

Jackson County Journal.

\$1.50 THE YEAR IN ADVANCE IN THE COUNTY

SILVA, N. C. MAR. 14, 1924.

\$2.00 THE YEAR IN ADVANCE OUTSIDE THE COUNTY

COURT GETS \$1000 FOR SCHOOL FUND

In the case of Carlisle Coggins charged with making liquor, and released on bond of \$1000.00, the sheriff was discharged on Cole Bryson bond-man, and Judge Hooker ordered the costs of the sci fa deducted from the amount of the bond, and the balance paid into the school fund of Jackson county, in the recorder's court, Monday morning.

The case against Coggins was continued until such time as he can be apprehended and brought to trial.

Jess Gibson and Levi Gibson, stilling, case continued by consent until April 14.

Miles Holden was tried and convicted of the offense of his goat-breaking pasture and roaming at large within the stock law boundary.

Joseph Elwood and Estes Webster two young men, 19 and 20 years of age, one a native of Jackson and the other from up Pennsylvania way, entered pleas of guilty of store-breaking, larceny and stealing horses for temporary use. The court held them to the superior court on the two felony charges, and sentenced them to 12 months on the roads of Cherokee county for borrowing horses without the knowledge or consent of the owners. The solicitor thought it might be a good idea to change the felony charges to forcible trespass bringing them within the jurisdiction of the recorder, in order to avoid the county having to pay board until October, when they will be tried in the superior court. The court thought it better to let the felony charge stand and allow the young men to build roads in Cherokee for their board and keep until the higher court convenes in Sylva, and sent them up for 12 months in the misdemeanor case, of which he had jurisdiction.

Dude Guilly was found guilty of possession of liquor, as was Frank Hoyle, and each of them drew fine of \$10.00, with suspended sentence of four months each so long as they behave themselves. There were five people in the party, at which time soda water bottle of whiskey appeared. Dude Guilly and Frank Hoyle swore that Frank Hoyle brought a liquid refreshment, and Frank Hoyle and Joe Burton Stanley swore that they received the life of a party.

Pearl Moore and Joe Burton Stanley were found not guilty of prostitution.

Joe Burton Stanley was found guilty of being drunk and sentenced to 30 days in jail, the sentence to be effective the first time he appears again in court, or takes a drink of liquor, or is seen in an automobile after sundown.

John Hester turned the car over to his 14 year old, and who the court stated was at the time of the accident, over to her mother, to take back to Haywood county, but state that he would send her to Samara.

It was not a fact that the institution is crowded at the present time.

Washington, March 13.—Major B. Hayes, Democratic Representative from Missouri and an overseas officer recently called a gathering of Democratic ex-service men who favor the bonus, and that gathering agreed on the terms of a measure which they presented to the Democratic Caucus and approved. The Caucus appointed a committee to carry out the program, as a result of which Major Hayes has introduced in the House a bill for a \$100,000,000 fund for a definite and immediate settlement with a limit of one-half billion and will send persons entering the service between April 5, 1917 and November 12, 1918. The money is to be raised by a 10 percent increase in the tax on the income of the 50,000,000 and the 50,000,000.

Washington, March 13.—The House today passed a bill to provide for the construction of a double track line between Salisbury, Asheboro, Kinston, and intermediate points. Its sympathy.

POST OFFICE AND STORE ROBBED AT GLENVILLE

The Glenville Postoffice and the store of W. M. Fowler was entered last Friday night, and several suits of clothes, belonging to Mr. Fowler, and about \$50.00 in money, the property of Uncle Sam, was stolen.

Sheriff Sutton was in the neighborhood, and was notified, and he with a deputy sheriff, county agent Gray, and T. A. Dillard, chairman of the board of county commissioner, started in pursuit. They found that a couple of horses in the neighborhood were also missing, and as a heavy rain had just fallen, it was easy to track them. They followed into South Carolina, and found the horses and the clothing, where they had been abandoned, and again took up the trail, tracing the robbers through Walhalla and into Seneca, where they were arrested by a South Carolina officer, as they were boarding a Southbound train.

The two young men, who gave their names as Joseph Elwood and Estes Webster, did not care to bother the authorities with the trouble of extradition, and were brought to Sylva Saturday.

They entered pleas of guilty to all the charges, and were sentenced to 12 months on the roads for the horse borrowing offense and held to answer in the superior court to the charge of breaking in the store and arcey.

No intimation has come from federal officers as to whether the United States government will also want them to answer to meddling with their Uncle's money.

