

# The Jackson County Journal

\$1.50 Year in Advance in The County.

Sylva, N. C. Thursday, November 14, 1929

\$2.00 Year in Advance outside the County.

## HOLD LAST RITES SATURDAY FOR ACCIDENT VICTIM

Funeral services of Oscar Sutton, 23 year old son of Mr. C. D. Sutton, who was killed instantly when he was knocked from the big dam at Calderwood, by a derrick, were held at the Keener cemetery, Saturday evening, being conducted by Rev. F. W. Kiker and Rev. Geo. Clemmer.

Young Sutton, who was a native of Jackson county and had won many friends here, by his pleasant manner and gentlemanly demeanor, had been employed in New Jersey, from whence he was summoned to go to Calderwood and accept a position, had been working on his new job but about six hours when the tragic accident occurred.

A Negro workman was knocked from the dam at the same time; but caught with his hands to a cable and lowered himself to earth without serious injury.

## THE PARIS HAS BIG SALE

Beginning last Thursday morning, and continuing through this week, and until November 27 The Paris Department Store, is holding a big clearance sale, offering half its stock at reduced prices.

Beginning today, Mr. Simons, the owner and manager of The Paris, is presenting a Thanksgiving turkey to one of his customers, each day of the sale, at three o'clock in the afternoon.

## MR. AND MRS. HENSON ENTERTAIN JOHN'S CREW TEACHERS

On Thursday evening of last week, the teachers of the John's Creek school were delightfully entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Henson. A four course dinner was served and covers were laid for six. After the dinner, the guests were invited into the living room, where the remainder of the evening was spent in merriment.

The teachers and patrons of the John's Creek school are hoping to have the State nurse, Miss Cleone Hobbs, to address them at the next meeting of the Parent-Teacher Association, which will be on Friday evening, November 15.

Several of the patrons of the school were present at the chapel period for a special Armistice Day program, which was presented by the students of the primary and grammar grade departments.

Misses Dixie Henson and Bernice Broom were recent visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Vance Hooper. Mr. Carr Hooper, principal of the Sylva elementary school, was a visitor at the John's Creek teacherage, on last Saturday evening.

Mr. Tommy Reuben Hooper has returned from the Sylva hospital, where he had been undergoing treatment for blood poisoning. His many friends are glad to know that he is greatly improved.

Mr. Johnathan E. Brown of Beta spent last week end with his parents Mrs. Janie Brown recently visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Doug Stephens.

Miss Janie Hooper and Mrs. Janie Brown recently spent the week at their homes in Cullowhee.

The many friends of Mr. Dan Green who has been in the Sylva hospital are glad to learn that his condition is much improved and are hoping that he will soon be able to return to his home.

Miss Dixie Henson and Mrs. Janie Brown spent the night with Mrs. Riley Parker.

Misses Selma Reid Broom and Bernice Broom spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Dillard Hooper.

On last evening the John's Creek teachers donned their slickers and boots and set out to visit all the parents in the Brasstown district. At the first home visited they were given horses to ride, and were thus enabled to visit practically all the homes. They were given a hearty welcome at each home. Part of the teachers had supper with Mr. and Mrs. Will Hooper. The trip proved to be an enjoyable one, despite the rain and mud.

## 40 Years Ago

TUOKASEIGE DEMOCRAT  
NOVEMBER 13, 1889

Married in Dillsboro, Tuesday, Nov. 5, Mr. C. W. Garland, of Lancaster, Pa., and Miss Rachel E. Thomas, of Dillsboro, the bride's father, Rev. A. B. Thomas, officiating, assisted by Rev. J. C. Rockwell, of Waynesville.

The county commissioners, at the November meeting allowed claims against the county to the amount of \$219.25.

After a vexatious delay, in consequence of the non arrival of a piece of pipe, the starting of the Kaolin Factory was accomplished last Wednesday, Nov. 5. Miss Daisy Jarrett turned on the steam, while Miss Annie Lizzie Jarrett announced with a prolonged blast of the whistle that the Equitable Manufacturing Company had begun preparation of kaolin for the market.

