

The Jackson County Journal

\$1.50 the Year in Advance in the County

Sylva, N. C., Thursday July 12, 1928

\$2.00 the Year in Advance Outside County

MEN APPEAL FROM ROAD SENTENCE

Delos Birch, Claybourne Taylor, and Luther Crow, Sylva men, were found guilty of transporting and possessing intoxicants and were sentenced to serve 4 months each on the roads, in Recorder's court Monday. The three gave notice of appeal to the superior court, and the matter is being held open while they are attempting to furnish appeal bond in the sum of \$500 each.

H. R. Matthews was convicted of an assault and sentenced to serve 6 months, but the sentence was suspended upon payment of the costs, and he appealing court every second Monday and showing that he has been of good behavior and is supporting his mother.

Hilliard Hoyles was convicted of manufacturing and sentenced to serve 4 months, from which he appealed to the superior court.

John Hoyle, Mfg. prayer for judgment continued.

Geo. Collier, P. D., \$25 and costs.

Card Robinson, P. D., judgment suspended.

X. F. Rogers, not guilty.

Charlie Ridley, P. D., prayer for judgment continued.

Earley Whaley, P. D., prayer for judgment continued.

Howard Jones and Alvin Jones, manufacturing, Alvin called and failed.

Fred Broom, Ralph Broom, Frank Rigdon, manufacturing. The two Brooms found guilty and prayer for judgment continued.

Jim Jackson, P. D., prayer for judgment continued.

James Pearson, transporting and possessing, judgment suspended upon payment of the costs.

Will Pruitt, P. D., \$20 and the costs. Bill Styles and Will Pruitt, transporting, Styles found guilty, and fined \$25 and costs.

Deck Sutton, transporting and possession, called and failed. Judgment nisi si sei fa and instans capias.

Buff Mathis, assault, judgment suspended upon payment of the costs.

Jim Harper, operating a car while intoxicated. \$50 and the costs and ordered not to drive a car for 3 months.

Fred McCoy transporting and possession, called and failed.

Lewis Jones, assault, judgment suspended upon payment of the costs.

Edna Pressley had posted a \$50 cash bond for her appearance. She was called and failed, and the bond ordered forfeited.

An automobile belonging to H. H. Rogers was ordered sold.

EAST SYLVA

Our Sunday school and B. Y. P. U. are progressing nicely, large attendance every Sunday with Rev. Ernest Jamison as superintendent.

Friends of Mr. Roy Wickle will be glad to know that he is getting along nicely following an operation at the Angel Hospital.

Mrs. J. B. Carden of Leatherman spent Thursday night with her son Mr. F. C. Carden.

Messrs. Ira and Coy Franklin motored to Raven Gap, Ga. Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Melton and baby of Canada were the week end guests of Mrs. Melton's father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. George Hoxit.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh McNeely and daughter, Mary are visiting relatives and friends in Hickory.

Messrs. Raymond Foxand Floyd Carden enjoyed fishing at Big Laurel the Fourth of July.

Miss Ila Hoxit is visiting her sister, Mrs. Beulah Melton at her home in Canada.

Mrs. Lenora Franklin and small son Cecil were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fate Ashe Sunday.

Friends of Rev. Paul Sheppard of this place will be glad to know he is getting along nicely at Gastonia where he sustained a broken leg a few days ago.

Mrs. Lettie Shook who has been visiting her daughter in South Carolina returned home Tuesday.

Messrs. Tom and Wiley Sheppard motored to Gastonia Saturday and were accompanied home by Mrs. Bill Sheppard and children.

AGAIN BOB SHUFORD WINS NATIONAL HONORS

Raleigh, N. C., July 12—When the American Jersey Cattle Club held its annual meeting in New York during June, one of the high spots on the program was the presentation to R. L. Shuford of Newton, Catawba county, the handsome and valuable President's Cup for the excellent record of his Jersey herd during the year 1927.

