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DECEMBER TERM JURORS DRAWN

List Of Those Who Will
Serve At Next Term
Superior Court

Following are the names of the jurors drawn for the December term of Macon Superior Court, which will convene on Monday, December 5:

First Week

Tom Bingham, Route 1; Frank Williams, Ellijay; Joe Hasting, Prentiss; L. O. Miller, Highlands; C. T. McKinney, Highlands; J. H. Rickman, West Mills; J. M. Cabe, Otto; Will Bird, Prentiss; H. D. West, Franklin; L. C. Haskett, Ellijay; Lester Sorrells, Franklin; Jack Wyman, Franklin; Alex Deal, Route 4; Ben H. Gibson, Cullasaja; Mann Dalton, Route 3; J. C. Holland, Gneiss; G. M. Stanfield, Route 2; H. H. Cole, Stiles; J. F. Smith, Route 1; S. E. Fouts, Route 3; M. A. Pierson, Highlands; W. A. Bryson, Highlands; Charley W. Henderson, Gneiss; E. P. Picklesimer, Highlands; Leslie B. Higdon, Cullasaja; Will M. Earley, Franklin; Hez Dills, Route 1; W. N. Carpenter, Dillard, Ga.; Route 1; M. H. Anderson, Route 1; W. C. Mashburn, Cullasaja; Robert Stuart, Otto; Geo. Stiles, Jr., Route 2; John H. Barnes, Gneiss; J. Frank Bailey, Route 4; C. A. Moffitt, Otto; Harry Ray, Route 3; Omer Elmore, Leatherman; Grady Cope, Route 3; V. V. Jennings, Ellijay; Wiley McCall, Highlands; J. V. Sanders, Route 1; C. H. Zoellner, Highlands; Joe Potts, Cullasaja; N. L. Jolley, Cullasaja; Everet J. Mashburn, Gneiss; Carl Donaldson, Prentiss; Fred D. Cabe, Route 1; David A. McCall, Highlands.

Second Week

Parker Gregory, Route No. 4; A. A. Adams, Ellijay; Lewis Tilson, Highlands; S. J. Kinsland, Route 4; R. J. Cobb, Highlands; Lyman Higdon, Franklin; Elmon Teague, Prentiss; N. G. Davis, Route 1; Grady Henry, Ellijay; Wiley Grant, Nantahala; H. A. Gribble, Prentiss; B. H. Scott, Route 4; J. A. Flanagan, Franklin; J. A. Wild, Route 3; L. H. Mashburn, Flats; W. E. Mozeley, Otto; Lester F. Crawford, Route 3; H. O. Penland, Scales; C. N. West, West Mills; C. W. Ramey, Route 2; W. R. Watkins, Cullasaja; Lyman Sweatman, Route 1; Vance Vanhook, Route 2; J. B. Crunkleton, Highlands; Geo. M. Slagle, Route 1; M. V. Justice, Prentiss; D. N. Fouts, Route 3; T. W. Angel, Jr., Franklin; Laddie Crawford, Route 1; Lee Corn, Dillard, Ga., Route 1.

All-Day Singing At Courthouse Sunday

The Macon county fifth Sunday singing convention will meet at the courthouse Sunday for an all-day singing, it has been announced by James M. Raby, president.

Singers have been invited from several of the adjoining counties as well as South Carolina and Georgia. There will also be composers of Gospel music present. All singers, quartets, duets and classes in the county are urged to be present and take a part in the singing. The public is cordially invited.

Large Party Goes On Bear Hunt

A large party of men from Franklin and Highlands spent the first part of the week on a bear hunt in Graham county in the Snowbird mountain section, but returned without the bear.

The party included: Harve Bryant, W. T. Moore, Charles Bradley, C. Tom Bryson, Wade Arvey, John Cunningham, C. D. Baird, Andy Lee Howard, Truman Moody, Lee Woods and Bob Houston, of Franklin; Fred Edwards, G. W. Marett, Carl Zoellner and Will Edwards, of Highlands.

