

The Jackson County Journal

\$2.00 A YEAR IN ADVANCE OUTSIDE THE COUNTY

SYLVA, NORTH CAROLINA, THURSDAY, APRIL 16, 1942

\$1.50 A YEAR IN ADVANCE IN JACKSON COUNTY

P. L. Elliott Named Head Of Sylva Rotary Club For Year, At Recent Meeting

Rev. P. L. Elliott, of Western Carolina Teachers College, was elected president of the Sylva Rotary Club, at the meeting Tuesday night at the Carolina Hotel. T. N. Massie, Sylva business man, was elected vice-president; Bill Ensor, of Cherokee Indian School, secretary-treasurer; Wayne Terrell, Dillsboro sergeant-at-arms; and Keith Hinds, of Cullowhee, Harry E. Ferguson, Dan M. Allison, W. J. Fisher, and Rev. Robert G. Tuttle, all of Sylva, directors. The officers will be installed at the first meeting in July. They succeed Clyde Blair, president; P. L. Elliott, vice-president; Roscoe Poteet, sergeant-at-arms; and Paul Ellis, Harold McGuire, Ralph Sutton, Jack Walters and Cole Cannon, directors.

SATURDAY LAST DAY TO ENTER POLITICS RACE

With Saturday the last day for filing notice of candidacy with the County Board of Elections, the entrants in the primaries will close on that day, and the real campaigning for votes will begin. The Democratic Primary will be held on May 30. Republicans of the county will hold their convention tomorrow (Friday) and nominate candidates for the various county offices, in time to get their names filed with the Board of Elections prior to the deadline. So far, three candidates are in the field for sheriff. Sheriff Leonard Holden is running to succeed himself. Opposing him are M. D. Cowan, former clerk of the court of the county, and Fred Sutton.

There is a three cornered race for Chairman of the Board of County Commissioners. The present incumbent, T. Walter Ashe, is opposed by John H. Morris and Frank Hall.

Clerk of the Court Roy M. Cowan is again a candidate; but so far no opposition has developed. Glenn Hughes is again a candidate for Register of Deeds, and no opposition to him has arisen.

Mrs. E. I. McKee is unopposed, so far, for the State Senate.

Dan Tompkins is a candidate for Representative, and no opposition has been announced.

The entire present Board of Education is again in the field; and as yet there are but two other candidates. They are J. H. Long, of Mountain township, and Mack V. Breedlove, of Cashier's.

The present board is composed of C. E. Smith, John H. Hooper, John B. Deitz, D. H. Stephens, and J. H. Middleton.

Cleve Fisher and R. C. Howell are running to succeed themselves as county commissioners; and Ed Fisher, of Sylva, W. S. Fowler, of Hamburg, Chris Passmore, of Cashier's, are also candidates for those posts.

There may be last minute announcements of candidacy in the offices to be filled; but well informed politicians are of the opinion that the list is now in the field, and that the probability is that no further entries will be made.

Golf Tournament

A golf tournament will be held at the Riverside Golf Course, Sunday afternoon with Bryson City, according to an announcement made by Mr. Fred F. Andrews today.

The course is in good condition and several hazards have been removed. It is the first tournament to be held here this spring and a large crowd is expected to be present.

HONOR ROLL HAS MANY STUDENTS

The Honor Roll and Perfect Attendance Roll of Sylva Elementary school has been announced by the teachers. Those appearing on the rolls are:

First Grade: Honor Roll: Charles Kilpatrick, Betty Jo Davis, Claude Taylor, Jackie Cooper, Billy Crawford, Geraldine Keenum, Barbara Henson, Edith Moore, Betty Tuttle. Perfect Attendance: Stewart Davis, Delos Hooper, Lambert Hooper, Edward Sumner, Jonne Cogdill, Betty Jo Davis, Mary Lou Gates, Leah Sutton, Billy Hefner, Erlene Hurst, Geraldine Keenum, Mary Parks.

Second Grade: Honor Roll: Frank Abernathy, Jr., E. P. Stillwell, Jr., Mary Bivins, Vista Casada, Elizabeth Davis, Nancy Hartmann, Peggy Middleton. Perfect Attendance: Frank Abernathy, Jr., Tommy Ferguson, Lindon Jones, Kenneth Keenum, Earl Middleton, E. P. Stillwell, Jr., Kenneth Sutton, Patsy Buckner, Vista Casada, Elizabeth Davis, Janice Holden, Ruth Kindley, Hilda McGinniss, Peggy Middleton, Glen Bryson, Ellis Fox, Barbara Jean Gates.

