The Jackson County Journal

YEAR IN ADVANCE IN THE COUNTY — SYLVA, NORTH CAROLINA, THURSDAY, MARCH 28, 1935 — $2.00 YEAR IN ADVANCE OUTSIDE THE COUNTY

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ST RITES HELD OR N. L. SUTTON THIS AFTERNOON

Funeral service of Nelson, L. ... United States Deputy Marshal and former Sheriff of this county will be held from the Dills... at two o'clock ... Rev. Thad F. ... ment will be ...

68 years of ... county, and ... his life, as an ... citizen of the ... the leading ... section of the ...

Mr. Sutton ... sheriff under ... In 1922 he was ... county, and ... 1926 he was ... election by ... year, upon recom... Reynolds, Mr. ... Deputy United ... served in that ... months, until ... to retire from ... months of ... at his home ... morning at 7 ... and pleasing ... had a host ... Western North ...

... daughters, Mrs ... News, Va., ... Williams, Pa., and ... Sylva, two sons, ... and N. L. ... News, and ... other relatives ...

... will be Dan ... Pat K. Moore, C. C. Mason, ... A. Tweed, E. E. Alley, Jr. ... T. Walter Ashe.

Honorary pall bearers are Senator ... R. Reynolds, Marcus Erwin, ... Jones, Roy Francis, Charles R. ... Judge Felix E. Alley, John ... Queen, Dr. C. Z. Candler, John ... Caney, N. Don Davis, E. L. McKee, ... Wilson, David M. Hall, Ray... R. Nicholson, M. D. Cowan, ... Tompkins, W. R. Sherrill, T. A. ... Dr. Grover Wilkes, and Dr. ... Nichols.

BALSAM

(By Mrs. D. T. Knight)

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Napoleon ... a daughter, Wednesday, the ...

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Marion Ashe, ... daughter—Betty Dee—Wednesday, ... 20th. Mr. and Mrs. Ashe have ... married fourteen years, and this ... their first baby.

... L. Long of Addie attended ... in the Methodist ... church Sunday afternoon. Master ... Knight accompanied ... and will spend several days ... Mrs. John Allen Kenney ... Miss Freda Jones attended the ... show in Sylva Friday night. ... grade school closed Fri... the 22nd. Thursday evening a ... program was render... by the students. Seventh grade ... were: Grace Brooks, Vera ... R by Bryson, Birdell Mid... Richard Bryson, Earl Swan... Frank Bryson, and Carl Wood. ... Miss Georgia Knight was class ... Prizes were awarded the ... for perfect attendance: ... Coward, Junior and Mar... William Bolfour Knight ... Bertie Ensley.

... W. S. Christy, who is visiting ... daughter, Mrs. Finley Carson in ... Wis., sent her daughter, ... Bryson a clipping from ... paper, copied from the ... County Journal, in regard ... been owned by Mrs. ... Cross in Dillsboro.

...ASS TO SING HERE AND AT CULLOWHEE SATURDAY

... class from the chil... Home of the Methodist Epis... Church, South, will give an ... afternoon concert at the Cullowhee ... church next Sunday at ... P. M.

The class is well trained and un... the direction of excellent super... The class will sing at Cullo... in the afternoon and at Sylva ... the evening.

The community is cordially invited ... concert will be free but a col... will be taken for the orphan... and its work.

40 YEARS AGO

Tuckaseige Democrat, March 28, 1895

Mr. J. S. Forster, of Asheville, returned home Monday.

Mr C. A. Wallace, of the Cullowhee High School, was down yesterday.

Lawyers W. E. Moore and J. J. Hooker, of Webster, were here yesterday.

Mr. A. C. Painter, of Capt. Knight's trestle force, came in Saturday on a visit to his family.

Col. C. P. Bryson died at his home in Webster, last Friday, after quite a long illness.

Gen. E. R. Hampton and Master Rowley came over from Asheville, Tuesday, to stay a few days.