Mr. Shuford has been sought out and honored in a number of ways prior to this meeting. The State College of Agriculture was one of the first to recognize his excellent accomplishments and presented him with a certificate of meritorious service when it was first decided to make this award to farmers who had served the State in an outstanding way. Last year, the Progressive Farmer and the Extension Service selected him as one of the Master Farmers of North Carolina and gave him public honor. For years, magazine writers and newspaper men have visited the Shuford farm to hear the story of how this quiet, unassuming man had by his own diligence, made a success of farm life and had built up one of the finest herds of dairy cattle on the American continent.

"The work of this great farmer is an inspiration to the entire South," says J. W. Hendricks, County Agt. of Catawba County. "The winning of the President's cup was quite an honor to the State, for in order to win it, a cow must make more than 1,000 pounds of butterfat in 365 days and must meet the calving requirements. In visiting the herds of the East on this trip, we did not see better producing herds than the one belonging to Mr. Shuford. In his herd now are seven silver medal, eighteen gold medal and four medal of merit cows as well as the famous silver, gold and medal of merit bull, Oakwood D's Fox. This farm has won many honors but the cup just awarded it, is the highest honor the owner can produce at present. The cup is on display at the county seat, and hundreds of people are calling to see it."

METHODIST CHURCH

There will be services at the Sylva Methodist church as usual Sunday morning. The pastor, Rev. George Clemmer, who is at Camp Daniel Boone, with the Boy Scout troop will return to conduct the Sunday services. "The Secret of Sainthood" will be the subject of the sermon.

Sunday school will convene at 10 a. m. Epworth League at 7 p. m. The psalmist said, "I was glad when they said unto me, 'Let us go into the house of the Lord.'" Members of the churches in Sylva are urged to invite visitors and friends to share with them the privileges of worship. Following is the order of worship for the morning service:

Voluntary; Hymn No. 231; "Near the Cross"; The Apostles' Creed; Prayer; Responsive reading No. 324, The Gloria Patri; New Testament lesson Romans 6:1-6; Announcements; Offering; Hymn No. 225, "Take Time to be Holy"; Sermon: "The Secret of Sainthood"; Hymn No. 199, "The Way of the Cross Leads Home." Benediction.

W. T. CRISP ILL

Friends of Mr. W. T. Crisp will regret to learn of his serious illness, at his home on Savannah Road. However, at this time he is said to be resting better and is somewhat improved.

His sons, Cleveland Crisp, of Candler, Luther Crisp of Florida, Frank Crisp, of Macon county, and Napoleon Crisp of Roanoke, have been with their father and other members of their family during his illness.

SHIP FIRST CAR OF PAPER

The first carload of paper from Sylva's new paper plant, that of the Sylva Paperboard Company, left Sylva yesterday. It was a 30 ton load of 181 rolls consigned to Fairfield Paper Company, Baltimore, Ohio, and shipped via Southern, Cincinnati, Big Four and New York Central lines.

It is understood that there are a great many advance orders for the newest product of Sylva, enough to keep the mill running for 12 months without a stop.

THE ORIGINAL WILLIAMS STOCK COMPANY

The original Williams Stock Co. will open next Monday night for a week's engagement under their month waterproof tent theatre on the Moody bottom, east Sylva city limits. This company comes to Sylva with a reputation that is unexcelled. They are carrying thirty people and are presenting the latest Broadway stage successes. The opening play Monday night will be a beautiful comedy drama entitled "Don't Lie to Your Wife" featuring May Blossom, leading lady, and Marie Degaf, comely comedienne. This play carries a strong moral and will be remembered for a long time to come by all who witness it. There will be vaudeville between each act featuring the Durands acrobatic dancers and roller skaters, Pat Brown, black face comedian, late of the Al G. Field and Metropolitan Minstrels. May Blossom in a series of the latest hits, Lee Allen and his mockingbird violin, furnished by the Virginia Serenaders. Remember this company does not resort to contests of any nature. The following signatures are leading citizens of Waynesville endorsing the original Williams Stock Co., as clean and moral in all respects: Waynesville Mountaineer, Mrs. R. R. Campbell, Community Club, S. H. Jones, alderman, F. W. Miller, alderman, Dr. Liner, Mrs. Wm T. Hannah, President Sulgrave Club, Mrs. Ben West, Secretary Chamber of Commerce, Mrs. R. L. Allen, President Civic League, Mrs. W. H. Liner, first vice president Waynesville Civic League, Waynesville Pharmacy, Bell Gro. Co., Waynesville Book Store and many others.