Married, at the residence of J. T. Painter, Esq., at 5 o'clock, a. m. on Nov. 10th, Mr. J. D. Parker and Miss Ellen Painter, A. J. Long, J. P., officiating. Also at 10 o'clock a. m. on the same day, at the residence of W. M. Ashe, Mr. John W. Robinson and Miss Loranda Ashe, A. J. Long officiating.

The ladies of Wilmot today made an excellent dinner, as an honor to Mr. J. J. Mason, contractor on the bridge.

The Georgia Legislature has a bill before it proposing to offer 25c for every scalp of a fox and 50c for each wildcat scalp exhibited to any ordinary in the State.

Virginia, Ohio, New York, New Jersey and Iowa all gave Democratic majorities in the election of last Tuesday. The Democratic candidate for governor in Virginia carried the State by a majority of 30,000.

Irregularities in the certificate of the Washington constitution sent to President Harrison may delay the admission of the State for six days.

Ex-President and Mrs. Cleveland are said to have matured their plans to sail for Europe, next June, where they will remain for the greater part of next year.

The President has issued a proclamation admitting Montana as a State of the Union.

## UTES FOR E. C. LUCK HELD AT RUTHERFORD COLLEGE

Funeral services of Eugene C. Luck who passed on at a Morganton hospital, last Thursday, were conducted from his home, Friday afternoon, by Rev. Mr. Scott, pastor of the Rutherford College Methodist church. Interment was in the Rutherford College cemetery.

Mr. Luck, who was 63 years of age, had been in poor health for several years, and a few days before his death he was taken to Morganton to Grace hospital.

He was a son of the late James C. Luck, former mayor of the city, of Danville, Va., and was born in Cataumet, the county seat of Pittsylvania county, on June 14, 1866, and lived in Danville for the greater part of his life, though he spent two years in North Wilkesboro, coming to Rutherford College a few years ago. Mr. Luck is survived by one sister, Mrs. Bertha Parrish, of Henderson, by his mother, Mrs. Mary Love Luck, of Rutherford College, one niece, Miss Annie Luck, of High Point, and other relatives.

He was a conscientious and consistent member of the Protestant Episcopal church.

Those going from a distance to Rutherford College for the funeral were Mr. Albert S. Fowkes, of Danville, Mr. McCoy and Mr. Finley, of North Wilkesboro, and Misses Addie and Sadie Luck and Mr. Dan Tompkins of Sylva.

## BORN A SON

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Hayes Leatherwood, a son.



## MRS. MCKEE ADDRESSES SYLVA ROTARY CLUB

Mrs. E. L. McKee, president of the North Carolina Division, United Daughters of the Confederacy, former president of Federated Women's Clubs of the State, and one of the foremost women of North Carolina, was the speaker at the weekly luncheon of the Sylva Rotary Club, on Tuesday.

Mrs. McKee stated that, of course, the first and highest interest of every good woman is in her home; and beautifully brought out the idea that the home is the center of our lives and our activities, and that the church, the school, the Rotary Club, and other organizations are supplemental agencies to and cooperative agencies with the home in the great business of making good men and women.

Mrs. C. B. Thompson was also a guest of the club; and J. T. Gribble, Jr., the honor student for the week at S. C. I. was the junior Rotarian.

## ATTENDING BAPTIST STATE CONVENTION

Rev. and Mrs. J. G. Murray, Rev. Thad F. Deitz, Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Washburn, Rev. W. N. Cook, Rev. Geo. C. Snyder, and Mr. Dan Bryson and Rev. I. K. Stafford of Cullowhee are among the local people who are attending the Baptist State Convention in Shelby, this week.

## LITTLE CHILD DIES

Funeral services of Ray Crawford 3 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Adam Crawford, were conducted from the home by Rev. T. F. Deitz and Rev. J. G. Murray, Friday afternoon.

The little fellow died Thursday, after a brief illness.

## TO HAVE FISHER'S BIRTHDAY DINNER AT DAUGHTER'S HOME

Mr. T. J. Fisher's birthday dinner will be at the home of his daughter, Mrs. S. H. Monteith, Friday, Nov. 22 at Noon.

All of Mr. Fisher's relatives are invited to be present and help make his 78th birthday a happy occasion for him.

## HOOPER CHILD DIES

Frances, the 5 months old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hooper, of Gowarts, died early Saturday morning, after a very short illness. The funeral was conducted on the following Monday morning by Rev. Ben Cook, and interment was in the Brasstown cemetery.

