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WE CAN'T HELP IT
MR. MAIL CARRIER.
Said one of the rural mail carriers to the editor of The Times last week:

"Why don't you do something about the tremendous amount of business that is going out of this county every day to the mail order houses? Why, I deliver more stuff to patrons of my mail route than any business in Brevard handles, and all the stuff I carry out is paid for right when I deliver it."

Sorry, Mr. Mail Man, 'tain't our fault, and we can't help it. We hate to see the money going to Chicago, New York, and Philadelphia, and Atlanta, and St. Louis, and those other big cities as much as you do, and we hate for our people to get stung every so often with inferior goods upon which a refund is often mighty hard to get, and very frequently ungettable at all, but 'tain't our fault.

These fellows over in Chicago and other places who are getting all the business want it, and want it bad enough to go after it. They spend lots of money in getting new customers to buy from them and then spend more keeping those same customers trading regularly... smart fellows.

We know they charge higher prices in many instances than the folks in Brevard would charge for the same article, but 'tain't our fault, and you can't blame them for wanting to do a lot of business in order to take care of their tremendous overhead and fixed charges of business operation. They are in business to make money, and know well that to make money they must have a big turnover, hence they get folks in Transylvania and other counties just like ours to buy their wares, and every year they grow, but 'tain't our fault.

Did you ever note, Mr. Mail Carrier, how often these same mail order folks send out catalogues and special price sheets to the people that you serve? Well, notice it for the next few weeks and you'll find they believe "it pays to advertise."

A SAD STATE OF AFFAIRS.

Early travelers in Brevard Sunday morning had the very unpleasant experience of stepping gingerly around the filthiest of repugnancy—vomit on the sidewalks and about public places.

Saturday night's debauchery and excesses were evidenced by the mess on the streets, one particularly offensive pile of the spewed filth being in the door of the post office.

It is nothing pleasant to think of, and at this season of the year it might be said that more pleasant things could be written about in the home newspaper, but there must be an arousing of public sentiment before such things will be remedied, and whether it is nice or no, your attention is being called to the sad true facts.

Things in this line are too loose in Brevard. Somebody is lying down on the job, unless perchance, people of the community are satisfied to "let 'er rock along," and we are of the opinion that such is not the case.

Barroom facilities are being afforded in Brevard. Who is supplying the demand we are unable to say, but there are residents of the town who do know and who for some reason are afraid or too cowardly to tell. The old, time-worn excuse that "it's a job for the officers" is no good in this case—it is purely a case for respectable people in the community; people who should grow tired of such things and DO SOMETHING about it. This newspaper is confident that there is not a harder working nor a more conscientious officer than Chief Freeman, and from first hand knowledge this paper is also certain that everything in the power of the local force is being done to combat the evil, but to no seeming avail.

It is not a matter of the 18th amendment, nor of state laws, but one that must be handled by the better class citizens of the community; those folks who should be interested in making the town at least a decent place. From evidences of Saturday night's bunch in Brevard

a "close-in" place was discharging bootleg whiskey, and was having a brisk trade.
The practice can be stopped if the people here want it stopped, and have enough intestinal fortitude to do as they should.
It's just a matter of taste, anyway—use the sidewalks to walk on or vomit on, people here can have whichever they choose.

Looks like there must be something like the Ku Klux Klan organized in Brevard—not to "run things"—but to kind of slow a few things down.

Huey Long has made a Long fight in Long style, and it looks like he is about to be gone for a Long time.

"Liquors Being Rushed To Meet Demand After Repeal Tuesday" says a daily newspaper headline. Humph, there was a rush here Saturday night, that supplied the demand and then some.

Well, ye scribe failed to get the possum and turkey for Thanksgiving dinner, but we come pretty near—a duck from the Hon. Bill Breese—an invite to dinner with the Brit-tains, a rabbit from Jerry Jerome, and a pumpkin from Mrs. Judson Corn. Pretty nice, eh?

Tell your friends to come to Brevard next summer and take a swim in our new swimming pool... and then drive over the new Pickens highway (being built before Christmas) and then see a real view from the top of Pisgah National Forest (over 284, started this week). Sounds good.

Al Smith's "baloney" seems to have soured on the public's stomach, and Roosevelt goes like a man running a race to win. Hurrah for Franklin D. and p-h-u-t to Al.

