

# The Jackson County Journal

\$1.50 Year in Advance in The County

Sylva, N. C.: Thursday, May 30, 1929

\$2.00 Year in Advance outside the County

## NEW DOG LAW NOW IN EFFECT

There is much discussion about the new dog law. Its main points are:

All dogs have to wear collars with tags showing the tax has been paid. Any dog not allowed to run at night by themselves. This about after night by themselves. This about after night by themselves. This about after night by themselves.

Tax on female dogs, six months old and over -2 per year.

All other dogs, male and female, one dollar each. This tax must be paid to the tax collector who in turn gives the owner of the dog a tag which must be worn at all times on its collar—that is the dog's collar. And all owners of dogs must list them same as any other property, and failure to do so is punishable by a fine not exceeding \$50 nor 30 days in jail. It is further required that the dogs be listed on or before the 1st of July, and the tax be paid on or before the 1st day of October, and if it still remains unpaid Dec. 1st, then another fine of \$50 or 30 days in jail is imposed upon the owner of the dog.

The law provides that no dog is allowed to run at large; the owner must be with it and have it tied. The law sets forth that any one without fear of punishment, may kill any egg-sucking, sheep-killing dog, or a dog that kills poultry.

## JAMES FREEMAN DIES IN TENNESSEE—QUALLA

Mr. James Freeman died at Ducktown May 19th and his body was interred in the cemetery at Qualla on Wednesday 22nd. He was 44 years of age. He professed faith in Christ about 2 years ago, joined the church and lived strictly religious life during his remaining days. His wife was, prior to their marriage, Miss Sallie Enslay of Beta. He was a devoted husband and father. He expressed regret to leave his three small children, Pauline, Willard and Glenn. He was a member of a large and prominent family. He was a son of the late A. J. Freeman His mother still resides at Qualla. He made his home at Qualla for some time before going to Ducktown. His brother, Mr. Will Freeman and sister Mrs. Addie Bradburn reside here. Other members of the family are Mrs. Nancy Bailey and Mrs. Amanda Allen of Almond, Mr. J. E. Freeman of Smokemont, Rev. H. C. Freeman of Franklin and Mr. W. P. Freeman of Sylva.

All of his brothers and sisters with their families were present at the funeral, also many other relatives from Beta, Cullowhee and other points.

Funeral services were conducted by his pastor, Rev. Mr. Foster of Ducktown and Rev. T. F. Deitz of Beta. The high esteem in which he was held was manifested by the large crowd that attended his funeral and the many beautiful wreaths that covered his casket.

Some of our people attended the funeral of Mr. J. J. Gibbs who died at Cherokee and was brought to Whit tier for burial Friday afternoon. Qualla folks were sorry to learn of his death as this was his home from childhood to the years of maturity.

Mrs. J. L. Hyatt attended the closing exercises of Cullowhee High School. Her niece Miss Bessie Cecil Hooper was a member of the graduating class.

Mrs. C. P. Shelton was present at the graduation exercises at Mission Hospital, Asheville, Miss Martha Heritage graduated as a nurse. She made her home with Mrs. Shelton for several years before going to Asheville. Congratulations to Martha. We wish her much success in her profession.

Misses Oma Gass, Irene Raby, Harriett Hall, Gertrude and Ruth Ferguson, Cumi Howell, Mary Battle and Bessie Martin have returned from Asheville Normal School.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Bird are spending a while at their Qualla home.

Mr. Wayne Ferguson visited relatives in Waynesville last week.

Miss Hazel Battle spent Friday in Sylva.

## 40 YEARS AGO

TUCKASEIGE DEMOCRAT  
May 29, 1889

On May 20, Charlotte celebrated the 114th anniversary of the signing of the Mecklenburg Declaration of Independence.

Asheville is to have a large and elegant opera house.

Greensboro is to have a new Presbyterian church, to cost \$15,000.

The receipts of the Asheville post-office are in excess of \$10,000, the amount requisite for free delivery. The new postmaster promises to establish free delivery there at an early date.

