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**WHY WE'RE DUST DRY.**

Here's another reason why this newspaper is in the dry ranks—that is, those who believe that the eighteenth amendment, or anything is better than repeal with the resultant return of the saloon and legalized drunkenness.

Facts given in this column from week to week are not of our own making, but have been compiled by T. H. Steele, leader in the fight for retention of the 18th amendment in North Carolina, and are based on government and insurance company statistics that are beyond question. The reason given below is taken from the English Official Report Parliamentary Debates iv, 194:

"In wet England under legalized liquor, 1,500 little babies are smothered and mangled to death by drunken mothers each year." This savage debauchery is unheard of in dry United States.

**DRIVE IS NOT A BOYCOTT.**

During this week people of Brevard and Transylvania are being asked to sign NRA consumer cards, thereby pledging to lend their support to the merchants and business men of the community who are NRA members. While there is a friendly feeling manifest by the vast majority, there are a few who hesitate to "boycott" their local merchants—even though it seems the only logical thing to do under the circumstances.

To those who think of this act in terms of boycott, let it be made plain that this measure is not intended for and should not be construed as a boycott as we understand the term. Primarily the plan is simply one of protection for the numerous merchants and business men who are proudly flying the Blue Eagle. Many of them have placed the Eagle there when they have felt that if they were not given the proper support by the people it would spell ruin for them and their business. To guarantee these faithful standard bearers success in their venture and to eliminate unfair competition and practices, it has been necessary to organize the buyers under the Eagle in order to protect them.

General Johnson asks that "wherever the Blue Eagle flies we shall keep his wings clean and his talons sharp." This cannot be done without the wholehearted cooperation of the buying public in patronizing only those merchants who operate under the Blue Eagle. We do not like to think of a movement of this kind—so fine, so expressive of that characteristic of the American to fight to the finish, honestly and in the open—as carrying the stigma of a boycott. It is not that. It is simply a gesture on the part of the people to stand by the employer who stands by them. They who buy—however little it may be—will support the man who is making it possible for them to buy.

We want to avoid any bitterness—any trace of vindictiveness, any unfair practices and any dissention in the ranks of the people as they push forward this plan of the president to restore this country to prosperity. When the consumer learns that this movement is for his good; that it is not a movement to help a select few; not a movement to make the rich richer and extort everything possible for the poor. The merchants and business men as well as the large manufacturers are of necessity taking a "gambler's" chance when they sign up and live up to the spirit and letter of the code. Why should the consumer, who will ultimately receive the greater benefit from the codes, not be willing to do his part in this movement?

Absolute cooperation is essential to the success of the movement. The consumer's part is no less important than that of the business man and the manufacturer. It must go over 100% and it is up to each individual to do his part. Let's pull together that we may all share in the success of this, the greatest movement ever begun since the beginning of time.

**WASTE OF PUBLIC MONEY IN COUNTY.**

Considerable public money was spent by the North Carolina highway commission many months ago in completing (nearly so) the roadbed of the Boylston route and in putting on a coat of gravel preparatory to (supposedly so) surface treatment. Several thousand dollars were spent on this important link.

A trip over this route now will convince most anyone that this money was practically wasted, that the roadbed is in sad state of repair due to lack of proper surfacing, and that of a survey, unless something is done by the state shortly, there will be detour signs on the road when winter rains and snows come.

Looks to us like a waste of money, pure and simple, by the state, to go to all the expenses of preparing the Boylston road for surfacing and then forgetting that such a project was ever in existence.

Perhaps the "bosses" in Raleigh are too busy trying to find out just who is "boss" to give any of their precious time to such an insignificant thing as the Boylston road.

**TWO SIDES TO FOOTBALL MIX.**

While it seems hard as the dickens for Brevard high school players to be under a "code" such as announced in last week's Transylvania Times, and while this writer would a lot rather have a good football team than most anything else right now, we are bound to see that school officials are well within their rights when they set drastic rules governing players.

Ordinarily, and in ordinary schools this would not be true. But it seems that some of the fellows last year, not all of them of course, let it be known emphatically that they were only going to Brevard high school for the purpose of playing football, and that they didn't give a hang whether they made anything better than a "D" or not. So, after all, the officials are pretty near right... but it's a painful right even at that.

