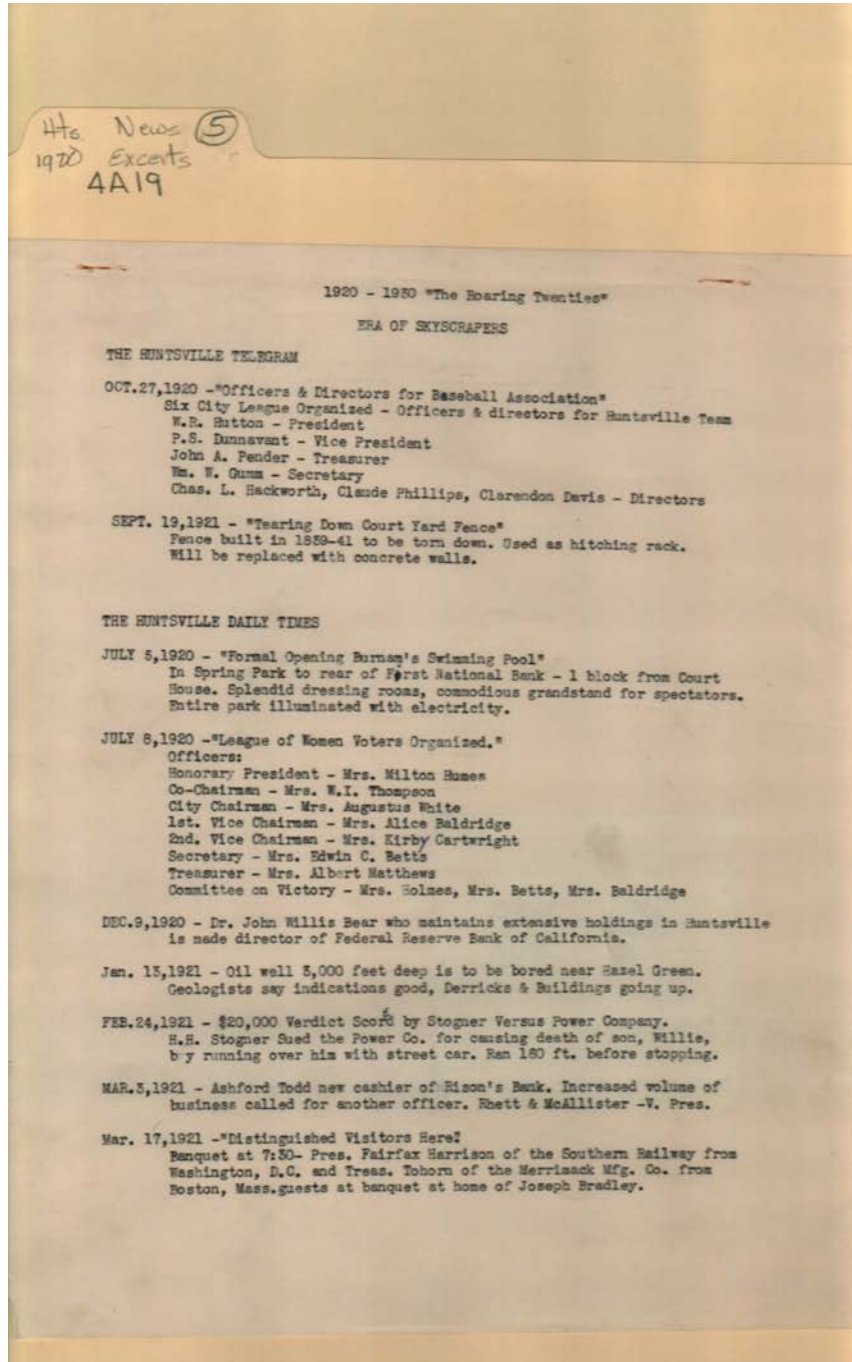
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Dates:

1903

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Names:

Baldrige, Alice,
Mrs.
Bear, John Willis
Betts, Edwin C., Mrs.
Bradley, Joseph
Cartwright, Kirby,
Mrs.
Davis, Clarendon
Dunnivant, P. S.

