

# The Jackson County Journal

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## TUCKASEGEE ASSOCIATION MEETS HERE NEXT WEEK

The Tuckasegee Baptist Association will meet with the First Baptist church of Sylva, next Thursday, Friday and Saturday; the meetings being held in the auditorium of Sylva Collegiate Institute.

The first meeting will begin at 9:30, Thursday morning.

The order of business follows:

9:30, Morning Session.

10:00, Devotional, Prof. N. R. Prickett

10:30, Enrollment of messengers and recognition of visitors.

11:00, Report on Organize, D. G. Bryson

11:30, Christian Literature, T. C. Bryson

12:00, Introductory Sermon, Rev. I. K. Stafford

12:30, Appointment of Committees and miscellaneous

1:00, Dinner

1:30, Devotional, Rev. I. H. Crawford

2:00, Report on Cooperative Program, W. Sutton

2:30, Foreign Missions, Rev. A. W. Davis

3:00, Home Missions, Rev. J. G. Murray

3:30, State Missions, McKinley Hooper

4:00, Inspirational Address (To be supplied)

4:30, Adjourn

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Devotional, R. F. Jarrett

9:30, Cooperative Program (Continued)

10:00, Ministerial Relief, M. C. Brown

10:30, Hospitals, E. H. Stillwell

11:00, Christian Education, Rev. I. K. Stafford

11:30, Sylva Collegiate Institute, J. T. Gable

12:00, Sunday Schools, A. V. Washburn

12:30, B. Y. P. U. Mrs. I. K. Stafford

1:00, W. M. S. Mrs. J. G. Murray

1:30, Dinner

2:00, Devotional, T. C. Bryson

2:30, Stewardship, Rev. A. C. Queen

3:00, State of Churches, R. F. Jarrett

3:30, Ministers (Names, Addresses, Deaths) Rev. R. W. Green

4:00, Temperance, F. I. Watson

4:30, Reports of Committees, Miscellaneous

5:00, Inspirational Address, Dr. H. J. Hunter

## TO ALL LOVERS OF BASEBALL

The Sylva baseball team has been playing good ball this season, and judging from the crowds we are having, the fans are well pleased with the class of ball we are playing. But, it takes money to run a ball club, and when every one waits for the other fellow to pay the expenses we cannot expect to continue. The average fan who attends the games would be stumped if he knew the actual cost of running the club. The team has been playing at a great loss for the entire season and it is time for those who are clamoring for baseball to attend the game and pay the small admission fee that is charged. We know that it is impossible for the club to collect from all without a fence in park, but if you are interested enough to spend a couple of hours watching a game, then have enough honor to pay your proportional part of the expenses. There are a few faithful ones, (a very few), who have responded heartily when help was needed, and to those we owe our success or failure. But there are not enough of the paying kind, so if you want baseball you must help bear the expense of running the team. The Sylva team will play Athletics here on next Tuesday afternoon at four o'clock and we hope that all lovers of this clean wholesome sport will be at the game, and don't stand back and let some of the "faithful few" pay for the pleasure that you enjoy. Help the team and the team will help the town. Sylva has gathered together one of the best amateur teams in Western North Carolina and the game that is scheduled here with Andrews of next Friday will be well worth attending.

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## FORM NEW MOTOR COMPANY

E. Haesler and Walter L. Jones have formed the Triangle Motor Company and have taken the Sylva agency for Durant automobiles, a number of which they have on display. Floyd Askey will be in charge of the ignition, battery, and electric lighting in the repair shop, it is stated that the new company will continue to do general repair work in addition to the sales agency.

## SYLVA TEAM TAKES TWO GAMES FROM EAST LAPORTE

The Sylva baseball team crossed bats with the East Laporte team on the latter's ground Monday afternoon and with the entire team playing air tight ball captured the seven inning game by the score of 5 to 0. This was the game scheduled to be played on last Saturday but was postponed on account of rain. Edwards in the box for Sylva pitched a wonderful game.

