150 THE YEAR IN ADVANCE IN THE COUNTY

SYLVA, N. C., JULY 25, 1924

- \$2.00 THE YEAR IN ADVANCE OUT SIDE THE COUNTY

COUNTY SUNDAY SCHOOL CONVENTION MEETS AT BETA SUNDAY

From officers of Jackson County Sunday School Association comes the information that all indications point is a record-breaking attendance at the annual County Sunday School Convention which meets at the Bap tist Church, Beta, N. C., on Saturday and Sunday, July 26 and 27.

Among the prominent speakers on the program will be Miss Flora Davis, Associate Superintendent of the North Carolina Sunday School Association, Raleigh, and Prof. D. W. Donaldson, Director of Religious Education, Washington Collegiate Institute, Washington, N. C. During the convention these workers will becass various phases of Sunday

As has been previously announced pennant will be presented to the Sunday School having present in movention the largest number of repmentatives sixteen years of age and ser, based on the number of miles mveled from that particular church p the church in which the convenion is held.

The contest is open to all Sunday Schools in the county. The pennant will be presented at the session of the convention on Sunday afternoon. Full program for the convention

SATURDAY NIGHT, JULY 26 8:00-Devotional. Rev. T. F. Deitz. 8:15-The Worship Period in the Sunday School Miss Flora Davis, Raleigh, Associate Superinten dent of North Carolina Sunday School Association.

8:45-Song. 150-How to Get and Train Teach ers and Officers. Prof. D. W Donaldson, Washington, Professor of Religious Education Washington Collegiate Institute.

120-Announcements.

9:30-Adjourn. SUNDAY MORNING, JULY 27 10:30-Devotional. Rev. O. J. Jones. 10.45-Tests of a Good Sunday School. Prof. D. W. Donaldson. 11:20-Period of Business-

Reports of County and Township

Appointment of Committees. Record of Attendance. 11:40-Song.

11:45-Our Common Task.

Flora Davis. 12:15—Offering for Support of Coun

ty and State Sunday School Associations. 12:25-Announcements. 12:30-Adjourn.

SUNDAY AFTERNOON, JULY 27 2:00-Devotional. Rev. W. Ross

2:10-The Most Important Work of the Sunday School: Evangelism. Prof. H. T. Hunter.

2:35-The Children; The Greatest Responsibility of the Home and the Sunday School. Miss Flora

3:10-The Young People; How to Hold and Teach Them in the Sunday School. Prof. D. W. Donoldson.

3:40—Question and Discussion Period. Everybody requested to take part.

4:00-Adjourn. SUNDAY NIGHT, JULY 27 8:00-Devotional. Rev. A.W. Lynch 8:15-Teaching Missions and Tem

perance in the Sunday School Prof. D. W. Donaldson. 8:50—Song.

8:55-A Big Task for Big People. Miss Flora Davis.

9:30-Adjourn. Three Things To Remember:

1. To bring a notebook and pencil to the convention.

"A notebook has a good mem-

2 To be on time at each session.

The sessions will begin promptly at the time given on the program That a pennant will be presented to the Sunday School having in the convention the / largest number of representatives, sixteen years and over, according to the number of miles traveled. Records will be taken at each session of the convention. The pennant will be presented at the close of the session on Sunday

CONFEDERATE VETERAN ANSWERS LAST ROLL

The venerable Jerry Evans, affectionately known to most Jackson county people as "Uncle Jerry" died at his home on the Cullowhee road, Sunday night following an illness of several months duration. Mr. Evans was in his 86th year and had been an excellent citizen of Jackson county just following the War Between the States, at which time he moved here from Haywood county.

He was a Confederate veteran, having served with the North Carolina troeps, throughout the Civil War, with credit and distinction.

The funeral was conducted, Tuesday, at Love's Chapel by Rev. V. B. Harrison, of Franklin, and interment followed in the Love's Chapel cemetery.

Mr. Evans is survived by one son, Mr. F. H. Evans, and a number of grandchildren among whom are Harry and Burke Evans, of the Sylva Pharmacy.

REALTY TRANSFERS

G. C. Turpin to A. H. Turpin, 72 ieres in Savannah, \$500.00.

Perry Duncan to Ralph Rigdon, 50 acres in River, \$2200.00.

in Scott's Creek, \$10.00.

