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SYLVA NEEDS A NEW HOTEL.

Aint Sylva the buildinist town?

Many snickers are caused by the knickers.

Westward Ho, the trend of politics takes its way.

The bitter-enders have a superabundance of gall.

Mt. Etna has backed Hi. Johnson clear off the front pages.

Look pleasant; Easy street may be only three smiles ahead.

Why not arrest the senator as an intoxicating Beveridge?

Well, at that he has Paul as authority for being all things to all men.

to convince the people of the Great West of a man's fitness for leadership.

The Wall Street Brokerage houses are where the unsophisticated go broke.

It is said that some of the modern girls are afraid of neither nice nor men.

No matter what other relief politicians may promise, they greatly tax our patience.

By the way, it has occurred to us that among other things, Sylva needs a new hotel.

Ah, at last it is done. A headline states: "Mellon Solves Liquor Problem For Mr. Harding."

A gentlemen will always respect the rights of others; hence traffic laws were passed against other folks.

Asheville is certainly one honored city. The dancing masters of America are to meet there, next month.

A word to the wise.—One of Rowan county's Building and Loan Association has built 1000 homes in Salisbury.

A Danville man named Fretwell has been arrested on a charge of making an assault upon his wife. Make your own pun.

Cam Morrison isn't always that way; for instance he now calls the corporation commission "Cronics of the railroads."

We have been looking diligently for that far-famed "Everett Boost For Governor", but have been unable to locate it in these parts.

The world must be growing better: Baxter Shemwell is at last really on the chain-gang, supposedly making little 'uns out of big 'uns.

Maybe the reason the University of Florida conferred the degree of Doctor of Laws upon W. J. B. is because he is always trying to doctor the laws.

An here we were thinking that the days of wheat-shocking and baby-kissing politicians had passed, as the people became more enlightened.

We still are convinced that it will take more than a few shocks of wheat shocked and a few babies kissed. A highway is no better than it's worst mud-hole: Hence the Balsam road should be completed "tootsweet."

THAT BUILDING AND LOAN

The fruits of the Sylva Building and Loan Association, which was organized only last fall, are beginning to appear, in the shape of a number of handsome residences, in which our citizens are now living. As the years and months come and go the number will increase, month by month. It is a safe and sure investment, a patriotic investment, an investment in good-citizenship. Get in on the third series, which opens July First.

JOHN G. GRANT

The death, last week, of John G. Grant, of Henderson, removed one of the most picturesque figures that has appeared in Western North Carolina politics in many years. We could never agree, politically, with Mr. Grant, but everybody was forced to admire his sterling qualities of rugged manhood, and all Western North Carolina is made sad by his passing on.

THAT CANTON SMELL

The odor from the Champion Fibre Company's plant at Canton is very offensive to the uneducated olfactory nerve of most people, and this odor penetrates for miles around the progressive little town.

Unfortunately this bad-smelling territory lies along the route of travel of tourists who would come to the western end of the state.

We frankly admit that the Champion Fibre Company is worth more to Western North Carolina than many regiments of tourists, but we need both, and if it is possible to keep that awful smell out of the pure air of Haywood's mountains, it should, by all means, be done.

IN WHAT DISTRICT DO YOU LIVE?

It's a bad tale to tell on school teachers, but the Greensboro Daily News carries a story about the teachers attending the Trinity College Summer School, that isn't very complimentary to their knowledge of every-day things, or of North Carolina geography.

There was an entertainment given for the student-teachers in that summer school, a few days ago, and in order to avoid confusion, the seating was arranged by congressional districts. This added confusion, for behold, no matter what the ordinary person would naturally think, many of the school teachers didn't know in what congressional district they live, and confusion reigned, while maps were sought, and teachers poured over them, in efforts to locate their home counties and congressional districts.

Evidently the people who made the seating arrangements were guilty of over-estimating the knowledge of the public school teacher, as she is.

RESPECT AND OBEY THE LAW

One of the greatest menaces that the life and limb of the law-abiding citizen must guard against is the reckless heedless, careless automobile driver. Next in order of menaces is the inexperienced driver, the driver who has not developed sufficient mental poise, or the driver who from youth, disease or weakness is physically incapable of managing an automobile.

To safe-guard the public from such people, the General Assembly has enacted rules of the road into traffic laws. Most people have enough regard for constituted authority, for their neighbors, and for themselves to obey the laws. Those who have not must be made to feel the strong arm of the law. Hell-raising on the highways must end.

A drunken or a heedless person, running amuck upon the crowded streets and highways, whether he be driving a 1907 model Ford or the highest-priced car of the latest model, is a menace to himself and to the people in general. He is guilty of criminal carelessness at least, and of intent to kill at most, unless he actually does kill, in which case he becomes guilty of man-slaughter if not of murder in the second degree. For do not his very actions imply what is known in law as general malice?

Stop him, officers of the law, before he breaks somebody's else neck besides his own.

LAKE GASOWAY.