On Tuesday afternoon the East Laporte team journeyed over to Sylva to play an exhibition game, which was also a seven inning affair, and was won by the locals by the score of 6 to 5. This was perhaps one of the best games played here this season. Fineannon in the box for Sylva was in perfect form for the first five innings and until then had allowed only two hits. In this inning the East Laporte outfit bunched several hits, coupled with errors, scored five runs. Edwards relieved Fineannon in this instance and held the visitors scoreless for the remainder of the game. The score remained 5 and 4 until the last half of the seventh after two men were out, Sylva scored two runs making the final count 6 to 5 in favor of the locals.

## BEGIN NEW SCHOOL AT ONCE

The work of erecting the new graded school building for Sylva will begin within the next few weeks, according to County Superintendent J. N. Wilson, who states that the funds for the new building are now in hand and available for the purpose.

The new building which will be erected on the High School property will be of brick and other fire-proof construction and will consist of four teen class rooms, a large auditorium, cloak rooms and office.

The work will be rushed as fast as possible with the hope of having the new building ready for occupancy by the opening of the Spring term of school.

The Board of Education will dispose of the present graded school property by selling it.

## QUALLA

Rev. R. L. Bass was accompanied to his appointment Sunday morning by Rev. R. R. Searlette of Robbinsville who preached an inspiring sermon to an attentive audience.

They were guests at Mr. P. H. Ferguson's before leaving for their appointment at Olivet in the afternoon.

Qualla school opened Monday morning with a large attendance. Several of the parents accompanied their children to the opening exercises. Each of the teachers and several of the patrons made short talks. Devotional was conducted by Rev. R. R. Searlette on the words "There shall be no more sea", the leading theme for the young folks being "Sail On."

Our teachers for this year are Prof. B. Lunsford of Fines Creek, Mr. J. M. Wright of Shelby, and Misses Llewellyn Rhodes, Miss Lois Edwards, Miss Lou Ella Brown and Miss Vivian Jones who are our own county girls and taught in our school last year. They seem glad to return to Qualla and we enjoy having them with us again. Prospects for a good school are very encouraging.

Prof. and Mrs. W. E. Bird and Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Bird are visiting relatives in Charleston, S. C.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. W. F. House, a son.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Talbert and Mr. and Mrs. George Andrews of Upton were guests at Mr. Ed Oxner's last week.

Messrs. Rufus and R. L. Hyatt of Waynesville visited at Mr. J. L. Hyatt's.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Dewese, Miss Est. Ewain and Mr. Guy Morton of Robbinsville passed through Qualla Sunday, stopping at Olivet church where Dr. Morton and Miss Swain were united in marriage by Rev. R. R. Searlette.

Mr. H. E. Battle and Messrs. John and Wayne Battle visited at Mr. W. F. Battle's.

Mrs. Deck Chambers of near Bryson is visiting among relatives.

Mrs. J. E. Hoyle is spending a few days in Sylva.

Mr. Clyde Marens and family of Andrews called at Mr. Oscar Bibson's.

Mr. Glenn Ferguson and family attended services at Els Sunday evening.

## TENNESSEE BEGINS BUYING PARK LANDS

Western North Carolina park leaders were made happy Saturday with the announcement from Nashville that Tennessee has made "available immediately" its state appropriation for creation of the Great Smoky Mountain national playground.

The state's \$1,500,000 part in the purchase of park lands was ordered made available when the state funding board Saturday authorized Gov. Henry H. Horton to issue short term notes to that amount with renewals at periodic dates pending the improvement of the bond markets when the state will issue bonds for that amount.

The fund will be made available immediately in order that the lands may be purchased and the park turned over to the United States when North Carolina completes her portion of the agreement to purchase a like number of acres.

Timber rights on the Little River Lumber company tract are likewise to be purchased by sums contributed by the city of Knoxville and a matching fund from the Rockefeller Foundation, according to a United Press dispatch from Nashville.

Judge John R. Aust, special counsel of the park commission, declared today that the mountaineer residing within the park were being allowed to retain their homes on the state's land without payment of rent or other restrictions other than abandonment of timber cutting. The residents are likewise to prevent forest fires and serve in an unofficial capacity as guides for tourists.