BALSAM NEWS

Mr. G. C. Logan, of Waynesville, has installed an electric lighting system in the home of Mr. Clem Snathers (the Haight place) which is occupied by Mr. Henderson Jones and family, of Waynesville.

Mr. J. O. Terrell and Miss Grace Lehaffey, teachers in Balsam school attended the Teacher's Meeting in Sylva Friday and Saturday.

Misses Grace and Elsie Mehaffey, Katie Kenney and Mr. Coy Hedrick dined to Clyde Sunday afternoon.

Misses Mary Mehaffey and Louise Livingston spent the week-end with their grand mother, Mrs. Frank Arden, in Saunook.

Mr. R. R. Fisher, Mr. and Mrs. Malance and little Fisher Springs of Addie spent Sunday with Mrs. Elsie Fisher, who is ill with pneumonia. Miss Sallie Fisher who been with her sister for several days returned home Monday, and Miss Mae McClure, of Addie, is now visiting Mrs. Fisher.

Miss Selma McKay and Mrs. T. Holder left Saturday for Winston-Salem.

Mr. Oddie Jones, of Bryson City, left Sunday with her daughter, Mrs. E. Ennsley.

Mr. W. E. Ennsley has bought a new automobile touring car.

Mr. D. E. Bryson is on the sick list.

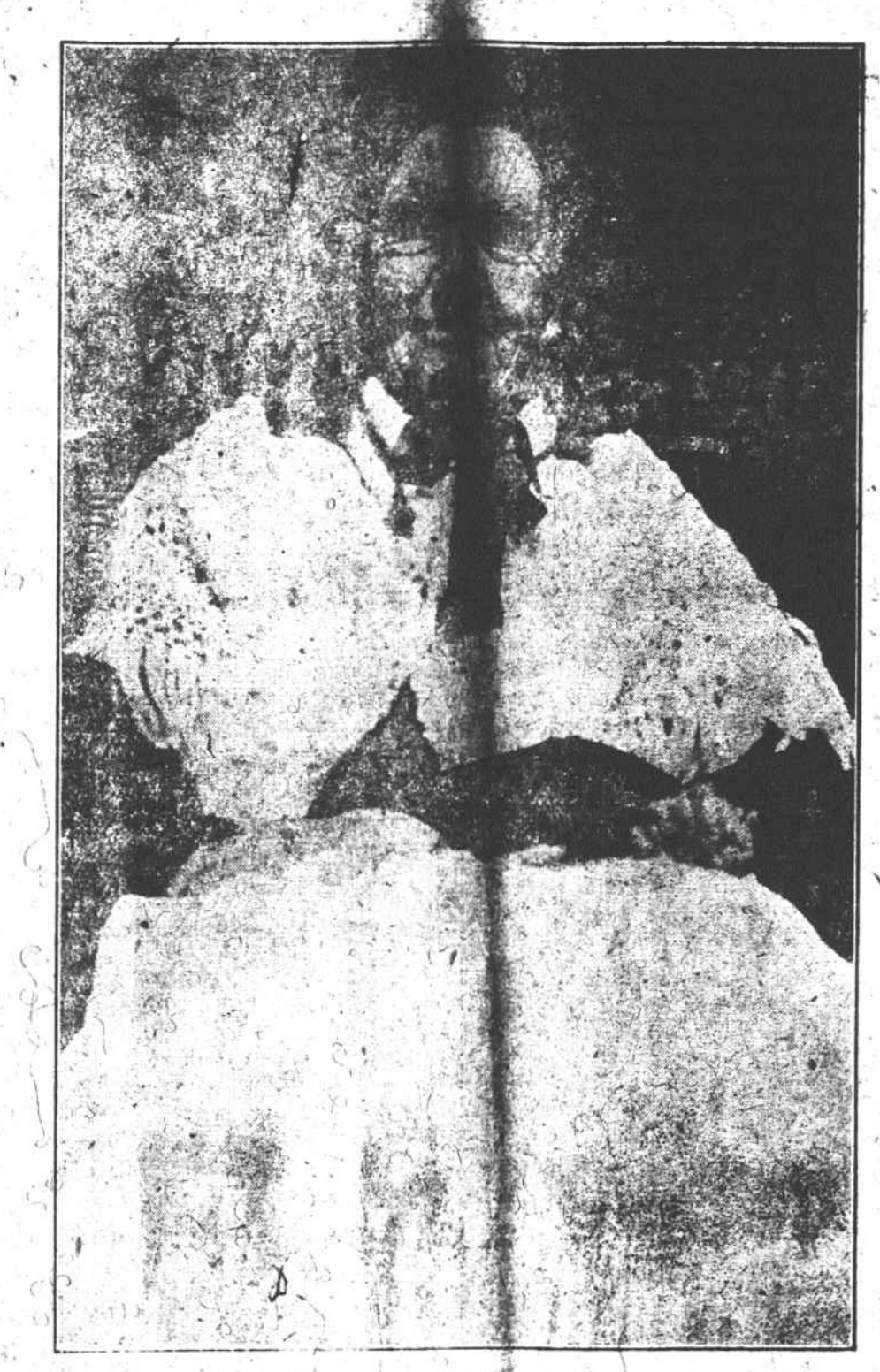
Mr. Bob F. Bryson had the misfortune to fracture a bone in his ankle while getting out some telegraph poles. He was taken to Waynesville where Dr. Allen dressed the wound and he is getting on as well as could be expected.

