

The Jackson County Journal

\$1.50 Year in Advance in The County.

Sylva, N. C., Thursday, Sept. 11, 1930

\$2.00 Year in Advance outside the County

NEW RECORDER HOLDS COURT

Oscar Woodard was tried in Recorder's Court, Monday on a charge of possession of home brew. After hearing the evidence, Judge Stillwell held the case open for two weeks in order that the concoction might be analyzed to ascertain whether or not it is intoxicating.

Vester Davis and Bob Robinson plead guilty to having a fist fight, and judgment was suspended upon the payment of the costs.

Vester Davis was fined \$10.00 and the costs on a charge of being drunk.

Lash Wilson, colored, was convicted of reckless driving, and was given a sentence of 4 months, suspended upon good behavior and the payment of a fine of \$20.00 and the costs of the action. He was found not guilty of operating an automobile while intoxicated.

Wade Rude was given a sentence of two months, being convicted of possession of two pints of liquor, and the sentence was suspended, provided he pay a fine of \$25 and the costs.

The court adjourned at 2 p. m. until Tuesday morning out of respect to Judge Sutton, and a committee of the local bar, composed of Joseph J. Hooker, H. E. Monteith, W. R. Sherrill and F. S. Griffin, was appointed to draft suitable resolutions of respect.

Tom Cook was fined \$15.00 and the costs for an assault with a deadly weapon.

Wyner Shuler drew a fine of \$15 and the costs on a charge of transporting and possession.

J. C. Suttemyer was fined \$10 and the costs on a similar charge.

Cole Allison, was found guilty of possession and transporting, and prayer for judgment was continued until Sept. 22nd.

Dewey Gutley was fined \$25.00 and the costs on a charge of being intoxicated.

Lebo Wood, public drunkenness, guilty, prayer for judgment continued, upon payment of the costs, upon recommendation of the solicitor.

TEASERS

Is this your name? By arrangement with the Lyric Theatre, two names of persons in Sylva or Jackson county will be published in the Journal each week. If the persons whose names are so published can decipher their names, they will be allowed free to the theatre at any time prior to Friday of the following week.

The letters in the lines below, if properly arranged, spell the names of two people in Sylva or Jackson county. If either of them is your name, just fill in the letters in the blank line below, clip this out and present it to the box office at the Lyric theatre, and you will be admitted free to any show, before next Friday.

Mrs. GASHHINTTS
SMALLSONIA
Name
Last weeks teasers
Lucy Belle Fisher
Mrs. Mike Brown

ELECT STILLWELL AS JUDGE

The county commissioners have elected E. P. Stillwell as Judge of the Recorder's court of Jackson county, to succeed the late George B. Sutton, who was elected two years ago, and whose term would have expired in December.

Judge Stillwell conducted the term of the court, which began on Monday. He is a native of Jackson county, one of the prominent attorneys of the county, and the junior partner of the late Judge Sutton, in the law firm of Sutton and Stillwell. He is also a brother-in-law of the late Judge.

PRESLEY RE-UNION

There was a mistake made in the notice of the Pressley reunion. It will be held at the home of Jim Pressley, Speedwell, Sunday, September 14 and not at William Pressley's. All friends and relatives are cordially invited to come and bring well filled baskets. There will be interesting addresses by different speakers.

WEEK BY WEEK

A Morganton boy was killed by his brother, while playing soldier. War is too serious a matter to be the subject of play for children. We don't want to raise our boys to be soldiers.

Walter Brock, former judge of the superior court in this State, was arrested in Raleigh on a charge of passing a worthless check, and was taken from jail by relatives and committed to an institution for inebriates. A sad commentary upon what liquor will sometimes do to a man with a brilliant mind. Can't blame this on the Pope and Al Smith, Mr. Upchurch.

The Governor of Louisiana, one Huey P. Long, in addition to his other turbulent acts has engaged in a fist fight with a New Orleans reporter. That is a mighty good way to get publicity; but it would appear to us that this, as well as some other acts of Long, would be beneath the dignity of the governor of a sovereign State.

A twenty months old baby was killed in its mother's arms, up near Hazard, Ky. by a fire chief acting as special speed officer, as the family was driving along a highway. The policeman states that he fired to frighten the people in the car. It is time officers learned that their duty is to protect human lives, not to take them; to safeguard the rights of the people, not to break them down.

With a majority of around 6,000, South Carolina, on Tuesday, joined the ranks of the Southern Democracy, that is this year purging itself of political charlatans, and relegated Bleasie to the political junk heap, nominating former congressman Byrnes, of Spartanburg to succeed him in the United States Senate. We look hopefully toward Alabama to complete the house-cleaning by sweeping Tom Heflin out.

Al Capones is effecting a crime merger in Chicago, putting in his old enemies as secretaries of various departments of crime, and the list is as brazenly given out to the press and published in the papers, as if a newly elected president of the United States had announced the personnel of his cabinet. The decent parts of this country are disgusted with Illinois and all her works. How long do you suppose Scotland Yard would allow that gang to stay out of prison and unhung, if they dared such doings in Great Britain?