We wish it were possible for them to make rules this year that would allow a boy passing four subjects THIS year to play on the team, especially since there were only three required last year. We do want a football team, but at the same time, if officials see fit to have a little educational work done along with the sports, o. k. by us.

**KINGFISH CAN'T CRAWFISH OUT.**

The honorable(?) Huey Long, Louisiana's more or less brilliant senator, seems to be caught just about as near lying as ever with "delicacy of the situation" preventing newshounds from ferreting out the truth.

Crawfish Long says that he was attacked in a washroom by four or more bandits, one of whom cut him with a knife, but attendants at the cafe where the alleged (by Crawfish) attack took place, let the truth out in a casual way before they were told to "be quiet" by the management. Give us the word of a cafe worker anytime in preference to Crawfish Long.

**TELLING THE TRUTH AS IT COMES TO HIM.**

If Carl Goerch never makes a success of his estimable weekly news magazine, The State, it will not be because he has not started out in the right direction—toward, telling the truth as it appears to him. Published at Raleigh, center of things of general interest to state progress and state matters political, Carl Goerch keeps the ears of his State to the ground when things of import come up, and in the case of the highway shakeup a few days ago printed what he and lots of others deem the truth of the matter when he said—

—Leslie Ames has been fired as chief engineer of the Highway Department and John Waldrop has been appointed as his successor, and he state as a whole is asking "Why?" The answer is simple. The Governor owed a political debt to a certain group who—for the present—will be nameless, although practically everybody knows their identity. This group didn't like Ames. They insisted that he be ousted, so ousted he was. Chairman Jeffress didn't have a thing against him nor did members of the commission. Nor did the Governor, for that matter. But he could not help himself. When one incurs political obligations, these obligations must be paid, providing they can be paid honestly. And that's what happened in this particular instance.

Get a wooden nickel that Mr. Samuel Insull stays in the land of the Greeks regardless of streamer headlines in daily papers declaring that he "has been arrested." Mr. Insull has the coin that it takes to stay out, and he'll be more than apt to stay in Greece while honest people are suffering because of his slick maneuverings and crooked deals.

**Sweden's Electrical Farms Lag Far Behind Our Own in Aid for Women**



Two-fifths of Sweden's farms have electricity, and yet such a woman as this native, shown here bending over her crude tub, is a common sight throughout the country, unbelievable as that is to the American farmer's wife.

Although only one-sixth of our farms have electricity, half of our farms, nevertheless, have power washers, including the old-fashioned hand machine, for which there still are customers, a few water-power machines, a very great many washers run by gas-engines, and a steadily increasing number of electrical models.

Our women have invested more than one billion dollars in their mechanical washers since their introduction twenty-five years ago. The washer is the first appliance installed in seven-tenths of all new homes, or newly-wired homes. Of every five homes with electricity in this country, two have electrical washers.

At the recent Cooperative Congress in Stockholm it was predicted that a "washday revolt" would take place soon in that country. We never have had a need for it. As soon as power washing machines were introduced American women were quick to see how they would banish drudgery, cut expense and make clothes last longer. They have been busy buying them ever since.

**LAKE TOXAWAY**

(Mrs. H. D. Lee)

Mr. and Mrs. Grant Brunner have as their guests this week, Mrs. Miller and children from Virginia, and Mrs. Welch Galloway and children from Rosman.

Bob Fisher who has been in New Mexico for some time has returned to the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Laurie Fisher.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Lee and son, Pet, and Ray Owen, spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Lee.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Thomas and son Dean, who spent last week with relatives in Woodruff, S. C., have returned home.

Vance Galloway of Gloucester was a business visitor to Toxaway, Wednesday.

Otto Jones of Etowah spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Jones.

Miss Mildred Williams, Miss Dorothy Lee, Leonard H. Thomas, and L. C. Case, Jr., attended the teachers meeting in Brevard Saturday.

Charles Lee, Jr., spent last week with relatives in Spartanburg, S. C.