Third Grade: Honor Roll: Betty Sue Jamison, Mary Morris, Pat Montague, Lewis Monteith, T. C. Shepherd. Perfect Attendance: Dorothy Ann Ashe, Frances Ann Bryson, Wanda Green, Mary Morris, Ernestine Shuler, Pat Montague, Joe Ryan, T. C. Shepherd, Neil Wilson, Frank Davis, Furman Dillard, Lois Moore.

Fourth Grade: Honor Roll: Patsy Abernathy, Mary Ellen Casada, Frank Crawford, Jr., Elizabeth Dillard, Betty Lee Gibson, Madge Henson, Doris Love Middleton, Joanne Moody, Doris Whitner. Perfect Attendance: Glenn Franklin, Jimmy Hornsby, Kent Hoyle, Lois Bryson, Peggy Jo Dills, Hilda Arrington, Patsy Abernathy, James Barnes, Mary Ellen Casada, Charles Cope, Frank Crawford, Jr., Elizabeth Dillard, Betty Lee Gibson, Anna Jean Harris, Madge Henson, Dan Allison, Jr., Doris Love Middleton, Joanne Moody, Jennette Moore, M. G. Ramsey, Jr., Doris Whitaker, Peggy Hayes Parks.

Fifth Grade: Honor Roll: Jessie Bryson, Frankie Fisher, Joyce Fisher, Anna Maud Hooper, Velma Madden, Jean Moses, Peggy Painter, Mary Cole Stillwell. (The name of Peggy Painter should have appeared on last month's honor roll also) Perfect Attendance: Carroll Ashe, Richard Bryson, Zollie Fincannon, Leroy Jones, Bennie Reece, Pearl Beasley, Frankie Fisher, Virginia Fox, Nora Hyatt, Willa May Frady, Evelyn Beasley.

Sixth Grade: Honor Roll: Jimmy Bales, Francis Buchanan, Edward Dillard, Jack Hennessee, Walter Allison Jones, Lea Lawrence, Charles Stillwell, Nancy Ruth Allison, Nancy Ann Owens, Margaret Ann Ryan, Rachel Ann Sutton, Ben Sumner. Perfect Attendance: Jimmy Arrington, Jimmy Bales, Grover Bishop, Edward Dillard, Walter Allison Jones, Lea Lawrence, Joe Guy McClure, Eugene McGinniss, Charles Stillwell, Ben Sumner, Boyd Sutton, Nancy Ruth Allison, Lucille Conner, Willa Mae Dillard, Jacqueline Holden, Dorothy Sue Parks, Betty Jean Queen, Hazel Parris, Mary Soderquist, Marguerite Sutton, Rachel Ann Sutton, Pauline Womack, Marie Beasley.

Seventh Grade: Honor Roll: Jimmy Sutton, Mary Bess Henry, Ronnie Sutton, Hilda Hoyle, Kent Coward. Perfect Attendance: Agnes Barnes, Helen Barnes, Ila Mae Buchanan, Doris Casada, Kent Coward, Hilda Hoyle, Evelyn Hein, Bobby Jones, Douglas Jordan, Harold Keever, Lyman Parker, Thelma Poteet.

TROUT SEASON OPENED ON 15TH IN THIS COUNTY

The legal season for trout fishing in the hundreds of miles of stream in Jackson and the adjoining counties opened yesterday, and disciples of Isaac Walton tried their luck and their lures.

It is reported that the number taking advantage of the opening day of the season was not as large as in past seasons, for the reason that tires and automobiles are used to transport the sportsmen to the streams.

In addition to the fine trout streams of the county, Lake Glenville is open to any person who has fishing license in this county. It is the only large lake that is stocked exclusively with trout. The lake is backed over some of the finest trout streams in the United States, streams that have been famous for generations. In addition to the trout thus naturally in the lake, it has been heavily stocked. The only requirement for fishing in this lake is to obtain license and follow the laws of sportsmanship as laid down in North Carolina. It is expected that Lake Glenville will be one of the most popular places in North Carolina this season, with people who like lake or sea fishing.

