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\$1.50 THE YEAR IN ADVANCE

## AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF \$25,000 SEWER SYSTEM BONDS OF THE TOWN OF SYLVA, NORTH CAROLINA

Be it ordained by the Board of Commissioners of the Town of Sylva:

Section 1. That in pursuance of the provisions of The Municipal Finance Act (Chapter 138 of the Public Laws of 1917 of North Carolina, as amended), negotiable bonds of the Town of Sylva, to be known as Sewer System Bonds, are hereby authorized to be issued in an aggregate principal amount not exceeding TWENTY-FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS, for necessary expenses of said Town, to-wit: for the purpose of paying for the construction of a Sewer System for furnishing Sewerage to Town of Sylva and its citizens.

Sec. 2. A tax sufficient to pay the principal and interest of the bonds hereby authorized shall be annually levied and collected.

Sec. 3. The following matters are hereby determined and declared pursuant to the requirements of section 17 of the Municipal Finance Act.

(a) A statement of the debt of the Town of Sylva has been made and filed with the Town Clerk pursuant to the Municipal Finance Act, and is open to public inspection.

(b) The average assessed valuation of property subject to taxation by the Town of Sylva for the three fiscal years in which taxes were last levied, as shown by said statement, is \$638,842.

(c) The amount of the net debt of the town of Sylva outstanding, authorized, or to be authorized, as shown by said statement, is \$40,000.

Sec. 4. This ordinance shall be published once in each of four successive weeks after its final passage, as required by The Municipal Finance Act.

Sec. 5. This ordinance shall take effect thirty days after its first publication, unless in the meantime, a petition for its submission to the voters is filed under The Municipal Finance Act, and in such event it shall take effect when approved by the voters of the Town of Sylva at an election as provided in said Act.

The foregoing ordinance was passed on the 29th day of October, 1919, and was first published on October 31st, 1919.

Any action or proceedings questioning the validity of said ordinance must be commenced within thirty days after its first publication.

T. O. WILSON, Clerk, Town of Sylva, North Carolina.

## AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF \$75,000 WATER BONDS OF THE TOWN OF SYLVA, NORTH CAROLINA

Be it ordained by the Board of Commissioners of the Town of Sylva:

Section 1. That in pursuance of the provisions of The Municipal Finance Act (Chapter 138 of the Public Laws of 1917 of North Carolina as amended), negotiable bonds of the town of Sylva, to be known as Water Bonds, are hereby authorized to be issued in an aggregate principal amount not exceeding SEVENTY-FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS, for necessary expenses of said town, to-wit: for the purpose of paying for the construction of a water system for furnishing water to town and its citizens.

Sec. 2. A tax sufficient to pay the principal and interest of the bonds hereby authorized shall be annually levied and collected.

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QUEEN OF BELGIUM VIEW'S CALIFORNIANS

Photo shows Queen Elizabeth of Belgium with members of her party viewing the wonders of the American River from a point along the Blue Canon, California. Insert: Albert I King of the Belgians in the locomotive cab of his special train, which he alternately stoked and drove over a stretch of Ohio country, making the necessary stops with precision and without a jolt.

## COMMUNITY INTEREST

By J. C. BRAMMER.

Dillsboro has increased to 65 agricultural pupils. Three of her teachers helped these pupils to see the meaning of Testing Seed Corn. No doubt when her record is made, this class will rank high.

Tuckasegee has gained three pupils since last meeting. All these did their best to make the most out of this class. At night the people came flocking to hear the following: "The Birthday Gift"—A yscue Hooper.

"What Not to Do"—Alta West.

"Good Thoughts"—Lyda Moses.

"Tommy's Arithmetic"—Irene Hooper.

"Not Afraid of Anything"—Claude Moses.

Little Girl's Speech.—Arlena West.

"Aunt Tibitha"—Naomi West.

"A Leap for Life"—Pete Moses.

Pantomime—"The Blue and the Gray."

"James Bird"—Max Hooper.

"The Family Gathering"—Kitter Hooper.

"Young Charlotte"—Brittie Lee Hooper.

"Arnold Winklereid"—Porter West.

"St. Peter at the Gate"—Lettie Price.

Club Journal—Leiter Hooper.

Address—J. C. Brammer.

Pete Moses, let me say to his honor, after one boy had failed to get his part of a dialogue in which was Pete, not to be outdone, got the piece, at the last moment, "A Leap for Life." Pete, you have made us all more determined not to be discouraged or made afraid.

85 cents was made up and given to Miss Parrish that she might buy a secretary's book.

East Laporte, Moses Creek and John's Creek are increasing in agricultural ability at every meeting.

At night John's Creek filled the spacious room to overflowing. The speeches, dialogues, songs etc., made us all forget about "bad colds."