Miss Lenora Thomas spent Wednesday night with Miss Willie Mae Teague.

Mrs. Granville Fisher and daughter, Helen, were guests of Mrs. Henry Arrowood Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Wilbanks of Bohany, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wilbanks.

Miss Ann Norris and Oneal Owen were guests of Miss Dot Lee Saturday evening.

Mr. A. M. Collins and Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Inman of St. Petersburg, Fla., were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Raines.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Tinsley and children were visitors to Greenville Saturday.

Teachers of this place who began work in schools in this county Monday are: Miss Louise Williams and Leonard H. Thomas, Rosman high school; Miss Dot Lee, Quebec; L. C. Case Jr., Lake Toxaway.

Charles Lee Jr., and Bunyan Owen had a narrow escape Saturday night when Lee's car in which they were riding was hit by a heavier car, turning it over several times and completely demolishing it. The accident occurred near Seica.

Oneal Owen who has been in Lenoir for some time spent last week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Owen.

Mrs. W. J. Raines visited Mrs. Lee Sunday.

Dock Banther of the CCC, Lake Lure, spent the week-end here with his family.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Len McKinna were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Owen Sunday.

Mrs. Bill Fisher and children spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Simpson Fisher in Gloucester.

The Wolf Mountain choir sang at the Baptist church last Sunday morning and at the Methodist church in the afternoon. A large congregation at the church enjoyed the singing.

Transylvania friends of Dan Hill, for years postmaster at Asheville, hate to think of his leaving the metropolis postoffice after the years of service he has given the mountain section. Mr. Hill has numerous friends here who will wish him well in his business venture.

**BALSAM GROVE NEWS**

(By Mrs. Harry McCall)

There have been several decoration services in this section recently, each one being followed by preaching.

Aunt Jane McCall is seriously ill at her home here.

Miss Viola Galloway, who has been working on Mill's River, spent the week-end with her parents here.

Mary Jane Brown visited at the home of her uncle, Simp Fisher, on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Morgan and daughter, Miss Ruth, called on Mrs. Dock McCall, Saturday.

Mrs. H. S. McCall, who was ill, is reported to be doing nicely at this time.

Balsam Grove school started Monday with a good attendance, most of the pupils being little fellows.

Several folks from this community were Brevard visitors Saturday.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Harry McCall, a nine-pound son, William Cleon.

Mrs. Fred Honeycutt is spending several days with her mother, who is seriously ill.

Vernie Hollifield visited G. W. McCall on Saturday.

Miss Ellen Owen of Jackson, is spending some time with her sister, Mrs. Jason McCall, here.

Mrs. Doc McCall called at the home of Mrs. G. W. McCall on Monday.

Harry McCall was dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Buckner on Sunday.

Demas Galloway is recovering from effects of a gunshot wound in his foot.

Miss Edna Kilpatrick spent Wednesday night of last week with Mrs. Van McCall.

Mrs. Charlie Buckner visited Mrs. Harry McCall recently.

Misses Maxie and Georgia McCall were in this community last week.

T. R. Chastain, William Kilpatrick and Clarence Owen attended the decoration services at Macedonia church Sunday.

**REVIVAL ANNOUNCED TO START AT COURT HOUSE**

A series of revival services will be held at the Brevard courthouse beginning Thursday night of this week, conducted by the Rev. C. L. Holtzclaw, pastor of the Pentecostal Holiness church, of Brevard. The meetings will probably continue for two weeks, with services held each night beginning at 8 o'clock. A cordial invitation is extended by the Rev. Holtzclaw and his church to people of all denominations to attend these services.

They were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Cole Lee.

The meeting at the Methodist church which was in charge of the pastor, Rev. J. N. Hall, assisted by Rev. W. F. Sanford of Asheville, and Rev. Dock Owen, of Gloucester, closed Thursday night. We feel that much and lasting good was accomplished by the meeting, as the large crowd that filled the house each evening could not fail to be a better group after hearing the inspiring sermons delivered there.

Five hundred Pitt county tobacco growers attended a recent mass meeting in Greenville to assure the government of cooperation in reducing the crop next year.

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