Balsam was visited by another snow several inches deep Sunday and Monday. Mercury standing 16 degrees above.

SOUTHERN TO USE PHONE FOR DISPATCHING TRAINS

Asheville, N. C., Mar. 13.—The Southern Railway will displace the telegraph system on the line of Southern Railway, extending from Asheville, N. C., to Knoxville, Tenn., as soon as two copper wires can be constructed and the necessary equipment installed in the stations. Work will be completed in the necessary time.

The system between Asheville, Tenn., and Knoxville, Tenn., will be double track and will be operated by electric power. The system will be operated by electric power. The system will be operated by electric power.



MRS. JANE CHILDERS, WHO CELEBRATED HER 100TH BIRTH ANNIVERSARY, IN SILVA, LAST SATURDAY.

MRS. CHILDERS CELEBRATES 100TH BIRTH ANNIVERSARY

A birthday cake with 100 candles was the centerpiece for the birthday dinner, given last Saturday, at the home of Sheriff Sutton, by the children of Mrs. Jane Childers, to their mother, in celebration of the centenary of her birth.

All of her children were present, except one daughter, who was unable to come to Sylva, as were a number of her grandchildren and great-grandchildren, and other relatives.

Mrs. Childers was born in Greenville county, South Carolina, in Mar. 8, 1824, but has made her home in North Carolina for many years. Her mind is alert and vigorous, and no member of the family could deny her birthday dinner was a happy and remarkable centenary.

Mrs. Childers was 17 years old when Van Buren succeeded Old Hickory Jackson to the presidency, 18 when the Mexican war closed, and 41 when Lee surrendered at Appomattox. She has seen the growth and expansion of the United States from a second rate power to the greatest nation on earth.

Born in Greenville county, South Carolina, March 8, 1824, Mrs. Childers was married twice, first to Major Mason, and after his death to Mick Childers. She has three sons living, Luther Mason, of Housley, J. T. Mason, and T. J. Mason, of Dillsboro, and three daughters, Mrs. Lena Sather, of Andrews, Mrs. Susan Grimble, of Greenville, S. C., and Mrs. N. B. Sutton of Sylva.

Mrs. Childers has been a happy disposition all her life, has had a great faith in God, and has never worried, thinking that the Almighty has charge of things and that all will be well. It is to this admirable trait of character that her friends attribute her longevity.

WIKKE FIRST TO ANNOUNCE IN JACKSON POLITICS

The local political ball is started rolling today, with the announcement of Claude Wike, of East La Porte, as a candidate for the democratic nomination for the office of sheriff of Jackson county. Mr. Wike, in announcing his candidacy, promises a bone dry Jackson county, as the principal plank in his platform.

It is understood that Sheriff Sutton is expected to succeed himself, though he has made no announcement.

J. L. FERGUSON IS VERY ILL

Mr. J. L. Ferguson has been seriously ill for several days. His friends have almost despaired of his recovery.

Mrs. Medford of Waynesville, is visiting her sister, Mrs. York Howell.

Miss Jessie Martin, of Cherokee, left the week end with Miss Winnie Martin.

Mrs. J. E. Battle has been right sick for several days.

Miss Maud Green spent Saturday with home folks in Whittier.

Mrs. Sallie Hyatt spent part of the week at Mr. J. L. Wiggins'.

Misses J. M. and D. C. Hooper spent the week end in Asheville.

Miss Billie Gibbs, of Whittier, spent the week end with Miss Winnie Casper.

Misses Winchester, of Haywood, spent part of last week at the home of her brothers, Messrs. W. F. and M. L. Goner.