Gunn, William W.
Hackworth, Charles
L.
Harrison, Fairfax
Holmes, Mrs.
Humes, Milton, Mrs.
Hutton, W. R.
Matthews, Albert,
Mrs.

McAllister,
Pender, John A.
Phillips, Claude
Rhett,
Stogner, H. H.
Stogner, Willie
Thompson, W. I.,
Mrs.
Todd, Ashford

Tohorn,
White, Augustus,
Mrs.
The Huntsville Daily
Times
The Huntsville
Telegram

Types:

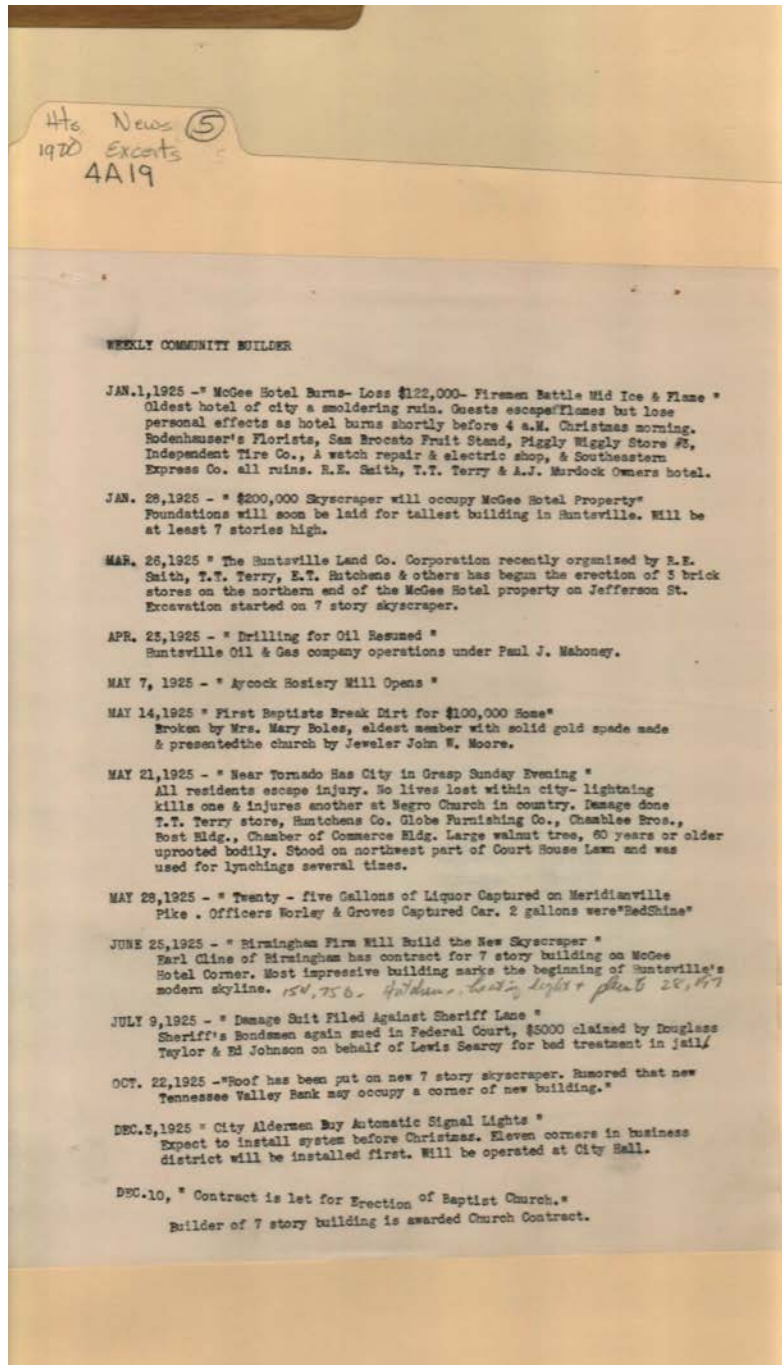
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Dates:

1920-1930

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Names:

Boles, Mary, Mrs.
 Brocato, Sam
 Cline, Earl
 Groves,

Hutchens, E. T.
 Johnson, Ed
 Mahoney, Paul J.
 Moore, John W.

