

The Jackson County Journal

ONE YEAR IN ADVANCE IN THE COUNTY

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\$2.00 A YEAR IN ADVANCE OUTSIDE THE COUNTY

Politics Holds Washington In Nation's Spotlight

Washington, July 8.—Now that the observers have had time to see the emotional effects of the banking and ballyhoo of both conventions, a survey of the political outlook is possible. The thing on which experienced observers are in agreement, whatever they may say in public, is that the election will be more evenly divided than a few weeks ago. Any change in this as matters now stand between the Ins and the Outs, the chances of the Ins are not as certain. Richard Gov. Landon is a united front. The only jarring element is the disaffection of Senator Borah. He should decide to take the stump against Roosevelt against Gov. Landon, that would be another jarring element. The Senator from Idaho has maintained his party regularity for several years, even when he had been defeated in his presidential campaign. The Democratic side there is the old-guard Democrats who adhere to the New Deal. The side may grow deeper if any of the candidates take their cue from Al Smith. The action of Senator Carter in Virginia in refusing to participate in committee activities was entirely a surprise. It was a frequent outspoke of the New Deal. The other matter which may place the Democratic Party against Mr. Roosevelt is the Union Party, headed by Representative Leland. This movement is given serious consideration and many students are concentrating their effort upon trying to figure out its possible effect. It may contend it promises to bring voters from the Democratic side than it will take from the Republican side. All of these disadvantages, however, the Democratic Party has an advantage of incalculable value. One is that the party in power is on the edge of the party that is to get in. And the other is the appealing personality of President Roosevelt. The favorite topics of political conversation is the reversal of the national principles of the two major parties. By its platform and the promises of its spokesmen, the Republican Party has become the advocate of state's rights, while by the platform of the Democratic Party has become committed to a government of centralization and comparison of the party platforms on the major issues, which are old age pensions, unemployment relief and agricultural conservation. The differences mainly are rather than in principle. The Republican platform, for example, is the system of Federal aid to states for pensions for the aged, and differs only from the Democratic platform now in effect in proposing that the funds for this purpose be raised by a tax widely distributed. This is the Democratic platform. The other phases of social security, which the Democratic platform endorses, the Republican platform criticizes the old age insurance and unemployment insurance as leaving out of consideration too large a proportion of wage earners, and proposes a revision of the method of administration. The Republican platform proposes to return the Federal Government confidence to the individual states to help finance their relief programs. The Democratic platform considers the employment a national problem, to be solved in a national way by work programs for the unemployed at prevailing wages. The two major parties are further apart on relief proposals than in the past. The Republican platform promises farmers two kinds of bounties, one similar to that now paid for applying soil

AGED WEBSTER MAN PASSES

Posey Stillwell, 88 year old citizen of Webster township, died at his home last Friday. Funeral services were conducted at Webster Baptist church by Rev. W. N. Cook and Rev. T. F. Deitz. Interment was in the Stillwell cemetery. Active pall bearers were Geo. Rogers, Coy Rogers, Dennis Higdon, Marshall Buchanan, Ernest Lewis, and Claud Morgan. Honorary, J. A. Stillwell, W. A. Stillwell, W. T. Buchanan, W. C. Cagle, L. D. Cowan, G. W. McConnell, W. T. Queen R. L. Madison and Roy Cowan. Mr. Stillwell, a native of this county, spent his life here, as a useful citizen. He is survived by one son, A. R. Stillwell, by three daughters, Mrs. Emma Calhoun, Asheville, Mrs. Lula Insey, Cedro Wooly, Washington, and Mrs. Docia Buchanan, of Webster, and by a large number of other relatives and friends.