LIBRARY NEWS

(By Mrs. C. C. Buchanan)
The library has recently added the following list of new books:
History of Democratic Party, Kent.
History of Republican Party, Myers.
Trader Horn.
Kitty, Deeping.
Mother of India, Mayo.
Son of India, Answers.
Nevada, Grey.
Plains of Abraham, Curwood.
Adam and Eve, Erskine.
We, Lindberg.
Skyward, Byrd.

A remarkable piece of sculpture has been one of the recent gifts to the library. Mr. B. H. Cathey presented a bookend with the head of Lincoln carved on the front. Mr. Cathey did this sculpture with a pocket knife and of a block of tale from Nantahala, N. C. It is certainly worth a trip to the library to see this piece of work by Sylva's genius.

The library also wishes to gratefully acknowledge the large amount of, painting done by Mr. Sanford. All of the signs and titles have been donated by him gratis.

HALL - HURST

A quiet marriage taking place at the home of the bride's aunt, Mrs. Louetta Hall in Asheville was that of Miss Anna May Hall and Mr. Theford Hurst. Mrs. Hurst is the youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Hall of Green's Creek and Mr. Hurst is the son of Mr. and Mrs. John Hurst of Franklin. The ceremony was performed by Rev. William Howell and was witnessed by a small company of relatives and friends.

After a short honeymoon Mr. and Mrs. Hurst will make their home near Franklin.

COMMERCE BODY TO MEET THURSDAY

There will be a meeting of the Sylva chamber of commerce at the chamber of commerce hall, Tuesday evening of next week, July 17. Officials of the chamber state that important matters to the community will be taken up, and urge not only all members of the chamber of commerce, but all interested citizens as well to attend the meeting.

NOTICE

The Lyric Theatre will present Rin Tin Tin in "HILLS OF KENTUCKY" on next Thursday night, July 19, benefit Sylva Baseball Club.

MISS MAYME LONG HAS BRIDGE PARTY

Four tables of bridge were made up by guests assembled by Miss Mayme Long at her home on Thursday night of last week. Miss Pauline Miller was the successful contestant for high score and was presented a string of beads. Miss Ruth Oliver was presented a handmade handkerchief as holder of low score. After the game a delicious salad course and tea were served. Miss Long's guests were Misses Isabel Allison, Nell Cowan, Ruth Oliver, Leah Nichols, Llewellyn Rhodes and her guest, Miss Melissa Blackwell, Irene Oliver, Pauline Miller, Mary Allison, Margaret Freeze, Dorothy Moore and Kathleen Barker, of Maryville, Tenn. and Mesdames Douglas Bain, J. R. Buchanan, Walter Jones and Harry E. Buchanan.

SIX FIELD DAYS PLANNED FOR SUMMER

Raleigh, N. C., July 11—Beginning with the fourth annual farmers' field day and picnic at the Blackland Branch Experiment Station near Weona on Friday, July 13, a series of six such events have been planned for the branch station farms in North Carolina this summer.

Immediately following the first event, the Piedmont Branch Station near Statesville will celebrate its 25th annual event on July 19th. The picnic at this station has grown to be one of the most largely attended meetings for farmers in the state and the gatherings this year will be a celebration of twenty five years of active service by this farm to the citizens of the piedmont section.

The third picnic will be that held on the farm of the Tobacco Branch Station near Oxford on August 2nd and will be the seventh annual meeting at that farm. The fourth, is the sixteenth annual field day at the Mountain Branch Station near Swanano on August 16th and the fifth is the sixth annual field day at the Upper Coastal Plain Station near Rocky Mount on September 6. The final field day at the six farms will be the twelfth annual event at the Coastal Plain Station near Willard on September 13th.