Murdock, A. J.
 Rodenhauser,
 Smith, R. E.
 Taylor, Douglass

Terry, T. T.
 Worley,
 Weekly Community
 Builder

Types:

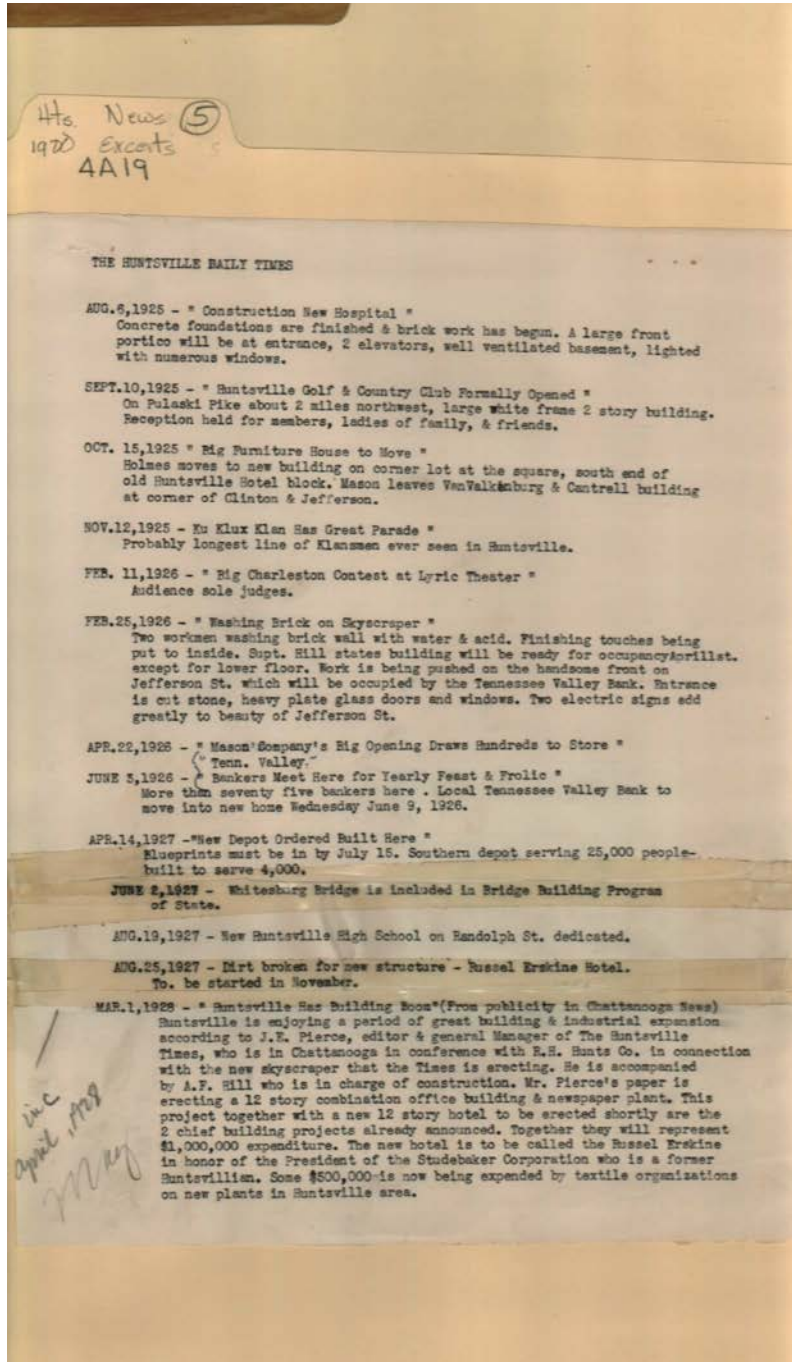
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Dates:

1925

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Names:

Erskine, Russel
Hill,

Hill, A. F.
Holmes,

Mason,
Pierce, J. E.