\$1.20 was made up for oil, etc., that John's Creek may not go into "winter quarters" like the lower animals.

Prof. Nicholson said feelingly that all John's Creek was going to have half holiday each week from now on. He further said that the social side of life shall be emphasized. This is the spirit!

Canada, thanks to you; you have five schools beginning to cooperate. You are beginning to feel that it is criminal not to lend a helping hand.

Qualla, you have been a "beacon light" which is going to permeate

all parts of the county. There is danger that while you have influenced other parts you might have the glow within yourselves. But I think from interest this week that all the people are aroused as never before.

The recitations, dialogues, songs, etc., were highly enjoyed by us all. Qualla Graded school had prepared a good program. The County could not but help saying that we are duty bound to help the rising generation by our presence and co-operation.

Olivet and Qualla graded schools made us feel that no agricultural classes unless they go some are going to beat these schools. Prof. Reed with his usual "How Do You Do?" and "We have places for exhibits" made me feel that all is well.

Prof. McHan and his faithful teachers surely had made a strong effort to increase the agricultural class and the spirit of it.

The next day Mr. James Farmer said he was anxious for all to come out to see the children "lay off acres of various shapes.

Albert Allison was surprised at how much it takes to make an acre. All persons who join the various clubs will be surprised at the actual knowledge gained in this way.

Civil engineering, mechanical engineering, fine arts, elocutionary perfection, scientific agriculture and literary and social life are within the reach of Jackson's intelligent girls and boys.

Saturday night Olivet, together with Qualla in general, paid and they have appointed Messrs. York Howell and John N. Lambert, or rather they volunteered to stake off the line at once. Hope that every meeting will appoint a reporter for her doings.

The County Agent asks all to cooperate by word and deed.

THANKSGIVING SERVICES AT THE METHODIST CHURCH

There will be a Thanksgiving service at the Methodist church Thursday night at seven o'clock, at which time the service flag of the church will be taken down, with appropriate exercises. The members of the Baptist church and all others of the community are invited to attend this service.

We will pay 1.60 cash or 1.75 merchandise for your Irish potatoes if delivered at once. Sylva Supply Co.

## LAST WEEK OF CAMPAIGN

Raleigh Nov. 24.—The last week of the Baptist 75 Million Campaign starts off with a feeling of optimism pervading the State Headquarters. From every section of the State the reports are encouraging.

State organizer W. R. Cullum reports that out 2100 churches in North Carolina at least 1200 have organized for Victory Week dash. Director Walter N. Johnson has sent out his final appeal and Dr. Cullum will send his last word the middle of this week—a call to the Baptist forces of North Carolina to go over the top Sunday, November 30—the first day of the eight day dash.

The ten thousand dollar contribution made by Mrs. Annie Johnson of Reidsville set the high pace and other large contributions are looked for during this week. One consecrated woman, a preacher's wife, without large income has given \$250 and this was a gift to her, but she felt the call of the hour so intensely that she could not use the money and it goes into the Campaign fund. Miss Annie McLean of Rowland pledges one fifth of her income for the next five years. Other notable instances of consecration have been reported. Some churches have already begun the canvass and the advance reports tell a story of large gifts.

Every church director in the State is urged to report to his associational director Sunday night, November 30, Wednesday night, December 3 and Sunday night, December 8. These reports will be made either by telephone or telegraph and will be forwarded by the associational director to the Raleigh Headquarters by telegraph.

Six million dollars is North Carolina's share.—The expectation now is that ten million dollars will be raised.

MAKING MISTAKES.

When a plumber makes a mistake, he charges twice for it.

When a lawyer makes a mistake, it is just what he wanted because he has a chance to try the case all over again.

When a carpenter makes a mistake it is just what he expected.

When a doctor makes a mistake, he buries it.

When a judge makes a mistake, it becomes the law of the land.

When a preacher makes a mistake, nobody knows the difference.

But when an editor makes a mistake, good night!—Exchange.

## LAYMEN'S MEETING AT BAPTIST CHURCH

The eleven o'clock service at the Baptist church Sunday will be given over to a laymen's meeting. Several short talks will be made by visiting men, as well as by members of this church, and special music will be provided. It is hoped that every member and friend of the church will be present, as this will be the last service before the beginning of the final drive in the Seventy-Five Million Dollar Campaign. It is especially important that the captains and members of every team be present at this service.

## PUMPKINTOWN ITEMS

As I haven't seen anything from this place in quite awhile will give a few sketches.

There is a lot of whooping cough throughout the community. Our school had to stop on account of it. Am sorry, as we were having a good school.

Mrs. A. A. Johnson has been very ill for the past few days. We hope she will soon be out again.

Mrs. R. D. Rogers is very sick. She is wished a speedy recovery by her many friends, as she has been in bad health for some time.