Road Funds

Allotted to Macon County
Tuesday By WPA

The works progress administration allotted \$288,241.10 in federal and sponsors funds Tuesday for 18 relief projects in North Carolina, George W. Coan, Jr., state administrator, announced. The projects are designed to give employment to 892 workers.

Among the allotments is included \$25,086.00 for road improvement work in Macon county.

This allotment to Macon county will assure work for men on the WPA rolls for some time.

According to statements made by local officials, it was necessary to lay off 700 men in this section on October 11, but 342 of them were transferred to the forest service and will probably be put to work within a few days, their pay to come out of a forest service allotment which is expected to be made at once.

The remainder of those who were laid off have been put back to work on WPA projects and 64 new ones have been added to the rolls this week.

SET RED CROSS QUOTA AT 300

Rev. H. S. Williams Heads
Drive In County
This Year

Two important Red Cross conferences at which chapter delegates discussed Roll Call plans and further development of the Red Cross service were held in North Carolina during the week, the first at Rocky Mount, on October 26, and in Charlotte on October 27.

Delegates from the local chapter attending the meeting in Charlotte included Miss Josephine Dixon, nurse in the health department; Mrs. Carl P. Cabe and Mrs. Harry Higgins, the Rev. H. S. Williams and the Rev. J. A. Flanagan, chairman of the Macon county chapter. The meeting was held in the Hotel Charlotte with the morning session featured with a talk on the various Red Cross services by Mr. Carl Hunt, of national headquarters, and the afternoon session with a talk by the Rev. Herman L. Turner, pastor of the Covenant Presbyterian church of Atlanta. The afternoon session closed with a showing of the new Red Cross Safety film, "Why Not Live?"

The Rev. H. S. Williams, pastor of the Franklin circuit of the Methodist Episcopal church, south, will serve as County Roll Call chairman this year succeeding the Rev. Frank Bloxham, who resigned several months ago.

The quota for the county has been set at 300 memberships, the same as last year. Officials of the local chapter hope to go beyond this goal as they have done for the past few years, winning recognition each year for this achievement. The records for the state show the local chapter standing in 49th place among the 120 chapters of the state in percentage of members in proportion to population. The local chapter has had a consistent growth in memberships during the past five years practically doubling the memberships in this time.

Masquerade Party Friday Evening

A masquerade party will be given by the Young People's Athletic club on Friday evening in the new agricultural building on Church street, beginning at 8 o'clock.

The entire membership is urged to attend and each is requested to come masked. It is hoped that all members will attend.

PANTHERS WIN GAME FRIDAY

Defeat Bryson City 6-0;
Meet Long Creek
Tomorrow

For the second time this season, the Franklin Panthers defeated Bryson City last Friday 6-0.

After a number of mighty line plays, the touchdown was scored early in the second period when Frank Higdon hurled a 20-yard pass to Charles Hunnicutt who ran 30 yards to the goal after J. C. Cunningham had made a clear road by cutting down the opponents' defensive half back.

The linemen held attacks by blocking and tackling with a skillful art.

John Slagle played a great defensive game at his new position in the back field, and it looks as though he will develop into a powerful back.

Guards Fred Guest and Vercoe Watkins seemed to dash through the opponents' offensive line at will and threw Bryson City for numerous losses.

Captain Setser, pivot man, played his usual good game and quarterback Fouts managed the team with ability.

To Meet Long Creek Friday

The Franklin Panthers are preparing for a difficult battle with Long Creek Academy Friday at 2 o'clock on the home field. This is expected to be one of the hardest games of the season.

The boys seem to have new spirit at practice this week and are working diligently for the tilt with the Academy. Blocking and tackling have been stressed to a great extent by Coach Shuford.

