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FASHION SHOW DRAWS BIG CROWD

The Fourth Annual Fashion show, held at the Lyric Theatre, Tuesday evening under the auspices of the Junior Club of Sylva, drew a crowd of house and many turned away because of their inability to find either seats or standing room in the comfortable theatre.

The Paris, The Sylva Supply Company, Fishes and The Leader each put on a fashion revue, with a large number of lovely models, and excited a great deal of favorable comment. Miss Betty Carson and little Miss Alice Dills Weaver modeled for the Jackson-sege Beauty Parlor.

The dancing of little Miss Ellen Self, the singing of Miss Emily Smith and Miss Thompson's book dancing, and the entire show were pleasing to the large crowd.

The Spring fashion show is sponsored each year by the Junior Club, in cooperation with the shops of Sylva to demonstrate the great advantages offered by Sylva as a shopping center for the people of the Southwestern counties of North Carolina. Located centrally, the little town has shops that would be a credit to cities of much greater population, and it is pointed out that the overhead in the smaller town is not so great, allowing merchants to sell at a lower figure. This is generally recognized and the Junior Club uses the annual fashion show as a means of pointing out to the people that a great variety is carried in the Sylva Shops, making shopping here easy.

THROUGH THE HOOPS

(By John Parr's, Jr.)

Coach Roberts royal brigade of basketballers came through in another successful season of basket ball. Taking defeat from the hands of only three teams the band of gold and black engers swept on to stack up 10 defeats at the doors of opposing teams.

In the Western North Carolina Basketball tournament which was held at Mars Hill the little band of gold and black reached the semi-finals by defeating the strong Crossmore and Sand Hill teams. In the semi-finals the High School lads were upset by a band of shotsmiths from Glenwood.

Throughout the tournament the boys showed the fighting spirit and not once did they give up. The boys should be given credit for the fine game they played. Coach Oren Roberts of Mars Hill College said that the Sylva team was the smallest team he had ever seen to fight so hard.

Joe Altman, Sylva High guard broke loose in the first game of the tournament to send the ball crashing "through the hoops" for 17 points. Altman was picked for the All Tournament team.

Greene and Fisher flashy forwards proved to be the downfall of opposing teams. Their ability to pass and shoot hasn't been excelled by any of the visiting teams this year.

Sutton running guard kept opposing teams worried as he broke up their attempts at scoring. Playing the same cool game as in football he closed the season with a clean slate.

Wilt's Cooke, center, played a great game this season breaking up attack after attack of opposing forwards. Cooke had a sure eye for the basket and proved to be good on the defense.

There is always a group of boys who help make a team what it is and to these boys we owe a lot. These boys showed a wonderful spirit and I hope that someday their names will be in the large bold type of the sport page.

These boys are: Mack Hooper, Collins Jack Henson, Gordon Harbin, Paul Elders, Mack Higdon and Malcomb Brown.

Last but not least, in the eyes of those who have been with him, is James Moody, manager. He deserves a lot of credit for his fine work and only those who have been with him can appreciate his fine work as manager and trainer.

FOR 40 YEARS AGO

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Court begins on the 20th of April.

Messrs. W. M. Burns and S. T. Early are patting up a steam saw mill near Mr. James R. Love's.

Our young friend, Mr. E. L. McEe, the popular agent at Whittier, came up Friday to visit his mother.

Farm work is being greatly impeded by the continued, almost incessant rains and the bottom has dropped out of the roads.

Dr. Candler of Dillsboro was here yesterday on a professional visit to Mrs. Parker, Mr. A. M. Parker's mother, who, we regret to hear is quite sick. She is reported to be somewhat better today.

The Woman's Christian Temperance Union of Dillsboro will celebrate its first anniversary at the Academy in that town on Wednesday March 18. A pleasing and interesting programme is promised.

