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SPRING COURT JURORS DRAWN

Tax Listers Also Named By Commissioners Tuesday

The county commissioners Tuesday drew the list of jurors who will serve at the April term of Macon superior court which will convene on April 17.

The list follows:

First Week

F. J. Moss, Highlands; C. T. Ledford, Prentiss; J. M. Willis, Route 3; Harley B. Mason, Stiles; R. H. Snyder, Franklin; H. G. Cabe, Route 4; Carl Vinson, Dillard, Ga., Route 1; Geo. Stanfield, Cullasaja; W. B. Bennett, Route 3; R. C. Anderson, Stiles; C. N. West, West's Mill; J. P. Norton, Route 4; L. L. Sweatman, Route 1; W. A. Justice, Route 2; E. M. Fox, Ellijay; L. H. Page, Franklin; Alex. Moore, Franklin; M. S. Vinson, Otto; W. E. Welch, Route 3; Elbert S. Byrd, Stiles; Roy Mashburn, Franklin; Tom L. Sanders, Franklin; Stinson Neely, Highlands; Ben E. Gibson, Cullasaja; Lawrence Ledbetter, Route 1; John Conley, Otto; J. D. Brendle, Route 4; A. A. Adams, Ellijay; W. T. Moore, Franklin; B. V. McCoy, Etna; Steve Duvall, Stiles; Joe McGaha, Franklin; T. T. Love, Franklin; G. T. Jacobs, Route 3; Denver Holland, Cullasaja; S. T. Maret, Highlands.

Second Week

Frank Dills, Ellijay; D. W. Wiley, Highlands; Gaither Teem, Cullasaja; Curtis Passmore, Flats; John M. Holt, Dillard, Ga., Route 1; Fred Taylor, Route 2; Geo. Farmer, Prentiss; J. Woodrow Teague, Cullasaja; H. S. Talley, Highlands; G. L. Garland, Route 2; J. Lawrence Potts, Franklin; John Edwards, Highlands; W. A. McConnell, Cullasaja; Claude Calloway, Franklin; Lake Stiles, Route 2; Love Henry, Route 2; Claude Duvall, West's Mill; J. H. Cabe, Sr., Dillard, Ga., Route 1.

Tax Listers Named

The commissioners at this meeting also selected the names of those who will serve as tax listers for this year in the various townships.

The list is as follows:

Franklin township, Elizabeth Meadows and J. J. Mann.
Millshola township, Paul Ammons.
Ellijay township, S. A. Bryson.
Sugarfork township, Ezra Shook.
Highlands township, Porter Pierson.
Flats township, Earl Dryman.
Smith's Bridge township, Jim McDowell and Robert Stewart.
Cartoogehaye township, Earl Harrison and Bob Southards.
Nantahala township, Clint May.
Burningtown township, Judd Wild and Bill Parrish.
Cowee township, S. C. Leatherman and Bob Rickman.

Typewriter Needed At Prison Camp

There is a need for a used typewriter for the prison camp. It can be used to advantage by the prisoners for writing their people at home. If anyone has an old one, which they would donate for this purpose, arrangements will be made for its delivery to the prisoners if you will notify The Press office. This will be appreciated very much.

Singers To Meet At Snow Hill March 19

The third Sunday afternoon singing of the northern division Macon County Singing Convention will meet at the Snow Hill Methodist church, beginning at 1 p. m., Sunday, March 19, it has been announced by Harley B. Mason, vice-president.

All choirs, quartets, duets, soloists and all interested in singing are invited to attend.

W. T. Rogers

Passes March 2 At Home Near Dillard, Ga.

William Thomas Rogers, 65, died last Thursday morning, March 2, at 2 o'clock at his home near the North Carolina-Georgia line after an illness of two months. Death was caused by cancer of the stomach.

Mr. Rogers was a son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Newton Rogers, of Buck Creek. He was a farmer, and had been a member of the Dillard Baptist church for 20 years, and was also a member of the Junior Order of United American Mechanics. He was married in 1904 to Miss Miranda McCall.

Surviving are seven sons, Louis Rogers, of Highlands; Alby, Norman, Hayes, Roy, Truman and Carl Rogers, of Dillard, Ga.; one daughter, Mrs. Harry McBride, of Hot Springs, Ark.; four sisters, Mrs. Mary Zachary, Cashiers; Mrs. Ed Picklesimer, Fair Creek; Mrs. Thomas Crunkleton and Mrs. Hyatt Crunkleton, Highlands; two brothers, Doc and Ben Rogers, of Buck Creek, and one half brother, James Rogers, of Highlands.

