

# The Jackson County Journal

50 Year in Advance in The County.

THE JACKSON COUNTY JOURNAL, SYLVA, N. C., MAY 14, 1931

\$2.00 Year in Advance Outside The County.

## FORTY YEARS AGO

The Democrat, May 20, 1891  
 Mr. L. McKee of Whittier was in town Thursday.

Mr. J. J. Mason of Dillsboro and Mrs. Potts made us an appreciation call Saturday.

Mr. Bryson went to Asheville last Wednesday to replenish the stock of the Alliance Exchange.

Mr. Charlie Wike left on Monday for Andrews, where he will take charge of the telegraph office.

Mrs. Eda Wike, of East La Porte and Mrs. Laura Hooper of Hamburg were visiting friends here Friday.

Mr. Ambrose McFee, a venerable gentleman from Buncombe county is visiting relatives here and at Dillsboro.

Mr. John Moore, late of Indian Territory, but now a student of the Calhoun High school, called on us yesterday.

Gen. Hampton is moving back to Sylva. We are sorry to hear that Mrs. Hampton's health has not improved.

Mr. and Mrs. Watson of Big Lake, and Mrs. C. P. Bryson of Cashiers, favored the Democrat with a pleasant visit, Friday.

Rev. J. H. Harrington of Franklinton came on Friday on the regular passenger train to his churches here and at Dillsboro.

Mr. W. H. T. Dillard, of Scott's Creek, was here Monday to make arrangements to send his son to his son in distant Idaho.

Mr. C. A. Wallace, one of the regular and faithful students of Calhoun High School, returned via Sylva to his home at Quallatown yesterday.

Messrs. J. E. Divilbiss, S. A. Davis and Alex Baum came home Wednesday to visit friends here and to attend Calhoun Commencement, returning to Baltimore on Saturday.

Baxter Hooper of Tuckaseige, called on the Democrat Thursday to leave a substantial token of his appreciation. We are always glad to see our friends, but a mission of that sort invariably renders their visits doubly welcome.

Miss Edith King, who has been visiting her grandparents, Dr. and Mrs. W. C. Tompkins of Webster, left on Friday for her home in Colorado. She was accompanied as far as Asheville by Mrs. W. C. Tompkins and Miss Mannie Tompkins.

Our disappointment in failing to attend the Calhoun Commencement was great and is increased the more we hear about it. It is the ambition of Prof. Madison, in which he is nobly sustained by a splendid community, to reach a degree of excellence, which will entitle the Calhoun High School to the claim of being the very best school in Western North Carolina. In the opinion of many who attended the Commencement, that point is already reached, and the largely increased attendance at the next session will attest how general is the belief.

## NEWS NOTES FROM C. J. HARRIS COMMUNITY HOSPITAL

Admitted recently:  
 Mrs. Marie Morris, Sylva.  
 Mrs. Fletcher Ball, Marshall.  
 Mrs. Cecil Pressley, Glenville.  
 Mrs. Roxie Nichols, Andrews.  
 Mrs. Fred Monteith, Bushnell.  
 Mrs. Laurie Wikel, Barker's Creek.  
 Mrs. W. C. Ayers, Bryson City.  
 Mr. Ben Queen, Sylva.  
 Master Claude Carson, Judson.  
 Mr. J. J. O'Kelley, Sylva.  
 Theodore Moore, Sylva.  
 Howard Calhoun, Gastonia.  
 Gilbert Moss, Erastus.  
 Discharged recently:  
 Mrs. Pauline Calhoun Bishop, Proctor.  
 Miss Mary Wood, Wolf Mountain.  
 Mrs. Mary Nations, Wilmot.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Hendricks of Columbia, S. C., are visiting their sister, Miss Cleo Hendricks of the hospital staff.

## ANNUAL MEETING OF MISSIONARY UNION AT BETA

Meeting with Scott's Creek church at Beta, the Woman's Missionary Union, of the Tuckaseige Baptist Association, will be held on Friday, May 29.

