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# The Jackson County Journal

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Sylva, N. C. Thursday, December 27, 1928

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## Personals

Mrs. S. Cory of Waynesville is visiting her nieces, the Misses Coward at the Coward House.

Mr. Gerson Bryson of Charlotte, spent Christmas here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Bryson.

Mr. Dan Tompkins is visiting relatives and friends in Augusta, Ga., for a few days.

Miss Ada Barrington is spending several weeks in Savannah, Ga., with her mother, Mrs. Barrington.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Allison of Webster are in Sylva for the winter at the Sylva Hotel.

Mr. A. M. Simons and Mr. Felix Potts left Christmas Day for a trip to Cuba.

Miss Maude Leatherwood and Miss Myrtle Henson have returned from a visit to Miss Ella McGimsey in Morganton.

Miss Irene Oliver went to Asheville today where she will be a guest for a day or two of Miss Ruth Reynolds.

Mrs. and Mrs. L. D. Shealy and little daughter, Peggy, are spending the Christmas holidays with relatives in Newberry, S. C.

Miss Nellie Wild will leave Sunday for Pleasant Garden, where she will resume her position as a teacher in the school at that place.

Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Washburn and Mr. A. V. Washburn, Jr. who spent Christmas in Atlanta, have returned to their home here.

Miss Caroline Rhodes who is a student at Greensboro College for Women, is spending her vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Rhodes.

Mr. W. H. Rhodes, Jr., of Raleigh is a guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Rhodes at their home here.

Mrs. Carrie McKee, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Kizer and son, Alex Kizer, Jr. came over from Brevard to spend Christmas at the home of Mrs. McKee.

Mrs. Etta Morton, who is a teacher in the public schools of Mars Hill is spending the Christmas vacation here, with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Crisp.

Mr. and Mrs. Olin Williams of Knoxville, Tenn., have been guests of Mrs. Williams' parents, Dr. and Mrs. D. D. Hooper during the week.

Miss Eleanor Ormond has returned from Davidson where she spent a day, accompanied by her friend, Miss Patterson of Asheville.

Miss Lucy Wells has returned to Charlotte after spending a few days here with her father, Mr. C. M. Wells.

Mr. and Mrs. Hal McKee of Charlotte were guests of Mr. McKee's father, Mr. E. L. McKee and Mrs. McKee, Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. John B. Ensley spent Christmas Day in Asheville guests of Mr. Ensley's sisters, Mrs. J. R. Smith and Mrs. Docia Smith.

Mr. Alfred C. King of Fruita, Col. arrived Christmas Eve, for a visit to his aunt, Miss Amanda Tompkins, and his cousin, Mr. Dan Tompkins.

Mr. and Mrs. Hal McKee of Charlotte, have announced the birth of a daughter on Wednesday night, December 26th.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Curtis and family spent Sunday in Cornelia, Ga., with relatives. Miss Ruth Brackett, accompanied them home and is spending a week here.

Mr. Morris West and Mr. Raymond Holcombe of Clarksville, Ga., spent Wednesday here with friends.

Mr. Edward Dubost who has been in school at Ga. Tech. is spending Christmas holidays here with friends.

Mr. Ernest M. Hale has returned from Louisburg where he spent Christmas Day with his mother, Mrs. E. M. Hale.

Mrs. and Mrs. Graham Grindstaff, who are spending some time here, from Keene, New Hampshire, went to Spruce Pine and Penland today on a brief business trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Yonnally of Grand Island, Fla., are spending the Christmas holidays with Mrs. Yonnally's parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. R. Mogran at their home here.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Bain, Jr. and children will return to their home in Greensboro Friday after spending Christmas with Mrs. Bain's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Keener at their home here.

Mr. R. L. Overstreet has returned to his home in Bedford, Va., after spending Christmas here with Mrs. Overstreet's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Wilson. Mrs. Overstreet will remain for a week or two longer.

Mrs. C. E. Putman of Hamilton, Wash., who has been visiting her father, Rev. J. D. Sitton here is spending some time with relatives in Marion.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Bales and children and Mrs. Inez Carroll are spending several days with the parents of Mr. Bales and Mrs. Carroll, Dr. and Mrs. J. M. Sullivan, in Hayesville.

