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PAY THE FIDDLER IF YOU DANCE

Back in the days when fiddling and dancing was in its heyday, there was an unwritten law to the effect that he who paid the fiddler was entitled to dance, and the fellow who refused to help remunerate the music makers without whom the dance would have been a flop, keep his feet out of the way.

This rule, in effect, will apply to the civic organization which is going to do its best for the community this summer in the tourist business. A bureau of information is going to be maintained during the season that people are wont to spend some time in Transylvania county, and this information bureau is going to have posted at a very convenient place for the secretary or attendant to see, a list of those people who have paid the fiddler.

Mr. and Mrs. John Doe, who will have been attracted to this section by reason of the fact that the Welcome to Brevard organization has been successful in interesting them to the extent in this section that they have decided to spend their vacation here, will naturally come first to the Welcome to Brevard headquarters or information bureau, and there ask for a place that will suit their particular fancy or need. It will be a mandatory duty of the attendant to look on the list and see just who has such a place in the county and Mr. and Mrs. Doe will be referred to Mr. or Mrs. Paid-up's place.

This step is being taken, and rightfully so, at the insistence of those community-minded people who feel that they have been carrying the load too long with the other fellow joining in on an equal benefit.

Have you taken out a membership in "Welcome to Brevard"? It only costs five dollars.

Well, the snow did one good thing, at least. It stopped some people from going fishing before the season opened.

There'll come a time when women will find that they can get along fine without their male specie and will find a way to wipe the gentlemen off the earth, according to an English scientist. Oh yeah!

Ladies over in Greenville think people ought to be made to stop spitting on the sidewalks. If they could count the half million blotches on uptown sidewalks in Brevard each morning they'd very probably try to extend their efforts across the mountains.

We propose either a wide open fishing season running from Jan. 1 to Jan. 1 or a more stringent enforcement of the regulations now on the books. A fellow who is too much of a sportsman to fish out of the season hasn't much of a chance the way things are now.

Ye editor, being a dry of the first order, naturally refuses to carry the little bottle of "snake bite medicine" along when he goes fishing, long ago having gotten over the idea that "moonshine" was a necessary precaution against snake bite, and now along comes the state board of health in the official "Health Bulletin" for April and says emphatically that whiskey is not a good remedy for snake bite.

Dan Tompkins, estimable editor of The Jackson County Journal, set forth that there is a "nigger in the woodpile" and proceeds to indict this group and that individual left and right, until he has surely hit the spot, though with what might be termed a "much scattern load" of buckshot. Brother Tompkins is all stirred up over the completion of Highway 106 from Cashiers to Sylva, and wants everybody named in his indictment to "come forward and desist if not guilty" of interfering with plans to link Sylva with Walhalla and points south with a hard-surfaced highway. O. K. Brother Tompkins, go get 'em, snake all the niggers out of the woodpiles, but how about being a little more specific next time in just where the "woodpile" is in which the nigger is hiding?

NEED MORE SPELLING BEES

Our people are too fast getting away from the community feeling that should pervade, with "big interests" or things of wider scope gradually supplanting the homey feeling that used to be such a great asset to communities.

Running of the schools, churches, and the county is, gradually being pushed off onto a small and some times distantly located group with resultant loss to the individual communities.

One reason for this is because we have not been having the little semi-social gatherings at church and school house where problems of purely local interest are apt to bob up and be discussed. As a remedy, in part at least, we recommend that follow-up of the Selica a spelling bee or other like gatherings be held more often, thus bringing neighbors together for short periods and at the same time furnishing a brand of entertainment that is far better than some we could point to.

How about reviving the old custom of wood-choppings, house-coverings, quilting parties, and so-forth? Let's try becoming acquainted with our next door neighbor and thinking out some of our home problems instead of letting them just rock along.

How'd you like to have your children taught in school by a bunch of cold natured, non-responsive, selfish individuals like the school authorities down at Wilson, North Carolina, are evidently trying to hire as teachers. "I promise not to fall in love...." is one stipulation in a school teacher's contract in that fair town that is bidding to be THE tobacco center of the country, and further the lady school teacher must promise not to go out with any young man except "insofar as it may be necessary to stimulate Sunday school work." Oh, me! oh, my! what a bunch of doldrums those school board fellows down there must be.

