

# The Jackson County Journal

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## Speaking at Glenville Last Night

Mrs. E. L. McKee and Congressman Weaver were the chief speakers at a Democratic rally held in the Glenville High School auditorium last night and both speakers carried their weight for the election of the Democratic ticket, county, state, and national, to the voters of upper Jackson county. Mrs. McKee, who is a native and resident of Jackson county, has been president of the North Carolina federation of women's clubs, and is at present the state president of the United Daughters of the Confederacy. She has been at many places in the state during this campaign, and nowhere has she been more enthusiastically received than at Glenville in her home county last night.

Nothing could be more disastrous to the welfare of the state and interests of the people than have North Carolina go republican in the national election, Congressman Zebulon Weaver told the enthusiastic audience of Jackson county citizens.

Congressman Weaver pointed out that it is extremely urgent that all Democrats go to the polls in November and vote the party ticket from all South for president down to the smallest office. This he declared is necessary in order to save the state from another regime of Russellism under republican rule.

Mr. Weaver in his speech touched at length upon the national issues of the presidential campaign and forcefully answered arguments being used by republicans against the election of Governor Smith. He declared that every true democrat desires to see North Carolina remain in the Democratic column both in the various counties and in the congressional districts. In this connection he paid a high tribute to O. Max Gardner, of Sylva, democratic candidate for Governor of the state, pointing out that Mr. Gardner is one of the most splendid young democrats that democracy has produced and will make an able successor to the noted governors of the past. If democrats are to succeed they must be vigilant, he emphasized, and all of them must go to the polls and vote the straight party ticket. Republicans he said are sitting on the sidelines hoping that by division in the democratic party they will again control the state.

"Nothing could be more disastrous to our interests than this" said the speaker "North Carolina for the last quarter century has been one of the best governed states in the American nation.

"Every department of our state government has had an honest and efficient administration. When we compare the conduct of our state with the last eight years of republican administration at Washington we can hold up our heads and feel proud of

the democratic party in North Carolina. We have given you roads that are the envy of every state in the union without a single cent of taxation upon property real or personal. It is a going concern supported by those who use them. Not only do the taxes on gasoline and licenses produce sufficient funds to retire the bonds issued for this purpose in a comparatively short time but they provide ample funds for maintenance which is one of vital necessity. In addition to this they also provide a number of million dollars annually for the construction of new highways."

Congressman Weaver then pointed out that if the democrats desire a continuance of their progressive state administration they must lay aside all differences they might have and get out a huge democratic vote on election day. He declared that the state suffered under mal-administration of republicans practically from 1894 to 1900 because democrats thought they were mad with their party and fused with the republicans. As a result he said they sowed the wind and reaped the whirlwind in Daniel Russell's administration as governor.

## CLEMMER RETURNS TO SYLVA

Rev. Geo. B. Clemmer for the past year pastor of the Sylva Methodist church, was returned to this charge by the Conference, according to announcement of appointments at the Conference in Charlotte, made Monday afternoon. Other appointments in the Waynesville District are:

Waynesville District—C. M. Pickens, presiding elder; Andrews, W. M. Robbins; Bethel, C. R. Ross; Bryson City, D. C. Ballard; Canton, Carlock Hawk; Cherokee, William Hornbuckle; Clyde-Junalaska, F. O. Dryman; Cullowhee, M. O. Tuttle; Dillwood, R. K. Brady; Pine Creek, G. N. Dulin; Franklin, R. F. Moeck; Franklin Circuit, H. C. Freeman; Glenville, to be supplied; Haywood, R. G. McClanrock; Highlands, to be supplied; Jonathan, L. T. Edens; Judson, L. H. Hipps, supply; Macon, T. S. Rotan, supply; Murphy, H. P. Powell; Murphy Circuit, A. A. Somers; Waynesville, T. F. Higgins; Webster, F. W. Kiker; Whittier, R. L. Bass; Wolf Mountain, W. E. Meretz, supply.

## SPEAKING AT CULLOWHEE

Hon. Felix E. Alley spoke to a large crowd at the Cullowhee school auditorium, last Wednesday evening, in the interest of the entire Democratic ticket from township constable to president. The audience was enthusiastically with the speaker, and cheered him time after time, as he drove home his points.