Mrs. Edna R. Harris, of Raleigh, Secretary of the State Union, and Mrs. J. Ray Morgan of Waynesville, Superintendent of the Asheville Division, will be among the speakers.

The program, beginning at ten o'clock, has been arranged as follows:

- Hymn: Joy to the World.
- Watchword: That the world may know, John 17:23.
- 10:15: Devotional, Mrs. Mabel Davis
- 10:30: Welcome, Mrs. G. C. Snyder.
- 10:40: Response, Mrs. Etta Morton.
- 10:50: Roll call of Churches.
- 11:00 Report of Officers.
- 11:30: Home Missions Needs, Mrs. J. R. Morgan.
- 11:45: Foreign Mission Needs: Mrs. W. C. Reed.
- 12:00: Heck Memorial Program and Offering for Convention Debt on Schools and Colleges, Mrs. Edna R. Harris.
- Appointment of Committees
- 12:30: Adjourn for dinner.
- 1:30: Devotional, Mrs. H. M. Pressley.
- 1:45: Margaret Fund (Playlet: "Love Provides") by Scott's Creek Ladies.
- 2:10: Our W. M. U. Training School Mrs. J. G. Murray.
- 2:30: Round Table Discussions of Our Needs, Conducted by Mrs. E. P. Stillwell.
- 3:00: Special Music: Mrs. John R. Jones.
- 3:10: The Missionary Education of the Young People—Demonstrations: Mrs. I. K. Stafford.
- 3:45: Report of Committees.

MRS. W. N. COOK, Supt.

## GAY

Quite a crowd attended singing at Old Savannah Sunday evening. They report a nice time.

Mr. John Tatham was very sick last week end but glad he is able to be out again.

Friends of Mrs. Frank Tatham will be glad to know she is recovering from a spell of sickness.

Mr. Carl Sutton is very sick; but we hope he will be able to be out again soon. Carl is always present for Sunday school and last Sunday we missed him so much that every one there spoke of Carl's absence and how he was missed.

Mr. Carl Higdon and Troy Lanning of Glenville spent last week end with friends here.

Mr. Raymond Price who is working away spent the week end with home folks.

Sunday, May 10, 1931, Mrs. Alora Barron celebrated her 71 anniversary and the fact that it fell on Mother's Day made it a very happy day for the entire Barron family.

There were five of her children present, 16 grandchildren and five great grand children, also her only living sister, Mrs. Sarah Sutton, also a few near relatives and friends.

They assembled at the old home for a joyful dinner and after greetings and best wishes were exchanged, they all came to grandmother's church, the Wesleyanna Methodist church, where a beautiful program was rendered in celebration of Mother's Day, followed by a well delivered and a beautiful sentimental sermon given by the pastor of the Baptist church here, Rev. Jonathan Brown.

The entire day is one that "Aunt Alora," as she is affectionately known will not forget. But may she pass many more mile stones and may each find her in as radiant health and joyful mood as her 71 anniversary did.

## QUALLA

We regret to learn of the death of Mrs. J. H. Cathey of Sylva. In her girlhood days she attended school and also taught school at Qualla. She was very studious and unusually talented, so much so that her example was an inspiration to her class mates. Her cheerful, agreeable disposition made an impression on her associates never to be forgotten. She was also a successful teacher. She was married at Qualla and made this her home for several years.

Rev. R. L. Bass preached a very

## 93 SATURDAY



## ESQUIRE ROLAND A. PAINTER

Esquire Roland A. Painter will celebrate his 93rd birthday at his home on Main street in Sylva, Saturday. Mr. Painter, who is one of the few veterans of the Confederacy now living in Jackson county, served throughout the four years of the War Between the States in the North Carolina Infantry. Mr. Painter was born and has lived throughout his 93 years, within 12 miles of the spot where he now resides; but has lived in three counties, first Buncombe, then Haywood and later Jackson.

practical sermon Sunday afternoon from the text "And they all with one consent began to make expense." We noticed an increase in church attendance Sunday, the first warm weather of the season.