N. C. IN THE FOREFRONT

Editor The Times:
Hurrah for the good old North State! Some of the greatest men of the nation today are proud of the fact that they are Tar Heels.

From the very foundation of our government back in the Colonial days down to the present time, North Carolina has always stood in the very forefront in every progressive movement for the protection and betterment of humanity. And it is no wonder that so many men in all walks of life love to refer to North Carolina as their native state.

Of course there are those who would try to make you believe that North Carolina will be overrun with a great hoard of rum runners, bootleggers, moonshiners, or by whatever name you may wish to call them. But from every indication it seems that the opposite is going to be the result. The best people of the nation today are turning their eyes to North Carolina.

Mr. Cale Burgess said in a speech in that great convention in Greensboro that his mail is full of letters from some of the best people in all parts of the United States asking about real estate in North Carolina. They want to move to a state where the citizens are not liquor mad.

North Carolina has twice spoken in tones of thunder that ought to be understood. In the year 1908, even before our good women were allowed to vote, North Carolina voted out liquor by 44,000 majority. And now again by a vote two and a half to one we have showed to the world where we stand on the great moral issue.

We will of course have blockading, bootlegging, murder and bloodshed and all kinds of evil so long as Satan makes his abode in the hearts and lives of men and women. But our becoming a partner in this great evil will not make it any better.

So let me insist that we never again fold our arms and go to sleep, but let's continue to work for the protection of our homes, our wives and children, our country and our King until the final victory is won.

Very respectfully,
Chas W. Henderson
Lake Toxaway

WHAT IS TEMPERANCE

One of the most specious arguments advanced by those who advocated the repeal of the 18th amendment was that made under the guise of "true temperance." The wets arrogate to themselves the nomenclature made famous by the crusaders for abolishment of the liquor traffic. They argue that alcohol, a habit-forming poisonous drug, can be taken without injury to the human system, thus ignoring the findings of science.

It is interesting to see what the dictionary gives as a definition: "Temperance is moderation in or abstinence from the use of intoxicants." The Woman's Christian Temperance Union defines temperance, as "moderate use of the things that are lawful, total abstinence of things that are harmful." The great temperance movement for sixty years has based its work on this definition, as all intelligent readers know.

Shall we be deceived by such fallacious propaganda as the liquor advocates are sending out by the tons? We repeat, the battle between those who are putting appetite and greed before health, morals, and best social and economic conditions—the battle has only begun. How shall THE BEST FOR NORTH CAROLINA be secured? By building up a strong public sentiment to support everyone who is working towards this end. Let's do our part.
Jean Adams Haynes
Brevard, Oct 7.

ROSMAN PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Gant and children, Carroll Manly and Howard Reece were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Grover Woodard Saturday night.
Misses Maxie Moore and A. M. Paxton Jr., and E. M. Collins were guests at the home of Misses Anne and Hazel Moore Saturday night.

Mrs. C. F. Byerly and daughter, Shirley and Betty Jean of Asheville, spent Thanksgiving holidays as guest of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Morgan and Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Whitmore.
Miss Lula Manly of Brevard, and Homer Manly of Barnesville, spent the week-end as guests of Rev. and Mrs. A. J. Manly.

Mrs. S. M. Foster returned to Asheville Friday to spend several days visiting her daughter, Mrs. C. F. Byerly.

Miss Ruth Morgan who is teaching in Gloucester, spent Thanksgiving holidays as guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Morgan.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Brown and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Heath and daughter, Polly Kate, Mr. and Mrs. F. P. McGuire, of Asheville, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Gillespie at East Fork Sunday.

Miss Altha McCall, of Lake Toxaway, spent Monday night as guest of Miss Edna Mae Collins.

Mr. and Mrs. James T. Boles and two children, and Miss Belle Fisher spent Saturday as guests of Mrs. T. P. Galloway at Calvert.

Nelle, small daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Craig Whitmore, who has been quite ill for several days is much improved.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Weber left for their home in Chicago Thursday having spent several days as guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Galloway.

Mrs. L. M. Watkins left Tuesday for Little River to spend several days visiting relatives.

Mrs. Claud Kelly, of Greenville, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Watkins last week.

Dewey Foster, of Asheville visited his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. White Thursday and Friday of last week.