A monument to General Robert E. Lee was unveiled Friday, at Alexandria, Va.

Mr. Charles A. Dana was one of the distinguished visitors to the Southern Press Association in Chattanooga.

A memorial to congress was introduced in the Florida legislature by Mr. Moreno, looking to the freedom of Cuba.

Governor Fowle of North Carolina called on Governor Lee of Virginia, in Richmond.

The Bryson City Herald speaks of that town, in a lengthy article, copied in the Democrat as "The Coming Mountain Metropolis."

Jackson Academy closed last Thursday.

Mr. Lyndon McKee called in to see us, last week.

The side track at the Kaclin works is nearly finished.

Gen. E. R. Haupten's mill will soon be working again.

The picnic at Bryson's school house was the most enjoyable social event of the season.

We are glad to learn from Mr. Dillard Love, that his mother, who has been quite unwell for some time, is much better.

Rev. Prof. A. E. Pinckard, formerly of Sylva, but now of Hamburg, will preach at the academy, Saturday evening next, at 8 o'clock.

An ice-cream supper will be given at Webster on Thursday for benefit of the Webster literary society.

Mr. Tuesday, of the Equitable Manufacturing Company has arrived in Sylva and will superintend the building of the factory, laying down machinery, etc.

Lawyer Hooker returned Saturday from Murphy court and reports Murphy a prosperous town—good people, cool water, and pretty girls in abundance.

Mr. W. L. Fortune of McDowell county arrived in Sylva, and will proceed to the organization of Farmers' Alliances in Jackson county.

That Sylva is on a "boom" any stranger would infer from a half hour's walk around town. On all sides the bustle and stir of improvement, while no one is seen to be idle.

A party consisting of O. B. Coward, T. H. Hastings, A. M. Parker and Capt. J. Irvine left Sylva, Tuesday, for upper Tuckaseige to try their luck for the speckled beauties.

Mr. W. L. Fortune will address the people of Sylva and vicinity at the academy in Sylva, May 31, at 2 o'clock in the interest of the Farmers' Alliance.

Seal Buchanan, depot agent at Whittier, got too near the business portion of a mule, whereupon the worthy equine fetched him a square in the mouth, dislocating several teeth and otherwise injuring him.

The 17 year locusts have not yet

## GIVE FINANCIAL STATEMENT OF HARRIS LIBRARY

April closed the first year's work for the Harris Public Library and following is an itemized statement of the year's expenditures.

Jackson County Hardware 50; Mrs. Marsh for magazines \$58.75; A & P for punch served at opening 2.17; Mrs. C. C. Buchanan for Stationery 1.00; Southern R. R. Co Express on books from Boston 9.95; H. W. Wilson Co, Readers Guide 7.50; Arthur Warrath Co. for books \$20.27; Lincoln Library 19.50; Mrs. Brown, chickens for banquet 6.75; A. J. Dills, Insurance, \$50.00; Mrs. C. C. Buchanan freight on books 3.50; C. Scott, express on books 1.80; Baker and Taylor for books 8.00; C. Scott, express on books 7.07; News and Observer 8.00; Junior Home Magazine 2.50; Child Life Magazine 2.50; Gaylord Bros. for supplies 16.40; Mrs. C. C. Buchanan for supplies 4.15; Jackson Hdwe. Co for supplies 2.80; Cash, work in library .50; Gaylord Bros. for books 2.35; Curtains and pillows 15.27; Baker and Taylor for books 20.27; Sylva Supply Co. for paint 6.10; painting of bookcases 3.75; C. Scott express on books .94; Baker and Taylor for books 50.00; Total \$332.09; Total Receipts for year \$419.48; Balance in bank to date, \$87.39.

Respectfully submitted, May 28, 1929.

