

Final Details Completed For Holding The Election

Announced For Voting Precincts Of County

As final arrangements for holding next Tuesday's general election are completed very little political activity is in evidence throughout the county. However, candidates for the various offices will no doubt lose much sleep rounding up supporters during the final days of the campaign. Mr. John Henson, chairman of the County Board of Elections, has announced that everything is in readiness for the election and that the polls will be open at 6:30 on Tuesday morning, November 5, and close at 6:30 p. m., being the official hours set by the State Board of Elections.

Mr. Henson also announced the following names as officials for holding the election in the various county voting precincts:

Cashiers—Registrar: C. L. Dillard; Judges: Bud Lombard (D) and P. S. Lance (R).

Hamburg—Registrars: Fred Bryson; Judges: Dewitt Leopard (D) and O. L. Lanning (R).

Mountain—Registrar: Mrs. Pearl Stewart; Judges: A. C. Edwards (D) and Clifton Moody (R).

River No. 1—Registrar: L. D. Moody; Judges: Fred Smith (D) and E. L. Hooper (R).

River No. 2—Registrar: Oscar Wike; Judges: Lonnie Watson (D) and Hagen Hamilton (R).

Canada No. 1—Registrar: Spurgeon Middleton; Judges: Hexter Brown (D) and Claude Wike (R).

Canada No. 2—Registrar: D. M. Shelton; Judges: Fred Galloway (D) and Cleve Wood (R).

Cullowhee—Registrar: Earl Sutton; Judges: Edd Moore (D) and John Watson (R).

Caney Fork—Registrar: Jim Potts; Judges: Mont Stephens (D) and Dillard Hooper (R).

Webster—Registrar: J. N. Cowan; Judges: Harley Lewis (D) and Lewis Cannon (R).

Sayannah—Registrar: Harley Buchanan; Judges: Lynn Barron (D) and Herman Cabe (R).

Greens Creek—Registrar: Joe Whetmore; Judges: Lyndon Cabe (D) and Elsie Sutton (R).

Barkers Creek—Registrar: Ben Jones; Judges: Dewey Beck (D) and Baxter Nations (R).

Dillsboro—Registrar: Willie Sutton; Judges: Boyd Brown (D) and Tom Keever (R).

South Sylva—Registrar: Wilma Jones; Judges: Chas. Reed (D) and Lewis Bumgarner (R).

North Sylva—Registrar: David Parris; Judges: Cary Dean (D) and Walter Warren (R).

Scotts Creek No. 1—Registrar: Clyde Bryson; Judges: J. R. Bradley (D) and W. H. Snyder (R).

Scotts Creek No. 2—Registrar: Price Dillard; Judges: L. C. Sutton (D) and M. J. Henry (R).

Scotts Creek No. 3—Registrar: Geo. Bryson; Judges: Geo. Knight (D) and Jake Parris (R).

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FIRE DEPARTMENT STARTS SAFETY DRIVE

State Laws Called To Attention Of Public

In a determined effort to prevent traffic accidents in Sylva and Jackson county the Sylva Fire Department, in conjunction with the Sylva Police Department and State Highway Patrol, is starting a campaign to inform the public on rules and regulations as set out by the State of North Carolina and Sylva regarding their conduct during fires and any other emergency wherein fire trucks, ambulances, police and patrol cars are involved, and are seeking the full cooperation of the citizens in the matter.

Recognizing the large number of traffic fatalities occurring over the state this campaign is started for the protection of the public and public property.

The three agencies mentioned above will give the public information on the laws from time to time through this newspaper. They are counting on full and complete cooperation of the people of Sylva and Jackson county, hoping that it will not be necessary to apply the law. However, in case of willful violation of these regulations the law will be enforced regardless of who the party or parties may be, the department said.

