

B. J. Benson Collection

Repository: Rockingham Co. Historical Collections
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Rockingham Community College
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Title: B. J. Benson Collection

Accession No.: 12-086

Extent: 1 folder – unboxed collections

Provenance: Donated by Ollie Benson in 2012

Inclusive Dates: 1900-1910

Subject Headings: Automobiles – Rockingham County (N. C.) – 1900-1910
Aycock, Charles B., 1859-1912
Fetzer & Mim's Drug Store
Fitzgerald, Albert
Grogan, Tom
Hooper, Babe
Laster, J. H.
Laster, Will
Parrish, Bob
Penn, Sam
Rascoe, Weldon
Sheriffs – Rockingham County (N. C.)
Sprinkle's Bar
Taverns – Rockingham County (N. C.)
Thomas, Charlie
Troublesome Creek Ironworks

Items Separated:

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Descriptive Note:

A small collection of photographs of local Reidsville, NC scenes from about 1900-1910.

Contents:

Photographs:

J. H. Laster and son riding an "auto quadricycle"

Note: see Reidsville Review 9/30/1902 for a mention of this

Warming house at Troublesome Creek Ironworks

The Link family of Reidsville, NC travelling in their automobile near Asheville, NC

J. H. Laster driving his automobile

Governor Charles B. Aycock in a carriage with Sam Penn Band marching on a Reidsville street during Governor Charles B. Aycock's visit

Local militia company in parade for Governor Charles B. Aycock visit to Reidsville, NC (missing 10/9/2013)

Saloon patrons in Reidsville, NC

Sprinkle's Bar patrons in Reidsville, NC

Small folder with photograph (B. J. Benson?)

Miscellaneous item:

USDA Weather Bureau Climatological Data for March, 1927 showing information on a snow storm that dropped 11.5 inches of snow on Reidsville and 20 inches of snow on Greensboro