OPERETTA WILL BE PRESENTED ON NEXT TUESDAY AT WEBSTER

Webster, April 14—The Webster Graded School Chorus will present "Cobbler's Fairyland" in the Savannah Auditorium April 21, 1942 at eight o'clock. E. W. T. The operetta is composed of forty pupils. The leading characters are: King, T. C. Lewis; Queen, Evelyn Davis; Princess, Judy Davis; cobbler, Carl Stanford; a lady, Libby Ann Cannon. The chorus is composed of elves, fairies, cooks and painters with the dancers.

The program is under the direction of Mrs. Pearl Madison who is in charge of the music; Miss Hannah Cowan in charge of costumes; and Miss Sarah Bell Hooper, to take care of the stage setting and properties.

SYLVA JUNIORS FETE SENIORS

The seniors of the Sylva high school were guests of the juniors at the annual junior-senior banquet, held at the Community House, last Friday evening. About 150 persons were present, including the members of both classes and their teachers.

The dinner and program were Hawaiian, and the principal speaker was Mrs. John Wilson Smith.

Others appearing on the program were, Ida Jean Allison, president of the junior class, Billy Cope, senior class president, Elizabeth Stillwell, June Bess, Lucille Reagan, Mark Watson, Patsy Bailey, A. C. Moses, Jane Poteet, Anne Warren, and principal Louis Hair.

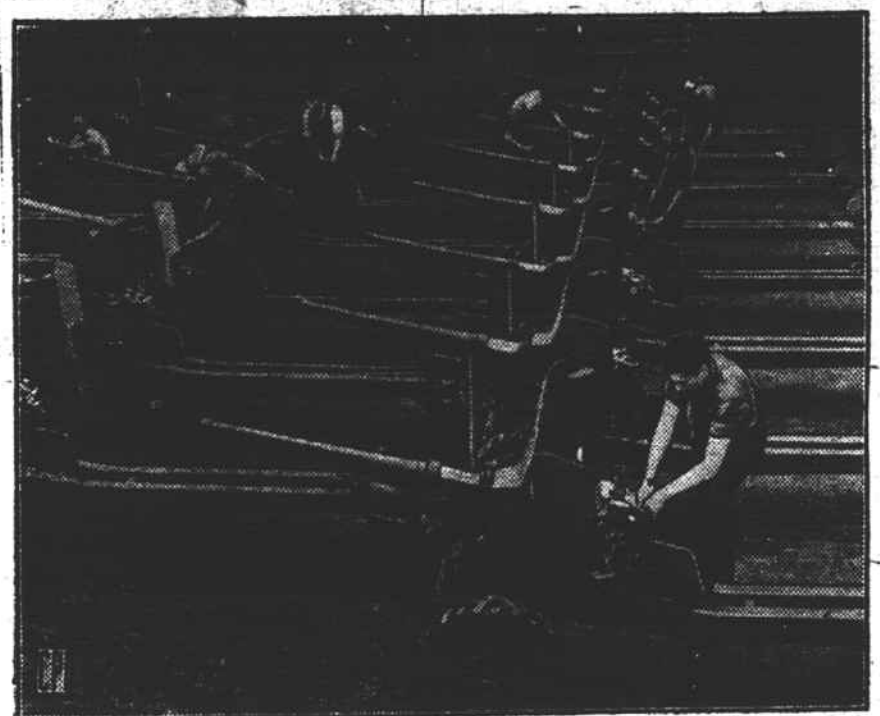
F. B. JONES GOES TO VETERAN'S HOSPITAL

Frank B. Jones was taken in an ambulance to the Veteran's Hospital at Oteen. Mr. Jones is suffering with an ulcerated stomach, and has been under treatment of a physician for some time.

A veteran of the World War, who served with the 105th Field Signal Battalion, 30th Division in France and Belgium, Mr. Jones has been an employee of the Mead Corporation almost continuously since the war.

Jimmy Sutton, Charles Warren, Rebecca Ann Wilson.

ANTI-TANK GUNS



THESE vicious two-pounder guns are not unlike the famous whibangs of the last World War. They are being manufactured by the thousand in Canada and they have done effective work in Russia and Libya where they have proved to be deadly against certain types of German and Italian tanks. Canada is shipping vast quantities of war materials to Russia and, in addition to making an outright gift of \$1,000,000 to Great Britain, is financing the purchase of virtually all the weapons which Britain must get from Canada.

