

The Jackson County Journal

ADVANCE IN THE COUNTY

SYLVA, NORTH CAROLINA, THURSDAY, MAY 16, 1935.

\$2.00 A YEAR IN ADVANCE OUTSIDE THE COUNTY

Legislature Is Adjourned After 123 Days Session

(APKINS)
The legislature adjourned last night with a rush into legislation. It was yet hard to Speaker Johnson. The Senate Chamber of the House on to do through both Assembly, called for the in the count. At 11:30, Ben Craven, in Rocking, and in the winter of 1934. The bill counties and of the Tur- North Car- and to set up for the people con- and which it by all. Another fish, have been in minute by deration, and the General that John or at least two and had the commission- can call question, if they course, the dry- increased at it. are not satis- sions frankly decided as to provide that of any coun- the county cannot prohibit words, any- he wants, manner, but county can domestic low news- medicals to ments of holic bev- and dis- am- sioners. scribes to is- bonds for not assumed. He who has five years on the State may retire with commission of by the Gov- question of con- in the next special Assembly. all inheritance selected 20 years of the person vol. shall be re- time within 12 tion, new parties, tax foreclosure in the cause. the Governor and in the event of Federal unemployment in- an agency to re- from the U. S. to make rules and ward to the hand- October 15, 1935, the which have not sold the 1921-31 taxes or may sell such after due advertisement induced for Gaston also to Haywood, Jones, Jackson and to appraise the general Assembly; but the last two days of its much dissatisfaction in the State, is to miffedly. For, unquestion- liquor control generally admitted to have been written up and hastily without due consideration. In the center of the State, the passage of the revenue from the sales tax all percent milk, and putting the 3 per cent tax all commod- ties retailed in the State, with that

BOARD ELECTS COMMITTEES

The county board of education, meeting yesterday, elected the local educational committees for the various school districts. The Sylva committee is composed of M. D. Cowan, Sylva, Carey Henson, Willits and N. C. Brown, Dillsboro. Webster: John H. Morris, J. N. Cowan, Frank Tatham. Qualla: R. C. Howell, C. P. Shelton, Jode Holcombe. Cullowhee: E. D. Hooper, A. P. Laft, J. R. Cetter. Canada: Willard Shook, Milas Galway, John Watson. Glenville, Frank Fugate, J. B. Bum- mer, Cleve Fisher.

BETA

(By William Dillard)
An appropriate Mother's Day program was carried out at the Scott's creek Baptist church Sunday morning by the primary and junior girls, following which Mr. Francis Kirkpatrick of Waynesville rendered special music. Our pastor's subject for the morning's message was "The characteristics of Motherhood as Seen in the Heavenly Fatherhood." An ordination service was held at three o'clock in the afternoon at which time the following men were ordained as deacons: Messrs. W. V. Cope, W. G. Dillard, John Reed, Thad Reed, and Everett Harris. The presbytery consisted of Reverends W. N. Cook, I. K. Stafford, W. C. Reed, G. C. Snyder, and T. F. Deitz. Miss Bertie Alma Dills, a student of W.C.T.C., spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Dills. Mrs. Hobart Shehan and children, of Waynesville, spent last week visiting friends and relatives here. Mr. and Mrs. Ed Parris and young daughter, of Asheville, are visiting friends and relatives in Beta. Pauline, Willard, and Glen Freeman, children of Mrs. Sallie Freeman, are rapidly improving from the recent extraction of their tonsils. Born to Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Reed, on Friday, May 10th, a son, Harold Thomas. Miss Edna Freeman of Qualla is spending a few days with Mrs. Sallie Freeman. Representative T. C. Bryson has returned to his home here since the adjournment of the Legislature last Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Norfleet Gardner and little daughter, Alice Ruth, Mr. and Mrs. William Aldridge and daughter, Peggy of Dunn, and Mrs. Lela Gardner of Franklinton, Va., on their way to the Southern Baptist Convention in Memphis, Tenn., stepped over night Monday with Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Snyder. Miss Muriel Snyder spent the week end in Gatlinburg, Tenn.

