

## BOB HUNSUCKER BADLY SLASHED WITH KNIFE

Cherokee Scout, Bob Hunsucker was brought to the Murphy Hospital Tuesday mid-afternoon in a serious condition from wounds inflicted by a knife, said to have been in the hands of a man by the name of Johnson. Mr. Hunsucker suffered an ugly gash in the left forearm, which went into the elbow joint, a flesh wound and stab in the back and an abdominal gash, which penetrated to the abdominal cavity, allowing a part of the intestines to protrude. The intestinal walls were wounded but not broken through.

While the condition of Mr. Hunsucker is regarded as very serious, it is not thought that it will prove fatal, said physicians who attended him. The patient had lost considerable blood and was in a very weak condition as a result. The details of the affair could not be learned. It was said that no altercation immediately preceded the cutting, but that it was thought to be a result of a long standing difference between the parties. The affair occurred about 12 o'clock Tuesday. It was said that about the time Mr. Hunsucker came in from the field his assailant attacked him almost without warning. Only meagre details of the affair could be obtained and these were without verification.

## SHOAL CREEK

Prof. J. N. Wilson spent the week end at Mr. C. A. Bird's. Mrs. J. C. Johnson, Mrs. Homer Purpitt and children spent the 4th with relatives in Bryson City, returning Saturday. Rev. H. C. Freeman returned to Mills Springs after a visit among relatives. He was accompanied by his mother Mrs. A. J. Freeman. Mr. J. H. Hughes returned to Knoxville, Tuesday, after spending a few days with homefolks. Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Dilford Freeman July 3rd, a daughter, Fanny Elizabeth.

Mrs. S. M. Crisp called on Mrs. A. Hoyle Monday afternoon.

Mr. H. G. Bird of Marshall is spending a few days with homefolks.

Mrs. J. R. Messer spent Monday with Mrs. J. H. Hughes.

Mr. Clifford and Miss Tella Monteith of Forney's were week end guests of Miss Grace Hoyle.

A new girl, Ruth Opal, in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Weaver Freeman.

Mr. C. D. Hughes and Mr. Wayne Battle were guests of Mr. Buren Ferrell Sunday.

Miss Lethe House was a guest of Mrs. B. S. West of Whittier Friday.

Mr. J. O. Terrell made a trip to Sylva Saturday.

Mrs. A. M. Gibson called at Mr. W. F. Houses Sunday.

Mr. L. S. Boykin of Georgia spent Friday night at Mr. J. K. Terrell's.

Mr. Terry Johnson and little son, Joe, were Saturday night guests at Mr. John Cathcy's.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Hoyle spent Sunday at Mr. Allen Ward's.

Mrs. Jess Nations spent Saturday with Mrs. D. L. Oxner.

Mrs. S. J. Beck is visiting relatives in Sylva.

Mr. Lorne Crisp and family of Forney's visited his father, Mr. Phil Crisp last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Johnson were guests at Mr. Will Howell's Sunday.

Mr. P. C. Shelton who is employed with the Highway forces at Cullowhee, spent the 4th with homefolks.

Mrs. James Wilson returned to Henville after spending a few days with Mrs. S. J. Beck.

Misses Pearl and Maud Cooper and Annie Lizzie Terrell visited Mrs. J. C. Cooper at Sylva Thursday.

Mrs. J. G. Hooper and Mrs. W. H. Hoyle called at Mr. S. M. Crisp's Saturday.

An ice cream reception was given at Mr. J. H. Hughes' Saturday night.

## CALLED TO WISCONSIN

All-Saints' Parish, one of the largest Episcopal churches in Wisconsin, has called the Rev. Clarence S. McClellan, Jr., The Rev. Mr. McClellan has declined the call and states he has decided to remain in nature's wonderland, Western North Carolina. This is among the many calls extended to the Canton Rector since his coming to North Carolina three years ago. They have all been called to very large churches.