The Huntsville Daily
Times

Types:

notes

Dates:

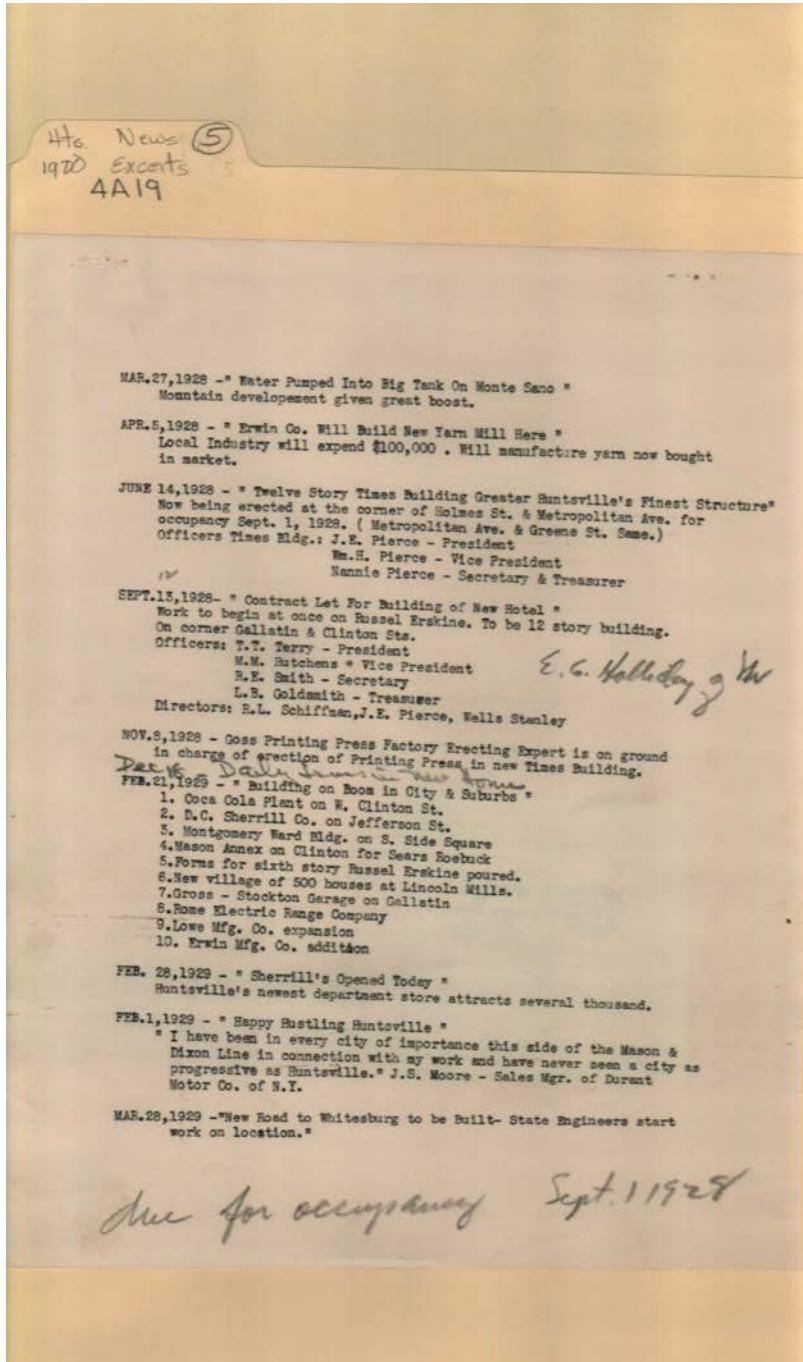
1925

1926

1928

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Names:

Goldsmith, L. B.
Hutchens, M. M.
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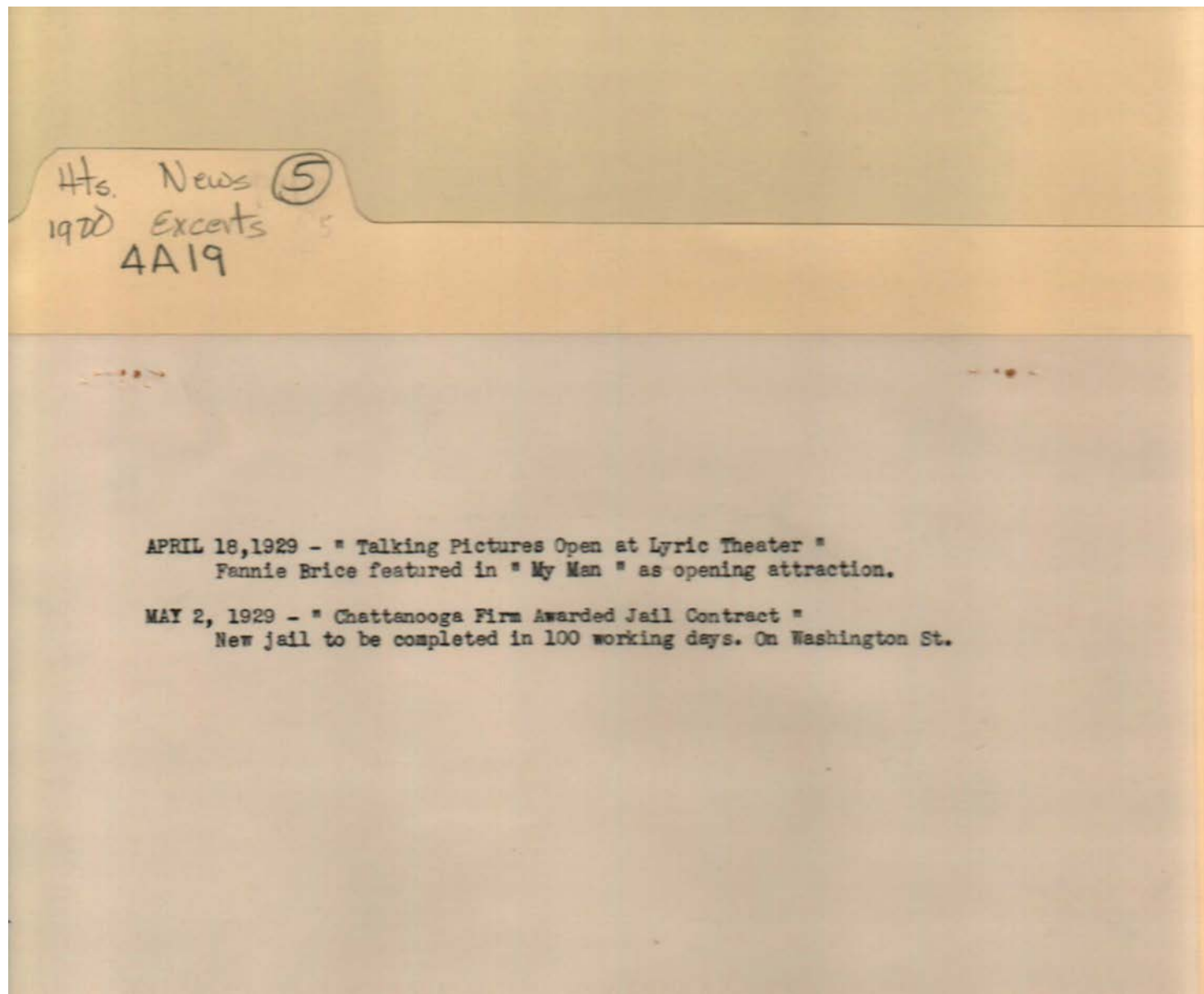