Reports indicate that the purchase of the needed lands is going forward rapidly.

## SCOUTS TO TAKE TRIP

The Boy Scout troop of Sylva will go to Lake Junaluska Friday afternoon for an outing that will be both recreational and educational.

Scoutmaster Clemmer has arranged with Dr. Nollner, Supt. of the Assembly grounds, for the troop to enjoy the privileges of the lake gratis.

Scouts will assemble at Medford Furniture Store Friday at 3 P. M. Each scout will take his bathing suit and a lunch for supper. The troop will remain at the lake for the evening program at the auditorium returning home about 10 P. M.

## PARKER REUNION

The Parker reunion will be held at the same place that it was last year; at the new Silverstein School House, near Macedonia church, in Gloucester Township Transylvania county. The time is set for the first Sunday in September.

Mr. W. M. Henson and family of Statesville and Mrs. B. B. Henson of Whittier spent Friday at Mr. J. K. Terrell's.

Mr. S. P. Hyatt left Sunday for his school at Weyhutta.

Mrs. Bertha Parris of Clyde spent Sunday at Mr. J. E. Hoyle's.

Mr. C. B. Terrell left Friday to teach at John's Creek.

Mr. Carl Hoyle of Charley's Creek school spent the week end with home folks.

Messrs. Brown, Jones and Rhodes called on Mrs. J. C. Johnson.

Terry Joe Johnson spent a few days at Mr. W. C. Martin's.

Mr. Olus Howell who was ill last week is improving.

Mr. Dan Gass, Mr. and Mrs. Eli Blankenship and Mr. A. M. Gibson called at Mr. J. H. Hughe's.

Messrs. Paul Ferguson and Joe Terrell attended services at Olivet Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Hughes visited at Smokemont.

Miss Ruth Ferguson called on Miss Bessie Martin.

Mrs. A. C. and Miss Grace Hoyle called on Mrs. J. G. Hooper.

Messrs. Edna and Polly Hoyle entertained several of their young friends Saturday evening.

Mr. Jack Turpin gave a sociable to a party of young folks.

Rev. R. R. Searlette, Mrs. J. K. and Miss Annie L. Terrell were guests at Mr. H. G. Ferguson's Monday.

Rev. W. W. Anthony who has been sick for several days is improving.

## CHURCHES TO HOLD UNION SERVICE

On Sunday evening, August 12th at eight o'clock, the Methodist and Baptist churches are coming together in a union service at the Lyric Theatre opening the Near East Relief Crusade in Jackson county. Mr. Tex Klutz who has been professor of English in an American College near Jerusalem will speak on "Three Years in Bible Lands." Mr. Klutz has a moving picture reel and a collection of stereoscopic slides made from his own photographs which he will show in connection with his lecture. No admission fee will be charged and the public is most cordially invited and urged to take advantage of this opportunity to learn first hand about present conditions in the Near East and Holy Land.

Mrs. E. Ford King and Mrs. C. B. Thompson have accepted the appointments as colonels for the two teams who will carry on the Crusade in Sylva.

## MRS. STEIN RECOVERING FROM AUTO INJURIES

Mrs. H. Stein is recovering from a fractured hip and other injuries received Sunday when the Dodge car in which she and her entire family were driving, plunged over an embankment on Highway 106, above East Laporte.

The other members of the family sustained minor cuts and bruises and Miss Margurite who was driving, was at first thought to be seriously injured, but has recovered sufficiently to be returned to her home; while Mrs. Stein, who was not at first thought to be badly hurt was later found to be the most seriously injured of any of the occupants of the car, and was taken to the hospital Monday morning.

It is thought that the accident occurred when Miss Stein in attempting to pass another car, steered off the pavement onto the shoulder of the road, and in turning back onto the pavement, the car cut across the road and plunged down the embankment on the other side.

## "CHOOSING THE BEST" TO BE PASTOR'S SUBJECT

Services of worship will be conducted in the Methodist church Sunday morning at 11 o'clock by the pastor, Rev. George Clemmer. The theme of the service will be "Choosing the Best." The subject of the sermon will be "A Busy Man Who Failed in His Business."