QUALLA (By Mrs. J. K. Terrell)

There was no preaching at Qualla Sunday morning, on account of the funeral of Mr. Carl Elliott at Whittier. Mrs. Thos. Shytle of Bryson City, who was buried at Union Hill, Thursday, was formerly Miss Dovie Green of Qualla. Born June 30th, to Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Edwards, a daughter, Lois Louise. There was a family reunion at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Johnson, Sunday. Several farmers met with the county agent Monday morning, to discuss farm interests in the Qualla section for the coming year. Miss Susan Keener, who has been spending several weeks in Bryson City, has returned home. She is seriously ill. Mrs. Grover Smith and children of Macon are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clark Gass. Messrs Carl and Fred Henry of Detroit, Mrs. Marie Painter and Mrs. Corina Lee Cogdill of Sylva, visited their uncle, Mr. J. C. Johnson. Mr. W. E. Bird of Cullowhee called on Mr. T. W. McLaughlin's. Mrs. Howard Turpin called on Mrs. J. V. Hall. Mesdames Mary Martin, Lucy Hall, Lila Green and Annie Cooper called on Mrs. J. C. Johnson. Mrs. Zinia Gunter, of California, is visiting at Mr. Geo. Gunter's. Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Terrell of Asheville, and Miss Sadie Queen and Miss Bertha Cunningham of Sylva, visited at Mr. H. G. Bird's. Mr. and Mrs. Thad Beck moved to Smokemont, last week. Mrs. H. G. Ferguson and Mrs. J. K. Terrell called on Mrs. P. H. Ferguson. Mr. and Mrs. Sewell Hipps of Canton spent the 4th with Qualla relatives. Mesdames Golman Kinsland, D. C. Hughes and Ted Kinsland gave a housekeeping shower on July 1st for Mrs. Edna Hoyle Beck. Many Qualla ladies were present. Refreshments were served by the hostesses.

conservation methods, and the second designed to enable farmers to export products for whatever price they will bring. The Democrat's promise the continuation of the present soil conservation bounty, but propose price-fixing loans on certain commodities. When all is said and done, however, the issue of the election next November will hinge much less upon precisely what each party promises to do and how it proposes to do it in detail, than upon the broad question of whether the voters of the United States want to centralize power in Washington or to reaffirm the powers of the individual states. Involved in that, of course, is the question of governmental expenditures and Federal taxation, on which a large part of the Republican fight is expected to be waged. And overtopping all of these questions will be, as in every presidential election, the personalities of the candidates, or rather the voting public's interpretation of their personalities, as these will be revealed and presented to them in the course of the campaign.

TWO ARE HELD ON COUNTY SUNDAY MURDER CHARGE

Carl Elliott, 25, of Whittier is dead and Jim Griffin and his son, Jeff Griffin, 17, are being held without bail, as a result of an affray, at Whittier, about ten o'clock, last Friday night. Elliott, a son of Pearley Elliott, of Whittier, received slashes from a knife, on the throat and neck, and a blow on the back of his head. Sheriff C. C. Mason, Sergeant W. W. Stone, of the State Highway patrol, and Deputy Sheriff Homer Turpin arrested the two Griffins at home on the old Shoal Creek Road, at three o'clock, Sunday morning. They were held at the time, and it is stated that their clothing was bloody. The fatal affray occurred in front of John Revis' filling station in the business section of Whittier, on the Jackson county side of the line. A coroner's jury, summoned for an inquest by Coroner C. W. Dilis, found that young Elliott came to his death from knife wounds at the hands of Jim Griffin and a blow on the head by a beer bottle, inflicted by Jeff Griffin, and held for action at the October term of superior court. Witnesses examined at the inquest were John Revis, Bruno Burgen, Clyde Conley, Croff Smith and Dr. Kirschberg. Funeral services for young Elliott were held Sunday. The Griffins lived in Sylva, in the Love Cove section, until about a year ago, when they moved to Qualla.

BETA (By Mrs. W. G. Dillard)

Mr. and Mrs. I. N. Curry of Lynchburg, Va. have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Ed Curry. Mary Louise Avers of Orangeburg, S. C., is visiting Mrs. D. L. Bryson. Mr. and Mrs. Dean Tainter and daughter, of Marion are visiting Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Bryson and other relatives. Miss Elva Harris, Messrs Venay Reed, Lyle Ensley, and Ed Curry spent Friday and Saturday at Ridgecrest attending the B. Y. P. U. Convention. Misses Jeanette and Pansy Dillard are spending a few weeks in Durham, Chapel Hill, and Hillsboro. Mr. Grady Harris, of Durham, is visiting home folks. Mr. and Mrs. Everette Harris and Mrs. Katherine Harris visited at Copper Hill and Chattanooga, Tenn., last week. Mr. and Mrs. Ed Parris and small daughters of Asheville are visiting relatives here. Misses Nannie and Audrey Fisher returned from Asheville, Friday.