## BOY SCOUT EDITION OF THE JOURNAL NEXT WEEK

There is every indication that the Special Boy Scout Edition of the Jackson County Journal, next week is going to be a huge success. The articles which the scouts are contributing, covering the places and things visited on the great educational tour last summer, are a revelation. They will be a liberal education for one nation's capital. Nearly every business house in Sylva and other parts of the county will have an attractive advertisement in this special issue.

Many people are already asking for extra copies to be sent to friends far and wide. Put in your order today for extra copies and send them to friends living at a distance. Altogether, pull to make this a great boost for Sylva, Jackson County and the Boy Scouts.

## THE THIRD YEAR SUBJECT AT METHODIST CHURCH, SUNDAY

At a recent session of the Western North Carolina conference of the Methodist church at High Point, Rev. George Clemmer was returned to the Sylva charge for the third year.

"The Third Year" will be the topic which Mr. Clemmer will discuss in his sermon Sunday morning. In this effort the pastor hopes to strike a note which will serve as a "key" for the year. Full attendance of the membership is urged.

Sunday schools of the charge convene at 10 a. m. Epworth Hi-League meets at 7 p. m. The evening service at Dillsboro will be in the Baptist church, Rev. W. C. Reed preaching.

Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock the first District meeting of the year will be held in the church in Sylva. This meeting will be composed of the ministers, district stewards, and charge lay leaders of the Waynesville District. Rev. C. M. Pickens of Waynesville will preside.

The mission study group will meet Wednesday evening at 7 o'clock.

## MOTHER OF LOCAL MAN PASSES IN MADISON

News has been received here of the death of Mrs. T. J. Guthrie, at Marshall. Mrs. Guthrie is the mother of T. Kelley Guthrie, manager of the local A. and P. store.

The funeral will be held in Jupiter at 2.30 this afternoon.

## CAGLE RECOVERS FROM KNIFE

Mr. David Porter Cagle, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Cagle, of Green's Creek, who underwent an operation for appendicitis at the Candler-Nichols Hospital, last Wednesday, is rapidly recovering.

## The Week

(BY DAN TOMPKINS)

Armistice Day brought renewed thought throughout the whole country of making the peace that was attained eleven years ago a permanent Peace; and the Pet of Paris, the Bilateral Treaties, Mr. Ramey McDonald's disarmament journey to see Mr. Hoover, and other efforts, were given much talk. It is well, on Armistice Day and every day, for the peoples of the world to work, talk, and act for world peace. War is a terrible, a ghastly thing, that should be outlawed from our civilization. In all this we should not forget the deeds and preachments of the great, modern Apostle of Peace, Woodrow Wilson, who was a casualty of the Great War for the perpetuation of civilization, and a martyr to the cause of world peace and brotherhood among men. Nor should we forget the League of Nations which he set up, with the consent of the powers, to maintain the righteous peace, so dearly won, throughout the whole world, and which our own country, in a petulant and reactionary mood, refused to acknowledge. That is the most powerful force in the world, working in the interest of peace, and is the best and most practical means yet devised to assure permanent peace, while we await the working of the heaven of love in the hearts of men that will bring in the Kingdom of the Prince of Peace, whose only law is the Golden Rule. Eventually America will ratify the Treaty of Versailles, and become a member of the family of the League of Nations, maintaining by practical means the world peace. Why not now, before it is too late, and we find ourselves friendless and involved in useless war with other nations?

President Hoover, in his Armistice Day address, urged preparedness as a peace move. In other words, Mr. President, the best way to keep down trouble in the neighborhood is for every man to tote a pistol in his pocket? Is this preachment of the Quaker president in keeping with the teachings of the Nazarine? And yet, there is nothing new in the attitude of Mr. Hoover. His theory of how to prevent war is as old as the hills, and older than organized government. Mr. Wilson's idea of a League of Nations to assure the peace of the world, and to which Mr. Hoover only a few short years ago, was a most ardent subscriber, is something new and practical. Mr. Hoover's theory has failed, utterly, every time it has been tried, either by individuals or by governments. The way to peace is for the nations to bind themselves together in peace, to scrap the armaments, throw the habiliments of war into the junk heap, and follow peaceful pursuits.

