

The Jackson County Journal

ONE YEAR IN ADVANCE IN THE COUNTY

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\$2.00 A YEAR IN ADVANCE OUTSIDE THE COUNTY

Power Conference To Hold Senate's Attention

Washington, October 28 (Auto-News)—Regardless of the announcement for which the President called the Congress to convene in an extraordinary session on Nov. 15, it is certain that the international attitude toward Japan and American participation in the Nine-Power Conference in Brussels on October 30, will hold the attention of the Senate to the exclusion of anything else at least, of the specific session which the President has called.

While there has been no open opposition in Congress to Secretary Hull's activities, there has been a feeling among a large group of Senators that any sort of international cooperation by the United States is the seeds of possible "entanglements." This isolationist feeling resulted in the Neutrality Law which the Administration did not pass at least in any such form as it is now, and which Mr. Roosevelt rejected completely when he took steps which have led America, for the first time since the Peace Conference of Versailles nineteen years ago, to an international conference in which a war and its possible consequences are the subject of discussion.

It is not at all to the liking of many Senators, who feel that it may be a step toward bringing this country into European quarrels, if not into membership in the League of Nations. It is expected to voice their protest loudly and vigorously as soon as the Senate meets on November 15.

Davis Ready To Trade
Ambassador Norman H. Davis, who has been named as the United States representative at the Nine-Power Conference, will have some material in his luggage, which he will use effectively to further the program of Secretary Hull and the Administration, and result in improved foreign trade conditions for this country. And that is the prize Mr. Roosevelt hopes to grab in American participation in the conference.

There is no desire or intention on part of the Administration either to place an embargo on trade with Japan, or to do anything which would drive the nation in an armed fight. Even if there were a situation for armed intervention in this country could not undertake it without the cooperation of Great Britain, and the British navy at home, keeping guard of its country's Mediterranean route to the East. But if the other members of the Nine-Power Conference choose to adopt Mr. Roosevelt's suggestion of a "quarantine" against aggressors menacing Japan in this case—Ambassador Davis has authority to agree to such an agreement by the nine powers to isolate Japan from all foreign trade intercourse would, it is believed here, speedily end her aggressions in China.

Why Japs Would Quit
For Japan is not in financial condition to carry out her plans for the conquest of China if her foreign trade is cut off. It might hurt American trade for a short time, since Japan is our largest customer for cotton; but cotton is being supported chiefly by the Government now, and further support would add little to the present situation. A Japanese economic quarantine would shut off practically all of this country's supply of silk, which would result in a boom in the rayon market. But lacking her supplies of cotton, oil and metals which she has to import, and the cash from her sales of silk in which to pay the cost of maintaining an army in China, Japan would, officials here believe, throw up her hands and cry quit, on any fair terms the other nations laid down.

It is quite definitely believed here that no international consideration of the Japan-China situation would have been possible if the United States, as one of the signatory nations to the Nine-Power Treaty, had not been willing to participate in the Brussels conference. Realizing this, the State Department began some months ago to bargain with European powers, especially Great Britain, as to the price of our participation. If they really wanted us to help settle the Japanese mess, coming at a time when they were busy trying to keep Europe from breaking out in a new World War, what would they pay us for our help?

TODAY and TOMORROW

RADIO
"Maybe I won't live to see it, but the time is bound to come when radio, as we know it today, will be superseded by a vastly more efficient method of broadcasting. That time will come when every home, or practically every one, has telephone or electric light wires running to it. For everything which is done by radio today can be done far more effectively over wires."

Radio is wonderful because it can go places where the wires don't run, where it wouldn't pay to run wires. But wherever the wires run, people don't use radio for sending messages. The wires are more dependable, less subject to interference by static and other conditions. That's why the broadcasting chains are connected by telephone wire.

Broadcasting over wires will be on a different basis, when it comes. Maybe its cost will be included in your telephone or electric light bill. The same wires can be used simultaneously for many different things. I'm sure only that in fifty years, perhaps less, people will laugh at their grandparents'—(that's us)—contumt with anything so crude as radio.