COUNTY SUNDAY SCHOOL MEETING

The Jackson County Sunday School Convention will be held in the Wesleyanna Methodist church, next Wednesday, July 15. This is the annual County Sunday School Convention, and is especially designed for all who are interested in the Sunday Schools of all denominations. The program is as follows: Morning Session. Don G. Bryson, Presiding. 9:45 Song Service—By choir. 10:00 Devotions: "The Power-Fill of Church" (Acts 2:1-4)—Rev. E. C. Price. 10:10 Address: "The New Church Church and Its Message"—Frank J. Watson, Salisbury. 10:30 Special Music—By choir. 10:30 Discussion Groups: "Problems"—Rev. Shuford Peeler, Salisbury. "The Church and Its Teaching Task"—Frank J. Watson. 11:20 Re-assemble. Business—Attendance. 11:30 Address "The Mission of the Church is our Day"—Rev. Shuford Peeler. Offering for Sunday School Cause. 12:15 Hymn—Benediction. BROTHERSHIP DINNER — ALL BRING BASKETS. Afternoon Session. Dan G. Bryson, Presiding. 1:45 Song service. 2:00 Devotions: "The Church Then and Now"—Acts 2:41-27—Rev. T. F. Deitz. 2:10 Discussion Groups: 1. "Work of Children's Division"—Rev. Fred Forrester. 2. "Work of the Young People's Division"—Frank J. Watson. 3. "Elements of a Successful Church School Program"—Rev. Shuford Peeler. 2:45 Reassemble. Special Music—Various Churches—Directed by. 2:45 Address: "Making The Church A School in Christian Living"—Rev. C. G. Heifer. 3:15 Hymn—Business. 3:30 Benediction. Dan, Bryson, Sylva, President. Sue Allison, Sylva, Secretary. Born to Mr. and Mrs. Burl Pannel, a daughter, Saturday, July 4. Mr. Carey Reed Snyder is spending week at Ridgecrest. Master Glen Freeman spent last week with relatives at Whittier.

Western North Carolina Counties Nominate Hoey

MASSIE HEADS COUNTY COMMERCE CHAMBER

T. N. Massie, of the Massie Furniture Company, was elected president of the Jackson County Chamber of Commerce, at a meeting, held Tuesday night. S. C. Cogdill was elected vice-president, Ben J. Sloan, secretary, and W. J. Fisher, treasurer. The body will meet on the first and third Friday nights in each month.

YOUNG MAN DIES HERE

Rev. W. C. Reed conducted funeral services for Carl Bungalow, 31 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Estes Bungalow, who died in the Community hospital, after a long illness, at Love Dale Baptist church, last Tuesday afternoon. Besides his father and mother, he is survived by three brothers, Earl Bungalow of Washington, and Horace and Albert Bungalow of Sylva, and one sister, Mrs. Hal Ensley also of Sylva.

BALSAM (By Mrs. D. T. Knight)

Balsam was visited by a severe rain, hail and wind storm, Sunday P.M. It began little past 1 o'clock and hail fell for about forty minutes. Some of the crops were washed away, others blown down, and some were beaten to pieces by the hail. Many roofs of houses were greatly damaged. The hail varied in size from small to the size of a guinea egg. The ground was covered. The Fourth and the election passed off without any accidents. There were a great many guests at both hotels, who seemed to be enjoying themselves. Dr. Klock's and Mr. George Knight's display of fireworks at Dr. Klock's cabin that night also afforded much enjoyment. Master Joe Perry of Oklahoma is visiting his grandmother Mrs. Mabel Perry. Mr. Bill Giessler of Newark, N. J. arrived Monday. He is having a very attractive home built here. Mr. J. W. Porter went to Sylva, Monday. Dr. and Mrs. Lyle Tappan and son, Earl, arrived last week from Cincinnati to visit her mother, Mrs. Maggie Lindsey, and other relatives. Mr. and Mrs. Ed Middleton and son, Harry, are visiting their daughter and sister, Mrs. John McCall, at Graso, this week. Mrs. W. S. Christy has returned from a visit with her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Christy, in Franklin.