Mrs. Edwin Stator and daughter, Marvella, and Miss Daisy Galloway spent Thanksgiving holidays at Old Toxaway as guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Galloway.

J. R. Mahoney was a dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Reece on Thanksgiving day.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Moore had as their guests Tuesday night, Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Moore and children and Mr. and Mrs. Floyd and Landrum Cooper of Inman, S. C.

Miss Ida Nicholson and Mrs. John Jackson, of Enka, spent the weekend as guests of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. S. Galloway.

Miss Verona Lyday spent Sunday night as guest of Miss Lena Love.

L. T. Cantrell, of East Flat Rock, spent Thanksgiving as guest of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Love.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Harmon were visitors to Tower Monday of last week.

Lud Hewerton spent the week-end at Franklin visiting friends.

Miss Beulah Moore returned to Asheville Normal, Asheville, Monday, having spent Thanksgiving holidays as guest of her father, W. J. Moore.

Jake Long spent the week-end at Prosperity, S. C., with his family.

Mrs. Al Bryson returned home on Friday from St. Petersburg, Fla., where she spent the past month as guest of John Henderson and family.

Mrs. Hattie Henderson returned to the home of her sister, Mrs. John Wilson, at Selma Sunday.

Rev. J. N. Hall, J. E. White and Berlie Owen, of Lake Toxaway, attended a ministers' conference at Sylva Monday.

Mrs. Elizabeth Hall and son, Rev. J. N. Hall spent Thanksgiving as guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Gravelly at East Fork.

Mrs. W. E. Hall and Mrs. Dewey Hunter and four daughters of Greenville, S. C., Mrs. Kermit Hall, of Lake Toxaway were guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Stophel Sunday.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Joe Galloway a daughter, Dorene, Friday, November 22.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Avery Galloway, a daughter, Saturday, December 2nd. Mrs. Galloway was, before her marriage, Miss Blanche Owen.

J. Collie Owen and daughter, Miss Gladys, were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Stophel Sunday.

Mrs. C. J. Eldridge returned home Monday, having been a patient at Lyday Memorial hospital in Brevard for the past six weeks.

Miss Louise Glazener returned to Asheville Teachers' college, Asheville, Monday, having spent the Thanksgiving holidays as guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Glazener.

MANY MAKE ROLL AT LITTLE RIVER

Fifty-five per cent of the pupils at Little River school had a perfect attendance for the third month, with eighteen children making the honor roll.

Honor Roll
Seventh grade—Odell Scott, Lillie Bull, Alma Hamilton, Dorothy McCrary.
Sixth—Helen Holtzclaw, Lucille McCrary, Katherine Shuford.
Fourth—Evelyn Hawkins, Kathleen McCrary.
Third—Marie Hart, Mary Howell Estell McGaha.
Second—Dale Orr, Miriam Merrill, Lucille Merrill, Mildred Orr.
First—T. R. McCall, Alvin McCrary.

Yearly Attendance
Seventh grade—Odell Scott, Lillie Bull, Dorothy McCrary, Donale Shipman, Helen Holtzclaw, Lucille McCrary, Katherine Shuford, Hairman Merrill, Calvin Merrill, Lyle Merrill, Ruby McCally, Kathleen McCrary, Novella McCrary, Syble Merrill, Lamar Hamilton, Thomas Merrill, Estell McGaha, Lewis Howell Cray, Dale Orr, Neston Shipman, Marvin Ball, T. R. McCall, Alvin McCrary, Clannie McGaha, Mary McCrary.
Third Month Attendance
Seventh grade—Calvin McCrary, Clifford McCrary, Glenn Merrill, Paul Merrill, Odell Scott, Lillie Bull, Clara Cantrell, Dorothy McCrary, Ethel Smith.
Sixth—Donald Shipman, Helen Holtzclaw, Lucille McCrary, Katherine Shuford, Samantha Smith.
Fifth—Hairman Merrill, Helen Kilpatrick.
Fourth—Calvin Merrill, Flava Merrill, Lyle Merrill, Ruby Baynard, Tessie Hall, Ruby McCally, Kathleen McCrary, Novella McCrary, Syble Merrill.

Third—Willis Cantrell, Lamar Hamilton, Fred McCrary, Thomas McCrary, Rosell Ball, Marie Hart, Estell McGaha.

Second—Burd Aiken, Dale Orr, Lewis Hamilton, Newton Shipman, Mildred Orr.