BALSAM

(By Mrs. D. T. Knight)
Funeral service for the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Zeb Bryson was held Monday afternoon, and interment was in Red Bank cemetery. Miss Ruby Lindsey of Canton is visiting her cousin, Miss Beulah Beck and other relatives here. Mr. Paul Cobb of Atlanta, Ga., who has leased the Balsam Mountain Springs Hotel, was here for a short time last week. He will return soon and get everything ready for the opening in June. Rev. A. B. Bruton of Dellwood, pastor of the Methodist church here, preached an unusually interesting Mother's Day sermon Sunday afternoon. Miss Edith Christy, who has been visiting her mother, Mrs. W. S. Christy, returned to Greeneville, Tennessee, Tuesday. There are right many cases of whooping cough in Balsam. exception, has raised quite a rumpus. However, the Assembly has adjourned, and its members have, after weary weeks of labor, returned to their homes, many of them sadder and wiser men, and at their homes they will remain for two years, unless it should transpire, as has been intimated, that the Governor may feel impelled to call them back to Raleigh in special session, to undo some of the things they have done, and to do some of the things that they left undone.

40 YEARS AGO

Tuckaseige Democrat, May 16, 1895

Messrs. J. D. Coward and J. T. Wike were here, Saturday.

Mr. D. L. Love went to Waynesville Monday, returning yesterday.

Mrs. W. F. Tompkins and children are visiting Mrs. Tompkins' parents here this week.

Mrs. Maggie E. Sherrill and Miss Lela Enloe were up from Dillsboro Saturday evening.

Miss Mellie Sherrill, Dillsboro's postmaster, was married Wednesday morning, to Mr. Thomas Mashburn, of Franklin.

Mr. L. J. Zachary, of Grange, N. C., came in yesterday evening. He has many friends here who are always glad to see him.

A bill to prevent hotels or any public resorts from discriminating against colored people passed the New York Assembly.

The "May frost" has paid us its accustomed visit this week, but it is probable that the damage inflicted will be found to be slight. The fruit is thought to be very little injured.

Several from here attended the Sherrill-Mashburn wedding at Dillsboro, Wednesday, among whom we noticed Mrs. Hampton, Mrs. Wolff, Mrs. Patten, Mrs. Ella Potts and Miss Hattie Hampton.

Mr. W. H. Bryson, photographer, is now located at Sylva and is prepared to give the public entire satisfaction in pictures, either tintype or photograph.

Monday evening, while in lower altitudes a heavy rain was falling, accompanied by a high wind, a snow storm prevailed on the tops of the taller mountains and, although the sun shone bright and warm the next day, the snow did not entirely disappear till afternoon. It is said that sulphur fell with the rain in Hamburg township.

Justice Jackson casts his vote on the side of sustaining of the constitutionality of the Income tax law and thus that matter is settled.

President Cleveland's appointment of Mr. Sam L. Rogers as Collector of Internal Revenue to succeed the late Capt. M. E. Carter, is a well deserved promotion and one that will prove highly gratifying to the hosts of friends of the new Collector, and the more so that his merits were so easily recognized by the President.

Judge Simonton sat with Judge Dick at Asheville for the trial of an interesting case involving the validity of the recent sale of timber on the Indian lands in this county and Swain. D. L. Boyd bought the timber for \$15,000 and sold to Mason and Dixon for \$25,000. They transferred their purchase to the Mason and Dixon Lumber Company. Then the government brought suit for an injunction to restrain the purchasers from removing the timber on the ground that the Indians, being wards of the government, had no right to sell. The government was represented by District Attorney Glenn, Assistant Attorney Covington, W. T. Crawford, G. H. Smathers, and Judge H. G. Ewart. After argument the court withheld its decision, which will be rendered in June.

May 10th, Confederate Memorial Day, was observed at Asheville in a most appropriate and enthusiastic manner. There was a procession of soldiers and Confederate Veterans, music, several very interesting and eloquent addresses and the decoration of the graves of both Blue and Gray with flowers. Jackson county was represented there by our own Wesley Shelton, the intrepid color bearer of the 59th N. C., who with his tattered battle flag took a very prominent part in the proceedings. The Citizen says: As the column started, the 42 mounted and 63 unmounted veterans, led by the tattered flag which had seen 17 hard fought battles and which was borne by Wesley Shelton, every inch a soldier, in his Confederate uniform, and the hero of 35 battles, there went up cheer after cheer at Raleigh in special session, to undo some of the things they have done, and to do some of the things that they left undone.

Sylva To Sponsor Cherokee Indians

The Sylva Chamber of Commerce and the Sylva Rotary Club will sponsor the Cherokee Indians at the Rhododendron Festival, in Asheville, next month.

Holmes Bryson, Jr., appeared before the Rotary Club at its meeting at Jarrett Springs Hotel, Tuesday evening, and explained the plan, which had already been under consideration, by the civic bodies here, and a committee headed by Dr. Foght, Indian Agent at Cherokee, was appointed to work out the details.