AUSTRALIAN SCHOOL ADMINISTRATION

Editor The Times:
 In the Journal of Education of April 22 is a contribution by John Francis Cramer, superintendent of schools of Grants Pass, Oregon, in which he describes the school system of Australia. This system of school management, as described by Supt. Cramer, is well worth careful consideration, especially by those who have the responsibility, the duty and the privilege of determining the legal education policy of the state.

The continent of Australia is composed of only six states. These are united in a federal government in many respects like our forty-eight states from the government of the United States. But instead of innumerable school districts as we have in this country, the entire continent of Australia has only six school districts, each hstate constituting only one school district. The state of Victoria is given as a model state-district. It has no surplus teachers and no teachers unemployed. It has no special school taxes and yet its school term is longer than ours. It has no school board members. The teachers are civil service employees, secure in tenure, with retirement pensions provided, and promotion and assignment cared for through civil service regulations. The entire support of the educational system of the state is paid out of the consolidated revenue of the state.

Like all the other Australian states, Victoria has a centralized system of education, with an education department under the charge of a cabinet minister, known as the minister of public instruction. He is responsible to parliament for the administration of the educational system of the state. He submits an annual budget, accounts for all money expended, and makes an annual report of the work of the department. As a member of the cabinet, he retires when there is a change in government, and is replaced by a new minister, from the dominant political party.

As all teachers are civil servants, there is practically no possibility of influence or political favor creeping in to affect appointments or to make a differentiation in the treatment of schools.

The consolidated state revenue, from which all school expenses are paid, has its source in public services, state lands, commonwealth subsidies, miscellaneous fines and fees and taxes on incomes and inheritances, with stamp taxes, licenses and motor taxation. It is interesting to note that property taxes furnish less than 8 per cent of the consolidated revenue for all government expenses of the state of Victoria.

A careful study of the state unit systems of Australia leads one to believe that they are very efficient and result in high achievement; and that the lot of the teacher seems much happier than it is here. The solution of our educational problems may lie in some approximation of a state unit for schools as illustrated by the Australian systems.

T. C. Henderson

Lake Toxaway
 Avery farmers, who produce certified seed Irish potatoes, have had inquiries for more than 1,000 bushels of seed. Over 200 bushels have been sold to date.

PLEASANT GROVE

(By W. H. Gray)

Mrs. Ida Rushton had as her dinner guests Sunday her daughter Miss Arrie Rushton, Harris and Clarabell Fair, Roy Daniel, Claud Gillstrap, Garnell Townsend, and of Greenville, S. C. They came by way of Hendersonville and while here visited High Falls near the home of W. W. Orr. After dinner they made a hiking trip, then the party of joy makers returned to Greenville by way of Brevard and Caesar's Head.

Mrs. C. E. Blythe was dinner guest of her daughter, Mrs. Robert Wilson, Sunday.

Earl and Mary Ellen Gray spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wilson.

Alvin Gray and Paul Orr visited friends in Brevard Sunday.

Glenn Morgan visited D. R. Justus and family Sunday.

M. L. Shipman of Raleigh was a Pleasant Grove visitor Sunday.

Little Beulah Justus spent Sunday with Geneva Justus.

Ralph and Raymond of French Broad Park visited their sister, Mrs. Earl Gray, Sunday.

D. P. Kilpatrick of Brevard visited friends and relatives here recently.

D. R. Justus made a business trip to Hendersonville Saturday.

Some one will have to say "hurrah" for Pleasant Grove, for there are two small sawmills in tooting distance of each other. One will tout then the other will tout back at him.

Jim Orr has started to build a house, O. S. Gray having charge of the building.

QUEBEC NEWS

(Lucille Henderson)

Miss Ida Whitmire spent Thursday night with Miss Mae Banther.

Miss Irene Owen spent Wednesday night with Miss Virgie Thomas.

Miss Veardary Fisher was a guest Thursday night with Miss Dorena Fisher.

Messrs. Paul Mullinax and Frank Easley, South Carolina, were visitors Wednesday and Thursday night with Charles Whitmire.