"Last year," says Fred E. Miller, assistant director in charge of the branch farms, "over 21,000 persons attended these annual field meetings. In each case, the morning hours were devoted to a speaking program on important farm subjects, followed by picnic luncheons held by the groups attending and with the afternoon hours given over to trips of inspection to the various experimental tests and a study of the research work being conducted."

Mr. Miller states that these meetings are among the best means of giving farmers the benefit of the results secured from the various tests conducted at the branch stations. Each farm represents a special soil region of the State and the work is so planned that it will supply information on the kinds of farming best suited to that region.

SYLVA BOOKLETS NOW OUT

The Sylva booklets, setting forth the advantages of Sylva and Jackson county to the tourist, home seeker, educator and investor, are just off the press and are being distributed by the Chamber of Commerce. The little booklet is an attractive one, of convenient size to carry in the pocket and is well illustrated with Sylva and Jackson county scenes.

HUNTER TO SPEAK AT CHAPEL HILL

Cullowhee, July 11—Messrs. H. T. Hunter, W. E. Bird, and E. H. Stillwell and Miss Cordelia Camp left this afternoon for Chapel Hill where they will attend the Elementary Educational Conference at the State University. Mr. Hunter will appear on the program for Friday.

BOY SCOUTS OFF TO CAMP

22 Boy Scouts of Sylva under command of Scoutmaster George Clemmer, left Sylva this morning for Camp Daniel Boone where they will be encamped for ten days.

A number of Sylva Rotarians furnished automobile transportation for the boys to camp, and will bring them home at the end of the ten day period.

MADE MOST WHEAT AGENT EVER SAW

Raleigh, N. C., July 11—The effect of using a small amount of quick acting nitrogen as a top dressing for wheat is tersely but effectively told by County Agent E. S. Millsaps of Randolph county who last week attempted to help harvest a five acre tract which he was using as a demonstration. "Last Friday," says Mr. Millsaps, "I was in one of the worst mixups that I have ever seen. We applied 200 pounds per acre of nitrate of soda on a five acre piece of wheat this year. There had been a heavy wind and it was blown in every direction. Friday, we tried to cut the wheat. I believe that this land would have made the greatest yield of wheat that I have ever seen had it stood up. The wheat was so thick and so rank, that the knoter on the binder was almost in constant motion. We could not use the carrier and you could walk across the field on the bundles. I cannot say now what yield it will make, but certainly it is the most straw that I ever saw on a piece of land."

The average yield of wheat in Randolph county in 1927 was only 12 bushels per acre and the average money value per acre amounted to \$18.12. Apparently, if the wheat on this demonstration makes the yield that Mr. Millsaps' picturesque description indicates, interesting facts will be brought out as to how to increase wheat yields and values in the future. Randolph county is one of the leading wheat growing sections of North Carolina. Last year, 30,743 acres were planted with only Davidson county planting a larger acreage. The total production was 368,916 bushels with Rowan making a slightly larger yield with an acreage less than Randolph by some 300 acres.

However, the results of this demonstration indicate that it will be wise in the future for farmers of the county to top dress their wheat with such quick acting nitrogen fertilizers as nitrate of soda and thus obtain the excellent yields which appear possible to obtain.

CULLOWHEE NORMAL CELEBRATES FOURTH

July 4—School was turned out and a holiday declared by the President of the Normal.

At 8 a. m. a patriotic program was given. The opening number was the singing of America by all assembled. Then, Mr. H. T. Hunter, the president of the school, led in a beautiful prayer thanking God for the mothers and fathers back in the early days who gave themselves so unselfishly that we, their descendants, might have independence.

The next number was an impressive talk on "The Flag" by Mr. Seymour one of the State Normal professors. His opening words were "The flag, which represents, stands for, and glorifies the American republic, can not be estimated in values of gold and silver or precious stones. It is something whose worth is infinitely above all estimates of values."