Revolution seems rife in Latin America. The example of Peru in overturning her government, a few weeks ago, has been followed by the Argentine, where the aged and once popular president, now said to have become a tyrant, has been forced to resign, by revolt of civilians; the army and the navy, and a new government set up in Buenos Aires by a military junta, with General Jose Evaristo Uriburu as provisional president, and a list of civilians as members of the cabinet. The urge to revolt is causing a tenseness throughout Latin America. The main causes behind the general movement is said to be hard times, unemployment, and the low prices of cattle and other products of the fields of South America. When the people suffer, revolution usually comes, in one form or another.

The State of Illinois is considerably bedeviled over the prohibition issue, which, for the life of us, we can't see as an issue in a political campaign. Jim Ham Lewis is the regular Democratic candidate, running as a wet. Mrs. Ruth Hanna McCormick ran in the Republican primary as a dry, with the support of the Anti-Saloon League. After nomination, she somewhat withdrew from her position and stated that she would abide by the decision of the people of the State in a referendum on the matter. The Anti-Saloon League was not satisfied with her new position and put forward Mrs. Lottie Holmon O'Neill, as an independent Republican dry candidate. There has been a feud between Mrs. McCormick and Mrs. O'Neill. For the life of me, I can't see why candidates in Illinois, New Jersey, and even North Carolina, can't let prohibition alone, and let the battle be

M'KEE HEADS CO. DEMOCRATS

E. L. McKee of Sylva was again elected as chairman of the Democratic Executive Committee, at the meeting of the committee held in Sylva on Saturday. Miss Jane Coward was reelected as secretary of the committee.

The members of the executive committee and the party's candidates for office were present at the meeting, and in addition to the election of the chairman and secretary, plans for the fall campaign were made.

waged between the parties on the vital questions that really divide them, matters that are of really great importance to the people. But, instead prohibition has to be dragged in, not from sincere motives, but in order to befuddle the minds of the voters, and draw their attention from real issues, in the hope of catching votes. Prohibition as a political issue is largely a fool trap, and every battle that is waged about it, regardless of the outcome, hurts the cause of temperance.

Agnare's nest was discovered down in Guilford. Serious insinuations were brought against the clerk of the superior court of Guilford, by R. L. Dixon, who found a list of Confederate pensioners in a Greensboro paper, containing the name "L. S. Dixon." He went to Raleigh and found a series of 15 checks paid to Lemuel S. Dixon, the name of his father, who has been dead since 1910. The checks, photostatic copies of which he brought back to Greensboro, were endorsed by L. S. Dixon, and witnessed by W. M. Gantt, Clerk of Guilford Superior Court. Mr. Gantt, after the matter was published in the Daily News, went to Raleigh, and the State Auditor, Baxter Durham, certified that there were two L. S. Dixon's on the pension list in Guilford, one of whom was reported as dead in 1913, by Mr. Gantt, and dropped from the roll and that only one has been paid since that time. All of which goes to show that we should be careful of making charges or insinuations against other people's integrity, even in the heat of a political campaign, unless we are absolutely sure of our ground, and even then it seldom pays.

EPISCOPAL SERVICES

Rev. Albert New, rector of St. John's Episcopal church, will conduct services there at 7:30 Sunday evening, September 14. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

ROTARIANS GO TO ANDREWS

A number of the members of the Sylva Rotary Club will attend the inter-city meeting of Rotarians at Junaluska Terrace, Andrews, this evening.

A golf tournament between teams from Waynesville, Franklin, Sylva and Andrews, beginning at 3 o'clock will be one of the features of the meeting.

Sylva will be represented on the golf course by John Morris, Dr. C. Z. Cander, Rev. George B. Clemmer and Dr. H. T. Hunter.

The dinner at the hotel will be served at 7 o'clock and a program will follow the meal.

QUALLA

Rev. R. L. Bass preached Sunday morning on "Moses' Choice," saying that every person came to the place in life where they must make their own choice for good or evil, must choose either the broad or narrow way, must not only as Christians be able to say no to evil temptations, but to say yes when needed to assist in good works or helpful service. Mrs. Bass and children accompanied her to Qualla. They were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Marcus.

The Qualla folks who attended the Shelton Reunion at Mr. W. T. Shelton's, Waynesville were Mrs. J. L. Ferguson, Mr. and Mrs. L. Hyatt, Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Shelton, Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Ferguson and Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Shaver.

Mrs. W. F. House and children spent the week end with her father, Mr. Beck, at Olivet.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Bird and Mr. and Mrs. T. W. McLaughlin have returned from a visit with relatives in Macon.

Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Ferguson called at Mr. Ed Bumgarner's Witmot, Sunday afternoon.

Mr. W. A. McLaughlin of Asheville is guest of his son, Mr. Woodfin McLaughlin.

Mr. Samuel Garrison and family of near Copperhill, Ga., and Mrs. Jno. Ward and children of Olivet are visiting at Mr. D. L. Oxner's.

Miss Geneva Turpin called on Miss Gertrude Ferguson.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Ward have returned from a visit with relatives at Sylva.