Drs. Wolff and Tompkins returned from Asheville, yesterday each with a supply of Koch's Lymph, for the cure of consumption. Dr. Wolff expects to leave in a day or two for a brief visit to relatives in Forsyth and Yadkin counties, amongst whom Mrs. Wolff has been spending the winter.

Mr. Cowan turned out of his way to visit his brother at Judson College and has not yet reached home. By the way, we hear that our representative won golden opinions among his fellow members and established an excellent reputation as legislator, making many friends. Well; we told you so.

Among those we have seen returning from their duties in the Legislature, which adjourned Monday are General Hampton, Messrs. Hayes and Buchman of Swain, Ray of Macon and Taylor of Graham.

March 18, 1891

Mr. Pierce Allen went to Asheville Tuesday.

Mrs. M. H. Morris of Addie sent a couple of days here this week.

General E. R. Hampton and family have gone to Asheville to spend some time.

Mr. W. E. Moore of Webster made the Democrat a highly appreciated visit yesterday.

Miss Belle Leatherwood came home Monday after a long visit to friends in Waynesville.

Mrs. W. A. Dills and Misses Loh Sherrill and Lela Enloe of Dillsboro were visiting friends here Tuesday.

With an utter disregard for our reputation as a weather prophet, St. Patrick's day distinguished itself by being remarkably bright and mild.

Mr. Neal Buchanan who has been in the office of the Southern Express Co., at Salisbury for some time came home Friday to visit his parents.

After an enforced vacation of some time in consequence of the continued rains, Mr. O. B. Coward resumed his duties Monday as knight of the grip.

Gen. Hampton has sold to Mr. Lawton of the Equitable Mfg. Co. a lot fronting on Main street nearly opposite the mill. Mr. Lawton expects to build upon it right away.

We ask the attention of our readers to the advertisement of Messrs. T. C. Bryson & Co., appearing for the first time in this issue. This firm makes a specialty of selling good goods at the lowest prices, and through the Democrat invites all to call and be convinced that they mean what they say.

Rev. S. H. Harrington of Franklin has accepted the call of the Baptist churches at Sylva and Dillsboro and will serve them as pastor for the ensuing twelve months. Mr. Harrington is already well known to many

The Amateur Gardener Starts His Spring Exercise By Albert T. Reid



WEEK BY WEEK

(By Dan Tompkins)

Officers in New Hanover, informed that a liquor truck was coming through, blocked the highway and ordered a truck to stop. One of the operators of the truck opened fire, and a general battle ensued, in which one deputy sheriff was killed and a mail truck operator also lost his life. It was a ghastly mistake for the officers were holding up a contract mail truck. The mail men thought the officers were highwaymen and the officers believed the mail men to be run rammers. Uncle Sam's mail bags, riddled with bullets were exhibited at the coroner's inquiry. All of which proves my contention that before officers are allowed to hold up vehicles on the highways, they should be required to wear uniforms that are plainly recognizable, proving them to be officers of the law. Nobody except the lawless will fire on officers but almost anybody will resist what is believed to be a hold up. Such requirement in the law would prevent such tragedies as that in New Hanover, and they have become altogether too frequent.

Sixteen girls are under indictment charged with the crime of arson, which is a capital offense in North Carolina, for the burning of two buildings at Samareand Manor, the State institution for delinquent girls. They will be tried at the May term of Moore county superior court. Their ages range from 15 to 20 years. Sixteen young girls facing the electric chair because they were fired of the restraint and correction at Samareand. Their names are: Josephine French, How River; Delo's Sewell, Cove City; Mary Brinson, Rocky Mount; Margaret Pridgen, Wilmington; Margaret Abernethy, Kinston; Wilma Owen, Waynesville; Estell Wilson, Lexington; Colae Stillwell, Kinston; Virginia Hayes, Leakesville; Rose Moll, Rutherfordton; Thelma Council, Tarboro; Edna Clark, Halifax; Olive Harding, Chowinowity City; Bertha Hall, Norfolk.

of our people and we gladly welcome him to closer relations. The church at Sylva will build a house of worship during the approaching summer.