Mrs. Alfred Owen and children, Irene and Thomas Alfred, and Mrs. Mack Reid spent last Saturday with Mrs. John Reid.

Mrs. Nancy Fisher, Mrs. Gladys Franklin and Miss Frances McCall were Brevard visitors last Friday.

Miss Reba McCall of Lake Toxaway spent Wednesday night with Miss Frances McCall.

There are four cases of measles at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Thomas. A few other cases are reported in the community.

Mr. and Mrs. Odell Fisher moved into their new house a few days ago.

Misses Opal and Mary Dodgin spent Friday night with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Gideon Miller.

Mrs. Rufus Owen visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Reid on Thursday of last week.

Miss Carrie Owen visited Mrs. Alna Alexander one day last week.

Miss Adelee Anders of Sheol, Miss Carrie Owen was a guest of his daughter, Mrs. Cecil Whitmire.

Miss Adelee Anders of Sheol Creek is spending some time with Mrs. Jason McCall.

Cecil Robinson called on Edwin Whitmire Sunday.

Miss Carrie Owen was a guest of Mrs. Clarence Owen on Tuesday of last week.

Mrs. Carl Galloway visited her sister, Mrs. Minnie Teparid, at Greenville on Tuesday of last week.

Walter Sanford of Enka accompanied by Howard Paine visited Edwin Whitmire last Monday week.

Lensie Sanders of Lake Toxaway spent Saturday night at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Cecil Whitmire.

Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell Neely of Brevard visited Mr. and Mrs. B. T. Whitmire Sunday.

Miss Gussie Whitmire called on Mrs. Noah Whitmire Sunday.

"Johnie" Reid and children of Rosman have moved into this community.

Miss Annie Lyda is spending some time with her aunt, Mrs. Willie Reid.

Misses Ella Mae and Allene Owen spent Thursday of last week with Miss Rosa Waldrop.

Mrs. Dovie Whitmire spent Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Cad Whitmire.

Charles Reid spent Wednesday night with Ras Whitmire.

Jesse Owen spent Thursday night with Clarence Owen.

John Robinson called to see T. C. Henderson on business Friday morning.

Clyde Jones did some plowing for Gideon Miller last week.

Mrs. C. W. Henderson called on Mrs. T. C. Henderson on Tuesday afternoon of last week.

"Rick" Manly of Rosman was a visitor in this community Sunday afternoon.

At the Sunday School at Oak Grove Baptist church last Sunday it was decided to hold prayer meetings at the homes of the people of the community on Wednesday night of each week. The prayer meeting this week is to be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Henderson, and is to be conducted by Rev. Clyde S. McCall.

NOTICE

To the Stockholders of the Transylvania Railroad Company:
 The Annual Stockholders meeting of the Transylvania Railroad Company will be held at the general offices of the company in the McMinn Building, Brevard, N. C., on Wednesday, the 2nd day of May, 1934, at 10:00 o'clock a. m. for the election of officers and directors to serve during the ensuing year, and for the transaction of any other business that may come before the meeting.

A. K. ORR, Secretary.

This April 18, 1934

UPPER BOYLSTON

(By Lorena McCall)

The farmers are very busy in this community plowing and planting.

Mrs. Perry Fulbright and small daughter Helen called on Mrs. Rick McCall recently.

The people in this community were shocked by the death of Mrs. D. E. Lyday of Turkey Creek.

Mrs. Thomas Duncan is spending a few days with her daughter in Asheville at this writing.

Miss Gladys and Artie McCall were the dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo Shoppe of lower Boylston recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Perry Fulbright entertained a large number of friends and relatives with a stump burning last week.

Mrs. Perry Fulbright and Eulalia Orr spent last Thursday with Mrs. Welfton English of lower Boylston.

Mrs. Will Baynard has been very ill at her home with poison shuck but has somewhat recovered.

Miss Ruby McCall of Turkey Creek spent one night last week with little Gladys and Artie McCall.

Mrs. W. S. Taylor has been ill at her home with the measles but has recovered nicely.

Mr. W. A. Baynard recently burned a kiln of lime.

Aunt Elsie Reece called on Mrs. W. A. Baynard.

Miss Dora Baynard visited Miss Ardice Orr of Brevard Saturday.