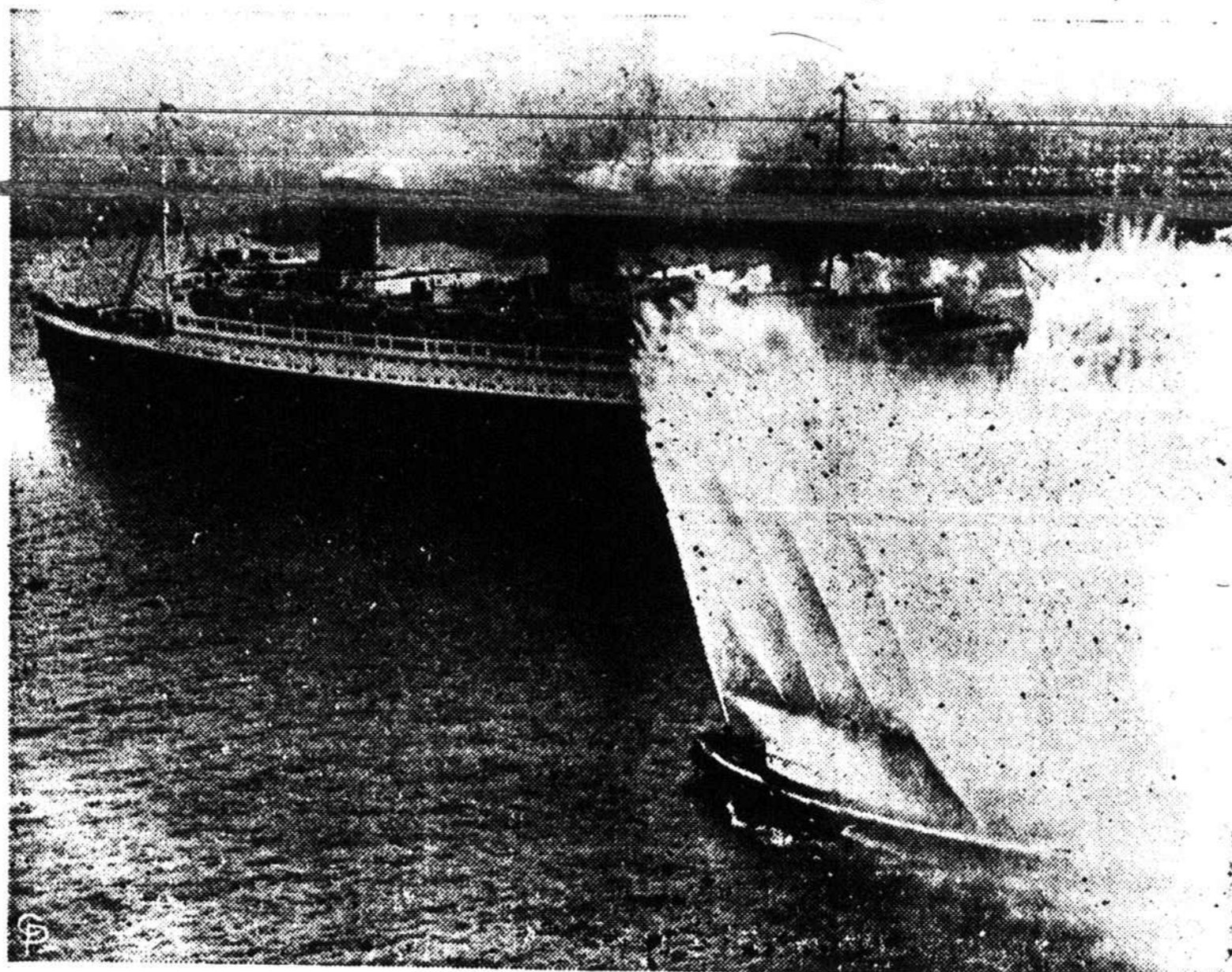
A few of the regulations are as follows:

N. C. Law 20-157. What to do on approach of police or fire department vehicle. (a) Upon the approach of any police or fire department vehicle giving audible signal by bell, siren or exhaust whistle, the driver of every other vehicle shall immediately drive the same to a position as near possible and parallel to the right-hand edge or curb, clear of any intersection of highways, and shall stop and remain in such position unless otherwise directed by a police or traffic officer until the police or fire department vehicle shall have passed.