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RULES AND REGULATIONS GREAT SMOKY MOUNTAINS NATIONAL PARK

The following rules and regulations for the government of Great Smoky Mountains National Park are hereby established and made public pursuant to authority conferred by the acts of Congress approved August 25, 1916, (39 Stat. 536,) and May 22, 1926 (41 Stat. 616), and acts supplementary thereto and amendatory thereof:

1. Preservation of natural features and curiosities.—The destruction, injury, defacement, or disturbance in any way of the public buildings, signs, equipment, or other property or the trees, flowers, vegetation, rocks, minerals, animals, or birds, or other life is prohibited: Provided, That flowers may be gathered in small quantities when in the judgment of the superintendent, or other authorized representative of the National Park Service, their removal will not impair the beauty of park. Before any flowers are picked, permit must be secured from the ranger in charge.

2. Camping.—When the development of the park is undertaken by the National Park Service, adequate camping places with pure water and other conveniences will be provided. Until such time no camping of any sort will be permitted except by special permit of the superintendent or his authorized representatives to hikers for overnight accommodation. In such instances the following rules must be carefully observed: Wood for fuel only can be taken from dead or fallen trees. Combustible rubbish shall be burned on camp fires, and all other garbage and refuse of all kinds shall be buried.

3. Fires.—Fires constitute one of the greatest perils to the park; they shall not be kindled near trees, dead wood, moss, dry leaves, forest mold, or other vegetable refuse, but in some open space on rocks or earth. Should camp be made in a locality where no such open space exists or is provided the dead wood, moss, dry leaves, etc. shall be scraped away to the rock or earth over an area considerably larger than that required for the fire.

Fires shall be lighted only when necessary and when no longer needed shall be completely extinguished and all embers and bed smothered with earth or water, so that there remains no possibility of reignition. NOTE.—Special care shall be taken that no lighted match, cigar, cigarette or burning pipe tobacco is dropped in any grass, twigs, leaves, or tree mold.

4. Hunting.—The park is a sanctuary for wild life of every sort, and all hunting or the killing, wounding, frightening, pursuing, capturing at any time of any bird or wild animals except dangerous ani-

WILL INSTALL MODERN PLANT

A modern electric power plant is being installed by the Dillsboro and Sylva Electric Light Company at Dillsboro according to information obtained from officials of the company.

The new equipment, which it is believed will solve the power troubles for Sylva and the surrounding territory, consists of a new water wheel of the latest German make, new and improved dynamos, control switches, to eliminate variation of the current, and other equipment.

The work preparatory to the installation of the new plant is being done, and the shipment of the new equipment is being made. It is the expectation of the officials of the company to have the new plant completely installed and running within sixty days.

In addition to the water equipment, purchase has been made of an auxiliary, steam plant. The installation of this, however, will not be made for a few months.

5. Protection of human life.—Persons, when it is necessary to prevent them from destroying human lives or inflicting personal injury or taking the eggs of any bird, is prohibited within the limits of said park. Fire arms are prohibited within the park except upon written permission of the superintendent.

6. Fishing.—Fishing with nets, seines, traps or by the use of drugs or explosives or in any other way than with hook and line, or for merchandise or profit, is prohibited. Fishing in the park will be permitted only during the open season as prescribed for the adjoining counties by the States of North Carolina and Tennessee.

7. Private Operations.—No person firm or corporation shall engage in any business, or erect buildings in the park without permission in writing from the Director of the National Park Service, Washington, D. C. nor shall any person or persons reside or be permitted to reside on park land without authority of the Director or his authorized representative.

8. Cameras.—Still and motion picture cameras may be freely used in the park for general scenic purposes. For the filming of motion pictures requiring the use of artificial or special settings, or involving the performance of a professional cast permission must first be obtained from the superintendent of the park.

9. Gambling.—Gambling in any form, or the operating of gambling devices, whether for merchandise or otherwise, is prohibited.

10. Advertisements.—Private notices or advertisements shall not be posted or displayed within the park, except such as the park superintendent deems necessary for the convenience and guidance of the public.

11. Grazing.—The running at large, herding or grazing of livestock of any kind on the Government land in the park is prohibited.

12. Miscellaneous.—Possession, sale, transportation or manufacture of liquor in the park is prohibited.

13. Fines and Penalties.—Persons who render themselves obnoxious by disorderly conduct or bad behavior shall be subject to the punishment hereinafter prescribed for violation of the foregoing regulations, or they may be summarily removed from the park by the superintendent.

The laws provide that any person who violates any of the foregoing regulations shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and shall be subject to a fine of not more than \$500 or imprisonment not exceeding six months, or both, and be adjudged to pay all costs of the proceedings.

Approved: August 6, 1930.
JOS. M. DIXON,
First Assistant Secretary.

LADIES' NIGHT FOR ROTARIANS

The Rotary Club will celebrate its annual Ladies' Night at High Hampton Inn, Cashiers, on Tuesday, September 23.

Golfing in the afternoon on the High Hampton course will precede the meeting.

A program is being worked out by a committee headed by Dr. H. T. Hunt.