And now, Judge Cowper, holding a special term of court in Marion, is trying 120 people charged with rebellion against the government of the State of North Carolina. The sooner people are brought to believe that the law is the friend of every citizen, the rich and the poor, the humble and the mighty, and is the uncompromising foe of the perpetrator of injustice, no matter what his station in life, the citizenship and conditions will become as they should be in a democratic country; and not before.

The Baptist State Convention is in session in Shelby; and the opening sermon was a plea for more spirituality in the churches.

The Ponce De Leon special, one of The Southern's crack passenger trains, was wrecked, near Oakdale, Tenn., Sunday night. Six people were killed and a large number injured. Time was when a railroad crash was a common thing. Now a mishap to a train is rare. The railroad people have reduced accidents to a minimum. Airplanes and automobiles are the death-dealing devices, these days. What has been accomplished by the railroads can also be done in other fields of transportation, if the safety of human life and limb are given the amount of consideration, by manufacturers, mechanics, pilots and chauffeurs, that is their due.

Stocks took another tumble on the exchange. Seems as though there are

## COLE BIRCH GETS 14 MONTHS IN THREE CHARGES

The heaviest penalty that has been exacted in the Recorder's Court in many moons was imposed upon Cole Birch, Sylva man, Monday, after he had been convicted of violations of the prohibition law and of operating a motor vehicle while in a state of intoxication. Appeals to the superior court were taken in each case. In the traffic law case, Birch was sentenced to serve 4 months on the roads. Lawrence Rabb, Cole Birch and Delos Birch were charged with buying, transporting and selling liquor. Rabb and Cole were found guilty, and Rabb sentenced to serve 4 months, and Birch for the same time. Both appealed. In a case in which Cole Birch was convicted of retailing, he was sentenced to a term of six months.

Mrs. J. W. Dowtin was found guilty of reckless driving and was fined \$100 and the costs. She appealed to the Superior court.

Ed. Goforth was found guilty of simple assault and prayer for judgment was continued for two weeks.

Louise Smith, young white girl, from West Virginia, was found guilty in Jackson county by a sentence of 6 months in jail being imposed with the capias to issue at 10:30 Tuesday morning.

Ben Pruitt, reckless driving, \$25 and the costs. He appealed.

Moutrie Dillard assault, prayer for judgment continued.

Earl Hughes and Homer Jones charged with an assault upon each other. Jones entered a plea of guilty and judgment was suspended for 6 months. Hughes was found not guilty.

## OUR COPPER RICHEST IN U. S.

North Carolina, a newcomer in the field as a large producer of copper, is mining the richest average ore of any state in the union, according to a comparison made by State Geologist H. J. Bryson, from a recently issued report from the United States Bureau of Mines.

This report shows that ores mined in North Carolina were averaging 7.09 per cent copper, or nearly double the per cent of the metal taken in Colorado, second highest state regarding percentages of yield from ore bodies. Colorado ores averaged 3.57 per cent copper.

Average copper ores that were mined in Montana, according to the report, were third richest among the state averages with 3.36. North Carolina ores were more than four times as rich in percentages of the metal as those of Arizona, the leading copper producing state, and more than eight times as rich as those of Utah, the second highest producer. Alaskan ores came nearest to those of North Carolina in richness, yielding an average of 4.29 per cent.

The Tar Heel State was the eleventh in volume of production of copper and was second to Tennessee as a copper producer in states east of the Mississippi river.

Mr. Bryson said that the richness of North Carolina copper ores and the large increase in quantity of production have led some of the largest mining companies of the country to send geologists and engineers into the State to investigate. Among these are the American Smelting and Refining Company, the U. S. Smelting Mining and Refining Company, and the Anaconda Copper Company. The Tennessee Copper Company, he said, has recently taken over the Cullowhee mine in Jackson county and has a force of miners at work in the shaft

still a few of the smaller speculators who have been able to hold on with their teeth. These must be shaken loose and they relieved of the rest of their cash. The big fish must finish swallowing the entire school of the little ones. It would never do to leave any money in the pockets of the common herd.

A girl committed suicide by jumping from an airplane at an altitude of more than 2000 feet.