Funeral services were held at the Dillard Baptist church at 2 o'clock Friday afternoon, conducted by the Rev. J. D. Maxwell and the Rev. Mr. Marchman. Interment was in the church cemetery.

DEATH CLAIMS

T. T. ANGEL, 67

Macon County Man Passes At Home Of Son In Bryson City

Thomas Thornton Angel, 67, died at the home of his son, Dee Angel, at Bryson City last Thursday night, March 2, at 11 o'clock after a short illness.

His death was due to a heart attack, although he had been ill for a day with a mild attack of grippe.

The body was brought to the Bryant funeral home in Franklin where it remained until Saturday morning when it was taken to Andrews where funeral services were held at 10 o'clock.

Mr. Angel, a son of the late James P. and Reta Reed Angel, was born and reared in Macon county. In early boyhood, he worked in a tannery and harness shop with his father. Later, he traveled for a shoe firm. For several years he operated a shoe repair shop in Franklin, and was well known and highly esteemed throughout the county.

He was a member of the Presbyterian church.

He is survived by two sons, T. Angel, of Washington state, and Dee Angel, of Bryson City; three daughters, Mrs. Perry Mashburn, of Franklin; Mrs. Reta Gibson, of Andrews, and Mrs. Frank Thomas, of Bryson City; two brothers, Joe Angel, of Oklahoma, and Bill Angel, of Franklin, and two sisters, Mrs. Lena Myers, of Canton, and Miss Sallie Angel, of Oklahoma, and a wide connection of other relatives in Macon county.

P.-T. A. Sells Cakes At Lunch Room

In an effort to pay for the school lunch room equipment as soon as possible, the P.-T. A. has inaugurated the sale of cake at the lunch hour on Tuesdays and Thursdays.

Mrs. Leach's home economics class sells the cake for five cents a slice, with gratifying results.

The following members have donated cakes: Mrs. T. W. Angel, Jr., Mrs. Zeb Angel, Mrs. Addington, Mrs. Henderson Calloway, Mrs. Henry Cabe and Mrs. Arthur Flanagan.

MISS TELEVISION



Miss Peggy Knapp, Jackson Heights, New York, was named Miss Television in a beauty contest held in Palm Beach recently. Judges selected their winner from televised reproduction.

HIGHLANDS TO BUILD MUSEUM

Plans Approved By WPA Authorities In Washington

A project has been approved by the Washington office of the Works Administration to construct a museum in the town of Highlands. This project is sponsored by the town of Highlands, and very elaborate plans have been prepared by Arthur Kelsey, architect, and associates. This project has not been released by the regional office. However, this release is expected in the near future. This building is to be constructed of native stone with plate copper roof and should be of outstanding beauty when completed.

Dr. Clark Foreman, formerly of Atlanta, and a summer visitor in Highlands for many years, now of the department of the interior, Washington, gave leadership for the creation of the Highlands museum about a decade ago. The work of Prof. T. B. Harbison, Burnham Colbourne, Dr. W. C. Coker, of the University of North Carolina, now president, and other distinguished scientists have helped develop the scientific and educational work centered in the museum.

Liberal gifts and unflagging interest of a small group of people have made the progress of this work possible, notably that of the Misses Marguerite and Clare Ravenel and S. Prioleau Ravenel, of Highlands and Philadelphia.

The proposed museum building will be located near Ravenel Lake and in the proximity of the Samuel Weyman laboratory. The museum's collection of Indian relics is now housed in an annex to the Hudson Public library.

Ask Town To Give Lot For Community Building

At the regular monthly meeting of the Franklin board of aldermen Monday night, a committee of ladies from the Garden club appeared to ask the donation of a lot for the proposed community building, but it was stated that the town has no land close enough in to be suitable for the purpose.

The members of the board seem to be anxious to cooperate in every way possible in the movement for a community recreation center and auditorium, for which government funds have been allotted, but at this time there is no land owned by the town which could be used for the purpose.

Stockholders

Of Federation To Hold Annual Meeting

The annual meeting of Macon county stockholders of the Farmers Federation will be held at 10 o'clock Saturday morning in the co-op's warehouse on Palmer street.

James G. K. McClure, president, and other executives of the farm cooperative are expected to attend and make brief addresses. Reports will be submitted on last year's business and plans discussed for the current year.

Also to come up at this meeting will be the election of a local advisory committee of 10 members and the nomination of one of two representatives from this county on the federation's board of directors. Each county where the organization functions is entitled to two members on the board of directors. They serve overlapping terms of two years. The directors are nominated at county meetings and elected at the annual meeting of stockholders of the whole organization which, this year, will be held in Asheville on Saturday, March 25.