The window sash of the new public school building are being put in and the doors hung today.

Capt. A. W. Bryson, of Asheville, came out Saturday, to attend the funeral of his brother, Col. C. P. Bryson.

March winds are drying the land and everybody that is going to do any farming or gardening this year is busy.

Mr. E. K. Milner, of Thomasville, came in Saturday and spent several days with his cousin, Mrs. Neil Buchanan.

Mr. Shepard Homas, of New York, reached here Tuesday, looking after his interests in the affairs of the New York Corundum Company.

Messrs. W. R. and James Cowan and Postmaster Long, of Webster, Wm. Wilson and Lee Hooper, of Cullowhee ... La Porte and T. M. Henson, of Scott's Creek, were among the visitors to town Friday.

We see it is stated that Mr. W. F Massey, of the N. C. Agricultural Experiment Station, gives it as his opinion that the peach crop is not all injured so far. There are no blooms on the trees here, as yet, which is an unusual occurrence for this section this late.

The Woman's Christian Temperance Union of Dillsboro observed its 5th anniversary on March 18, in the Academy building. The exercises opened with a half hour's devotional services. Then followed an address by the President, Treasurer's report, and papers by the Superintendents of the following departments, viz: Temperance Literature, Press Work, Mothers' Meetings, R. R. Work, Unfermented Wine at Communion, and Scientific Temperance Instruction in Public Schools. All the papers were well prepared, and listened to by an appreciative audience. The Union is in a flourishing condition and its members are well pleased with the progress they are continually making in the interest of temperance, home and humanity. One of the enjoyable features of the evening was the manner in which two young misses solicited contributions for temperance work.

Business and legal circles are exercised over the following law which was passed by the late Fusion Legislature and was ratified and went into effect on March 13: "An act to regulate assignments and other conveyances of like nature in North Carolina. The General Assembly of North Carolina do enact: Section 1. That all conditional sales, assignments, mortgages or deeds in trust, which are executed to secure any debt, obligation note or bond which gives preferences to any creditor of the maker, shall be absolutely void as to existing creditors. Section 2. That all laws in conflict with this act are hereby repealed." Upon its face this law declares every mortgage or other like instrument invalid as to all debts the maker may owe at the time he executes the instrument. This substantially puts an end to the business of borrowing money upon mortgages. The plain reading of the law prohibits mortgages and deeds of any character, unless every debt due by the maker at the time of the execution of the instrument is included in its provisions.——News and Observer.

INSTALL OFFICERS FOR EASTERN STAR AT EAST LA PORTE

New officers have been elected and installed by the East La Porte Eastern Star chapter. The installation servide was held Monday night.

Mrs. Floyd Bryson, of East La Porte, succeeds Mrs. T. D. L. Waters, also of East La Porte, as worthy matron of the chapter. The Rev. J. E. Brown, of Tuckaseigee, was re-elected worthy patron.

Mrs. Ruth Robbins of East La Porte is associate matron, and E. P. Wike, of East La Porte is associate patron. Other officers are:

Mrs. J. E. Brown, of Tuckaseigee, conductress; Miss Wilma Wike, of Cullowhee, associate conductress; Mrs. Florence Potts, of East La Porte, secretary-treasurer; Mrs. Dora Johnson, chaplain; Miss Frances Brown, of Cullowhee, pianist; and Mrs. Dora Monteith, marshal.

Other Eastern Star officers are: Miss Gladys Parker, of Sylva; Miss Lenoir Nicholson, of Cowarts; Mrs. Jane Lee; Mrs. T. D. L. Waters of East La Porte; Mrs. J. S. Seymour, of Cullowhee; Mrs. Goldman Monteith, of East La Porte; Jim Monteith and Tom Ledbetter of Cullowhee.