The Democrat is very anxious to largely increase its subscription list. It feels that it deserves a large increase. The height of its ambition is to aid, to the full extent of its power in the advancement of the material and moral interests of its section. We propose to offer as an inducement for new subscribers that we will send the paper for one year for \$1.00.

Marion Mercer, Ayden and Teral Stiles, Canton.

The State was spending the money of the taxpayers to try to reform and correct these girls, to bring them back to life and hope, and they showed their gratitude by destroying the property of the State.

They keep indicting officials of defunct Asheville banks. This time Wallace Davis and W. D. Harris of the Central Securities Company, affiliate of the Central Bank, are charged with using the United States mails with intent to defraud. The Buncombe grand jury this week, indicted Wallace Davis, Russel C. Davis, Dr. J. A. Sinclair, C. N. Brown, Clarence Rankin and S. A. Hubbard, for alleged infractions of the State banking laws. Strange the changes a few months will bring. Only a short time ago, those were names to conjure with in Western North Carolina. Col. Luke Lea, Luke Lea, Jr. and E. P. Charlet of Tennessee were indicted on a charge of conspiring with Wallace Davis to defraud the Central Bank.

Henry Ford deposes and says that we are all prosperous and don't know it. Which is to laugh. Perhaps Ford and the favored few are prosperous, at least they are not worrying about where breakfast or the rent money, or the installment payment or the wife's new coat, or the baby's new shoes are coming from. The truth is that Mr. Ford is up to his old tricks and succeeded in putting over on the papers free advertising that would come to many thousands of dollars, if he had to pay for it, which he wouldn't do. But I don't blame him for doing it, if the newspaper editors are stupid enough to let him.

A piece of news that is new: Kansas, after a period of 61 years, in which there was no provision for capital punishment, has revived the old first degree murder and robbery with firearms are the crimes that common law of the death penalty, with firearms are the crimes that the Kansas legislature thinks rank so low as to require the death penalty.

The special committee of the house composed of Eubank of Henderson, Cox of Jackson and Neal of McDowell, decided that newspapers are too poor to pay any more taxes than they are now carrying. Anyway, a newspaper, if it is a newspaper worthy of the name, is an educational institution, as important as a school if not more so; and it would be foolish to tax one educational institution to support another.

COLLEGE ENROLLMENT

INCREASES

Calloway, N. C. March 16—There has been a decided increase in the enrollment at Western Carolina Teachers College for the spring quarter which began Saturday. Registration began Thursday afternoon and lasted through Friday. However, many new students are expected to arrive today and throughout the week.

Misses Mary Rose Feagans and Lela Bill Braswell, instructors at Western Carolina Teachers College in voice and piano, with Messes Elsie Autry of Salenburgh, Harriet Pierce of Smithfield and Margaret Rowland of Dunn were guests of the Sylva Rotary Club at a dinner last Tuesday. The dinner was held in the Jarrett Springs Hotel in Dillsboro. The guests sang several group selections and Misses Pierce and Autry sang solos.

The East Tennessee State Teachers College girls won the decision in the first intercollegiate debate of the season Saturday evening over Western Carolina Teachers College girls. Both teams brought out strong points on the query: Resolved, That the Nations of the World Should Adopt a Free Trade Policy.

Misses Ora E. Jones and Ethel Calloway defended the negative side of the question for Western Carolina Teachers College, and Misses Margaret Pounder and Gladys Pressley, the affirmative for East Tennessee State Teachers College.

Officers for the student council at Western Carolina Teachers College have been elected. They are: Ruth Montford of Wilmington, president; Azalea McClung of Robbinsville, vice president; Louise Medford of Waynesville, house president; Marjorie Pjpkim of Murfreesboro, secretary; Pearl Justice, Clyde, Louise Rogers of Canton; Ruth Creasman of Waynesville, Louise Baggett of Red Springs and Beulah Rogers of Robbinsville, council members.