W. C. Norton to Oscar Norton, 2 lots in Cullowhee, \$2100.00. Ethel L. Cowan to V. V. Hooper,

land in Sylva, \$10.00. D. M. Hall to V. V. Hooper, lot in Sylva, \$10.00.

Jesse Gibson to Grover Wilkes 51 acres, 10.00. Roy Beck to N. F. Snyder, Tand in

Qualla, \$25.00. W. E. Conner to N. F. Snyder.

land in Qualla, \$15.00. Sherman Phillips to Hester Phil-

lips, land in Canada, \$1100.00 J. K. Kenney to Charles A. Bal- the graded school here. lough 3-4 acre at Balsam, \$300.00. Caney Stanley to W. H. Moody, 30

acres in Sylva, \$10.00. Craolyn Stark to C. E. Bonsteel,

land in Qualla, \$10.00. C. E. Bonesteel to J. W. Keener, land in Qualla, \$10.00.

acres in Savannah, \$10.00.

in Sylva, \$10.00.

J. P. Reed to D. M. Hall and T. E. Reed, 2 acres in Sylva, \$10.00. R. V. Brown to Frank H. Brown 1 1-2 acres in Cullowhee, \$600.00.

C. E. Bonesteel to Carolyn A. Stark, 287 acres in River, \$10.00. A. A. Tilson et al to L. F. Franks,

64 acres in Hamburg, \$750.00. D. G. Bryson to Mary Henson,

land in Sylva, \$10.00 A M Henson to G K. Bess, land in Sylva, \$550.00.

A. S. Bryson to Charles J. Mitz, 92 acres in Hamburg and Cashier's, \$1156.00.

BETA

The Jackson County Interdenominational Sunday School Convention begins here Saturday night, at 3 o'clock, lasting through Sunday, closing Sunday night. A large attendance is expected. All the nearby Sunday bringing baskets of eats, as it will be necessary to remain on the grounds during the morning and afternoon services, hence, no time to go home for dinner. Come! Lets have a great day.

Prayer meeting at the home of R. W. Fisher Friday night, conducted Ensley and will soon begin developby T. C. Bryson, was attended by more than fifty persons.

Mr. Vernon Cope and Miss Nora Patterson were married here, at the Parsonage, Saturday.

Rev. T. F. Deitz returned Saturday, from Bryson City, where he had been to solemnize the rite of matrimony between Fred Hughes and Miss Minnie Welch, both of Bryson City. It was an up to date church wedding.

Mrs. J. W. Banks and daughters, of Asheville, are visiting her parents, Rev. and Mrs. T. F. Deitz, this

Rev. G. C. Snyder and Rev. Wm. Pruett are still holding a meeting at Barkers Creek, and good results are reported.

Aunt Pallie Monteith has been real sick, for a few days, but glad to report her much improved.

Mr. J. P. Reed and Mr. and Mrs. D. G. Bryson attended the protracted meeting at Barkers Creek, Sunday

night. 'diggins' at the present.

Rev. and Mrs. T. F. Deitz, Miss the revenues from tags and gasoline Ruth Deitz, Mrs J. W. Banks and last year were within \$500 of each H. C. BRYSCO, Co. President. Miss Lillian Banks inctored to East other and the grand total reached D. G. BRYSON, Co. Secretary. Fork of Savannah, Wednesday.

SYLVA COLLEGIATE IN-STITUTE TO OPEN AUG. 20

The fall term of the Sylva Collegiate Institute will open Wednesday, August 20 and Mr. J. C. Hough, the new principal of the school announces that the prospects for the coming session are exceptionally bright and that applications for entrance indicate that there will be as many pupils as the school can accommodate.

Among the former members of the faculty who will return this year are MissElla Janet Pierce, of the English Department, Miss Kinney, of the Department of Music, Mrs. Charles L. Allison, and Miss Agnes Brown of the grammar school department.

New members of the faculty are B. L. Mullineaux, professor of mathematics, Rev. P. A. Roberts, teacher of history and Bible, and Mrs. Roberts, teacher in the lower grade, and Miss Alma Kinney, teacher of for eign languages.