TELEVISION

In that future time our broadcast receiving sets will have some sort of a screen, like the ones in the movie theatres, on which we will see the entertainers while they are broadcasting. We'll be able to sit at home and watch a big-league ball game while it is actually being played, see the stage and the actors while listening to grand opera, or watch Charlie McCarthy while Eddie Bergen makes him talk.

Television is still "around the corner," but it's beginning to peek out. I saw a perfect demonstration of television ten years ago. It was done over a telephone wire. Radio's attempts have not produced very satisfactory results so far, but television will be here, available in every home, in another fifty years.

When television has once become fully established it will bring about great changes in innumerable ways. Advertisers broadcasting their sales talks will be able to show pictures of their products to everybody. That will mean a great change in the technique of selling goods of all kinds. This is going to be a much different world, fifty years from now.

PICTURES

It is already easy and getting easier every day to transmit pictures, by radio or wire—better by wire—over thousands of miles. That is not television, any more than sending a photograph of something which happened an hour, a day or a week ago in television. Television means seeing the thing when it actually happens. But the art of transmitting pictures by wire has become so perfected that a large proportion of newspaper pictures are sent from one place to another that way. It takes only ten minutes to wire a large photograph from coast to coast.

That process will be simplified and cheapened, too, so that everybody can use it. It is possible today, between certain cities, for anyone to go into a Western Union office with the snapshot he made this morning, and telegraph the actual picture. Some day telegrams back home from travelers and vacationists may regularly be accompanied by photographs of the sights they have seen.

Already one can send a telegram so it will be transmitted in his own handwriting. I've done it.

FACSIMILE

Facsimile telegraphy, which means telegraphing an exact copy of the original message, is being done by radio as well as by telegraph. Anything which can be reproduced in black and white can be transmitted in facsimile. The possible uses of this are immeasurable. It is used already to send exact copies of legal documents in a hurry, to forward "rush" advertising copy to newspapers, and, I believe, to rush fingerprints and pictures of criminals to police authorities, to help identify a suspect under arrest.

The beauty of facsimile telegraphy is that there is no chance of mistakes in transmission. Whatever the

Circulating Petition For Liquor Stores In County

MRS. W. T. CRISP DIED LAST MONDAY

Funeral services for Mrs. W. T. Crisp were held at Zion Hill church in Savannah township, Tuesday, by Rev. Thad F. Deitz, and interment was in the church cemetery.

Mrs. Crisp, who was 82 years of age last Saturday, was the widow of the late W. T. Crisp, well known citizen of this county. She died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. J. M. Smith, at Candler, on Monday, after an illness of several months.

She was a native of the Savannah section of Jackson county, and spent many years there until she and Mr. Crisp moved to Sylva, where they lived for several years. A few years ago, following the death of her son, C. J. Crisp, she moved to Candler.

Mrs. Crisp was a devout member of the Baptist church. She is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Myra Loftis, and Mrs. J. M. Smith, of Candler, by five sons, Gaither Crisp, Highlands, Frank Crisp, Franklin, G. C. Crisp, Candler, Luther Crisp, Alchua, Fla., and N. C. Crisp, Roanoke, Va.; by 30 grandchildren, six great-grandchildren, and many other relatives and friends.

BETA

Our lunch room at Beta is still going fine. Mrs. Frank Russell is in charge and gives efficient service. Around eighty pupils eat daily at five cents a plate.

Scott's Creek met in conference Sunday morning for the purpose of electing a pastor. Much satisfaction has been expressed over the election of Rev. T. F. Deitz. We think the church will continue to go forward in united effort.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Price and family went to Asheville to the circus, Sunday.

Mrs. Ora Monteith and Miss Hicks Wilson spent Saturday in Asheville.

Mr. and Mrs. W. V. Cope and family and Misses Martha and Rhoda Cope went to Asheville Saturday.