## FIRST DISTRICT CLUB WOMEN MEET HERE

With an attendance numbering over one hundred, the First District Women's Federated Clubs of N. C. met here in their annual session last Saturday and elected Mrs. Billy Davis, President and Mrs. Walter Jones, secretary to succeed Mrs. S. W. Black, president and Mrs. Kelley Bennett, secretary, both of Bryson City, whose terms of office expire next spring. Canton was selected as the place for the meeting next fall.

The morning session was held in Methodist church and the principal address was made by Mrs. Thomas O'Kelly, state president, Mrs. W. J. Brogden, chairman of district presidents, was also scheduled to speak, but because of illness in her family was unable to be present. Mrs. E. L. McKee, General Federation Director, made an address, calling attention to the scope of the work of the federated clubs, in community, state and nation. Mrs. Clarence A. Bales, president of the Woman's Club of Sylva, welcomed the visiting club women, Mrs. C. W. Tillet, of Andrews, responding. Rev. J. G. Murray, pastor of the Baptist church made the invocation.

Luncheon was served in the auditorium of the Central High School building and the luncheon tables were decorated with the club colors, blue and white, the same color note appearing in the ice cream and cake served.

The afternoon session was held in the school auditorium, where reports were heard from the clubs forming the First District, only two of the clubs failing to send representatives. Resolutions endorsing the Kellogg peace treaty, condemning the use of sign boards and moving pictures showing pictures of young girls holding cigarettes and flasks, one pledging the women of the district to using their influence to "renew interest in the use of the Bible in the home and the school, as the background for story-telling memory, contests and essay writing," one recommending that a fifty cent plate luncheon be served by the hostess clubs at the district meetings, instead of the plan of one woman attending bringing her lunch and the hostess clubs furnishing coffee, as now prevails, were adopted. A resolution in which it is pledged that the club members "Renew their allegiance to the Constitution of the United States and further resolve that, inasmuch as the Eighteenth Amendment to the Constitution and legislation for its enforcement are the object of so much discussion, the women of the first district reaffirm their belief in the wisdom of prohibition and their objection to any weakening of its enforcement laws," and one endorsing the legislative program of the State Federation were adopted.

The day's program was interspersed with special music by Mrs. A. H. Kizer of Brevard and Mrs. D. D. Rice of Franklin, each of whom sang a group of songs and by Miss Margaret Candler, who rendered a piano solo.

## TO VOTE ON AMENDMENTS

There are three amendments to the constitution of North Carolina to be voted on by the people at the general election, next Tuesday.

The first amendment calls for fixing the salaries of members of the general assembly at six hundred dollars for the session, and for providing additional per diem in case of an extra session of the assembly.

Amendment number 2 is to provide for judicial districts separate from the judicial districts.

Amendment number 3 is the one that is causing most discussion, and authorizes classification of intangible personal property for taxation. This means nothing more nor less than that intangible personal property may be placed on the tax books at a lower rate than tangible personal property and real estate. The idea of the general assembly in submitting this to the people was, of course to offer inducement to owners of intangible personal property to list it for taxes.

## BOX SUPPER AT BETA

There will be a box supper at the Beta school house, Saturday night at 8 o'clock. The proceeds will be used for the benefit of the school.

Three solid cars of limestone have been ordered by farmers of Montgomery to help with growing legume crops this winter.

## JACKSON WILL VOTE TUESDAY

The people of Jackson county will go to the polls next Tuesday and vote for candidates for national, state and county offices.

There are three ballots that the voters will be given when they present themselves at the polls. The presidential elector ballot, the general ballot, and the ballot on the three constitutional amendments.

On the general ballots appears the names of all candidates for state officers, for congress, for the county and district offices. This ballot is cast in one box. In another box will be placed the presidential ballot, and in a third the amendment ballots.

In this county the Australian ballot is used. The voter presents himself to the judges, announces his name, is given his ballots, folded, and retires to a private booth, where he marks his ticket. He must return the ballots to the judges, folded, as they were given to him, and they are not unfolded, but cast in the box as a secret ballot.

If any voter wishes to vote a straight party ticket, he makes a cross mark in the large circle at the top of his party column on the ballot. If he wants to mix his ticket, he makes a cross mark in the voting square at the left of the name of the candidates for whom he wishes to vote. Any other mark, tear or erasure on the ballot renders it void, and the judges of the election must refuse to count it, when the box is opened for the count. All marks on the ticket must be made with a pencil having black lead.