Mrs. L. P. Bogle, her daughter, Mrs. James Bowman and her son, Mr. Paul Bogle of Winston-Salem, have been visiting Mrs. Bogle's sister and brother, Mrs. Mattie McKee, and Mr. F. N. McLain and Mrs. McLain.

Miss Bill Allison of Hayesville and her brother, Mr. Donald Allison, of Atlanta have returned to their homes after a short visit to relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Allison, Miss Hazel Allison, Mr. Sam Allison and little son Bobby, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Jones, Mr. Roy Allison and daughters, Miss Sue Allison and Miss Kate Allison, spent Christmas Day with relatives in Hayesville. Mrs. Roy Allison accompanied the party as far as Andrews and stopped over for the day with Mr. and Mrs. Vinson Hall.

**BRIDGERS-COWAN**

Miss Mary Bridgers and Mr. Claud Cowan were married at the home of the bride at Maccefield on Christmas Day, leaving immediately after the ceremony for a wedding trip which included Richmond, Va., and other points. Mrs. Cowan has many friends in Jackson county, where she has taught for the past several years.

Mr. Cowan, a son of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Cowan of Webster is popular among a large circle of friends and holds a position with the Dillsboro and Sylva Electric Light Company.

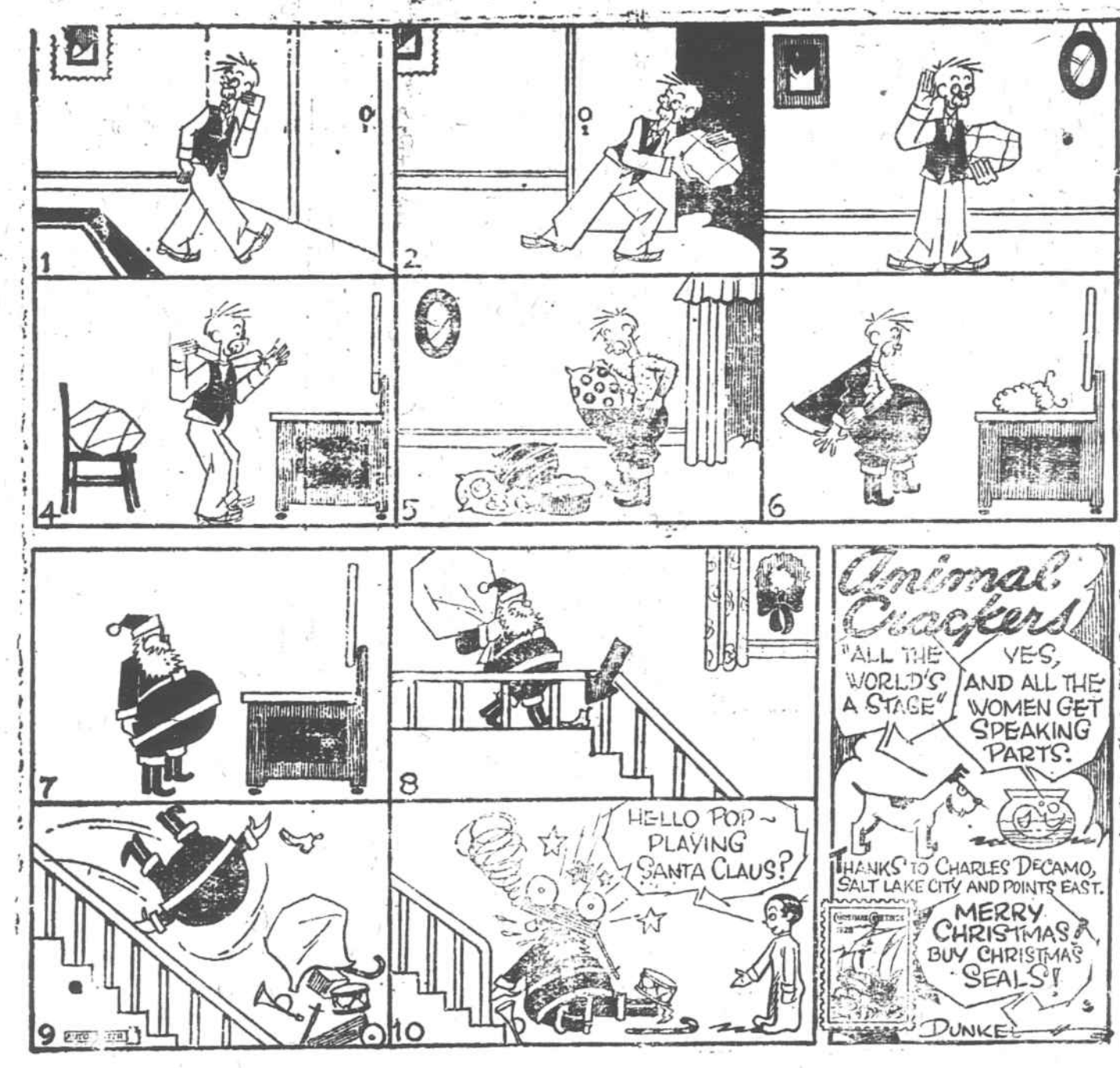
Mr. Dan Cowan, a brother of the groom, attended the wedding, from here.