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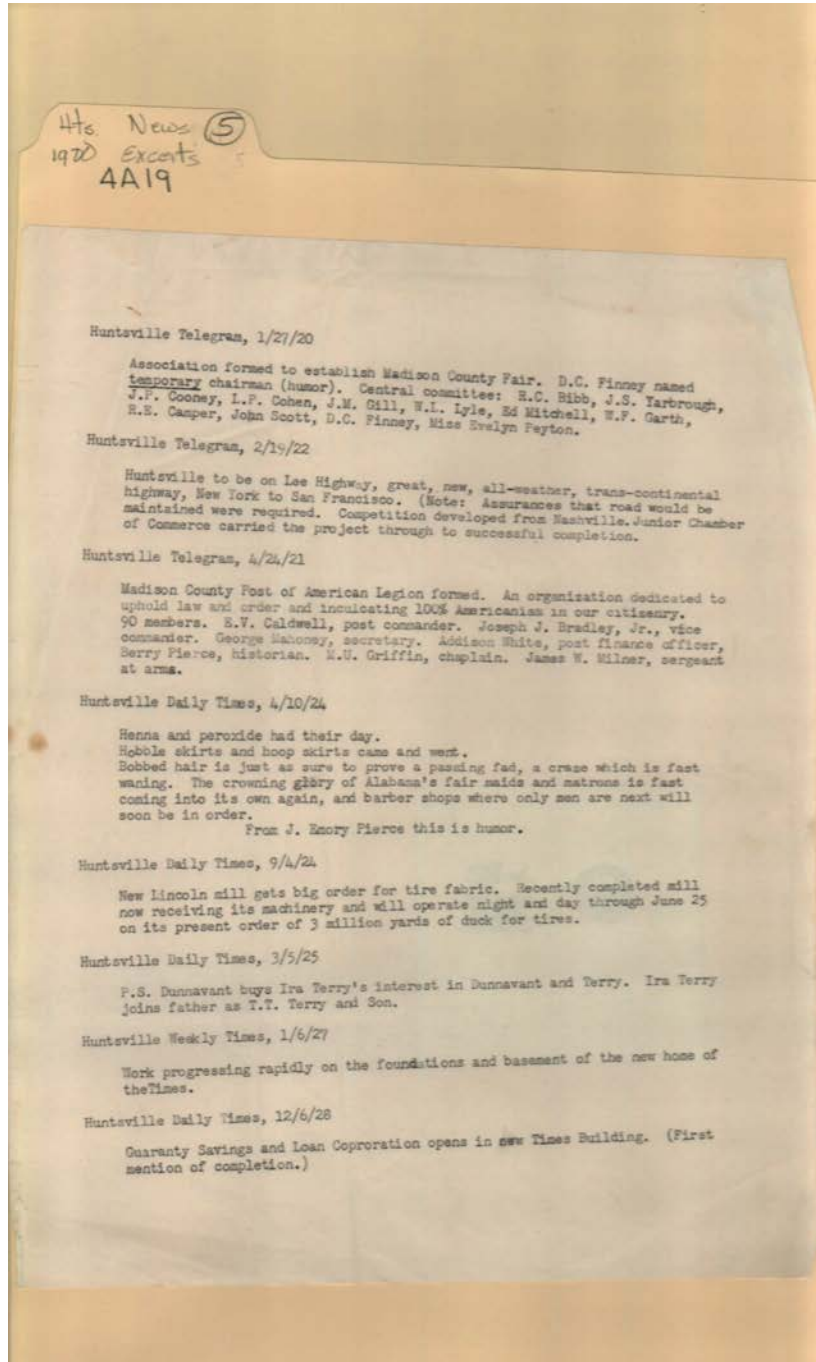
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