The Beta PTA will meet next Wednesday. A program of Radio Entertainers and other business matters will be discussed.

Mrs. Sallie Freeman spent the day with her father on Fisher Creek, Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Parris and little daughter, of West Asheville, are visiting relatives here.

AGENTS ATTEND MEETING

Mrs. Harry L. Evans, Mr. Garland Lackey, and Mr. Howard Clapp have been attending the conference of Extension Program Planning in Asheville this week.

Petitions demanding an election in Jackson county on the question of establishing one or more liquor stores in the county, are being circulated among the voters, with the view of bringing the question to a head and letting the people say whether or not this county is to continue under the present prohibition regime, with the licensing of the sale of beer and wine, or whether there is to be established one or more county liquor stores, to dispense hard liquors, and the beer and wine dealers continue as they are.

According to the act of the last General Assembly, providing for the establishment of county liquor stores, or as they are known, alcoholic beverage control stores, an election can be called by the board of elections, if and when it is petitioned to do so by fifteen percent of the voters of the county.

If the required number of names are signed to the petitions, and if the board of elections and county commissioners call the election, then the people of the county would vote on the question of liquor stores. If the election should carry for liquor stores, a county Control Board would be appointed, to operate under the State law and the direction of the State Control Board, and as many stores as the board deemed necessary would be set up, in various parts of the county. The profits from the sale of the liquor would go to the county and the State.

The establishment of liquor stores, under the present law, would in no wise affect the dealers in wines and beers, and they would continue to sell these beverages; but the ABC stores would carry all kinds of alcoholic beverages.

HALLOWE'EN CARNIVAL AT SCHOOL

There will be a Hallowe'en Carnival at the Sylva high school tomorrow, Friday evening at 7:00 o'clock. There will be no admission fee; but many side show attractions costing from one cent to five cents, and will include a cake walk, fortune-telling, believe it or not booth, chamber of horrors, and many other attractions. Lunches and sandwiches will be sold.

FIRST SNOW LAST FRIDAY

The first snow fall of the season visited Sylva and vicinity, last Friday, and again on Saturday. The snow did not remain on the ground, but melted as fast as it fell. But the mountains towering above the town were covered with a blanket of white of Saturday, Sunday and Monday.

Bob Reynolds Will Have Opposition In Primary

TUTTLE IS MOVED TO CHARLOTTE

Very much to the surprise of the members of the church, and the pastor himself, Bishop Kern transferred Rev. Mark Q. Tuttle from Sylva to Brevard street church, in Charlotte, after only one year's service here. Rev. A. P. Rattledge, who has been at Norwood, was sent to Sylva to fill the vacancy.

Rev. G. A. Hovis was returned to Webster, Rev. C. G. Hefner to Cullowhee, and Rev. McRae Crawford to Whittier.

The complete list of appointments for the Waynesville district are:
Waynesville District
Presiding elder, W. A. Rollins; Andrews, W. S. Smith; Bethel, T. G. Highfill; Brevard, J. H. Brendall, Jr.; Brevard circuit, to be supplied; Bryson City, A. L. Rayle; Canton, D. E. Camak; Clyde, E. C. Price; Cullowhee, C. G. Hefner.

Crabtree, A. F. Phibbs; Delwood, J. C. Stokes; Fins Creek, J. N. Snow; Franklin, J. E. Abernathy; Franklin circuit, H. S. Williams; Hayesville, W. J. Hackney; Highlands, W. F. Badle; Jonathan, H. L. LaFavers; Junaluska, J. H. Carper; Macon circuit, J. C. Swain; Murphy, W. A. Barber; Murphy circuit, to be supplied.

Robbinsville, G. L. Lovett, supply; Sylva, A. P. Rattledge; Waynesville, J. G. Huggin Jr.; Webster, G. A. Hovis, supply; Whittier, McRae Crawford.