Miss G. C. Wiggins, Miss Ruth Howell and Will Howell were guests at Mr. Frank Owen's, Sunday.

Mrs. Luellen Reeves, of Buncombe is visiting her brother, Mr. J. L. Ferguson.

Mr. S. P. Hyatt called at Whittier Sunday afternoon.

Miss Velma Mathews was a guest of Miss Grace Hoyle Sunday.

Mrs. Thad Patton spent Sunday at Mr. H. G. Ferguson's.

Rev. W. A. Anthony has returned home after being engaged in revival services for the past three weeks, in Swain.

Shoal Creek Basket Ball team went to Olivet, Friday afternoon for a game with the Olivet team.

School average of last week was low because of so many children having colds.

A sociable was enjoyed by a number of young folks at the home of Mr. Clark Webb, Friday night. Those present were, Misses Jessie, Winnie and Nina Martin, Florence Brown, Kate Hayes, Emma Burrus, Stella and Velma Mathews, Clem Hall and Mary Childers, Messrs. J. D. Warriek, Luther and Carl Hoyle, Graham and Theodore Kinsland, Frank Hall and Charles Worley.

ARMY AVIATORS WILL CIRCUMNAVIGATE GLOBE

Washington, Mar. 14.—The four pilots who have been selected by the United States Army Air Service will set out from Los Angeles tomorrow upon a thirty-thousand mile circumnavigation of the world by air. The route which they will follow traverses twenty-three different countries and every kind of climate from torrid heat to arctic frigidities.

FUNERAL HELD OF MRS. EARL McLUCKEY

The funeral of Mrs. Earl McLuckey was conducted at Webster, Thursday by Rev. C. S. Plyler, Rev. John Hoglen, and Rev. A. C. Queen, and interment followed in the Webster cemetery.

Mrs. McLuckey was a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Buchanan, of Webster, and had made her home in Washington, D. C., for several years, where she was employed in the United States civil service, prior to her marriage to Mr. McLuckey. Her death occurred in Washington, Monday.

She leaves her husband and a three weeks old infant, and a large number of relatives and friends.

BETA

Church was well attended Sunday 110 in Sunday School, despite the black gloomy morning. The subject of the sermon was "Do Not Sin Against the Child". It was said, by some, to be a much needed message, emphasizing the tragic sin of spoiling the child in letting it do as it pleases, in the home, in the school and in the community. The preacher stressed parental government and also better and more rigid discipline in the school room.

There is much sickness in the community at this time.

Charles Deitz has been confined to his bed with pneumonia, for the last week. At present a slight improvement is noted.

John Rob, the infant son of Ralph Dills, is very sick. Hope he recovers soon.

Mrs. T. F. Deitz was in bed with cold and grippe, last week, but is up again.

Mrs. J. W. Banks was out from Asheville, last week, to see her brother, Charles Deitz, who is sick.

Dr. C. Z. Candler has been a daily visitor here, looking after the sick.

Rev. R. N. Deitz and wife and Mrs. W. T. Deitz, of Savannah, visited at the parsonage Sunday afternoon.

Rev. R. L. Randolph, of Bryson City, and Rev. Ross Yokley, of Sylva, were Beta visitors Friday.

The play, by the B. Y. P. U. Sunday night was fine and inspiring. A splendid crowd witnessed the performance, "The Key That Unlocks", was the subject. It was a plea for better Sunday School preparation and progress.

Geo. C. Snyder preached for the colored folks, at their church, at the Double Trestle, Sunday afternoon.

Prayer meeting was good, at Tom Clayton's Friday night.

Rev. W. C. Reed, of Wake Forest, will visit home folks the last of the month. While here he will preach for some days, in a series of meetings at Scotts Creek church, after which he will return to Wake Forest, with his family, to live for a while.

Pastor Deitz was scheduled to preach at Waynesville, last Sunday, but on account of sickness, had to cancel the engagement.

Mrs. D. G. Bryson attended the funeral, at Webster, of Lawrence Buchanan's daughter.

MRS. CORDELIA MOODY PASSES ON

The funeral of Mrs. Cordelia Moody, who died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. E. V. Brown, at Cullowhee, last Tuesday night, was held in Qualla, Thursday. Mrs. Moody was the widow of Harvey Moody, one of the best citizens of this county, and was a woman of sterling worth, and leaves a large number of friends and relatives in this county and Swain.