(b) It shall be unlawful for the driver of any vehicle other than one on official business to follow any fire apparatus traveling in response to a fire alarm closer than one block or to drive into or park such vehicle within one block where the fire apparatus has stopped in answer to a fire alarm.

20-162. Parking in front of fire hydrant, fire station or private driveway.—No person shall park a vehicle or permit it to stand, whether attended or unattended, upon a highway in front of a private driveway or within fifteen feet in either direction of a fire hydrant or the entrance to a fire station, nor within twenty-five feet from the intersection of curb lines or if none, then within fifteen feet of the intersection of property lines at an intersection of high-

New York Gives The Queen A Royal Welcome



A FIREBOAT IN NEW YORK HARBOR shoots fountains of water from all her nozzles as the giant liner Queen Elizabeth proceeds to her pier, completing her first postwar voyage as a luxury liner. The ship brought 2,241 passengers, including Russian Foreign Commissar Molotov and 150 U. N. delegates. (International)

Farmers Should Place Order For Lime At Once

Mrs. Ellen N. Corbin, Secretary of Jackson County AAA, states that farmers in Jackson county who have completed their soil conservation practices for 1946 may place their orders for 1947 AAA lime at this time. All farmers who have their 1946 lime and phosphate spread on their land are urged to stop by the AAA office and place their order for 1947 lime at once if they wish early delivery. A special effort is going to be made by the County Committee to have 1947 lime delivered in December of 1946 and the early part of 1947. The rate for AAA lime next year is \$3.97, of which the farmer will pay \$1.25 per ton at the time his order is placed.

NEW HOME FOR FORD AGENCY OPENED HERE BY REECE-HAMPTON

Mr. Woody Hampton, manager of Reece-Hampton Motor Company, Inc., has announced the opening of his new building of the company, which has just been completed to house the sales room, offices, and service department of the Ford Agency.

This new home of the Ford Agency is one of Sylva's most modern structures. It was started early in the summer on the lot next to Hall-Norton Recap business on Cullowhee road. The building is of steel, concrete block, and brick construction. The garage and repair department is one story with

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Jackson Tobacco Farmers Vote To Retain Quotas

Jackson County Farmers voted to retain marketing quotas for three years—1947-1948-1949, in the referendum held October 25, 1946, at the AAA office, according to D. C. Higdon, chairman of the Jackson county AAA committee. This means that individual farm acreage allotments for 1947 will not be less than 80 per cent of the 1946 allotment for any farm which has grown up to 75 per cent of its allotted acreage in any one of the past three years. The law provides that 1946 allotments of nine-tenths of an acre or less cannot be reduced for 1947.

Only five votes were cast against retaining marketing quotas in Jackson county.

W.C.T.C. Stadium Fund Drive

Dr. W. P. McGuire Returns From Hunting Trip In S. D.

An exodus of Sylva hunters to the prairies of South Dakota can be expected at any time since Dr. W. P. McGuire exhibited a fine specimen of a ring neck pheasant on the streets here Wednesday, which he killed while on a recent hunting and vacation trip to Redfield.

Dr. McGuire, accompanied by his brothers, Dr. B. B. McGuire of Spruce Pine and Dr. A. R. McGuire of Asheville, and Verne Rhodes of Asheville, spent two weeks in the Redfield section of South Dakota hunting and fishing. The party members each took their bag limit of 25 pheasants during their six-day hunt. The bird exhibited by Dr. McGuire was a young cock, weighing about three pounds. It had been kept on dry ice and was in perfect condition upon arrival here.

Dr. McGuire stated that hunting there was perfect, and that every available hotel, tourist court, and private home rooms were taken by out-of-town sportsmen.

South Dakota hunting fee for out-of-state hunters is \$20. By this we know that the state is reaping a harvest from its wild game.