Home Demonstration Clubs Will Have Achievement Day

The County Federation of Home Demonstration Clubs will hold an Achievement Day program, at the Community House, in Sylva, on Wednesday, Nov. 3, at 2 o'clock. Mrs. L. A. Davis, a florist from New Bern, will give a demonstration on making a wreath for the door, a spray, corsage, a funeral spray, and winter decorations for the home, from dried seed pods, grasses and evergreens. A small admission fee, 10 cents, will be charged, to defray the expenses of Mrs. Davis.

All Home Demonstration Club members are urged to attend the meeting, and all other interested persons are invited.

BALSAM

(By Mrs. D. T. Knight)
It snowed here Friday and Saturday until it reached a depth of several inches, which presented a most beautiful sight, as it clung to the varicolored foliage on the trees. A large

They are out after Bob Reynolds' scalp. Somebody has a mighty hankering to tack his hide to the barn door. The sides are lining up and unavailing for position, even if the primary does not come off until next June.

Frank Hancock, representative in Congress from the fifth district, which is composed of the counties of Caswell, Forsyth, Granville, Person, Rockingham, Stokes and Surry, has announced that he is a candidate for the nomination to wear the toga now on Bob's shoulders. "Farmer Bob" Doughton, representative from the ninth and Chairman of the Ways and Means Committee of the House, who has a powerful hold on the mountains of the northwest, and whose name has been frequently mentioned in connection with a contest with Bob Reynolds, has stated that he will not be a candidate; but that he is supporting Mr. Hancock.

On the other hand, Cameron Morrison, who has also been suggested as a possible candidate, has stated that he will not run; but that he thinks the people of North Carolina should draft Gov. Hoey as the proper man to defeat Reynolds and represent the State in the Senate. Morrison was appointed to the Senate by Governor Gardner, but was defeated by Senator Reynolds in a bitter primary.

It is rumored that the organization has decided that Bob should be defeated. Whether this rumor is true or not, remains to be seen; but it persists in coming out of Raleigh. That there are powerful forces in the State who would like to see Bob defeated, nobody will deny. That, among the rank and file, there are also many who do not care for Bob as a Senator, is undoubtedly true. On the other hand, nobody can be found who will say that Senator Reynolds has not a large personal following in the State, that he is popular with a large number of voters, and that he is well able to make a good showing for himself in any political contest.

So far, Representative Hancock is the only avowed candidate against Senator Reynolds, and he lives so far east, that most of the voters in this part of the State know little or nothing about him. However, the part of the State from which he hails is the region where the votes grow in profusion, and the race will prove an interesting one.

It has been suggested that somebody who can garner a goodly number of votes in the Southwest may be trotted out, to take away from Bob's strength. That, clearly, would give Mr. Hancock a better chance.

The suggestion of Senator Morrison that Governor Hoey be forced into the race, would certainly complicate the entire situation; and it is generally conceded that one strong, genuine candidate would have a better chance of unseating the Junior Senator, than would two or more.

Cullowhee To Meet Boone In Home-Coming Attraction September 6

The football game between the Catamounts and the Gridmen of Appalachian State Teachers College of Boone, will be the main attraction of the Home-coming Day program that is to be staged at Cullowhee Saturday, September 6.

Boone is reported to have one of the best teams it has had in recent years and reports seem to bear this out the difference in the two teams never seem to make any difference to the bunch of Catamounts at Cullowhee and this year is no exception. The boys are already talking about the game and are sure that they can hold Boone to a much closer score than most of the teams that Boone has played this year have been able to.

Cullowhee started the season rather slowly but they have been improving steadily and right now are in the best condition that the team has been this year. They are in just the shape right now to upset the dope bucket. Cullowhee won over East Carolina Teachers College last Saturday at Greenville and are looking for new field to conquer. This was the first time that the Catamounts have been able to get their running attack straightened but since they have done so they are expected to be able to score in most of their remaining games including the Boone game.

Saunders, regular fullback, is out temporarily suffering from a severely twisted knee but is expected to be

Hallowe'en Jitters

by A. B. CHAPIN



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