QUALLA

On Monday evening, the twenty-fifth, a large audience was entertained by a very interesting program given by Qualla school. The plays, drills, debate and recitations, in fact every feature of the program gave evidence of the thorough, diligent training given them by their teachers, Mr. G. C. Cooper, Misses Geneva Turpin and Jennie Cathey, who have applied themselves so faithfully and untiringly to their work, not only in the final exercise but throughout ...

Splendid music for the occasion was rendered by the string quartet.

Although Qualla school has met with many hindrances and discouragements during the past years our people still manifest a great deal of interest in the education and progress of the youth of our community.

On Saturday evening and Sunday Rev. Manuel Wyatt pastor at Sunburst preached at the Baptist church His sermons were carefully outlined and impressive. He was accompanied by Rev. J. L. Rogers, the pastor of Qualla Baptist church.

Mr. H. G. Ferguson, Rev. and Mrs. J. L. Hyatt and Mrs. P. H. Ferguson attended the funeral of Mr. C. E. Ray at Waynesville Saturday afternoon.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Lee Brooks, on March 17th, a son—Ralph Lee.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Turpin announce the birth of a son at Asheville Mission hospital, last week.

Messrs Jack and Jake Battle of Charlotte spent the week end with home folks.

Mr. Thad Beck and Miss Ruth Connor of Smokemont, Mrs. A. C. Hoyle, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hoyle and Miss Edna Hoyle were dinner guests at Mr. D. C. Hughes,' Sunday.

Mr. Frank Owen and family, Mr. C. P. Shelton and Mrs. H. G. Ferguson made a business trip to Asheville, Saturday.

Mrs. G. H. Martin, Mrs. Miller Hall, Miss Annie Lizzie Terrell and Mr. C. B. Terrell are at home since finishing their schools.

Mr. Norman Turpin and family have returned to their home in Pennsylvania.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Hughes of Canton visited among relatives.

Miss Hester Owen called on Mrs. J. H. Hughes.

Miss Eula Childers of Whittier was week end guest of Miss Gertrude Ferguson.

Mr. S. P. Hyatt and family, Mr. L. L. Shaver and family of Glenville and Miss Louise Hyatt of Cullowhee visited at Mr. J. L. Hyatt's.

Mr. G. H. Martin of Canton spent a few days with home folks.

Mr. H. G. Ferguson and family and Mrs. Weaver Freeman visited relatives at Hayesville, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Bird passed through Qualla Saturday en route to Bryson City from Charlotte. Mrs. Bird's health has improved since taking treatment in a Charlotte hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Ferguson were guests at Mr. J. K. Terrell's, Sunday.

SETS RIVER AFIRE

All our lives we have heard about "setting the Thames afire." Well, it wasn't the Thames; but the river was set afire, at Williamston, North Carolina, the other evening. A fisherman, nearing the pier, lighted a cigarette and tossed the match into the water. Immediately, the Roanoke river was a sheet of flame. Fire alarms were turned in, and the fire extinguished.

It was learned that a leaking pipe in one of the large gasoline storage tanks on the river's bank had covered the water with a liquid that will burn.

So, at last, North Carolina has produced a man who literally set the river afire.

TO HAVE QUILT SHOW APRIL 5

The Dillsboro Parent-Teacher Association will hold a quilt show in the school house in Dillsboro on April 5.

Prizes will be offered for the prettiest old quilt, prettiest new quilt, prettiest quilt top, prettiest crocheted counterpane and prettiest coverlet.

There will be food to sell, and an interesting program has been arranged.

FINALS AT COWARTS TONIGHT

The final exercises of the elementary school at Cowarts will be held this evening.

The Rev. R. M. Hardee, pastor of the Cullowhee Methodist church, will speak to the graduates of the school during their commencement exercises Thirteen boys and girls will receive certificates of graduation. The high school children of the community are transported to Cullowhee by bus.

Another feature of the Thursday night program will be the presentation of an operetta, "Down Among the Fairies." Almost 50 elementary school children make up the cast of th...