Macon county is now represented on the federation's board by Carl Slagle, whose term extends for another year, and Jerry Franklin, whose term expires this month.

Music will be furnished at Saturday's meeting by the federation's string trio, and at the conclusion of the meeting coffee and cookies will be served.

WPA HAS MANY CREWS AT WORK

Street, Road And Building Projects Going Forward

Work began Monday on the Harrison avenue project of the Works Progress Administration, with 30 additional men employed. The improvements planned include building up of pavement and shoulders of highway with stone surfacing to be treated with asphalt, widening the street and developing the sidewalk on the south side of the street. This makes the sixth crew at work on town streets, the others being West Main, Bidwell, River-view, Iota, and Oak streets. Other streets to be worked on are Porter, Wayah, East Franklin, Green and Summit.

These combined projects include the quarry operation on Rabbit Creek that is furnishing the crushed stone, and employs 170 men.

The new farm-to-market projects on county roads are working 350 men on the following units: Burningtown, Cowee, Gold Mine, Smith's Bridge, near Otto; Bethel, McConnell Road. Old projects on county roads are employing 150 men.

Skittle Creek Project

A project to complete a recreational center including the construction of bath house, latrine, cooking shelter, parking area, foot trails, foot bridges, amphitheatre, landscaping and other miscellaneous structures located at Skittle creek, has been approved by Works Progress Administration with \$16,272 WPA funds. This project is sponsored by Nantahala national forest with \$7,506 in funds.

This project will employ 75 people for a period of six months. Operation is planned to begin on this project on March 11.

Bill Monroe To Be At Courthouse March 11

Bill Monroe and his show will appear at the courthouse in Franklin Saturday night, March 11, for the benefit of the Cullasaja Gospel tabernacle.

Several well known musicians and comedians are included in the cast, and the performance is expected to draw a large crowd.

NAMES BOARD OF EDUCATION

Membership Is Increased From Three To Five; Names Submitted

Representative George B. Patton, of Macon county, introduced in the house last Thursday a bill which proposes to increase the number of members of the county board of education from three to five, and appoints the new board as follows: C. Tom Bryson, James L. Hauser, W. E. Mozeley, Miss Lassic Kelly and Mrs. Fred Slagle.

The bill was referred to the committee on education, and it is expected to pass without opposition.

The members of the new board will take up their duties on the first Monday in April.

Livestock Commission Abolished

The senate Friday passed the bill repealing the act of 1937 creating a livestock commission for Macon county, and the duties of the commission will now be taken over by the board of county commissioners.

This was the last of the repeal bills introduced by Representative Patton, three others—concerning delinquent tax collections, jailer's allowance for prisoners' meals and the jury commission, having been passed by both houses earlier in the session.

The bill to abolish absentee voting in Macon county is still in committee and will probably not be acted upon until state-wide ballot reform measures have been cleared from the calendar.

Revenue Bill Finished In House

The revenue bill passed the second reading in the house Wednesday and final passage is expected today (Thursday). It will then go to the senate where it must pass three readings on three separate days. Only one change was made in the bill as adopted on the first reading—an amendment by Tompkins, of Jackson, exempting Bibles from the sales tax.

The senate passed Wednesday and sent to the house a bill which prohibits the publication of legal advertising in newspapers which have not been published regularly for 25 of the 26 preceding weeks. The measure is intended to protect established newspapers from fly-by-night publications.

A strong effort is being made by business men of the state to have an exemptionless sales tax of two per cent substituted for the present law, but it was defeated in the house and is thought to have little chance for adoption.

Two Great Pictures At Macon Theatre

The Macon Theatre will present two of the screen's outstanding attractions within the next few days.

The first will be "Stagecoach," which will be shown at 11 o'clock Friday night and also on Saturday. This picture stars Claire Trevor and John Wayne, and is packed with excitement and adventure from beginning to end.

On Monday and Tuesday, March 13 and 14, will be shown Mark Twain's "Huckleberry Finn," with Mickey Rooney, Walter Connolly, William Frawley, Lynne Carver Rex Ingram and Jo Ann Sayers.

Millions have read this story and millions love it. It is the greatest epic of American boyhood—a heart-warming, heart-winning story of life on the Mississippi. It is Mickey Rooney's first starring production, and is a feast of humor and adventure.

Both of these great pictures are expected to pack the house at each performance.

Mrs. James L. Bryson and son, Horace, of West's Mill, spent the week-end at Cullasaja with their son and brother, C. Tom Bryson and Mrs. Bryson.