## CANEY FORK SUNDAY SCHOOLS HOLD PICNIC

The Sunday Schools of Caney Fork Township will hold a picnic on the lawn at the home of Mr. W. A. Brown, Sunday, July 13. President H. T. Hunter, of Cullowhee Normal and Industrial School, will deliver an address, in the morning, following which dinner will be served picnic style, and in the afternoon Hon. James H. Cathey will speak. Choirs from the several Sunday Schools will sing a number of selections of sacred music.

The exercises are a part of an attendance and financial contest that the Sunday Schools of Caney Fork have been engaged in during the past 3 months, and the winners of the contest will be announced at this time, and will wear the blue ribbon of victory.

The people of Caney Fork extend an invitation to the public to be present and help enjoy the occasion.

## CALVIN COOLIDGE, JR., DIES

Calvin Coolidge, Jr., son of President and Mrs. Coolidge, died, Monday night, at Walter Reed hospital, in Washington, following an attack of septic poisoning.

The infection developed from a broken blister on the right foot incurred during a tennis match with his brother, John, on the White House courts last Monday. At first paying no attention to it, the youth developed an alarming condition by Wednesday night and physicians were summoned.

The poison, however, once started, had spread so rapidly that medical skill was without avail. A number of specialists were called to act with White House physicians on the case and a desperate fight for life was made by the boy, who struggled in great pain and with high fever.

Every resource of medical science was brought into play in the vain effort to save young Calvin's life. An operation was performed on the left leg Saturday night to drain off the poison, and blood transfusion and oxygen were later resorted to.

The natural strength of a boy of 16, however, which was counted on as the most powerful resisting force to the creeping poison, was slowly beaten down and after having fought a brave but always losing fight he succumbed.

## GREEN'S CREEK

Mr. and Mrs. Henry McMahon and family of South Carolina, are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Warren McMahon.

Mr. and Mrs. Gacher Morgan spent the week end with Mrs. Morgan's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Green.

Mr. and Mr. Harry Cagle, of Webster spent Saturday night with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Cagle.

Mr. and Mrs. Auston Green spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cagle.

Misses Nellie and Nannie Fullbright, of Webster, spent the week end with Miss Gertie Buchanan.

Mr. Frank Sutton, of Barker's Creek, was here Sunday.

Mrs. C. W. Wild and daughter, Dorothy and Annie spent the week end with her sister Mrs. Chas. Ashe.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Keener, of Dillsboro, spent Sunday evening with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Green.

Mrs. R. T. Gribble, of Gay spent the 4th, with her daughter, Mrs. Chas. H. Ashe.

Miss Dorothy Wild spent Saturday evening with Misses Essie and Ina Green.

Miss Blanche Ashe spent Thursday evening with Mrs. Chas. H. Ashe.

Misses John and Vander Green motored to Cullowhee Sunday.

Mr. Burton Ashe, who is working in Georgia, spent the week end with homefolks.

Mrs. Estés Green spent Sunday morning with her mother, Mrs. A. B. Ashe.

Mr. Garland Reed spent the week end with homefolks.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Estes, of Sylva, spent Sunday with his brother, Mr. Ham Estes.

There will be preaching at Old Savannah, Saturday and Sunday July 12th and 13, by Rev. Ben Cook.

## DISTRICT CONFERENCE

The District Conference of the Waynesville District will convene at Murphy Tuesday July 15 with preaching at 8:00 o'clock.

## PROGRAM FOR WESTERN N. C. MINISTERS' CONFERENCE

To be held with Dillsboro Baptist Church Dillsboro, Tuesday and Wednesday, July 15 and 16, 1924. General Subject: Evangelism.

### TUESDAY MORNING

10:45 Devotional.  
11:00 The Work of the Kingdom in Western North Carolina (Round table discussion.)

### TUESDAY AFTERNOON

2:00 Devotional—A. S. Solesby.  
2:15 New Testament Evangelism—  
1. Its Message, J. M. Woodard, Needmore.  
2. The Messenger, L. P. Smith, Andrews.  
3. The Method, W. F. West, Cullowhee.

### TUESDAY EVENING

7:45 Devotional—R. L. Cook, Addie.  
8:00 Sermon—Rev. Tew, Waynesville.