With John Slagle filling the position of quarter-back on the offense and backing up the line on the defense, the backfield should be stronger. This is a hard assignment for Slagle, but Coach Shuford thinks that with the help of two elusive backs like Frank Higdon and Charles Hunnicutt, together with good interference of Roy Fouts and the blocking ability of the whole line, Slagle will be capable of holding down this double duty. The probable line-up is as follows:

L. E.—C. Shepard; L. T.—John Setser; L. G.—V. Watkins; C.—C. Setser; R. G.—Fred Guest; R. T.—Curly Pennington; R. E.—J. C. Cunningham; Q. B.—John Slagle; H. B.—Roy Fouts; H. B.—Charles Hunnicutt; F. B.—Frank Higdon.

Junior Class To Give Carnival

Under the supervision of the junior class, a Halloween carnival will be held at the Franklin school, Saturday night, October 29, at 7:30. The admission will be 10 cents.

Entertainment will consist of a floor show, a cake walk, bingo, and many other games, and in addition numerous side shows in booths, witches, demons, and ghosts will cast their mighty spells.

The main feature of the evening will be the crowning of a carnival queen chosen from the student body. There will be placed in each room a box with the name of the prettiest girl selected from the room. Everyone will be allowed to vote by dropping pennies into the boxes, each penny counting a vote.

Fortune telling will be an interesting feature of the evening.

Mrs. Franks Attending Welfare Association

Mrs. Eloise G. Franks, Macon county superintendent of public welfare, is attending the convention of the North Carolina superintendents of public welfare in session at the Carolina Hotel, Raleigh, October 27-28.

Mrs. Franks, as vice-president, will preside at the luncheon session tomorrow (Friday) afternoon in the Carolina Hotel dining room.

C. C. Vanhook

Funeral Rites Monday
At Coweta Church

Funeral services for Cecil Carey Vanhook, 29, were held Monday morning at 10 o'clock at the Coweta Baptist church. The Rev. J. A. Flanagan, pastor of the Franklin Presbyterian church, assisted by the Rev. George A. Cloer, a Baptist minister, were in charge of the services. Interment was in the Rush cemetery.

Mr. Vanhook died at his home on Franklin Route 2, Sunday morning about 4 o'clock, following an illness of several months. Death was attributed to Bright's disease.

He was a young farmer in his community, and was the son of the late Carey Vanhook and Mrs. Vanhook, of Franklin Route 2.

Pallbearers were: Harry Tallent, Ellis Hodgins, Jud Tallent, Paul Williams, Lawrence Vanhook and Dan Garland.

The flower girls were: Kate Vanhook, Mrs. Eugene McCoy, Grace Bradley, Pearl Vanhook, Maggie Ledbetter and Blanche Vanhook.

Surviving are his widow, the former Miss Addie Pauline Ledbetter, and a small son 13 months old, of Franklin Route 2; his mother, Mrs. Carey Vanhook, of Enka; four brothers, Ralph Vanhook, of Detroit, Mich.; Roy Vanhook, of Franklin Route 2; Carl and John Vanhook, of Enka; two sisters, Mrs. Jesse Keener, of Highlands, and Miss Marie Vanhook.

DEATH CLAIMS MRS. SHEPHERD

Old Resident Of Watauga
Section Passes On
Thursday, Oct. 20

Mrs. Rhoda Shepherd, 87, died at her home in the Watauga section, five miles east of Franklin last Thursday afternoon at 4 o'clock. Death was due to a heart attack. She had been in ill health about two years.

Mrs. Shepherd, the daughter of the late Pendleton and Carolyn Sanders, was born January 5, 1861. She was born and reared in the Watauga section and lived her entire life in Macon county. Her husband was the late Henry Shepherd, a Union veteran.

She was a member of the Snow Hill Methodist church.

Funeral services were held at Snow Hill Methodist church, five miles north of Franklin, Friday afternoon. The Rev. C. F. Rogers, pastor of the Franklin Baptist church, was in charge in the absence of the pastor, the Rev. H. S. Williams. Interment was in the church cemetery.

The pallbearers were: Will Rickman, Harley R. Cabe, C. A. Bryson, Ed H. Parrish, Herman H. Plemmons and Billy Watkins.