Mr. and Mrs. Sewell Happs of Canton and Mrs. Don Cogdill of Addicks called at Mr. J. E. Battle's.

Mr. Wayne Ferguson made a trip to Waynesville.

Mrs. Fred McLean and children Mrs. Frank McLean of Whittier and Miss Hester Owen visited Mrs. J. C. Johnson.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Owen, a daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Ferguson called on Mrs. A. C. Hoyle.

Miss Mary Battle visited Mrs. D. C. Hughes.

Mrs. Mary Martin called on Mrs. Selma Cathey.

Mrs. A. M. Gibson and Roy Gibson visited Mrs. J. H. Hughes.

Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Shuler visited Mrs. M. L. Blanton who has been seriously ill but is slightly improved at this writing.

Mrs. L. L. Shaver who spent a while at Angel hospital has returned home. She has not improved at this writing.

Mrs. W. H. Hoyle who has been sick for several days is improving. Misses Evelyn Kinsland and Edna Hoyle called on Miss Claudia Hoyle.

## MRS. MAGGIE GALER CATHEY DEED FOR FIBRE LAND RECORDED

Mrs. Maggie Galer Cathey, widow of the late James H. Cathey, died Saturday night at her home, following an illness of several weeks duration. The funeral service was conducted Monday morning at the Methodist church in Sylva, Rev. Geo. B. Clemmer, pastor of the church, and Rev. J. J. Gray of Black Mountain, an old friend of the family, officiating. Interment was in the Keener cemetery.

Mrs. Cathey is survived by four of her children, Ben H. Cathey of Canton and Asheville, Mrs. J. L. Dillard and H. P. Cathey of Sylva and Mrs. Locke C. Miller of Cleveland, Ohio. Surviving also are seven grandchildren, and three sisters, Mrs. Texie Ramsey of Kingsport, Tenn., Mrs. Lillie Erwin of Chattanooga, Tenn., and Mrs. D. C. Wilson of Gainesville, Ga.

Mrs. Cathey was born in Macon county in 1863. In 1887 her parents moved to Quallatown in this county, and in that community she was married to James H. Cathey. To the union was born seven children, Inez, James Jr., and Julian Carr, who preceded her to the grave, and the four already mentioned.

Seven years of her life were devoted to the profession of teaching in the public schools. She was a woman of strong character and superior intellectual attainments.

In 1901 she moved with her husband and family to Sylva, where she has resided continually until her passing.

She was active in the work of the United Daughters of the Confederacy and in that of the missionary society of her church. She had a large circle of friends in this and the adjoining counties, who join with her family in bereavement.

## SUNDAY SCHOOL INSTITUTE AT SPEEDWELL

The annual Sunday School Institute at Speedwell, N. C., will be held at the Church on Saturday, May 23rd. This meeting will last all day and those who attend are expected to bring lunch with them and spread it together at the dinner hour.

We are very fortunate in having as our speakers on this occasion Miss Lucy Foreman from the General office at Nashville and Rev. W. A. Kale from the Conference office at Greensboro. The program for the day is as follows:

- 10:00 a. m. Devotional.
- 10:30 a. m. Talk, "What is Right With the Church."
- 11:00 a. m. Round Table Discussion.
- 12:30 a. m. Lunch.
- 2:00 p. m. Round Table Discussion (continued).

Everybody is cordially invited to attend this Institute, to lunch and spend the day.

## BALTIMORE WOOL MARKET

Baltimore, Md. May 18, 1931

"Receipts continue light, but no particular life to the general situation, market ruling easy at values quoted, it being reported that 50 percent of the 1930 wool crop is still in the hands of dealers and would not advise holding your wool. Wool, new, unwashed, choice light per pound, 16c.—Baltimore Drovers and Trade Journal.