Complete unofficial returns from the entire State, in last Saturday's primary, gave Clyde R. Hoey a majority of 53,934, for Governor, over Dr. Ralph McDonald. The vote was: Hoey 266,813; McDonald 212,879.

For Lieutenant Governor W. P. Horton defeated Paul Grady with 217,652 to 206,751. Thad Eure defeated Secretary of State Stacey Wade by 233,751 to 192,082.

The mountain counties gave Hoey a majority of 49,525, which added to his vote in his home county of Cleveland, nominated him. The rest of the State would have given the nomination to McDonald.

Jackson county, by the official tabulation, gave Hoey a majority of 514. The vote here was: Hoey 2771; McDonald 278. Horton 2822; Grady 594. Eure 1889; Wade 1921.

The Vote By Precincts: Barkers Creek: Hoey 93; McDonald 3. Canada: Hoey 76; McDonald 1. Caneey Fork: Hoey 233; McDonald 0.

Cashier's Valley: Hoey 90; McDonald 12. Cullowhee: Hoey 391; McDonald 21. Dillsboro: Hoey 139; McDonald 29. Green's Creek: Hoey 79; McDonald 13.

Hamburg: Hoey 130; McDonald 16. Mountain: Hoey 44; McDonald 1. Qualla: Hoey 221; McDonald 14. River: Hoey 79; McDonald 13. East LaPorte: Hoey 41; McDonald 12.

Savannah: Hoey 232; McDonald 19. Addie: Hoey 75; McDonald 10. Willeas: Hoey 73; McDonald 13. Balsam: Hoey 78; McDonald 7. Sylva, South Ward: Hoey 359; McDonald 37.

Sylva, North Ward: Hoey 184; McDonald 20. Webster: Hoey 146; McDonald 16.

CHURCH OF GOD REVIVAL

Revival services are in progress at the Church of God at Cullowhee. Lay Atkins, who was for 30 years a Baptist minister, is preaching each evening at 8 o'clock. Everybody is invited to the services. A camp Meeting will start there on August 7th and will continue for ten days.

EPISCOPAL SERVICES

St. David's church, Cullowhee. Rev. Geo. Lemuel Granger, Rector. Sunday service: 4 P. M., Evening prayer and sermon. All most cordially invited to this service.

Mr. J. W. Porter of Hypoluxo, Fla., and Balsam arrived Monday. Miss Bettie Kenney and Miss Ruth Warren have returned from Norfolk, Va., accompanied by Mr. Julius Kenney, of the United States Navy, who is stationed there.

Balsam Mountain Springs Hotel open Saturday. Messrs J. C. Styles and E. H. Knight, lessees, who have had much experience in the hotel business, are looking forward to a good season. The hotel has been thoroughly renovated and many improvements made.

Mrs. J. R. Rork and son, Mr. Robert Rork, of Paducah, Ky., arrived Thursday and are occupying their summer home here. They have as their guests, Mrs. Emma Arnold and son, Mr. Malcolm Arnold, of Memphis, Tenn.

Mr. Frank Ashe and family and Mrs. Manuel Ashe and her sister attended the funeral of their relative Mr. Fayette Ashe, near Sylva, Tuesday.

The following have arrived to spend the summer in their respective cottages: Dr. G. A. Klock and family, Mr. Hipp and family and Mr. J. S. Seed and family, of Daytona Beach, Fla., Mrs. A. D. Lewis of Louisville, Ky., and Mr. Oze Horton and his mother, from Atlanta.

Miss Dorothy Bryson is visiting her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Christy, in Asheville.

Mr. Kroneberg of Columbia, S. C. is among the recent arrivals at Balsam Lodge.

Mrs. Thomas E. Duke of Philadelphia is visiting her daughter, Mrs. George Knight.

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Another Savage Outbreak — by A. B. Chapin