The discussion will center about an Old Testament character who became so absorbed with trivial matters that he missed the real chance of a life time. He chose the second best. A special and a very cordial invitation is extended to those who feel that they are too busy to worship or, too busy to give any time to the interests of the Kingdom of God.

In the evening at 8 o'clock there will be a union service of all the churches in Sylva and Dillsboro at the Lyric theatre in the interest of the orphans supported by the Near East Relief. Mr. Lee Klutz, who is state director of Near East Relief, will speak of his experiences in the Near East as a relief worker. Also he will show a reel or two of film depicting some accomplishments of the work. The general public is cordially invited to this service.

Sunday schools will convene at 10 a. m. Following is the order of the morning worship:

Voluntary; Hymn No. 31, "Holy, Holy, Holy." The Apostles Creed; Prayer; Responsive reading 320; The Gloria Patri; Scripture lesson, Romans 12th chapter; Announcements; Offering; Hymn No. 225, "Take Time To Be Holy;" Sermon: "A Busy Man who failed in his Business;" Hymn No. 19, "Jesus Calls Us;" Benediction

## METHODISTS HAVE OUT-DOOR SERVICE

The Methodists of Sylva and Dillsboro motored to Patterson's Spring, Sunday, where an out-door service was conducted by the pastor, Rev. Geo. Clemmer, who preached a most appropriate sermon on the subject of "The Rainbow." After the service dinner was served picnic style by the ladies of the churches.

## SNYDER RECOVERING FROM INJURIES

W. H. Snyder, well known Addie man, is recovering at the Candler-Nichols hospital from dangerous injuries received Sunday, when the car which he was driving and which was occupied by him and three of his children was struck and practically demolished by a car loaded with negroes.

Mr. Snyder received serious cuts about the head and throat and it is believed that if Dr. A. S. Nichols had not happened to arrive on the spot almost immediately after the accident, and rendered first aid, that Mr. Snyder would have bled to death before he could have been taken to the hospital. Mr. Snyder's children all received minor injuries; and three of the negroes were taken to the hospital for medical treatment.

The young negro boy named Conley who was driving was placed under arrest and held pending Mr. Snyder's condition.

It is said that Mr. Snyder had driven out a side road, this side of Addie and started down the Highway when the car driven by Conley attempted to pass another car, and crashed into Mr. Snyder's automobile, almost completely demolishing it.

## FARMERS LEAVE MONDAY ON TOUR

The following men have deposited their money for the farmers' tour and will make the tour with ten outstanding farmers and business men from Swain county, leaving Sylva 8 A. M., Monday August 13th.

D. H. Stevens, East Laporte; R. C. Hunter, Caney Fork; J. M. Cunningham Hamburg; Dillard Hooper; Caney Fork; T. C. Ledbetter, Gallowhee; J. H. Reagan, Qualla; Eric Coward Cullowhee; R. G. Howell, Qualla; Richard Wike River; E. L. Wilson, Sylva; W. R. Sherrill, Sylva; W. C. Norton Cullowhee; N. Higdon, Swannah; C. W. Tilson, Sylva; Will Lewis; Webster; J. T. Cogdill, Scott's Creek, R. W. Fisher Sylva. C. H. Kitehen Sylva; H. H. Hooper Hamburg.

A number of other reservations have been requested, and those in charge of the tour are making attempts to secure additional transportation.

Leaving here Monday morning the farmers will go up through North-western North Carolina, cross over into Tennessee and back into Virginia at Bristol. Various types of livestock and general farming will be studied in the Valley of Virginia. They will cross the Natural Bridge, visit General Lee's old home; will visit the old home of Jackson, and Washington's early home at Winchester, and will visit Washington City as the guests of the department of agriculture. The federal livestock test farm at Beltsville, Maryland will be visited. Then they will come down by Richmond, Danville Greensboro; Statesville; Newton and home; taking a week to make the trip.