UNION MEETING

The Jackson County Union meeting will convene with the Love Dale Baptist Church Friday March 27th, 28th and 29th, 1931.

The committee on program are very anxious for all churches in the Jackson County Association to be present.

The program is as follows:
Friday 16:30 A. M. Devotional by Rev. Ben Cook.
10:30 A. M. Introductory sermon by Rev. T. F. Deitz.
12:00 Noon for dinner.
1:15 P. M. Devotional by Rev. Corsey Hooper.
1:30 P. M. Can a church be loyal

GALLOWAY DIES-- BRYSON GIVES UP

Wiley Galloway died early this morning at the Harris Community hospital, where he was brought Sunday afternoon, suffering from a crushed skull, said to have been inflicted by a rock thrown by "Little Jim" Bryson at Glenville.

Bryson surrendered to officers yesterday morning, and is being held in the jail here, charged with slaying Galloway.

Both young men are natives of the Glenville section of Jackson county. Bryson is a son of John D. Bryson of Glenville; and Galloway, operated a garage there.

Galloway is survived by his wife and other relatives.

A coroner's jury composed of C. M. Wells, N. L. Sutton, Carl Fisher, Ed. Reed; C. W. Dills and John A. Paris this morning returned a verdict to coroner Neal Dills, that Galloway came to his death from a blow from a rock in the hands of Jim Bryson.

Clyde Breedlove, a young man of the Glenville section swore at the inquest that he was the only eye witness to the affray. He stated that he and Junior Pell came to Galloway's garage to get Wiley to go and get a car of Clifton Moody's and that he heard a racket upstairs on the second floor where Galloway made his home. He stated that Wiley Galloway went up and put Bryson and Robert McCall, Jr. out of the place. Bryson according to Breedlove, went down to the spring, and returned in a short time with his hands behind his back, and threw a rock strike Galloway. According to Breedlove, there was no one present at the time except himself, Bryson and Galloway. He stated that Galloway was doing nothing to Bryson nor attempting to do anything at the time the stone was thrown.

Dr. A. A. Nichols the only other witness examined by the jury, stated that Galloway came to his death from a blow on the head, crushing the temple bone.

Galloway never regained consciousness after he was struck. He was brought to the hospital here and an operation performed, removing the crushed bone and part of his brain, in an attempt to save his life.

The funeral will be held at Lake Towaway tomorrow afternoon.

Galloway is survived by his wife, one daughter, Evelyn, who is in Akron, Ohio; one son, Conrad, 18 years of age, by his father R. J. Galloway, by his mother, three sisters, Mrs. Mary Burgess, Mrs. Coy Foster and Mrs. E. V. Fowler and three brothers, J. M. Galloway, Gus Galloway and J. B. Galloway. The deceased was 46 years of age.

to Christ, who does not support missions? Rev. W. N. Cook.

2:00 P. M. Does Church Loyalty embrace discipline? Rev. L. H. Crawford.

2:30 P. M. Is a member of the church loyal when he or she does not attend the services nor support the pastor? L. D. Cowan.

7:30 Sermon by Rev. G. C. Snyder.

Saturday

9:30 A. M. Devotional by Western Parker.

10:00 A. M. Are the Churches in Jackson County progressing in Church Loyalty? by Rev. W. C. Reed.

10:30 A. M. Will a loyal member quit when the church is on the decline? Rev. R. L. Cook.

11:00 A. M. Sermon by Rev. J. G. Murray.

12:00 M. Dinner.

1:30 P. M. Devotional, Rev. Paul Lovingood.

1:45 P. M. Is the Ministry of today loyal to the word of God? R. F. Jarrett.

2:30 P. M. Is the preacher of today as spiritual and evangelistic as in former days? J. T. Gribble.

7:30 P. M. Sermon by Rev. L. K. Stafford.

Sunday

11:00 A. M. Sermon by Rev. W. N. Cook.

By Committee on Program