The county and district candidates of the two political parties follow:

## DEMOCRAT

- For Congress: Zebulon Weaver.
- For State Senate, T. Coleman Galloway.
- For Judge Recorder's Court, Dan Tompkins.
- For Representative, Thomas A. Cox.
- For Sheriff, C. C. Mason.
- For Register of Deeds, Jane Coward.
- For surveyor, C. J. Crisp.
- For coronor, Grover Wilkes.
- For commissioner of finance, Aaron Hooper.
- For commissioner of highways, W. A. Hooper.
- For commissioner of welfare, T. Walter Ashe.

## REPUBLICAN

- For congress, George M. Pritchard.
- For state senator, Ralph R. Fisher.
- For Judge Recorder's Court, Geo. W. Sutton.
- For representative, Will H. Smith.
- For sheriff, M. B. Cannon.
- For register of deeds, W. W. Bryson.
- For surveyor, Sam Cook.
- For coronor, R. L. Elders.
- For commissioner of finance, J. W. Keener.
- For commissioner of highways, H. R. Queen.
- For commissioner of welfare, A. D. Parker.

There has been an unusually heavy registration in the county, according to reports since the books closed Saturday and in the two Sylva precincts alone, there are nearly 2000 names on the books. Interest in the election is at high pitch, and it is expected that there will be a tremendously heavy vote cast.

## HONOR ROLL FOR QUALLA GRADED SCHOOL

- Seventh grade: Ferry Lee Revis; Julia Oxner; Irene Oxner; Arthur Worley; James Blankenship.
  - Sixth grade: Edna Freeman; Evelyn Kinsland; Katy Matthews; Nellie McLaughlin; James Battle.
  - Fifth grade: Janie Reagan; Bonnie Freeman; Marion Revis; Edgar Worley; John Hershel Ferguson.
  - Fourth Grade: Mabel Blankenship; Nellie Matthews; Ollie Hall; Harold McLaughlin.
  - Third grade: May Belle Ferguson; Mildred Messer; Ruth Queen; Willard Anthony Charles McLaughlin; Millard Revis; Hugh Ferguson.
  - Second grade: Lillian Ferguson; Janette Farmer; Mildred Howell; Earl Battle; Rogers Shelton; Terry Joe Johnson.
  - First grade: Inez Howell; Shirley Moody; Annie Ruth McLaughlin; Naomi Turpin; Harry Martin.
- When corn is planted after red clover it is hard to tell where the crop has been top dressed with sulphate of ammonia, says A. P. Budsill of Gaston county.

## SPECIAL SERVICE AT LOCUST FIELD

A special service will be held at Locust Field Baptist church, next Sunday, beginning at 10 o'clock. A special offering will be taken to apply on the indebtedness of the church.

The program follows:

- 10:00 A. M. Services opened by choral singing.
- 10:30. Address, Hon. Geo. W. Sutton.
- 11:00 A. M. Address, Prof. F. I. Watson.
- 11:30. Address, J. P. Reed.
- 12:00 Dinner.
- 1:00 P. M. Singing.
- 1:30 P. M. Talk on prayer in homes and prayer service: R. F. Jarrett.

The program was arranged by a committee of the church and the pastor, Rev. Geo. C. Snyder.

## WOMEN OF TUCKASEEGEE ASSOCIATION HOLD MEETING

A quarterly meeting of the Woman's Missionary Union, of the Tuckasegee Association, was held at Ochs Hill Baptist church, yesterday. The meeting began at ten-thirty in the morning with Mrs. T. C. Bryson, associational superintendent, presiding.

The program follows:

- Song "I Gave My Life for Thee."
- Devotional, "Where Our Money Goes, if: Self Centered 2. Wisehearted; 3. Systematic, Mrs. T. C. Bryson.
- Talk, State Mission, "Why and How" Mrs. Hugh E. Monteith.
- Song "Is Your Life a Channel of Blessing?"
- Talk, Nov. 11, Honor Day, Mrs. C. L. Allison.
- Prayer.
- Talk, "Ministerial Relief," Mrs. D. G. Bryson.
- Talk, "Our Schools," Mrs. N. R. Prickeet.
- Business.
- Lunch.
- Afternoon Session
- Song, "Take My Life and Let it Be."
- Devotional, "Where Our Money Goes, If: 1. Generous hearted 2. Sacrificial, Mrs. R. R. Fisher.
- Talk "Orphanages and Hospitals," Miss Corinne Woods.
- Solo, Miss Edna Wallace.
- Talk, "Foreign Missions," Mrs. I. K. Stafford.
- Current Missionary Events, Mrs. Roy C. Allison.
- Reports of Committees.
- Woman's Missionary Hymn for the Year, "The Kingdom is Coming"
- Closing prayer.