J. T. Hollingsworth was a recent visitor of Perry Fulbright.

Miss Sallie Patton and grandson, James, called on Mr. and Mrs. Jake Simpson.

Lee English visited his mother, Mrs. Weldon English of Lower Boylston, recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Lanard Reece and baby, Jr., visited Mr. and Mrs. Evert Reece of Hendersonville.

We had a nice snow last Thursday night.

Fifteen Catawba farmers who planted raspberries as a result of the recent campaign for this new crop report the plants standing the freezes and ready for growth.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE

Having qualified as executor of the last Will and Testament of W. W. Gravelly, Sr., deceased, late of Transylvania County, N. C., this is to notify all persons having claims against said estate to present the same to the undersigned, itemized and verified, at his home at Brevard, N. C. Route No. 1, within 12 months from this date, otherwise the same will be barred of recovery.

All persons who are in any way indebted to said estate will be required to make immediate settlement. This the 10th day of March 1934.

W. C. Gravelly,
 Executor of Last Will and Testament of W. W. Gravelly, deceased.

NOTICE OF EXECUTRIX

Having qualified as executrix of the last will and testament of Pinkney Sylvester King, deceased, late of Transylvania County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned at Brevard, North Carolina, on or before the 12th day of April, 1935, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment. This the 10th day of April, 1934.

JUDITH KING, Executrix of the Last Will and Testament of Pinkney Sylvester King. Ap12-6c

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE

Having qualified as administrator of the estate of Varina Fowler English, deceased, late of Transylvania County, N. C., this is to notify all persons having claims against said estate to present the same to the undersigned, itemized and verified, within twelve months from this date, otherwise the same will be barred of recovery.

All persons who are in any way indebted to said estate will be required to make immediate settlement. This 2nd of March 1934.

T. A. ENGLISH
 Administrator
 Mch. 15-22-29 Apr. 5-12-19

EXECUTION SALE OF LAND

By virtue of an execution duly issued by the Superior Court of Transylvania County, pursuant to a judgment docketed in said County in Judgment Docket N at page 274 to 277 in favor of the Commissioner of Banks of North Carolina and against C. C. Yongue, I will, on Saturday the 5th day of May 1934, sell at the Court House door in the town of Brevard, N. C., to the highest bidder FOR CASH, the following described property:

TRACT NO. 1.
 Deed, E. Allison and wife, E. J. Allison to C. C. Yongue dated Dec. 24, 1902, recorded in Book 18 page 203.

TRACT NO. 2.
 Deed, E. Allison and wife, E. J. Allison to C. C. Yongue dated Jan. 13, 1904, recorded in book 18 page 383.

TRACT NO. 3.
 Deed, E. Allison Commissioner to C. C. Yongue dated July 29, 1912 recorded in book 31 at page 445.

TRACT NO. 4.
 Deed, E. Allison and wife, E. J. Allison to C. C. Yongue dated Feb. 3, 1911, recorded in book 32 at page 31.

TRACT NO. 5.
 Deed, E. Allison and Ophelia Allison to C. C. Yongue dated Nov. 20, 1912, recorded in Book 32 page 139.

Sale made to satisfy said judgment interest, cost and expenses of sale.

THOS. S. WOOD, Sheriff
 Apr. 5-12-19-26c



Don't Cry

About Bad Business—

There's plenty of business in Transylvania County for the man who goes out after it and lets folk know that he has something they need.

Most Everybody In This County Reads

THE TRANSYLVANIA TIMES

Political Announcements

FOR REGISTER OF DEEDS

I hereby announce my candidacy for the office of Register of Deeds, subject to the will of the Democratic voters to be expressed in the June Primary, 1934. If nominated and elected, I promise to perform all duties connected with the office to the best of my ability. Your support will be appreciated.

NOAH C. MILLER,
 Lake Toxaway.

FOR REGISTER OF DEEDS

I hereby announce my candidacy for the office of register of deeds subject to the action of the Democratic Primary in June. If nominated and elected, I will promise to serve the people of my county to the very best of my ability, and shall appreciate the support of everyone.