## WILL PRESENT FREE PICTURE

A free moving picture, to which the public of Jackson county is most cordially invited, will be presented tomorrow, Friday, evening at the graded school auditorium in Sylva, by the North Carolina Department of Conservation and Development, according to announcement made by Mr. S. C. Cogdill, fire warden for Jackson County.

The picture is said to be a most interesting and instructive one and of great educational value.

## SMASH VICTIMS RECOVERING

Gilbert Moss, of Erastus and Howard Calhoun of Gastonia, are recovering at the Harris Community Hospital, from injuries received in an automobile accident, Monday night, near Calhoun when the Ford roadster in which they, Elbert Moss and Ferber Moss were riding collided with a truck said to have been driven by Daniel Franks of Glenville.

The three Mosses were going to their home at Erastus, and picked up Calhoun, who was a hitch-hiker and a stranger to them, it is stated. After the smash all four men were brought to the hospital in Sylva and their wounds treated. Elbert Moss and Ferber Moss were discharged the same evening, while Gilbert Moss and Calhoun, whose injuries were serious, remained in the hospital.

## SHOUSE SAYS RESCUE FROM DEPRESSION IS BIG ISSUE

Washington, May 20—In an address to the State Legislature at Austin, Texas, recently, J. C. Shouse, Chairman Democratic National Executive Committee, told the members that "it would be deplorable if the selection of our chief magistrates and the directors of legislation who must guide the destinies of the United States should hinge forever on the question of prohibition, however grave, and far reaching that question may be."

He defied the suggestion of the Chairman of the Democratic National Committee to its members "to consider the advisability of a change in the present unsatisfactory conditions of prohibition," stating that "it provided for a retention of the Eighteenth Amendment, but recommended an additional amendment under which, if adopted, each State may determine by a vote of all of its citizens whether it should be bound by the letter of the Eighteenth Amendment."

He said that there could be no change whatever in the prohibition laws until or unless two thirds of Congress should recommend it and the conventions in three fourths of the States should ratify Congressional action. "I do not see how the Democrat can find fault with such a proposal," he said, and added that he did not consider prohibition the paramount issue in the campaign.

Chairman Shouse denied statements in the Republican press that Democratic National Headquarters were committed to the nomination of any particular candidate and declared that he spoke for the National Chairman as well as for himself in saying that "we shall be wholeheartedly behind the candidate of the Convention whether he is wet or dry, whether he comes from the North or the South, or the East or the West."

In dealing with the issues of the campaign he said:

"Transcending all other things in importance in this country today is the necessity of the rescue of the country from the present business depression. When the richest nation in the world has more than six million of its people walking the streets looking for work, all other issues are dwarfed. Our platform must meet every question that is plaguing the people, all of which, he said, it has been the Republican policy to sidestep.

## TO HOLD WOOL SALE

The Jackson County Mutual Exchange will hold a wool pool on June 3rd, 1931 at Sylva. The United Wool Growers Association will advance 15c per pound on unwashed wool free from burrs at ear door. The United Wool Growers have sold three fourths of the last year pool at a fair price and as soon as the remainder is sold the farmers may expect an additional check on the last crop, provided the market does not decline from present price. This year's pool will be handled under same conditions as last year and is being handled by the Jackson County Mutual Exchange and the County Agent cooperating.

A. J. DILLS, Manager  
 Jackson County Farmers Mutual Exchange.

**Our Political Veterinaries Disagree—** By Albert T. Reid

SHE'S GOT THE WAR DEBT COLIC. WE GOTTA REDUCE THAT SWELLING

YER DEAD WRONG. IT'S THE SHERMAN LAW EPIZOOTIC! THAT'S PLAIN.

SHE'S DOWN WITH TARIFF PIP. THAT'S GOT HER ALL STOPPED UP

YOU'RE CRAZY! SHE'S FILLED WITH FOREIGN DUMPING SCAFFLOOZIS!

I THINK IT IS OVERPRODUCTION FEVER WITH UNDERCONSUMPTION TENDENCIES. I'LL LOOK IT UP.

SEZ THEY

Albert T. Reid  
 AUTOCASTER