### WEDNESDAY MORNING

9:45 Devotional—H. H. Hyde, Haynesville.  
10:00 Pres. It. Day Evangelism Compared with New Testament Evangelism—Rev. T. F. Deitz, Beta.

### WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON

West Mills.  
2:15 Business Session.  
2:30 The Adaptation of Present Day Evangelism and Spirit Method and Message of New Testament Evangelism, R. C. Campbell, Canton.

### WEDNESDAY EVENING

7:45 Devotional—W. I. Bradley, Beta.  
8:00 Sermon—Rev. T. L. Sasser, Murphy.

## BETA ITEMS

Sunday has passed again with lovely showers.

Mr. and Mrs. "Sebe" Plott and children of Canton, spent Sunday in Beta.

Our Church and Sunday School are progressing splendidly. Those who do not attend are losing something worth while.

Everybody is cordially invited to attend the Wednesday evening prayer meeting at the church also the cottage prayer meeting each Friday evening.

Rev. Geo. C. Snyder (as pastor) will begin a revival meeting at Barker's Creek the 2nd Sunday with Rev. Wm. Pruitt, of Waynesville to do the preaching, we are looking for a great spiritual out pouring on these people.

The W. M. S. carried a lunch to the grave above Mr. Jim Harris', Saturday and spent the day carrying out the program in the usual way, with Mrs. Everette Harris as leader.

Mrs. O. F. Wallace, of Mami, Fla. is spending some time with Mr. and Mrs. Geo. C. Snyder.

The beautiful new home of Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Dillard is nearing completion.

Mrs. Haywood York, of Etowah, Tenn., is visiting her father, Mr. Thos. Dills for a while.

Good wishes for the Journal and its readers.

## WILMOT

Rev. J. M. Tucker preached two interesting sermons at the Baptist church here, Saturday night and Sunday morning.

Jode Holcomb got mashed up pretty bad last week by a log rolling over him, but is getting a long very well at present.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Lewis, of Whittier, called on his son at this place.

Mr. and Mrs. John Fowler, of Union, S. C., are visiting Mrs. Fowler's sister, Mrs. Jessie Parker, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Clark Whicker, of Winston-Salem, are visiting Mrs. Whicker's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Raby.

Mrs. John Jones and two daughters, Lillian and Awdene, visited relatives on Camp, Creek, July 4.

Singing at this place every Sunday evening at 2:30. Everybody invited to come.

## GRIST DEFEATS SHIPMAN

According to returns received from various parts of the state, Frank D. Grist, of Lenoir, a former serviceman and practical printer has defeated, M. L. Shipman for the Democratic nomination for Commissioner of Labor and Printing, in the second primary, held last Saturday.

## NOTED MOVING PICTURE MAN HERE

De Sales Harrison, head of the Moving Picture Industry of the South, is to meet the Rev. Clarence S. McClellan, Jr., his intimate friend, here next week and together they will visit the Cherokee Indian Reservation and be guests at Frye-mont Inn, Bryson City. Mr. Harrison will later go to Canton with the Rector and speak there at the Civitan Club and at Saint Andrew's Episcopal church at a service in the interest of Moving Pictures. In August the Rev. Mr. McClellan is to have as his guest Will H. Hays, President of the Moving Picture Industry of America.

## BARKERS CREEK

Mr. A. D. Jones went to Sylva, Monday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Carnes, of Dillsboro, spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Johnson Thomas.

Mr. Curlee Kinsland was here last week from Franklin. Misses Selma and Bertha Jene spent Sunday with their sister at Wilmot, Mrs. Lon Segle.

Mr. J. T. Jones spent the week end with home folks and returned to his work at Asheville Sunday afternoon.

Mr. Ebb Hall was a visitor at Mr. Joe Brooks' Sunday afternoon (Misses James Dalls and Fere Gates were here from Dix Creek Sunday).

Miss Pella Jones went to Wilmo Thursday shopping.

Mr. and Mrs. James Sutton and little son, Robert left Sunday for Ravensford, where they will stay for awhile.

Mr. and Mrs. Kelley Bradley went to Sylva Wednesday.

Mr. Lyle Jones went to Wilmo Saturday.