BALSAM

Mr. Charlie Coward and his M. C. Green to W. J. Green, land daughter, Mrs. Wesley Queen, reveived notice that Mr. Coward's son, Fred W. Coward, who has been living in Clear Lake, Washington, for some time, was instantly killed in a steam shovel accident in Chehalis, June 28th, and was buried in Lyman. His wife died a year ago. They left two daughters Muriel and Helen about five and six years of age. The many friends of the family here extend deep sympathy to the bereaved

> Mr. W. O. Robinson and family have moved from Waynesville to Balsam, Mrs. Robinson will teach in Normal, of the primary section.

Mr. Charles Perry has purchased a new Dodge Special car. Mr. and Mrs. Setzer, of Franklin

were week end guests in Balsam. The following party motored to

Mt. Mitchell Tuesday: Mr. and Mrs. John P. Knight, of Orlando, Fla. W. P. Turpin to M. Buchanan, 92 Mrs. W. T. Lee, Jr., Miss Nannie Knight Mrs. W. B. Farwell, Mrs. D C. A. Beasley to M. Buchanan, lot T. Knight and Mr. George Knight.

They climbed to the summit and the tower, camped this side of Cam; Alice Tuesday night (which was a beautiful moonlight night) saw the sun rise next morning and after a hearty breakfast consisting of hot coffee, bacon, potatoes, fried chicken, ect., left for Chimney Rock returning to Balsam, at 7:30 Wednesday evening. To those who have never visited these places (as well as many others in Western Carolina) we say do so at your earliest opportunity and you will not be sorry. They must be seen to be appreciated, for no tongue or pen can describe nor artist can picture their beauty and gran-

Mr. Wade McKay and brother-inlaw, of Wnston-Salem are visiting relatives in Balsam.

Mr.and Mrs. John P. Knight, Mrs. D. T. Knight, Miss Nannie Knight Mrs. W. B. Farrwell and Mr. George Schools are expected to help out by T. Knight were supper guests of Mrs. and enjoyed a most pleasant evening.

Mr. C. A. Ballough, of Daytona Fla., has purchased a lot just above the Methodist church and is building a dwelling. He has also purchased twenty nine acres from Mrs. H. P ments on same. We are glad to wel come Mr. and Mrs. Ballough and their friends.

Mrs. Maybelle Perry, Miss Hannal Warren, Mr. Charles Perry and Mr. Charles Jones joined a party in Can ton Sunday and motored to Bilt

Mr. and Mrs. John P. Knight left Sunday morning for their home in Orlando, Fla.

T. Knight attended a Leap Year party Monday evening given by Miss Debrayda Fisher at her home in Hazelwood.

Miss Harriett Christy and little neice, Camilla Repphsal, of Norfolk, Va., are visiting relatives in Bal-

STATE'S REVENUE FROM

Raleigh, July 16.—Winding up the distrubution of 1924 automobile li-The weather is real hot in these censes Secretary W. N. Everett of the Department of State finds that \$8,077,000 in round numbers.

JACKSON COUNTY TEACHERS' CONFERENCE

All teachers of Jackson County Watch for the price of poultry will meet on July 31 and August 1 for a conference which will be held at the Sylva High School building. this meeting the plans and objectives for the year will be set forth, which are as follows:

Primary Objectives--

1. The Improvement of Teaching of language.

2. Scientific classifications and promotions.

3. The promotion of the countywide plan of organization. Secondary Objectives-The Improvement of the teaching of reading.

2. The Interpretation and the enrichment of the course of study.

3. The school a community center. Miss Hattie Parrott from the State Department of Education will discuss the Group Center Commencements, and the testing program in the state. Miss Ada Bicking from the educational department of the Victor Talking Machine Company will give demonstrations showing the use of the victrola in the schools. Mrs. T. W. Bickett of Raleigh is expected to address the conference on Saturday morning.

Three general meetings will be held, and the remainder of the time will be spent in sectional meetings dealing with problems which are of

vital consequence to each group. sections are as follows: E. T. Lovelace, Principal of the Sylva School, Cullowhee School, Chairman of the burst to visit grammar grade section, and Miss Clutie Bloodworth, primary demonstration teacher of the Cullowhee guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Park-

Those who are interested in the education of the children in Jackson County are invited to attend.

GEORGIA LEGISLATORS HERE

The party of Georgia representatives, senators, and highway men, who have been spending several days in North Carolina, studying modern methods of road-construction and road financing, were in Sylva, Sunday, enroute to Atlanta, via Frank-

Mr. John H. Wilson, chairman of the Jackson County Highway Courmission, and other citizens accompanied them through the county.