EDWIN A. MORGAN

FOR REGISTER OF DEEDS

I hereby announce my candidacy for Register of Deeds subject to the will of the citizenry of Transylvania county to be expressed in the June Primary. Always a loyal Democrat and supporter of the President and his Administration, I respectfully request your vote.

ECK L. SIMS
 Brevard.

FOR REGISTER OF DEEDS

I hereby announce myself as candidate for re-nomination and election on the Democratic ticket for the place of Register of Deeds of Transylvania County. My record as your public servant is my recommendation. I shall appreciate your support.

JESS A. GALLOWAY

FOR STATE SENATOR

I hereby announce my candidacy for nomination as Senator for the Thirty-second Senatorial District, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary which is to be held in June.

The support of those having confidence in my ability to serve the best interests of the public in this position will be appreciated.

M. W. Galloway

FOR REPRESENTATIVE

I hereby announce my candidacy for the House of Representatives subject to the action of the Democratic Primary in June. If nominated and elected, I promise faithful service as a member looking to the interests of the people of the county and state. Your support will be appreciated.

W. M. HENRY.

FOR STATE SENATOR

I hereby announce my candidacy for nomination as Senator for the Thirty-Second Senatorial District subject to the action of the Democratic primary in June. I shall appreciate your support.

RALPH H. RAMSEY, Jr.

FOR CLERK SUPERIOR COURT

To the Citizens of Transylvania County:
 I greatly appreciate the support of the good citizens of Transylvania County given me when I ran for the office of Clerk of the Superior Court for my first term which I am now serving. Since my election I have tried to serve the entire people of the county honestly and conscientiously. Every citizen of Transylvania county has received my best services when it was my opportunity to give same.

I respectfully ask the support of the good citizens of the county in my efforts to be re-nominated and re-elected to the office I now fill. If nominated and elected I pledge my best services to the people of the county and will not, under any circumstances, be a candidate to succeed myself at the end of my second term.

OTTO ALEXANDER

FOR REGISTER OF DEEDS

I hereby announce my candidacy for Register of Deeds, subject to the Democratic Primary to be held in June. Your support will be appreciated, and if nominated and elected I promise to do my duty to the very best of my ability.

GLENN BURRELL
 Brevard

FOR STATE SENATOR

I hereby announce my candidacy for State Senator from the 32nd Senatorial district, subject to the will of the voters to be expressed in the June Primary. I shall appreciate your support.

COS PAXTON

FOR TAX COLLECTOR

To The Voters of Transylvania Co.
 Having served my county as Tax Collector for one term, and having faithfully discharged the duties of said office, I hereby announce myself as candidate for nomination for the second term, subject to the Democratic Primary. I will appreciate the support of my friends.

Respectfully, O. L. ERWIN

FOR SOLICITOR

I hereby announce my candidacy for the Democratic nomination for Solicitor of the Eighteenth Judicial District subject to the action of the Democratic Primary to be held on June 2nd. Support of my friends in Transylvania County will be appreciated.

R. LEE WHITMIRE,
 Hendersonville, N. C.

FOR SHERIFF

I hereby announce my candidacy for the nomination for Sheriff of Transylvania County, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary to be held in June.

If nominated and elected I promise to give to this office the very best that is within me and to faithfully, fearlessly and impartially execute the duties of the office.

Your support will be appreciated.

Respectfully,
 L. E. BAGWELL

FOR CLERK OF COURT

I hereby announce my candidacy for the office of Clerk of Superior Court subject to the action of the Democratic Primary in June. If nominated and elected I promise to faithfully serve the people to the best of my ability. I shall appreciate your vote and your support.

SPALDING McINTOSH

FOR SHERIFF

I hereby announce myself as candidate for nomination and election on the Democratic ticket to the office of Sheriff for the second term and will appreciate the interest and support of all my friends. I promise to do my best to serve the people of my county if again elected to this office.

TOM S. WOOD

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER

I hereby announce myself as a candidate to succeed myself as a member of the board of county commissioners, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary. I have done my best to serve the people during my past term and shall appreciate your support again.

W. L. AIKEN

FOR REPRESENTATIVE

I hereby announce my candidacy for member of the legislature subject to the action of the Democratic Primary in June. I shall appreciate your support and if nominated and elected promise to work for all the people of the county.