## THE STATE CLUB SHORT COURSE

By IDA BATTLE, Qualla 4-H Club

On July 30th five club members, representing five different clubs of Jackson county met at the Sylva Bus Station on their way to Raleigh to attend the short course at the State College. Part of each one's expenses were paid by their home club which they represented. We were in the care of Mr. C. W. Tilson, county agent.

We were met in Asheville by fifteen members from Buncombe county. After riding all morning until one o'clock we stopped in Shelby and ate our lunch. We saw many beautiful places of interest and large peach orchards and cotton crops.

We were planning on reaching Raleigh by six or seven o'clock that evening, but we soon learned that by taking so many detours we would reach Raleigh later than we had expected. Once we started the wrong road and had traveled 17 miles before we became aware of the fact that we had been directed wrong, but we were soon straightened out and on our way again.

When we drove up at the State College were met by Miss Wallace, Mrs. Ellis, Mr. Harrill and other members of the faculty. Then we were taken in the office and registered, soon had our rooms assigned and rushed off to bed so,

## BIG CIRCUS IN ASHEVILLE MONDAY, AUGUST 13TH

Thirty six singing girls and dancing horses will appear in the menage display with John Robinson's Circus, when that pioneer show comes to Asheville for afternoon and night exhibitions on August 13th. All of the equines are Kentucky thoroughbreds, while the riders have been well trained in the art of equitation.

John Robinson's Circus has always had a high standard in horseflesh and this year is no exception. Robert Thornton, equestrian director and his staff of trainers spent day after day in the stables last winter instilling knowledge into the horses and claim no other circus possesses such an array of these equines.

John Robinson will offer a new performance from beginning to end, filled with international features and high class attractions. "King Solomon and the Queen of Sheba," an exotic and gorgeous spectacle of ancient times will open the program at 2 P. M. and 8 P. M. The circus train arrives in Asheville early on the morning of August 12th from Winston Salem and Sunday will be required to erect the big top and many other big and little tents. There will be no street parade, as all big shows have eliminated this pageant, due to carrying such massive features and also scenery for the spectacle, King Solomon and Queen of Sheba.

We would feel ready for next day's work.

Our breakfast was served at seven o'clock each morning. After breakfast and before dinner we had three classes. The subjects were music, food and health, clothing room improvement, and culture. We could choose any three of these classes. It was very hard to decide which to take, for all were very interesting, but at last all was settled and we all attended our three chosen classes each morning for the week we spent there. These classes were taught each morning by different teachers, all being Home demonstration agents of the different counties of North Carolina. There were over four hundred girls to be divided up for these classes, this causing each class to be very large.

The boys studied sheep, dairying, hogs; farm crops; soils and poultry, and other farm subjects.

After dinner we had one hour for rest, then came the most exciting event of the day. All the boys and girls met out on the campus and were divided into four different groups, each group consisting of from one hundred and fifty to two hundred members. These were in the care of some member of the faculty and farm and home agents, and each group was assigned a different tour for each afternoon of that week.

On these tours we went to the capitol and went all through it and all over the grounds; from here we went to the State museum. This was one of the most interesting places that we visited. Before visiting this museum one could not imagine there being so many different things in our state. I looked very carefully to see if I could find anything from our county and to my glad surprise I found that Jackson county was about as well represented as any other county. I found different kinds of China clay that was taken from Dillsboro, and some beautiful scenes at Whiteside. One thing that attracted my attention most was a little old Indian birch canoe. It looked as if it might have been hundreds of years old. The bark had pulled loose and curled up, on one end was writing that was most faded out. And it was very interesting to see all the different animals and birds and snakes that have been found in our state.

After leaving this we were taken to one of the most beautiful churches you could imagine. This church is said to be the third church in America, in beauty. We were taken all through it, and showed some of the most wonderful paintings that were brought over from the old countries. One of these paintings cost \$100,000. The altar was more beautiful than one could describe. This work was done in the old countries. It was carved of some kind of stone, and was so beautiful that it looked impossible to have been made by hand.

From here we went to the Hall of History. To go through this building, would certainly be a treat to anyone. In here we saw from the oldest thing

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