The Georgia visitors expressed themselves as being pleased with this ped with relatives Sunday. part of the North Carolina mountain region, and with the progress of North Carolina and the great roadbuilding program of the state. They were practically unanimous in expressing the hope that the present session of the Georgia legislature will follow North Carolina's example in road construction.

Among those in the party visiting Sylva were: B. F. Mann, of Brunswick, Ga., R. E. A. Hamby, Clayton; H. S. Josen, Adel; J. P. Jones Rome; F. A. Hooper, Atlanta; John Adams, Ashburn; H. A. Sole, Atlanta; Ralph Smith, Atlanta; Sam Pen-Harry Rotha, in Waynesville Friday dland, Elijay; Clarence Hackney Atlanta, and F. M. McLain, ofAt-

In the party are Senators Gillis, Grantham, Harrison, Keith, Mason, Moore, Munday, Phillips and Spence. Representative Adams of Towns, Burt Burgin of Marion; Camp of Coweta, Calloway, Copeland, Davis Floyd Evans of Warren, Fleming of Hancock, Hatcher of Muscogee, Holton Howard, Jones of Cook, Jones Floyd, Mayo, Mann, Mansell Penland, Rountree, Tatum, Trippe, Turner, Wingate, Wimberly of Toombs and Withworth.

W. R. Neel, state highway engineer; S. B. Black bridge engineer, Frank T. Reynolds and Knox Miss Emma McKay and Mr. George Thomas of the Kiwanis highway committee and W. Tom Winn of the Georgia Automobile Association.

FALLING TREE KILLS BOY

Andrews News, July 18 .- the 16year old son of Oliver Williams was instantly killed at Tapoco Tuesday, when a tree fell and struck the boy; breaking his neck; according to information reaching Andrews Wed-

The boy and his father, who lived at Tapoco; were cutting erosstles; when, without warning, a pine tree fell. The tree had not been cut or hacked, and apparently there was no wind, the boy's father stated.

Funeral services were held Wednesday afternoon,

SINGING CONVENTION TO BE HELD AT WAYNESVILLE

The North Carolina Singing Convention will be held at the court house in Waynesville the first Sunday in August. At the last convention it was voted to hold the convention at Hazelwood but the school building not being completed it has been decided to hold it at the court house here.

I want all the choirs in reach to come and help make a singing worth while. This convention meets once a year. So let's make this one be remembered for years to come.

The singing will stat at 10 a. m. and hold until 4 p. m. Please don't forget the time and place.

W. T. QUEEN.

SHOAL CREEK

Rev. R. S. Howie preached at the Methodist church Saturday morning, Quarterly Conference convened in the afternoon. Dinner on the ground. Rev. P. L. Terrell preached Sunday afternoon, Among the visitors present were, Rev. H. A. Bryans and family, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Roane and Mr. and Mrs. Will Moore, of Whittier, Miss Jessie Martin, of Cherokee, Mr. Wiley Bridges and The Chairmans of the different family and Mr. Zeb Cagle and family, of Olivet.

Mr. and Mrs. Osear Martin of Chairman of the high school section. Bryson City accompanied by Mr. and Wade Alexander, principal of the Mrs. J. C. Johnson motored to Sun-Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L Hyatt were er's, at Olivet, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Suel Hipps and children, of Candler, visited among relatives Sunday.

King of Los Angeles, Calif. spent

part of last week at Mr. J. E. Bat-Mrs. J. H. Hughes and Mrs. York Howell spent Sunday with Mrs. D.

Mr. T. W. McLaughlin and children motored to Sylva Sunday, stop-

ping at Mr. Lattie Blackwell's. Miss Zetta Farmer, of Olivet spent the week end with her sister, Mrs.

Jess Nelson. Rr. Rube Oxner and family visited relatives in Haywood Sunday. Mr. H. E. Battle, of Sylva, stop-

Miss Hazel Battle, Mr. J. O. Terrell and Carl Hoyle were guests at

R. F. Hall's Sunday. Miss Florence Turpin returned from Tennessee, Monday, where she had been called on account of the death of her nephew, the little son

of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Turpin. Mr. G. H. Martin, who is employed at Balfour, is spending a few days with homefolks.

Mr. W. W. Hooper spent the week end with his brother, Mr. Brag Hooper, of Caney Fork. Mr. and Mrs. Will Howell called

Mrs. Laura Snider and son, Dock, visited at Wilmot Sunday. Mrs. Wm. Hyatt visited at Mr.

at Mr. II. G. Ferguson's Sunday.