## PARENT-TEACHERS TO MEET

The parent-teachers association will meet at the graded school building next Monday afternoon, November 5, at 3:30.

Forty farmers of Person county recently visited Alamance to study the dairy industry of that county.

## EXTENSION WORKERS MEET FOR ANNUAL CONFERENCE

Raleigh, N. C., October 31.—Don't expect the county home or farm agent to be in the home office or available for visits in the county during the period from November 13 to 20.

"Our annual conference of all extension workers will be held during that period," announces Dean I. O. Schaub, head of the school of agriculture at State College. "Not only shall we expect each home and farm agent to be here at the college for the conference but we shall also expect each of our extension specialists to remain at headquarters during that time so that they may take part in the program or be available for discussions with individual agents."

Dean Schaub states that this is the annual period for taking stock. The agents will make reports and will elect their own activities to see how far down the road of progress they have gone since last December. When this has been done, plans for the coming year will be made and a state-wide program of work will be decided upon. In addition, the agents will get all the late information available from the research workers of the college and will compare notes about methods of work, successful plans and other facts that will assist in promoting the purposes of agricultural extension.

Some of the home agents who have been employed recently will come to the college a few days before the main group of agents. These will be given additional instruction by Mrs. Jane S. McKimmon and her staff.

The program of the annual conference is now being prepared by Dean Schaub, assisted by J. M. Gray and Mrs. McKimmon, assistant directors. One feature of the program will be the presentation of a silver trophy cup to the home or farm agent who has done the best work in general farm publicity throughout the past year.

## JOURNAL AND LYRIC TO GIVE RETURNS

Arrangements have been made by the Jackson County Journal and the Lyric Theatre to give complete election returns, county, state and national, as fast as they are received at the Lyric Theatre Tuesday night.

There will be a large bulletin board prepared outside the theatre, for those who are unable to get inside, and the returns will be flashed upon the screen inside the building, following the regular picture show.

Everybody is invited to the party given by the Journal and the Lyric.

Fifteen cars of high grade dairy cows have been purchased by farmers of Guilford county during the past year.



**MRS. ALFRED E. SMITH**

Mrs. Alfred E. Smith, whose maiden name was Catherine A. Dunn, is like her distinguished husband, a native of New York City. She has been the wife of the Governor for over a quarter of a century, and for eight years she has been the hostess at the executive mansion at Albany.

Mrs. Smith is a talented musician. Her piano playing having won plaudits from noted musical critics. She is very interested in American antique furniture, but besides this interest and her interest in music she

is mainly devoted to the care of her home and her children, of whom she has five—three boys and two girls.

She has three grandchildren. She has always been a wholesome charming home woman who has not mingled in politics but has been a constant encouragement and inspiration to Governor Smith throughout his long public career. She is a devoted wife and mother, and all who have visited the executive mansion of the Governor at Albany pay tribute to her rare capabilities as a hostess, her brilliant wit and her good taste in matter of dress.



**MRS. HERBERT HOOVER**

Lou Henry Hoover (Mrs. Herbert Hoover) is the daughter of a small town Ohio banker. She met Herbert Hoover at Leland Stanford University, where he was studying to be a mining engineer, and she was taking a course in geology. Herbert Hoover accepted a job in China, taking Lou Henry with him as his wife. Mrs. Hoover was a helpmate in every way, even learning Chinese in order to be more useful in managing the household.

Mrs. Hoover is a scholar. In 1912 she collaborated with her husband in translating from classic Latin a

huge tome: Georgius Agricola's de Metallica.

The Hoovers have been travelers, and Mrs. Hoover has seen all of the world, but avers that she feels at home only in America. During wartime she was very active both in Europe and at Washington in relief work. She is the mother of two sons. Mrs. Hoover has many interests, and enjoys work. She drives a car, attends all musical events she can possibly access to, and is a reader of semi-scientific books. She plays tennis well, and has the faculty of making home of any house she happens to live in.