First—Marvin Ball, Carl Barton, I. V. Cantrell, T. R. McCall, Alvin McCrary, Clannie McGaha, Mary McCrary.

ville, S. C., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Stator Sunday.

Robert Raines of the Middle Fork section visited his brother, F. A. Raines at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Mahoney Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Stover and daughter, of Bowling Green, Kentucky, arrived the first of the week for an extended visit with Mrs. Stover's parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Moore and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Collis Moore and son, Collis Jr., and daughter, Betty Jean, Mr. and Mrs. Ollis Moore and son, Ollis Jr., and daughter, Marie, of Gastonia, spent Thanksgiving holidays as guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Moore.

Miss Mary Waldrop spent Tuesday night as guest of Miss Ella Mae Collins.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Collins had as their guests Thanksgiving night, Miss Ola Paxton, Josephine Mull, Lucy Fullbright, Geneva Mull, Paul Stroup, Roy Snipes, Mac White and Austin Hogsd.

The Pitt County Mutual Exchange sold \$100 worth of products at the curb market last Saturday and helped to organize a production credit association for the county.

PENROSE CHILDREN ATTEND REGULARLY

Penrose school had 27 pupils on the honor roll for the third month of school with a number having perfect attendance in addition to making the required scholastic grades:

Honor Roll
Seventh grade—Agnes Wilson.
Sixth—Virginia Allison, Mildred Corpening, Violet Lyday.
Fifth—Herman Rahn.
Fourth—Bobby Corpening, N. J. Ponder Jr.
Third—Henry Owenby, Jewel Rees, Leota Bell, Marjorie Talley, Rhea Parker, Gladys Wilson, Irdell Blythe.
Second—Irma Rahn, Esther Allison, Lucile Coxe.
First—Sam Talley, Billy Surrence, Clara May Lyday.

Perfect Attendance
Seventh grade—Olis Bryson, John Lyday, Bill Owenby, Doris Khan, Mildred Talley.
Sixth—Virginia Allison, Violet Lyday.
Fifth—Clyde Davis, Hermaw Rahn, Sidney Rickman, Gloria Ann Wilson.
Fourth—Hamilton Boyd, Bobby Corpening, Sylvester Orr, Lucile Allison, Louise Bryson, Edna Rickman, Ruby Owenby.
Third—Henry Owenby, Everett Greer, Frank Parker, Leota Bell, Marjorie Talley, Rhea Parker, Irdelle Blythe, Gladys Wilson.
Second—Irma Rahn, Esther Allison, Lucile Coxe.
First—Fred Owenby, Levey Frady, Horace Blythe, Sam Talley, Franklin Orr, Samuel Parker, Ted Frady, Clyde Murray.

SELICA HONOR ROLL GIVEN BY TEACHERS

First Grade—Grille Galloway, Roy Barton, Russell Huggins, Bruce McGaha, Ruth Norris, Doyle Eubanks, William Bently.
Second Grade—Acie Waldrop.
Third Grade—Frank Barton, Nell Wilson.
Fourth Grade—Charles Barton, Garner Galloway, Harold Galloway, Harold Norris, Clyde Summey, Albert Barton.
Fifth Grade—D. C. Barton, Van Huggins.
Sixth Grade—Mildred Wilson, Craig Sharpe.
Seventh Grade—Gould Tinsley, L. C. Wilson.

PERFECT ATTENDANCE
Nell Wilson, James Barton, Grille Galloway, Russell Huggins, Bruce McGaha, Bruce McGaha, George Summey Jr., Bruce Tinsley, Naomi Barton, Caroline Bryson, Ruth Norris, J. L. Bryson, Clarence Summey, Acie Waldrop, Helen Norris, G. O. McCall, Robert McGaha, Grace Mull, Reba Wilson, Charles Barton, Leroy Tinsley, Ross Wilson, Reba Barton, D. C. Barton, Harry Blake, Van Huggins, Joe Tinsley, Nell Lance, Mae Wilson, Arthur Barton, Craig Sharpe, Josephine Bryson, Gould Tinsley, L. C. Wilson, Margaret Bryson.

Twelve Person County farmers report an average yield of 29.52 bushels of corn and one following lespeceza last year while that grown on similar land without the lespeceza produced 18.02 bushels. Results with wheat were even greater.

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