Then, he reviewed the history of the flag, telling how, 146 years ago, the Continental Congress of the United States met and adopted the design of the flag and how the committee called upon Mrs. Betsy Ross and asked her to sew the flag for them. In concluding his talk, Mr. Seymour gave an appropriate quotation from the poets: "Beautiful flag, our country's pride, Long may its stars and stripes float wide,

Over the land and over the sea, Beautiful flag of the noble free."

After this talk the flag was raised and the pledge to it was given by everyone present. Then the "Star Spangled Banner" and "America the Beautiful" were sung. This concluded the program.

About fifty of the students and teachers went to Whiteside mountain and Tuckasee Falls for the day. Some other smaller parties went to Fairfield, Waynesville, Franklin and Junaluska.

Jim Holloway has the best acre of tobacco of any club boy in Durham county, according to his county agent. The tobacco has made good growth, has a uniform stand and is of excellent quality.

PROGRAM NOW COMPLETE FOR FARM GATHERING

Raleigh, N. C., July 12—The twenty sixth annual meeting of the State Farmers Convention known this year as Farm and Home Week will be held at State College on July 24 to 27 inclusive and will be well attended according to early indications.

"As in the past," says James M. Gray, assistant director of extension and secretary of the convention, "the State College will give its rooms free for one dollar. Guests must bring necessary toilet articles, covering, towels and other accessories and it would be wise for those who plan to use the dormitory rooms to plan their arrival by Monday afternoon, July 23. We will assign rooms as the guests register and the program begins promptly at eight o'clock the following morning."

Mr. Gray announces that an unusually strong program has been arranged. The Convention lasts for four days and will be more strictly educational in its purposes than in past years. Sectional meetings dealing with agronomy, livestock, horticulture, home economics, poultry, farm engineering and forestry subjects will be held each morning and afternoon during the four days. The general or joint meetings for all the men and women will begin at eleven o'clock each morning and last until one. From four until six o'clock each afternoon, the guests may visit points of interest about Raleigh or attend other recreational exercises.

The evening hours will be devoted to Vesper services, motion pictures, community singing and music on the campus.

One new feature of the week will be the public recognition of five leading farm women who have been chosen as Master Homemakers by the extension workers and the "Farmer's Wife," a monthly publication for farm women. Three interesting contests have also been arranged.

BOYS AND GIRLS 4 H CLUBS TO HAVE MOVING PICTURE SHOWS IN SIX COMMUNITIES OF THE COUNTY.

The six boys and girls 4 H clubs of the county will present as special feature of their work a good 6 reel picture and comedy at the school house for the entire community in which they live. The 30 or more farm boys and girls in each of these clubs are very active learning community cooperation and organized farm work as well as better farming and livestock raising.

This moving picture is full of fun and interest for everybody from the youngest person in the family to grand dad. It brings out how easily farm communities can make progress by active organization in their farm problems and livestock marketing. The scenes are taken from the great sheep and cattle ranches of the west. At the same time there is a good setting, love story and comedy in the picture.

The pictures will be furnished by the U. S. Motion Picture Bureau at Washington. The picture machine is furnished by the State College of Agriculture and the motor and lights by Roy Tritt, East LaPorte, local dealer for Fairbanks Morse power and light plants. The show will be presented the following places and dates:

John's Creek school, Wednesday, July 18th at 8:15 p. m.
Webster school Thursday, July 19, at 8:15 p. m.
Qualla school Friday, July 20th, 8:15.
Beta school Saturday July 21st, at 8:15:
Glenville school Monday, July 23rd at 8:15.
Cullowhee school Wednesday, July 25th at 8:15.

A small admission charge of 15 and 25 cents will be charged and the money used to send a representative from each club to the State 4 H Club Short Course at Raleigh the first week in August. Everybody in the community is invited and urged to attend the show and have a good time together.

Farmers of Beaufort county have shipped 73 cars of hogs this year and most of them brought top prices on the eastern markets because of the feeding methods followed.