WILLIAM REAGAN AND MRS. COOPER DIE; BURIED AT QUALLA

(By Mrs. J. K. Terrell)
The body of Mr. William Reagan, who died in the hospital in Nashville, Tenn., was brought to the Camp Ground cemetery on Monday, April 6, for interment. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. John Reagan, and brother of Messrs. Albert, Jehu, and Melvin Reagan, all of Qualla. The service was conducted by Rev. J. L. Hyatt.

Mrs. Lee W. Cooper died at her home on the afternoon of April 9. She was buried at Thomas cemetery, the tenth. The service was conducted in the Methodist church by Rev. W. E. Andrews and Rev. J. L. Hyatt. The following is read at the funeral: Mattie K. McClure Cooper was born March 24, 1881. Age 61. Joined the Methodist church early in life.

Her children wish to thank all for flowers and kindly aid in the sickness and death of their mother. She leaves four children, Mrs. Winnie Lee Brooks, of Candler, and Messrs. Frank, Woodrow, and Roan Cooper, all of Qualla, and four grandchildren. Surviving also are two stepsons, Messrs. Paul and Herman Cooper; 21 step-grandchildren; a nephew, Carl and Norman McClure, of Hayesville, and O. L. McClure, of Albany, Texas; two sisters, Mrs. Jessie Burch of Hayesville, and Mrs. Donnie Herbert, of Branson, Mo., and a host of friends. Moody Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

On April 9, Mrs. J. K. Terrell was notified of the death of her brother-in-law, Mr. D. H. Keener, who died at Murphy, at the home of his sister, Mrs. Jennie Swain. His body was taken to Canton for burial, on Friday. He lived at Qualla for several years and had a number of relatives here.

Mrs. Louise Edwards, Miss Jennie Cathey and Mrs. Lucy Hall are at home since finishing their schools at Addie, Barker's Creek and Wilmot.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Hoyle and Miss Gertrude Ferguson attended the Singing Convention at Lovedale, on Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Lucy Shelton visited her aunt, Mrs. Davis, who is seriously ill in Canton.

Mr. Lenoir Enloe left last week for the United States Army.

Mrs. Tyler Buchanan and children of Webster called at Mr. D. M. Shuler's Sunday.

Mr. C. P. Shelton went to Asheville last week.

Mr. S. P. Hyatt and family of Cherokee were guests of Rev. and Mrs. J. L. Hyatt Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Hipps and Mr. and Mrs. Luther Reagan attended services in Knoxville on Sunday, April 5.

Mr. and Mrs. Golman Kinsland gave a supper reception on Tuesday evening.

Mr. D. C. Hughes called at Mr. J. K. Terrell's Sunday.

Mrs. C. P. Shelton and Mr. Harry Shelton, with Mrs. Faye Varner and Mr. Robert Varner of Whittier, visited relatives on Jonathan's Creek Sunday.

Funeral Of N. C. Brown To Be Held Tomorrow At Dillsboro Church

KING AND QUEEN OF HEALTH TO BE CHOSEN HERE

Carrying out the ideals of the Health-H in their club emblem, 4-H Club members of Jackson County have during the past year been studying and following rules and practices that go for the making of stronger and healthier bodies and clearer minds.

As a climax for this health work each club member 14 years or over 14 will be given a health check up during the last two weeks in April. As a result of this the King and Queen of health will be chosen from the county to enter the district health meet to be held later in the spring.

Similar health contests are to be held in each county and district in the State. District winners will compete in a State contest and the State winners will be eligible to enter the National 4-H Health Contest to be held during the National 4-H Club Congress in Chicago in December.

The County Health work is sponsored by the County and Home Demonstration Agents with the cooperation of the County Health Department and the teachers of the various County Schools. The actual health examination will be given by Mrs. Earl Padgett, County Health Nurse and Dr. C. N. Sisk, Health Officer.

The examinations will be made on the following schedule:

Webster, Thursday, April 16, 9:30 A. M.; Greenville, Monday, April 20, 11 A. M.; Savannah, Monday, April 20, 2 P. M.; Beta, Wednesday, April 22, 10 A. M.; John's Creek, Thursday, April 23, 10 A. M.; Sylva, Friday, April 24, 10:30 A. M.; Cullowhee, Tuesday, April 28, 10 A. M.