The Indians will appear in the Rhododendron parade on Wednesday morning, June 12, and will give exhibitions of archery and dances at McCormick Field, Wednesday evening, in what is expected to be one of the most spectacular attractions of the festival.

The Cherokees will represent their tribe and the town of Sylva at the Festival.

QUALLA

A Mother's Day program was given in the school auditorium Sunday morning. Devotional and an appropriate talk by Rev. C. W. Clay was followed by interesting plays, recitations, readings and music by the young folks of the Methodist and Baptist Sunday schools. It was a beautiful day and a large audience honored the occasion by their presence.

On May 7th Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Ferguson attended the closing exercises of Mount Berry College where Mr. Wayne Ferguson and Miss Mary Emma Ferguson are students. Miss Ferguson was a member of the senior class this year. They returned home with their parents for for summer vacation.

The Qualla graduates of Sylva High school this year were John H. Ferguson, Misses Jamie Reagan, Jani- sylvia Thomas, Dorothy Patton, Ruth Connor and Ruby Reagan.

Mr. Glenn Staleup, Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Norman, Mrs. J. L. Hyatt with Mrs. W. D. Wike of Cullowhee motored to the hospital at Six Mile, S. C., Friday, where Mrs. Norman will remain a while for treatment. The party, returning Saturday, were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Shaver at Glenville.

On May 5th a birthday dinner was given at Rev. J. L. Hyatt's in honor of Mr. C. P. Shelton and Mrs. J. L. Hyatt. Those present were J. L. Hyatt and family, C. P. Shelton and family and Rev. C. W. Clay and family.

Misses Louise Hyatt and Nell McLaughlin of Cullowhee spent Sunday with home folks.

Mrs. J. K. Terrell with Mrs. J. B. Battle, Miss Thelma Moody and Rev. C. W. Clay and Mr. Glenn Staleup of Whittier went to Waynesville Tuesday to attend the District Conference.

Born on May 2nd to Mr. and Mrs. Self Kimsey, a son, Charles.

Sunday, May 5th at the home of Mrs. J. H. Hughes a birthday dinner was given in her honor. In the afternoon the party motored to Bryson City and other points of interest.

Several Qualla folks attended the graduation exercises of Sylva High school last week.

Mrs. Charles Connor and daughter Wanda of Smokemont, were guests at Mr. W. H. Hoyle's and Mr. D. C. Hughes.

Mrs. J. L. Sitton, Mrs. D. M. Shuler and Mrs. Chas. Thomas called at Mr. D. C. Hughes.

Miss Marion Springer of Hendersonville visited home folks.

Mrs. Fred Sutton and children called at Mr. Dave Worley's.

Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Worley, Mr. and Mrs. Terry Johnson and Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Ward were visitors at Mr. Ham Hoyle's.

Misses Roxie and Hilda Buchanan and Mr. Delos Buchanan of Webster and Mrs. Jess Blanton and children called at Mr. D. M. Shuler's.

appeared, carrying the old and tattered flag of the 39th North Carolina and was conducted to a seat on the rostrum, on which were seated Hon. Chas. F. Crisp, Rev. Dr. H. F. Creitzberg, Rev. Dr. R. F. Campbell, Rev. McNeely DuBose, Col. A. T. Davidson, Maj. Wm. E. Brees, Col. J. M. Ray, and others."

Clyde R. Hoey Announces Candidacy For Governor

HAT IN GUBERNATORIAL RING



CLYDE R. HOEY

As has been anticipated ever since Farmer Bob Doughton announced that he will not be a candidate for Governor next year, Clyde R. Hoey, of Shelby has tossed his hat into the ring with a formal announcement of his candidacy. The announcement of Hoey followed close on the heels of Lieutenant-Governor Sandy Graham, during the last hectic days of the General Assembly.

There are other candidates both active and prospective, but the ones that are attracting attention are Hoey and Graham.

Sandy Graham has grown in strength while the General Assembly has been in session, while it is believed that Hoey, admittedly the most popular man in the State, has lost to some degree. Just how far-reaching his losses are is not yet known, and is to be seen as the campaign develops. Graham will have much support from members of the last and former General Assemblies, and his war record will give him considerable strength among the veterans and with the American Legion, a powerful force in North Carolina.

Hoey, the orator of many campaigns is known from one end of the State to the other, and has succeeded, while standing for Prohibition, in not alienating the wet faction. He campaigned the State for Al Smith in 1928, and refused to run against Bob Reynolds for the Senate. Then he made another campaign against the repeal of the 18th Amendment, and the dregs hailed him as the leader.