MINISTERS TO MEET

The Jackson County Ministers' Association will meet at the Cullowhee Baptist church Monday, April 1, at ten o'clock Rev. I. K. Stafford will lead the devotional and Rev. R. M. Hardee will lead the program, the subject of which is "The Church and the Young People."

All the ministers of all denominations are urged to attend.

OFFICER ISSUES WARNING

Highway Patrolman Allison states that there are many operators of automobiles in this section who are running their cars with unlawful lights, and that he will be forced to make arrests for such practices and take the owners before a magistrate for trial and fine, unless they see to it immeediately that their lights are put in lawful condition before the automobiles are operated on the highways.

CONTROL FLOWER PESTS WITH SPRAYS OR DUSTS

Contrary to the general belief, insect pests on flower gardens are not a necessary evil from which there is no relief, says C. H. Brannon, extension entomologist at State College.

Although there are a few pests for which no satisfactory control method has been developed, he points out, most of them can be eradicated by application of inexpensive sprays or dusts.

Sucking insects, which draw their nourishment from inside the plant, must be treated with a poison that kills when it comes in contact with their skin. Plant lice, aphids, thrips, and scale insects fall in this group.

Chewing insects, which eat leaves or small stems, may be eradicated by a stomach poison. When they eat poison, death follows in a short time. Caterpillars, leaf eating beetles, and grasshoppers are among the chewing insects.

For sucking insects, Brannon recommends a spray with one and a half teaspoonful of nicotine sulphate to a gallon of water, or a dust with a half ounce of nicotine sulphate to nine and a half ounces of hydrated lime.

These mixtures are safe for delicate plants and bright colored flowers, Brannon says. Tougher plants will not be injured by a slightly stronger mixture of the foregoing sprays or dusts.

Revenue Bill Is Passed In House Of Representatives

WEEK By WEEK

By DAN TOMPKINS

An unusual, but not unprecedented happening in the mountains, was the storm that swept certain sections of Madison county, leveling homes and a church, and a large amount of woodland. It is so unusual that we frequently hear it said that the mountains of Western North Carolina are free from disastrous windstorms.

The main benefit of the parley between Hitler and Sir John Simon was to give the world a breathing spell, thus lessening the immediate danger of an European armed conflict. The peculiar situation is that nobody wants war, yet the world seems drifting inevitably toward it, and Germany and Japan are taking advantage of the aversion of the nations to war.

War is something that should have been sloughed off as civilization grew A mighty good way to avoid it is for the nations to disarm; but, we have no patience with the people who would have our country, with all the world arming, sit by and do nothing to be prepared, if war comes. It would be as foolish a thing as anyone could do.

The General Assembly is contemplating, in fact a committee has unanimously approved a bill, providing that capital punishment shall be administered by lethal gas instead of electrocution. It seems that it should make little difference to the prisoner what method of killing him is used. That part of it will be over in a minute, and there is an endless eternity before him. It would have a greater check on crime, if we are to continue the death penalty, if the prisoner were publicly hanged in the county where the crime was committed. A public scaffold for capital crimes and a public whipping post for many misdemeanors in every county, might help to throw the fear of God and the law into people.

The passage of the act making lawful the sale of a beverage, misnamed beer, of alcoholic content of 5 per cent, practically assures the defeat of the Hill Bill for the establishment of liquor stores in North Carolina. There is little likelihood that it will pass at the present General Assembly; but those of us who believe in prohibition may as well begin to consider the fact that it is probable that the legal sale of liquor in North Carolina will return, sooner or later. It is hard for us to stand practically alone. Georgia votes on the question on May 15. If she votes to retain her prohibition laws, it may help the situation in North Carolina. If she votes wet, the doom of prohibition in North Carolina will be written in the stars. Every North Carolinian would do well to watch developments in that election.