**CURRY-MARR**

Miss Thelma Mae Curry and Mr. Claud C. Marr were united in marriage at the close of the 11 o'clock services of worship in the Methodist church here Sunday by Rev. George Clemmer, the bride's pastor.

Mrs. Marr is the accomplished and attractive daughter of Mr. and Mrs. I. N. Curry of Sylva. Mr. Marr is the son of Mrs. Hattie C. Marr of Bryson City.

After spending the holidays in Asheville the young couple will resume their work teaching. Mr. Marr is principal of the Sand Hill High school of Buncombe county while Mrs. Marr has charge of the school at Barker's Creek in Jackson county.



### GIVE SHOWER FOR BRIDE ELECT

Mrs. Jerr Moody and Miss Nellie Cowan were joint hostesses at a miscellaneous shower given for Miss Mary Bridgers, whose marriage to Mr. Claude Cowan took place on Christmas Day, at the home of Mrs. Moody on Thursday afternoon of last week.

Santa Claus appeared during the afternoon and from his pack presented the bride-elect a number of lovely gifts.

The hostesses served a salad course carrying out the Christmas colors of red and green.

Guests of Mrs. Moody and Miss Wild were Misses Louise Parker, Bertha Clayton, Marjorie Sherrill, Bertha Buchanan, Annie Louise Madison, Clem Hall, Louise Buchanan, Oheria Wild and Helen Cowan and Mesdames Pat Cole, Ervin Robeson, John Morris, Dan Allison, John Paris, D. D. Hooper and J. J. Wild.

### BIG BANQUET METHODIST CHURCH MONDAY P. M. AT 7:30

The Methodists of Sylva will banquet Monday evening in the basement of the church celebrating the dawn of the New Year and bidding farewell to the Old Year. A great time is expected. More than 200 admission tickets have been mailed to members of the church and other individuals. It is expected that at least 150 will attend and enjoy the affair.

An interesting program has been prepared by the joint committee composed of members of the Board of Stewards and ladies of the Woman's Missionary Society. The first item on the program will be a delightful dinner served cafeteria style beginning promptly at 7:30 o'clock. During and following this there will be music, furnished by local entertainers, readings, recitations, snappy talks by gifted speakers. At the close of the banquet a watch night program will be set up.

### SYLVA HAS FIRE CHRISTMAS EVE

Fire of unknown origin partially destroyed a dwelling house owned by Mrs. D. L. Love and occupied by Mr. John Wilson and family about midnight Christmas Eve. The household goods, belonging to Mr. and Mrs. Wilson were almost totally destroyed by the fire and by the water used to extinguish the flames.

Mrs. Wilson and the children were out of town and Mr. Wilson, returning to the house, found the inside in flames and sent in the alarm. The metal roof of the house held the fire in check, enabling the fire company to extinguish the flames before the dwelling was completely destroyed. Mr. Wilson stated to a representative of The Journal that the fire started in a part of the house in which there was neither fireplace nor stove.

### CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS

There will be services Sunday morning in the Methodist church at Sylva and in the evening at Dillsboro. The pastor, Rev. George Clemmer, with Mrs. Clemmer is spending a few days this week in Winston-Salem and other towns in Piedmont Carolina, but will return to Sylva the latter part of the week and will occupy the pulpits of his charge Sunday.

Mr. Clemmer will speak on New Year Themes morning and evening. The subject at the morning hour will be, "The Most Valuable Piece of Real Estate in the World."