Mrs. Eilly Davis  
Treasurer Harris Public Library

A public library in Sylva is a reality in spite of a very scant income. Starting a year ago, with no books at all, there are now fifteen hundred volumes on the shelves. The circulation has grown steadily averaging now about 125 books each month. The Association and Junior Study Club have added about fifty new books during the year, and an effort is being made to add new ones every month or so.

A great many memberships expired April 1st, and a committee will canvass the town next week for renewals as well as new ones.

put in their appearance this side of the Balsams. A remarkable fact is, that a certain line on the Balsam range, which many of our citizens can point out, is the dividing line, the locusts never having crossed this seemingly impenetrable barrier, at least not within the recollection of any of our oldest citizens.

## SYLVA SCOUTS HEAR HOOVER SPEAK TODAY

Troop No. 1, of Sylva, Boy Scouts of America heard President Hoover deliver his Memorial Day address at Arlington National Cemetery, today.

It was a most memorable occasion in the lives of the Jackson county lads to stand upon the historic soil of Arlington, where lies the sacred dust of many of the Nation's bravest and best, and hear the President of the United States deliver his address of tribute to known and unknown heroes whose blood and sacrifice have established Old Glory as the symbol of freedom and Democracy in the earth.

Tomorrow they will be the guests of Clark Griffith at the base ball game between the Washington Senators and the New York Yankees.

The troop left Sylva early Monday morning, and have visited the scenic and historic scenes that cluster about the Valley of Virginia, Staunton, Winchester, Natural Bridge, and Luray Caverns.

Before returning to Sylva, the last of next week, the boys will visit Richmond, Norfolk, Newport News Ocean View, Raleigh and a number of other points in Virginia and North Carolina.

## MOTHER AND DAUGHTER GO TO THEIR CLASS REUNIONS

Mrs. W. H. Rhodes and her daughter, Miss Llewellyn Rhodes, left Monday for Greensboro where they are attending the reunions of their classes, which are being held this week at Greensboro College for Women.

Mrs. Rhodes graduated at the college in the class of 1888 and Miss Llewellyn in 1927. The reunions of both classes are being held during the commencement exercises this year.

They will also visit relatives in Raleigh, Warrenton, and other points in Eastern North Carolina before returning to Sylva.

## TOWN CLERK IS IMPROVING

Friends of Mr. J. D. Cowan, clerk of the Town of Sylva, will be glad to learn that he is rapidly improving at the Angel hospital in Franklin, where he has been for several days.

Tom Tarheel says he has finished storing a good supply of eggs in water-glass for use next winter.

## BALSAM

Mrs. Maybelle Perry received the following announcement of a fine grandson in Franklin: "Mr. and Mrs. Charles Perry announce the birth of a 9 1-2 pound son—Joe Darton, May 7th.

Mrs. Carrie Queen and little son Harry accompanied by her brother, Howard Quiett and sister-in-law, Mrs. Vernie Quiett of Waynesville went to East Laporte Saturday.

Messrs Shirley Watson and Johnny Jones have gone to Toledo, Ohio, to accept business positions.

Miss Evelyn Green and Miss Faye Bryson joined a party from Waynesville and motored to Clayton Ga. Sunday.

Miss Lelia Faye Parris is visiting her sister, Mrs. Kelley Hyatt in Qualla.

Paul and Frank Bryson have returned from a visit to their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John Allman in Addie.

Sunday School Day was observed in the Methodist church Sunday. The program "With One Intent" was well rendered and much enjoyed by the large audience.

Asheville Normal School and returned home last week accompanied by her roommate, Miss Antonie Lee of Spartanburg, S. C. who also graduated. Miss Lee returned home Sunday.

Miss Ida Mae Coward is attending summer school at Asheville Normal.

Mrs. Nellie Queen went to Franklin Monday to the Angel Hospital. She has not been well for some time.

Mr. Buddo Howell is the guest of his uncle Glenn Howell in Willets.

Mr. and Mrs. Claud Cowan of Webster, Miss Clem Hall, Miss Harriet Hall and Mr. Reed Queen of Qualla motored to Balsam Sunday afternoon and brought little Miss Dorothy Bryson home, she having been the guest of Miss Clem Hall for the past two weeks.