Surviving are two daughters, Mrs. Logan Allen, of Franklin, and Mrs. Eva Mason, of Watauga; two sons, Richard Shepherd, of Canton, and Samuel Shepherd, of Kyle; two sisters, Mrs. Sally Nichols, of Athens, Ga., and Mrs. Callie Painter, of Gastonia; one brother, Cowan Sanders, of Watauga, and 11 grandchildren.

Baptist Church Notes

Friday night of this week at 7:30 the officers and teachers of the Sunday school will meet and make reports of the work of the month.

The pastor, Rev. C. F. Rogers, will continue his Sunday night theme on "Our Bible," preaching on the "Tower of Babel." The ordinance of baptism will follow.

Baptist laymen's convention will be held in the First Baptist church in Bryson City at 2:30 p. m., Sunday, and a large number of men are planning to go from here.

ONE CHANGE IN MACON PASTORS

Conference Sends Rev. I.
L. Roberts to Franklin
M. E. Church

Only one change was made in the pastors of Methodist churches in Macon county, according to the appointments announced by Bishop Clare Purcell at the close of the Western North Carolina conference in Charlotte Monday.

Dr. J. E. Abernethy, who has served the Franklin Methodist church for the past year, is succeeded by the Rev. I. L. Roberts, who will come here from Dallas in the Gastonia district.

The Rev. H. S. Williams returns to the Franklin circuit and the Rev. J. C. Swaim to the Macon circuit. The Rev. W. F. Beadle is also returned to the Highlands charge.

The Rev. W. L. Hutchins, who has been Aldersgate director, succeeds the Rev. W. A. Rollins as presiding elder of the Waynesville district. Rev. Mr. Rollins goes to the First Church at Hickory.

The Rev. C. C. Herbert, Jr., former pastor of the Franklin Methodist church, goes back to Walkertown in the Winston-Salem district, and has also been appointed district missionary secretary for the district.

Following will be found the full list of appointments for the Waynesville district:

Waynesville district, presiding elder, W. L. Hutchins; Andrews, G. N. Dulin; Bethel, J. W. Blitch; Brevard, E. P. Billups; Brevard circuit, to be supplied.

Bryson City, A. L. Rayle; Canton, W. R. Kelly; Clyde, E. C. Price; Cullowhee, C. G. Hefner; Crabtree, A. F. Phibbs; Dellwood, C. O. Newell (M. E.).

Fines Creek, G. L. Lovett, supply; Franklin, I. L. Roberts; Franklin circuit, H. S. Williams; Hayesville, J. C. Gentry; Highlands, W. F. Beadle; Jonathan, J. D. Pyatt, supply.

Junaluska, J. S. Folger; Macon, J. C. Swaim; Murphy, Van B. Harrison; Murphy circuit, J. A. Fry; Robbinsville, H. L. Lefevers; Sylva, A. P. Ratledge.

Waynesville, J. G. Huggins, Jr.; Webster, G. A. Hovis, supply; Whittier, C. L. Fisher, supply; Missionary to Brazil, C. W. Clay; professor Brevard college, E. D. C. Brewer; district missionary secretary, W. R. Kelly.

Dr. J. E. Abernethy, who has served the Franklin church for the past year, is one of the most scholarly preachers of the Methodist denomination, and has been pastor of several of the largest churches in the conference. His going away will be deeply regretted by the people of the town, regardless of their church affiliations.

The new pastor will be fittingly welcomed by the Methodists and also by the pastors and members of the other churches of the community.

Dr. J. E. Abernethy To Preach Sunday

Dr. J. E. Abernethy, pastor of the Franklin Methodist church, who has been transferred to Valdese, will conduct his last service here next Sunday morning at 11 o'clock.

It is expected that a large congregation will attend this farewell service.

Angel Hospital Opens New Dental Clinic

Dr. Furman Angel announces the opening of a dental clinic at the Angel hospital. New and modern equipment has been installed. Dr. Paul O'Brian, formerly resident dentist at the Cincinnati General hospital, Cincinnati, Ohio, is in charge of the new dental department.