There is again a great agitation in some quarters for the construction of a great lake, (named Lake Gasoway by The Journal several years ago) covering the French Broad valley from Asheville to Brevard.

This is a matter that should have very careful consideration before definite action is taken, if ever. The present valley, or rather the valley as it is at present, that Lake Gasoway would cover with water, comprises much of the finest agricultural land in all Western North Carolina. This paper is convinced that, if it is proposed to build the lake purely as a tourist proposition, the land in its present status is of vastly more value to this region than the big lake would be.

And we have grave doubt whether, considering the entire region as a whole, it would be wise to construct it as a power development, coupled with the tourist playground idea, because there are so many streams capable of furnishing all the hydro-electric power that the region will need for several decades. They are available, and their utilization would not mean the inundation of so large an acreage of valuable farming land. We fear that the agricultural interests of the region are often overlooked by those who would develop this mountain country.

A NEGLECTED ASSET

What once was and, with the coming of the good roads, could be made still more a valuable asset to this county, and the other counties of North Carolina west of the Balsam, is the fishing industry, or sport.

Proper safe-guards should be thrown around the removing of fish from the streams, and every stream in these mountains should be stocked, restocked, and stocked again, some with bass, some with California trout, and still others with the king of sporting fish, our native mountain trout.

The only way to do this successfully, and to develop this valuable asset to its greatest possibility, is to establish one or more fish-hatcheries on the Tuckasegee, in Jackson county, thereby making conveniently available a large supply of fish, and repeatedly stock the streams of this immediate region, including Jackson, Swain, Macon, Graham, Clay and Cherokee, as well as Haywood.

The state fish commission has the authority and the appropriation to care for the needs of this young and valuable asset, and the hatcheries should be forthcoming as soon as is possible, and the Tuckasegee is the proper site for some of them.

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NOTICE OF TAX SALE

By virtue of the tax list placed in my hands for collection for the year 1922 by the board of County Commissioners of Jackson County, I will on the first Monday in July, 1923 it being the sixth day thereof, at the court house door in the town of Sylva, at 12 o'clock noon expose for sale and sell to the highest bidder for cash, to satisfy the delinquent taxes and cost, the following described real estate:

	Tax and cost
CULLOWHEE	
D. H. Rogers	12.10
DILLSBORO	
F. B. McFee	6.28
C. D. Carnes	6.00
D. M. Talent	10.85
HAMBURG	
H. T. Bumgarner	14.78
MOUNTAIN	
A. N. Stewart	13.41
RIVER TOWNSHIP	
J. B. Allison heirs	8.58
H. H. Taylor	16.66
SAVANNAH	
S. C. Buchanan	11.35
W. H. Buchanan heirs	4.14
Higdon's interest in land	8.37
R. N. Deitz	5.82
F. S. Deitz	12.30
Dollie Sellers	4.60
SCOTTS CREEK	
D. H. Gunter	69.92
Jerome Mooze	118.12
SYLVA	
Thomas Davis	15.12
Fair Association	39.45
E. L. WILSON Tax Collector.	

NOTICE OF SALE UNDER DEED IN TRUST

By virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain Deed in Trust made to the undersigned trustee by Conley Dorsey and wife to secure the payment of a certain debt due J. H. Wilson, E. L. Wilson and T. O. Wilson, which said deed in trust is dated the 30th, day of June, 1921, and duly recorded in Book "81" at page 300 et seq in the Register's office for Jackson County, and default having been made in the payment thereof, I will, therefore, on the 9th day of July, 1923, at 12 o'clock M. at the Court House door in the Town of Sylva, expose for sale and sell to the highest bidder for cash the following described lands, to-wit:

One certain lot in the Town of Sylva known as the Conley Dorsey lot, and described as follows:

Beginning at a stake, the same being a North corner of the lot of Pink Gibson and the N. W. corner of the lot of C. C. Moore, and runs thence an East direction 50 feet to Adam Bryson's line; thence a North direction with Bryson's line 50 feet to a stake on the bank of the old Scotts Creek road; thence a West direction with the bank of said road 50 feet to a stake; thence a South direction 50 feet square off the North East corner of the lot conveyed by Jas. R. Love to John Bryson, colored.

For a more complete description of said lands, reference is hereby made to the Book referred to above in the Register's office for Jackson County.

This the 7th, day of June, 1923.
C. C. BUCHANAN, Trustee.



Pure, Fresh Candy

When you walk up to the door and SHE answers the bell — it's lucky you have the candy. You'd be speechless otherwise. You hand it to her with, "Sweets to the sweet," (if you have the nerve) and she opens it. Gee! You're glad you bought it here 'cause you know it's fresh and pure! It's pretty small, after you have won her with sweet food and sweeter words, to forget that she likes either after you're married.

Stop in today and get a box of chocolates or bon bons.

If there's sickness at your home—nerves or constipation, or that run down feeling, or heart trouble, take a package of Dr. Miles' Medicines along with the candy.



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