The House of Representatives, by a big vote, has passed the Patman Bonus Bill to pay off the bonus with printing-press money. Many a Congressman voted for that bill, trusting and believing that President Roosevelt will veto it. The boys want to come home and tell the veterans that they voted to pay the bonus, while deep in their hearts they are not in favor of paying it now. It would be funny, after the Senate does the same thing, if President Roosevelt would fool them and not exercise the veto. The opponents are calling the money that is to pay the veterans "printing press money"; but, we ask you, what is a government bond except printing press money that carries with it a certain amount of interest that the government must pay; or why will it strain the government's credit or inflate its currency any more to print currency that carries no interest than to print bonds upon which the taxpayers will have to pay tribute to the wealthy who buy bonds?

COWAN IN HOSPITAL

Chairman J. D. Cowan of the Board of County Commissioners is recovering from an operation for sinus trouble, which he underwent at a Franklin hospital, Tuesday morning.

(By DAN TOMPKINS)

The House of Representatives has passed the Revenue Bill on its third and final reading, and sent it over to the Senate, where the battle will be fought all over again. The bill reenacts the sales tax of three per cent, with the only change of taking from the taxable list, all the items that have heretofore been exempt. If the bill is passed by the Senate and ratified as it now stands, the items of milk, flour, coffee, lard, molasses, and the other staples, upon which there has been no tax, will be taxed along with everything else bought or sold in the State.

The Senate passed the House bill raising the alcoholic content of beer from Roy Francis' 3.2 to 5 per cent, and it has been ratified, making it legal in North Carolina to sell beer with as great an acoholic content as 5 per cent. At the time the House was enacting the revenue bill, imposing a sales tax on everything, the Senate was passing a bill to lower the license tax on automobile tags to 45 cents per hundred weight, with a minimum of $8.

Bills introduced:

The act that will, perhaps, create more comment, will prove the greatest thorn in the flesh, and will be the hardest to enforce of any enacted by the present or any recent General Assembly, is the one that has now become the law, and which requires the inoculation, once each year, by a veterinarian, of all dogs in the State, against rabies, and providing that the owner shall pay a fee of 50c per dog for the operation. Very little has been said about that bill in North Carolina; but wait until it begins to go into operation and you will see the fur really begin to fly.

To validate all acknowledgements in which the notary, at the time of taking the acknowledgement, was holding another office, where the instrument has been duly probated and recorded.

To make it a misdemeanor to wilfully and knowingly, or recklessly without due investigation as to the truthfulness thereof, to tell or circulate any lie or false report on any person, firm or corporation with the intent to injure such person, firm or corporation.

To permit sanitary districts to issue revenue anticipation notes.

To re-write section 5 of the the extradition law which states circumstances under which warrant may issue, to insert new provisions allowing extradition of a defendant accused of committing an act in this or a third state resulting in a crime in another state, and to provide that the Governor shall not consider the guilty or innocence of accused except as it is involved in the question of identification.

To validate all tax sales held in 1933 and 1934 on improper days, to permit sale of all taxes not heretofore sold not later than 1st Monday in October, 1935, and to validate all foreclosure proceedings on 1927-1932 taxes instituted after October 1, 1934 and prior to October 1, 1935.

To amend the motor vehicle act so as to change certain definitions in traffic laws; to make trackless trolleys subject to certain provisions of the act, to re-write sections dealing with speed limits (fixing limits for business districts at 20 miles, for residence districts, 25 miles, for other conditions 45 miles, except where the Highway Commission prescribes lesser speed for particular conditions, to re-write sections dealing with sizes and weight of vehicles and load; and to insert new provisions regarding vehicles transporting explosives and regarding the rights of pedestrians.

To increase the Board of Directors of tubercular sanitorium from nine to twelve, and to provide that this board shall control and manage both the North Carolina Sanitorium for the Treatment of Tuberculosis and the Western North Carolina Sanitorium for the treatment of Tuberculosis.

To provide that no inferior court shall fix the return data of a summons issued for a defendant living outside the county at less than 20 days.

To specify that no utility may appropriate its depreciation reserve without showing that certain units of its property have been withdrawn because of being worn out, destroyed,

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