Misses Bertha Jones and Bessie Brooks went to Franklin last Friday.

Mrs. Grady Ward and Richard Russell were visitors at this place Sunday afternoon.

Mr. Oscar Nation went to Wilmo Saturday.

Mrs. John Brooks went to Wilmo Wednesday.

There will be preaching here Saturday and Sunday. Everybody cordially invited.

Mr. General Jones went to Dillsboro, Sunday.

Mrs. Joe Brooks went to Wilmo shopping Saturday.

## RELIGIOUS WELL-WISHERS

### By O. J. JONES

There are lots of them. They wish the church well. They think a church is worth while even as a police force. They will even make a donation to its work. This measure of interest they show is a tribute to their intelligence and to the value of the church.

But something more is needed. It is not enough to wish religion well. We must work at it. Nothing will go in these days through good wishes. A church will not do it any more than a business enterprise will.

Jesus in such agony in Gethsemane that his sweat was like drops of blood shows how important he thought religion is. The lazy church member who cannot get to church at 9:45 shows how little important that same church member consider it.

Here is another contrast in valuation. Jesus saying, The zeal of Thine house hath eaten me up on the one hand; and the church member who must use his automobile for a picnic on Sunday, on the other hand.

There is very much needed: church membership that takes it religion in earnest and gives it attention to its church activities.

## SPECIAL MEETING CALLED

The Rev. C. S. McClellan, Jr. wishes to meet all the members of Saint John's Episcopal church, Sylva and the contributors to its support at a special and short meeting in the church immediately after the service Sunday night. It is very important that each one be present.

Each day the mail brings letters from people who wish to settle on farms in North Carolina. Agricultural workers of the State College staff try to locate these people pleasantly.

## YOU HAVE A READY MARKET FOR YOUR POULTRY

The Tuckasee Poultry Association in cooperating with the division of markets, at Raleigh has secured a market for the poultry of Jackson county.

The Asheville Farmers Federation will run a poultry car once a week or as often as the business will justify, and will pay you cash for your poultry at the car door. The first car will run next Saturday and will reach Sylva about 1:30 P. M. This car will stop at Whittier, Wilmot, Dillsboro and Sylva and other points.

You will be paid the highest market price for your hens, springers, rosters, ducks, geese, turkeys and quiners.

If you wish this car to be a success meet it at the nearest station with your poultry and receive the cash for it. If it is a success it will continue to run once a week and if it is not it will be taken off. So if you wish a ready market for your poultry patronize it.

## NEW DIRECTOR OF EXTENSION ASSUMES CHARGE OF DIVISION

Raleigh, July 10.—On July first, I. J. Schaub newly elected director of agricultural extension for the State College of Agriculture assumed his duties with headquarters in Ricks Hall on the campus of the School of Agriculture. Mr. Schaub is a native of North Carolina, born and reared in Stokes County and graduate of the State College. Since his graduation he has had years of experience in working with and for farmers. For a period he was assistant professor in soils at some of the western colleges. He was also placed in charge of boys and girls club work when that activity was first begun in North Carolina. Leaving North Carolina, he was placed in charge of the agricultural extension work of a large western university where he was successfully engaged until the Government called him to Washington during the early days of the Great War.

Since that time he has been in the extension work of the Federal Department of Agriculture with his principal activities being in the cotton states of the South. Recently he was placed in charge of all the Government's extension activities in the cotton states, leaving that position on July first to return to North Carolina.

Mr. Schaub has been a frequent visitor to North Carolina during his connection with the Federal Department of Agriculture. He has kept pace with the agricultural development of this State and is thoroughly in sympathy with the farming program being developed here by the experimental station and extension workers. His appointment is in line with the policy of the College to make the activities of the School of Agriculture of growing importance to the State. Under Dean B. W. Kilgore, of this school, there has now been appointed a director of teaching, a director of extension, and the experimental work is still being looked after by the Dean. He is assisted however by an assistant director in charge of the branch station farms.

## CHIEF UNITED STATES FOREST SERVICE URGES SOUTH TO GROW TIMBER

Raleigh, July 10.—"No region of the United States," says Col. W. H. Greely, "is more favorably situated for the growing of timber for profit than the South."