WEBSTER GIRL IS TO REPRESENT COLLEGE AT MEETING IN AIKEN

Greensboro, April 16—Representing Woman's college, three students will appear on the program of the Inter-State Collegiate 4-H clubs meeting at Camp Long, Aiken, S. C., today and Saturday.

Misses Sarah Gainey, of route seven, Fayetteville, and Helen Whitlock, route four, Albemarle, will lead a forum on the role of the college student in defense and war, with two N. C. State college boys assisting.

Other members of the Woman's college 4-H club attending the sessions will be: Misses Helen Higdon, Webster; Dorothy Mann, route one, Mebane; Annie Ruth Clark, route four, Durham; Eunice Whitley, route three, Wilsom; and Ellen Southerland, Kearsville.

Colored Schools To Close

Beginning with the closing of the primary and grammar grades, on April 24, the Colored Consolidated School of Jackson County will continue its commencement through May 1, according to John H. Davis, the principal.

The commencement sermon will be preached on Sunday, April 26. On Monday, April 27, the 7th and 8th grades will give the commencement play, "Under Western Skies." On Wednesday evening the mystery play "The Night Cry," will be presented.

On Friday, May 1, the graduation exercises will be held. Dan Tompkins will deliver the commencement address. Superintendent A. C. Moses will present the diplomas, Mr. D. G. Bryson the school citizenship awards, and Charles E. Smith, will also speak to the colored children.

Funeral services for N. C. Brown, 51 year old prominent farmer and business man, will be held at the Dillsboro Baptist church tomorrow (Friday) afternoon at 2:30.

Mr. Brown, a native of Watauga county, moved to Jackson in 1925, and engaged in the dairy business here for several years. He operated a dairy at Webster and later at Dillsboro, making deliveries in Sylva and environs. By his neighborliness and accommodating nature, Mr. Brown won for himself a large circle of friends in this and the adjoining counties. He was a good farmer and dairyman, and also operated a threshing machine during the threshing season. Mr. Brown was prominent in agricultural and political circles in the county.

Surviving him are his widow, two sons, Boyd Brown and Burton Brown, and four daughters, Mrs. Ralph Dills, Mrs. Eddie Queen, Miss Claudine Brown and Miss Bobbie Brown, all of Dillsboro.

The funeral service will be conducted by Rev. W. N. Cook, pastor of the Webster Baptist church, and interment will be in the Parris cemetery.

BETA SUNDAY SCHOOL MAKES RECORD LAST SUNDAY MORNING

The Scott's Creek Baptist Sunday School at Beta, made an attendance record on last Sunday. Out of an enrollment of 325 there were 276 persons present, which, so far as is known is the largest percentage of membership attendance ever recorded at the school.

There was also a large attendance at the Baptist Training Union, and at both morning and evening services. The pastor, Rev. B. S. Hensley occupied the pulpit.

There was special music at both services.

INDICTED ON LIQUOR CHARGE

Raymond Mace is in jail in default of \$400 bond, and Jack Hall was released in bond of that amount, after a preliminary hearing before United States Commissioner W. O. Calhoun, in Bryson City, on charges of transporting non-taxpaid liquor.

Mace and Jack Hall, Sylva taxicab driver and operator of Jack's Place on Savannah, were arrested in the Tannery Flats section of Sylva last Friday night by Highway Patrolman J. A. Sullins and Sylva Patrolman John O'Kelly. Officers stated that Hall's taxicab contained four gallons of liquor at the time the arrest was made. The two men were turned over to federal authorities, and Commissioner Calhoun bound them to the May term of United States Court, at Bryson City.

MISS MCADAMS TO EXHIBIT PICTURES AT CHARLOTTE SHOW

Cullowhee, (Special) — Miss Laura Jean McAdams will exhibit nine pictures, three oils, three water colors, and three pen and ink sketches, in the Middle Atlantic States' Art Exhibit at the Mint Museum, Charlotte, during the first week of May. The exhibit is promoting the work of Southern artists and is emphasizing America at war with the purpose of getting new designs that will aid in defense work.

Miss McAdams will also enter nine pictures in the North Carolina Art Exhibit, sponsored by the American Federation of Women's Clubs, which is to be held in Asheville at the Vanderbilt Hotel on April 21-23.

BUY DEFENSE BONDS