Jackson Group Attends Asheville Stock Show

A group of men and boys from Jackson county attended the Fat Stock show held at the Asheville Livestock yards last Wednesday. No entries were made from this county.

Those going for the showing of the stock were, M. L. Snipes, county farm agent; John Corbin, agricultural teacher at Sylva High school; George Conrad, assistant farm agent; W. T. Brown, FSA supervisor; Mr. Davis of Cullowhee and members of the Sylva unit of the Future Farmers of America.

Sylva "B" Team Hands Franklin 29-0 Defeat

Starting within 3 minutes after the initial kick-off, Sylva scored almost at will to swamp Franklin with four touchdowns and a safety.

Bill "Baldy" Cagle, Sylva's second string quarterback, was by far the star on offense. His fancy passing with Cunningham on the receiving end proved too much for the Franklin boys to stop.

The Sylva Hurricanes will meet Robbinsville on the Mark Watson Field Friday night at 7:30. Sylva was defeated 7-6 at Robbinsville, so a close and exciting game is expected.

Basketball Practice For VFW Team Tonight

Commander Joe Clyde Fisher has announced that practice for the Veterans of Foreign Wars' basketball team will begin Thursday night, October 31 at 7:30 at the Sylva school.

Masonic Lodge 459 To Meet Friday Night

There will be a special communication at the Masonic Lodge, 459, at Dillsboro, Friday night, November 1, for the purpose of conferring the third degree.

All members are urged to be present.

Chamber Of Commerce To Meet Friday Night

Felix Picklesimer, president of the Jackson County Chamber of Commerce, has announced that the regular monthly meeting of the organization will be held Friday night, November 1, at the Forestry offices in the Lloyd Hotel.

It doesn't do too much good to kill the rats on your own farm. It's community action that counts. Suggest a county-wide rat eradication campaign.

SOSSAMON'S . . . in Sylva

Treat In Store For Jackson County Sportsmen Nov. 5

FBI Quarterly Conference In Canton Today

Jackson County law enforcement officers will go to Canton today, October 31, to attend the quarterly FBI conference which meets in the Haywood city at 10:30 o'clock. The meeting will be held in the Champion YMCA building. John C. Bills, special agent in charge of the Charlotte FBI office, will preside. Following the conference the visitors will be guests of the Champion Paper and Fibre Co., and the town of Canton at lunch in the new Champion cafeteria, with Mayor S. M. Robinson as master of ceremonies.

The program of the conference will include a series of demonstrations on arrest problems and searching prisoners. Mr. Bills stated that the subjects are planned to aid law enforcement officers in meeting problems in criminal matters.

Other FBI officers to attend the conference will be James I. Wheeler, Winston-Salem; Tullis D. Esterling, Greenville, S. C.; Idus J. Lynn, Asheville.

Nationally Known Experts To Perform At WCTC Tuesday Evening

All Jackson county sportsmen, and especially those interested in casting for the finny tribe, have a real treat in store for them on next Tuesday night at 8:30 o'clock in the gymnasium at which time Mr. and Mrs. Art Nuss, casting exhibitionists, will be the guests of Jackson County Wildlife Club and will demonstrate the art of using all kinds of fishing equipment, as well as give out some first hand, valuable information on the sport of fishing.

Mr. and Mrs. Nuss, representatives of the Ocean City Manufacturing Company of Philadelphia, travel most of their time in the interest of wildlife. They appear before organizations of this nature throughout the country and are making twenty-one stops in North Carolina as guests of clubs in counties from Onslow and Chowan in the east to Jackson and Buncombe in the west. While in Jackson county these nationally known visitors will be guests of Western Carolina Teachers College. They will be entertained with a motor boat trip on Glensville lake and other events.