Great strides are already being made reports H. M. Curran, Forest Ranger for the State College extension division. Lumbermen, mill operators, turbine operators, and farmers are abandoning the practice of destructive logging, and are growing timber as a crop. Mr. Curran states that one company in Louisiana planted 1000 pounds of pine seed this year. The million seedlings of pine will be ready for planting this fall. An Arkansas firm with half a million acres, has planted its forest area under control of a timber reforestation, to control fires and secure its forests as to secure new growth and continuous production for the million dollar plant.

The Government is working with its Experiment Stations to solve all problems that confront those who want to grow timber for profit," says Mr. Curran.

Haywood Journal, July 2.—Some time ago it was announced that the plant of the Champion Fibre company at Canton would in the near future be greatly enlarged. That enlargement is now under way and extensive additions are being made. The following clipping from the Canton Enterprise of the past week is interesting:

Rapid progress is being made on the new \$800,000 addition to the Champion Fibre company's plant here, which it is expected will be completed by October first. The Abertshaw Constuction company of Boston, Massachusetts, has been awarded the contract for this new addition. The large building which is now under way is a concrete and brick structure built on an L-shaped design, with one section 220 by 120 and the other 315 by 40 feet. The structure, modern in every way, will be fully equipped with machinery which is included in the total estimated cost.

At a recent meeting of the stock holders in Cincinnati, Ohio, the capital stock was increased from \$600,000 to \$2,000,000. This is to be used in a stock dividend, the preferred stock being increased to \$500,000.

According to Mr. R. B. Robertson's statement, the paper output of the local plant will be doubled, making a total of 100 tons per day, an additional approximately 150 employees in the pay roll.

It will be recalled that the Champion Fibre company was recently combined with the Champion Coated Paper company, of Hamilton, Ohio, and this combination will be of great benefit to the local plant. It will give it a continual outlet for its paper and other finished paper products. The Champion Coated Paper interests for a number of years past wide renown as the producer of the postal cards used by the United States government, the postal cards being made from North Carolina fibre.

## BALSAM

Mr. John Percival Knight and wife of Orlando, Fla., arrived in Sylva Sunday afternoon and will spend their honeymoon with his mother, Mrs. D. T. Knight.

Rev. O. J. Jones held a very interesting Patriotic Service about the Liberty Bell and the Flag Sunday afternoon in the Methodist church. The church was appropriately decorated. The Sunday School also had a Patriotic Service. Mr. A. I. Falls of Balsam Springs Hotel presented each one present with a small silk flag.

Miss Elsie Mahaffey, Mr. Coy Hedrick and Mr. Hubert Easley went to Sunburst Sunday.

Mr. O. E. Horton and family of Atlanta, Ga., have arrived and are occupying their summer home, "Green Pastures".

Balsam Springs Hotel was beautifully decorated for the Fourth, especially the dining room.

Trains Nos. 21 and 22 are now running from Asheville to Balsam making the first trip Sunday. Guests are coming in almost every day, and we think with our good train service this will be a great season for Balsam.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Lowrey of York, S. C., are visiting relatives in Balsam.

Miss Katie Kenney, Mr. J. K. Kenney and Mr. George T. Knight motored to Asheville the Fourth and spent the day with Mrs. Julia White.

Mr. Hubert Easley and Mr. Eugene Easley went fishing in Chattahoochee Thursday and caught one fish.

Mrs. H. P. Easley, Mrs. W. F. Easley and Mr. Horace Mahaffey motored to Bryson City Monday.

Mr. Henry H. Hannah and family of Waynesville spent Sunday of last week with Mr. John T. Jones and family.

## METHODISTS HOLD TWO UNIQUE SERVICES

Two unique services were held at the Methodist church, Sunday, the 7th and 8th of July. On Sunday morning service being in the shape of an Independence Day service, with the Flag and the Liberty Bell displayed, Sunday evening a service of song and prayer with a special sermon was held around the Liberty Cross, the banner of Christ. The latter service was especially sweet, enjoyable, and impressive.