W. J. Turpin's, Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Hooper called at Mrs. A. C. Hoyle's Sunday.

Mr. and Mr . D. A. Martin, of Cherokee, stopped with relatives Sun-Miss Nora Lee Henry, of Cullo-

whee, visited at Mr. D. L. Oxner's Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Hoyle, Misses

Elsie and Burdell Hoyle went to Sylva Tuesday. Mr. Mathew Green and family visited relatives on Camp Creek, Sun-

Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Terrell and Miss Annie Lizzie Terrell visite with Rev. P. L. Terrell at the home of Mr. C. A. Bird, Sunday.

POULTRY SALE

On Friday, August 1st the Farm er's Federation will pull a poultry car through Jackson county, and pay the highest market price for poultry If the people of the county wil cooperate with the Federation the will find a ready market for you:

Waterh for the price of poultry next week and have your's at the

station when the train arrives. The poultry ear will be pulled by local freight leaving Bryson City, at 6:00 A. M. and stopping with local freight at Addie.

GEORGE W. TRUETT TO CONDUCT SERIES MEETINGS NEAR BOYHOOD HOME

All Murphy is astir making preparations for the coming of Dr. Geo. W. Truett, world famous preacher, whose acceptant of an invitation for a series of sermons here was received Sunday by telegraphic communication from his Dallas, Texas, home. Dr. Truett is scheduled to be here from August 10th to the 22nd, and during his sojorun will speak twice daily in the large tabernacle. which is being crected on Cherokee Park adjoining the large grandstand in the fair building.

The coming of this world renowned preacher to the place of his birth is an event such as this section has not witnessed in many a year, if ever. Dr. Truett is a native of Clay County, near here, and has many school day friends among the inhabitants of this section who will welcome him back as a brother. This entire section is proud of him, who, laboring under the severest handicaps in his youth, has gone forth and attracted the plaudits of the world.

Dr. Truett got his early training in a private school near Hayesville. When but a youth, what is now Hiawassee College, at Hiawassee, Ga., was established and young George Truett made its first principal, in which capaciy he achieved unusual success. In the meantime his parents had moved to Texas and the son followed at the end of the year. Just about that time Baylor College, now Baylor University, was launching a campaign for an endowment found of \$100,000 and young Truett was asked to steer the drive. A youth but Miss Caro King and Mr. Howard 21 years old, he made a speaking tour of Texas and raised the money and having finished this task, he entered the college as a freshman. Upon his graduation he was offered the presidency of his Alma Mater, but chose rather to accept a call, which had just been received, to the First Baptist Church of Dallas. Texas. He has served this great church continuously since that time. some twenty-five years in all. Under his ministry the church has had a continuous growth and even now its seating capacity is being doubled to take care of the crowds who flock to hear him.

Dr. Truett expects to bring his wife and daughter here with him, who will view his native section for the first time.

Englishmen recently visiting this country pronounced Dr. Truett the greatest preacher in the world. He certainly has no peer in the Southern Baptist Convention and whenever the opportunity is offered, people travel hundreds of miles to hear him speak. It is expected that during his series of services here visitors from as far as Asheville, Atlanta and Knoxville will come to hear him. Every reasonable effort is being made to care for the thousands that are expected to gather here twice daily from the immediate section and towns and cities in Western North Carolina, North Georgia and East Tennessee. A tabernacle with a seating capacity of 3,000 people is under way, camping grounds will be opened to the public, hotels and private homes are being listed where visitirs may stop. In this way, it is hoped that the crowd can be handled.

Murphy accounts herself fortunate indeed in securing this noted preacher for a series of services.

LITTLE CHID DIES

On Saturday July 19th, an Angel rept softely into the bor e of Mr. and Mrs. S. T. McGinnis and bore the little spirit of Alven Thomas, their little babe, to Heaven. Little Alven was born Febuary 26, 1924, living only four months and twentythree days. We do not have to werry and wonder where little Alven is for we know that Gol only saw that Heaven needed another fair flower to be transplanted there and thus He called little Alven to make lienven

Funeral services were held at the home Sunday at 3 o'clock, conducted by Rev. W. Ross Yokley. The little form was then carried to Keener burial ground and tenderly laid to

A Friend.