She is survived by two daughters, Mrs. R. C. Howell, of Qualla, and Mrs. R. V. Brown, of Cullowhee, and two sons, Clifton Moody, of Waynesville and G. H. Moody, of Qualla, and a number of brothers and sisters, including Mrs. A. M. Bennett, of Bryson City, R. L. Hyatt, of Qualla, R. H. Hyatt of Ela, and J. R. Hyatt, of Waynesville.

The Journal joins the other friends of the family in extending sympathy.

FIRST SNOW OF SEASON, MONDAY

The first real snow of the winter in this part of Jackson county, fell Monday, Monday night, and Tuesday, covering the ground to a depth of about one inch. A heavy snow fell in various sections of Western North Carolina, 18 inches having been reported from the higher mountains.

CO. REPUBLICANS ENDORSE COOLIDGE AND MEEKINS

The Jackson County Republican Convention met at the Court House last Saturday afternoon and perfected a County Organization and elected delegates to the various conventions.

Geo. W. Sutton and R. F. Jarrett who have been chairman and Secretary of the Executive Committee for the past four years offered their resignations and the convention elected J. B. Ennsley, Chairman and Hugh Monteith Secretary for the next two years. The other members of the executive committee elected were: R. G. Snyder, A. A. Nichols, Z. V. Watson, Dillard Hooper, W. M. Quiett and A. H. Weaver.

The convention elected as delegates to the State Convention, which meets in Raleigh, March 19th, the following: R. G. Snyder, C. J. Harris, H. L. Woods, Z. V. Watson, J. B. Ennsley, G. W. Sutton, J. M. Worley, W. O. Parker, Frank Cole, Hugh Monteith, E. P. Stillwell, J. W. Keener, A. A. Nichols, C. Z. Candler, S. B. Mills, Frank Morrison, Dock Ennsley, W. C. Queen, P. E. Moody, W. F. Moody, Cole Cannon, W. M. Quiett, J. B. Coward, James Bryson, R. F. Jarrett, Dillard Hooper, L. H. Powell and J. T. Gribble.

As delegates to the Congressional Convention, which meets in Bryson City, April 12th; all those elected as delegates to the State Convention with the following added: R. E. Hooper, J. E. Monteith, W. H. Smith, J. B. Cogdill, J. E. Nicholson, C. M. Jones, M. R. Mathews, E. B. Monteith, A. M. Henson, D. A. Monteith, J. A. Dills, S. H. Monteith, J. P. Wood, J. P. Bumgarner, Calvin Wilson, J. S. Buchanan, J. M. Rigdon and A. D. Parker.

As delegates to the Senatorial Convention the same as to the Congressional Convention.

The convention went on record as endorsing the Administration of former President Harding and that of his successor, Calvin Coolidge. The convention also endorsed Hon. Isaac Meekins, of Elizabeth City, as Governor of North Carolina, and Hon. Geo. M. Pritchard, of Asheville, as a delegate-at-large to the Republican Convention, which meets in Cleveland, June 10th. The convention also endorsed Hon. C. J. Harris, of Dillsboro, as delegate from the Tenth Congressional District, of North Carolina to the Republican Convention at Cleveland.

IN MEMORY OF MRS. PRESSLEY

Mrs. Lavina Pressley, wife of David Pressley departed this life November 27th, 1923, at the age of 79 years, 2 months and 22 days old. She was the mother of 12 children, one step daughter, of whom two with their father preceded her to Heaven. She lived to see her third generation. D. H. Pressley, of Greenville, Rev. D. M. Pressley, of Bentleyville, Penna., H. D. and R. D. Pressley, Mr. Ora Tilley, Mrs. George Hooper, Mrs. Billie Hooper, Mrs. James Pressley, Mrs. Worth Bryson, of Speedwell, Mrs. Hugh Bryson, of Cullowhee, and Mrs. W. H. Saunders, of Marcola, Oregon, with a host of grand and great grand children to mourn their loss.

We have not words to express her noble life. She was a devoted wife and mother and neighbor and a friend to the poor and orphan. She was converted in childhood and lived a beautiful christian life. She was a consistent member of the Speedwell Baptist church.

She was a descendant of the Davis and Darnett families, of Buncombe county.

She leaves one brother, Montrivie Bennett, the last of a large family. She was left an orphan at the age of nine years; but faced the toils and troubles of this life with undaunted faith. She loved her church and was a regular attendant as long as her health permitted. She suffered much with great patience and seemed to be resigned to God's will when he called her to join that Eternal Church, where there is no more toils and tears.

A Daughter.