Messrs. P. R. Hyatt and John Stiles have moved their saw mill in and set it up and are now ready for business.

Mr. H. G. Crisp is about done logging and will move his mill to the Rogers timber in a short while.

Mr. L. A. Pressley has just completed his barn and it is a great improvement.

Mr. H. G. Crisp has rented Mr. R. D. Rogers' place and moved to it for the next year. Mr. Rogers has moved to the old Higdon place.

Mr. Calvin Wilson has sold his steers and wagon to Mr. N. H. Passmore, of Macon county.

Miss Birda Johnson has gone to Sylva to stay with her sister, Mrs. Beulah Wilson.

Mr. John Stiles made a business trip to Franklin one day last week.

Mr. T. C. Williams, of Macon county, is making his home at Mr. Mack Higdon's.

Mr. Hughie Bishop is visiting relatives on Cullowhee.

We are having a good Sunday School at Zion Hill church.

Luck to the Journal and its readers.

## SOLDIERS OF NEW U. S. ARMY ARE TO HAVE OWN "MOVIE" SHOWS

Washington, D. C.—"Movies" are to be among the means of entertaining soldiers in the new army in all parts of the United States, the War Department announces. In camps, posts and stations where as yet there are no apparatus for reproducing pictures, the War Department will furnish it.

In accordance with what is believed to be the preference of the men themselves, an admission charge of ten cents will be collected from all who attend the regular shows. For special exhibitions a small additional charge will be made. Civilians who want to go to these "military movies" will have to pay the customary war tax of 10 per cent.

It is believed that the profits will meet all the expenses of these exhibitions. The pictures will present a wide range of subjects, including educational material.

We will pay 1.60 cash or 1.75 merchandise for your Irish Potatoes if delivered at once. Sylva Supply Co.

## A FEDERATED CLUB FOR SYLVA

On Thursday afternoon the Embroidery Club met with Mrs. M. D. Cowan. The ladies decided at this meeting to join the State Federation of Clubs and the local organization will hereafter be known as the Woman's Club of Sylva. Mrs. M. D. Cowan was unanimously elected President, and the following ladies members: Mesdames Chas. Allison, Claud Allison, O. L. Bess, M. Buchanan, Chas. Candler, C. C. Cowan, M. D. Cowan, C. W. Denning, Jesse Dillard, A. J. Dills, W. V. Dorsey, J. F. Freeze, Harry Hastings, J. W. Keener, E. L. McKee, M. H. Morris, Jack Morris, A. S. Nichols, Will Oliver, Ellen Picklesimer, T. J. Powers.

The first meeting of the Woman's Club will be held with Mrs. Dillard on Friday, November 28th.

## IN MEMORIAM

Hattie Alexander, wife of John W. Alexander, died in Washington City, October 29th 1919 at the age of forty-three years. She leaves behind her, of her immediate family, her husband and two interesting little boys—John, age fourteen years and James, age twelve years.

Mrs. Alexander, who was Miss Hattie Allison, was born and reared in Webster, Jackson county, N. C. was married to John W. Alexander and moved to Hayesville, N. C. some sixteen years ago. She was a most excellent Christian lady, having joined the Southern Methodist church early in life and lived her religion daily. A model wife and mother—devoted to her husband, children and friends; and all who knew her were her friends.

Some three years since her health became impaired and thinking perhaps a change of location might be beneficial her husband accepted a position in Washington City and moved his family to that city. But the Great White Plague had laid its insidious tentacles about her and she gradually yielded to its inevitable workings until He who doeth all things well called her to be with Him. Her remains were laid away, amidst a profusion of flowers in the cemetery at Hayesville, N. C., on November 1st. The bereaved husband and motherless children have the undivided sympathy of all who know them.

G. H. HAIGLER.

## DILLSBORO

Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Tallent visited home folks in Sylva, Sunday.

Misses Lula Brooks, Maude and Isabella Messer and Margie Russell attended the box supper at Barkers Creek Saturday night.

Mr. John Parks, who has been working at Andrews is at home for a few days.

Miss Lela Ensley visited her sister Mrs. W. O. Allen of Beta Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Wilson and children were visiting in Dillsboro Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Kee and little daughter of Hartsville S. C. are visiting home folks here.

Misses Nina Ensley, Ruth Brock and Alma Fisher were the guests of Miss Maude Leatherwood Sunday.

Mr. Fred Jones of Barkers Creek was in the city Sunday.

"WILD ROSE"

Mrs. Hattie Collins has returned to her home at Clyde, after a visit to her mother, Mrs. M. M. McKee, at Webster.

John Cowan returned Sunday evening from an absence of several years in the West. Mr. Cowan is a brother of Mrs. C. M. Wells, of Sylva.