In his statement, Mr. Hoey says that he has no purely personal ambition to be Governor of North Carolina but that he has a tremendous interest in adequate educational facilities, in assisting the tenant farmers, in fostering higher education, in more adequately compensating the school teachers and other wage earners, to make more secure their future, and to provide for the reasonable necessities of old age among all the people.

There follows a sketch of Mr. Hoey by Lee B. Weathers:

Clyde Roark Hoey has for more than two decades been one of the most colorful figures in the public life of North Carolina.

Born in Shelby, N. C., on December 11, 1877, the son of a Confederate army officer, Capt. S. A. and Mrs. Charlie Roark Hoey, his life story reads very much like a chapter out of fiction instead of real life.

The average North Carolinian not familiar with the intimate details of the Shelby man's early life would hardly realize that he has not attended school since the age of 12 years, except for a short law course in the University of North Carolina summer school. Yet his self-education, started in boyhood when it became necessary to leave school in order to earn his livelihood, has been so thorough that for years he has been ranked as one of the state's leading attorneys and one of the South's most outstanding orators.

He worked on a farm, while not attending school, until the age of 12 and then entered a printing office and began work as "the shop devil" to learn the trade. At the age of 17 he purchased, on credit, the newspaper for which he worked and became publisher and editor thereof. When only 20 years of age he was elected to the State Legislature, serving two terms in the house and one in the State Senate. He studied law, in the meantime, at night at home and during the rare few hours of leisure at the printing office, where he was still one of the printers as well as owner and editor. Following a brief study of law one summer at Carolina, he obtained his law license, when just 21 years of age, and began the practice of law in connection with his newspaper work. In 1908, after 14 years as "devil" printer and editor-lawyer he disposed of his newspaper interests and has since devoted his full time to the practice of law.

Few men have participated in more political campaigns for the Democratic party and, during the last twenty years, he has spoken in practically all of the 100 counties in North Carolina. Mr. Hoey's persuasive oratorical talent has been drafted, or rather volunteered, for every state and national campaign of any importance since 1910. Despite his work for the party and its candidates, in which he has remained consistently Democratic through victory and defeat, the widely known Shelby at-

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SWAIN MAN KILLS SELF AS RESULT OF JOKE

Hubert Breedlove, garage employe at Bryson City, took a shot gun, went squirrel hunting, and took his own life, after he had been told, as a joke, that John DeHart, whose jaw Breedlove had broken in a fist and skull fight, was not expected to recover.

Breedlove was so upset over the story that was told him, that he went to a wooded spot and took his own life.

SUPERIOR COURT STARTS HERE MONDAY MORNING

The May term of Jackson county superior court will begin its sittings Monday morning. Judge J. A. Ross, of North Wilkesboro is scheduled to preside.

The term is for the trial of both criminal and civil cases. The first week the criminal docket will be taken up.

TOWN OFFICIALS INDUCTED

The newly elected officials of the town of Sylva were inducted into office last night, at the city hall.

C. C. Buchanan again took the oath of office of mayor; J. Claude Allison, W. E. Grindstaff, Grover Wilkes, E. L. Wilson and Sam Allison were sworn in as aldermen.

The board re-elected M. D. Cowan as city clerk and James A. Turpin as chief of police.

METHODISTS TO HAVE NEW CHURCH AT CULLOWHEE

The Waynesville District Conference, meeting in Waynesville, last week, decided to back the erection of a new and modern church to replace the present building owned by the Methodists at Cullowhee.

A committee composed of Mrs. E. L. McKee, Sylva, W. E. Bird, Cullowhee, and M. Buchanan, Sylva, was appointed to supervise the work.

SYLVA MAN HURT BY AUTO

Rufus Frady, of Sylva, was seriously injured, when struck by an automobile, while crossing the road at Haw River, Saturday. He was taken to a Burlington hospital for treatment.

GILMAN TO PREACH SUNDAY

The Rev. Phillip S. Gilman, M. A., former dean of St. Luke's Episcopal Cathedral, Orlando, Florida, will preach at the 11 A. M. service Sunday, at St. John's Episcopal Church, here.

FIRE DESTROYS HOME

The home and personal belongings of "Uncle" George Cook, aged one-armed resident of the Wilmot section, was consumed by flames early this week. Mr. Cook and his family were sleeping when the fire started. The house was ablaze all over when they awakened. In addition to destroying the home and personal property, the fire also baked the fine garden in which "Uncle" George had spent many a laborious hour.

NEW BEAUTY SHOPPE

Miss Lela Allen is in charge of the new beauty parlor, opened in the City Barber Shop. A prize of a free permanent wave is being offered for a name for the new establishment.