Sunday schools will convene at 11 a. m. promptly. Hi-League meets at 6:30. The Senior League meets at 7 o'clock. Every member of the church is urged to be present Sunday and visitors are cordially invited.

### CULLOWHEE STATE NORMAL CLOSES FOR XMAS HOLIDAYS

The last of the students and faculty members of Cullowhee State Normal left the campus Friday for home. Cullowhee is one of the few institutions in the state which have not been forced to close early on account of the flu. Cullowhee has been very fortunate in this respect. At no time during the fall quarter were there more than five or six cases of flu, and not a case remained when the school closed for the holidays. When the Normal re-opens January the second, about twenty or thirty new students are expected. Twenty two new students entered December the thirteenth, when the winter quarter began.



### To the Highest Bidder

Leroy B. Rider, of Washington, D. C., former member of the U. S. Marine Corps, has offered himself on the auction block for "work or for marriage to the highest bidder." He is 26, in perfect health, but without a job.

### Longfellow's Alice Dies

Miss Alice Longfellow, daughter of the poet, Henry Wadsworth Longfellow, and the "grave Alice" of his famous poem, "The Children's Hour," passed away at Cambridge, Mass., at the age of 78. She was Longfellow's eldest daughter.

### Siamese Twin Thrives

Meta Marie Keller of Chicago, physically perfect, was born a Siamese twin and saved by the surgeon's scalpel when the other infant was found dead. Marie and her twin were born ten months ago, joined in the abdomen.

### PASTOR TAKING VACATION

Rev. J. G. Murray and Mrs. Murray are spending a vacation of ten days or two weeks with Mr. Murray's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Murray in Morganton and Mrs. Murray's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Yates, in Cary having left Monday morning. They will be present at the celebration of the birthdays of both Mr. Murray, senior and Mr. Yates, while they are away.

There will be no preaching service at the Baptist church on next Sunday and the following Sunday.



While all England, as well as the entire civilized world, is anxiously scanning reports of his condition, King George of England is lying ill in London. The King has shown surprising resistance during his ordeal, but there seems to be little hope for his recovery.

## About Your Health



### New Year Resolutions

Most people limit their "swearing off" at the first of the year, to tobacco, whisky and lying. How faithfully we observe our new pledges, must be left to history to reveal. But the effort is worthy always.

Much more pertinent, it seems to me, would be to assume some solemn obligations with regard to our habits of eating, since everybody eats—and many dine to their sorrow. I would like to impress a few ideas that I have tried to emphasize with the readers of our paper for the past four years—and, I assure you, that they are based on years of experience, both within myself, and many patients; I am sure these thoughts are worth while:

First, let us pledge ourselves that we will not over-eat during the coming year.

Second, we will look out for the symptoms of over-diet, such as fullness, sour stomach, nausea, gas, "heart-burn," and bringing up particles of food after meals; if such should occur, we promise to at once think of the cause, and make no more mistakes of that kind.

Third, let us very firmly decide not to eat dinner at six o'clock; the hour when the body should begin its most important season of rest.

Fourth, that we will begin each day's work with a body fortified by a good, intelligent breakfast, taken deliberately, at an hour when haste is entirely unnecessary.

Fifth, we will try to learn of the well-balanced meal, and temperately adhere thereto, knowing the need of food in wholesome variety, to satisfy the requirements of our bodies only.

**U. D. C. TO MEET WITH MRS. REED**

The B. H. Cathey Chapter U. D. C. will meet with Mrs. T. E. Reed on Thursday afternoon, January 3. Mrs. E. L. McKee is in charge of the program for the afternoon.

**INMATES OF COUNTY HOME THANK PEOPLE FOR GIFTS**

The inmates of the County Home wish, through the columns of The Journal, to express their appreciation of the Christmas gifts presented them by the people of Sylva and Cullowhee.

**JOURNAL GETS CHRISTMAS GIFT OF ORANGES**

The Journal is deeply indebted to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Yonnally of Grand Island, Fla., for a crate of delicious oranges, grown in their grove at Eustis.

**Our Modern Mary**

Bobbed hair and all, this is the new Mary Pickford, shorn of her famous curls, as she is to appear in her first all talking motion picture, "Coquette."

Miss Elizabeth Moody, who has been teaching at Hampstead, and Miss Evelyn Moody, who is a student at the University of Tennessee, at Knoxville, are at home for the holidays, with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Moody.