Miss Edith Christy who has been the guest of her sister, Mrs. Geo Bryson, returned to Greenville, Tenn. where she has a position in the Methodist Orphanage.

## PASTOR COOK COMES BACK

Rev. W. N. Cook has accepted the pastorate of the Baptist church at Webster, and will move to his home there from King's Mountain immediately.

The following from the King's Mountain Herald will be of interest to Mr. Cook's friends in this county:

Rev. W. N. Cook will move next week to Webster, where he has accepted the part time pastorate of the Baptist church. He received notification Monday morning that he had

## SEARCH NOW ON FOR FRUIT FLY

Raleigh, N. C., May 29.—Since the discovery of the Mediterranean Fruit Fly in Florida, any fruit in which there are found small worms or maggots should be an object of suspicion and those who find infected fruits are asked to send them to Dr. R. W. Leiby, State Entomologist, Raleigh or to the Bureau of Entomology, at Washington, D. C.

"We are asking our county farm and home agents to cooperate in every possible way to prevent the spread of this dangerous fruit and vegetable pest," says Dean I. O. Schaub of State College. "The State Department of Agriculture at Raleigh is in charge of regulatory matters of this kind and we bespeak for them the close cooperation of all citizens interested in keeping this pest out of our State. It is more than likely that some infected fruit was shipped to this state before the fly was discovered and if this be true, we should make every effort to prevent its spread."

This new bug is greatly feared. It was found in Florida when there were still 9,000 cars of citrus fruit to be harvested and shipped. Entomologists say that it has been a serious hindrance to fruit and vegetable growing in all semi-tropical regions. About the easiest way to name the horticultural crops injured by the fly is to set aside pineapples and bananas and let the pest have the remainder. The fly injures peaches, plums, pears; apples, citrus fruits; peppers; tomatoes; melons, figs, persimmons, grapes, and so on and on.

The fly is not so large as the common house fly. The rear end of the female is equipped with a drill which is used to puncture the skin of fruits and vegetables and make a small cavity beneath. Here anywhere from one to six eggs are laid and more than one female may use this same hole. When the eggs hatch, the maggots burrow through the fruit eating as they go and the fruit is ruined. The maggots change to adult flies in the ground and it takes from three to four months to make the life cycle.

## GREEN'S CREEK

Everybody enjoyed a singing at the Old Savannah church Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Tom Brooks spent the week end in Bryson City.

Little Opal and "Buddie" Hyatt of Asheville are spending some time with their grandparents Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Ashe.

Miss Margaret Buchanan of Canton spent the week end with her uncle, Mr. J. W. Cagle.

Miss Ina Green who is attending school at Cullowhee was at home Sunday.

We are sorry to learn of the serious illness of Mrs. G. H. Green, and wish for her a speedy recovery.

Miss Hixie Ashe spent Sunday night with Miss Gerf Cagle.

Mrs. Henry Cowan, of Gastonia is visiting relatives here.

Mrs. Clinton Sutton and children spent the week end with her sister Mrs. Jack Sutton in Franklin.

Mrs. Nelson Buchanan was struck by a car last Wednesday. The injuries she sustained were not serious.

Mr. Andy Estes of Whittier is spending a few days at this place, being called here by the serious illness of his sister.

Mr. A. J. McClure of Barker's Creek recently visited his daughter, Mrs. Harvey Potts.

Rev. Ben Cook will preach at Old Savannah church Sunday night.

## JUNIOR CLUB TO SPONSOR RHODODENDRON PAGEANT

At the request of civic leaders in Sylva and Asheville, the Junior Study Club of Sylva has assumed the responsibility for Sylva's part in the Rhododendron Festival, that Western North Carolina is to stage in Asheville in June.

The Club plans an old English episode in the pageant, and it will require about 50 local people.

The young ladies of the club are requesting the cooperation of the entire community in the matter.