Jackson County Wildlife club is very fortunate in securing Mr. and Mrs. Nuss for this exhibition as their time is in great demand. Mr. Ross O. Stevens, executive secretary of the North Carolina Federation of Wildlife clubs, is instrumental in getting them into the state, and T. N. Massie, 9th regional chairman, and Clint Dodson, president of the Jackson club, helped in bringing them to Jackson county. Buncombe and Burke counties are the only other counties in the Western part of the state to be visited by the couple.

Another important part of the program on Tuesday is the annual election of officers of the Jackson club. A president, vice-president, secretary and treasurer will be elected at this time to serve for the coming year. The nominating committee is composed of Dr. Harold McGuire, chairman, Jeff Hedden and Mut Monteith.

President Dodson stated that in the event the crowd was too large to have the performance in the gymnasium, the exhibition meeting will be held under the flood lights on the athletic field.

All members of the club are urged to attend and the general public is extended an invitation.

Veteran Trainees Should Report Delay In Checks

Veteran students and trainees, who have not received subsistence checks before November 15, should report the fact to Field Representative Williams of this district.

At a recent date a delay in delivery, due to the twenty per cent increase in some cases, occurred.

Field Representatives will take immediate steps to expedite the delivery but only those who are equipped to do so should be contacted, and the writing of letters to the Veterans Administration will only delay the process.

Mrs. Carter Attends Conference Meet

Mrs. A. H. Carter, superintendent of nurses at the C. J. Harris hospital, attended a one-day group conference for administrative members of Duke endowed hospitals, held at the Vanderbilt hotel in Asheville, Tuesday.

Methods of the record keeping systems and management of these hospitals were discussed at the luncheon session.

Jeanne Barrett Makes High Scholastic Rating

Dr. Elford Morgan, academic dean of Converse College, Spartanburg, South Carolina, announces that Miss Jeanne Barrett is among the 71 students to receive a rating of better than B for work completed during the semester ending last June.

Miss Barrett, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Barrett of Dillsboro, is a member of the junior class at Converse College.

Oce Chapter To Sponsor Rummage Sale

Oce Chapter No. 139, Order of the Eastern Star, will sponsor a Rummage Sale on Thursday and Friday, November 8th and 9th, at the Masonic Hall in Dillsboro. Beginning at 9 o'clock it will last until 5 o'clock in the afternoon.

Women May Be Called For Jury Service If Amendments Carry

When Jackson county voters go to the polls next Tuesday they will be presented a ballot for two amendments to the constitution of the State to be voted for or against at this time.

Amendment No. 1. To make the Constitution equally applicable to men and women as to jury service, suffrage and in other respects.

Amendment No. 2. To allow limited necessary expenses for members of the General Assembly.

In connection with the constitution changes, it was explained that the primary objective is to expand the privilege of jury service. Women have never served in the past, in this state, but if the electorate approves, sex will not be a bar and they will take their seats with the men in determining the guilt or innocence of persons brought into court.

The proposed Amendment for increased pay for members of the General Assembly reads as follows: The members of the General Assembly for the term of their office shall receive a salary for their

services of six hundred dollars each. The salaries of the presiding officers of the two houses shall be seven hundred dollars each; Provided, that in addition to the salaries herein provided for, should an extra session of the General Assembly be called, the members shall receive eight dollars per day each, and the presiding officers of the two houses ten dollars per day each, for every day of such extra session not exceeding twenty days; and should an extra session continue more than twenty days, the members and officers shall serve thereafter without pay.

The proposed amendment would add at the end of this section a new sentence to read as follows:

Provided further, that for the duration of both regular and special sessions the members shall receive, in addition to the salaries herein provided for, the sum of ten dollars per day for each day not to exceed sixty days in any one session in commutation for expenses incurred for travel and

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Oxford Orphanage Is In Need Of Funds, Budget Is \$194,000

The Oxford Orphanage at Oxford, has a record of 73 years of service to the children of North Carolina. Over 5,000 have been cared for and trained. Its graduates and former pupils are in all walks of life and there is no record of a former pupil having been convicted for committing a major crime in North Carolina. It is the oldest orphanage in the state and receives children other than those of membership of the supporting order.

At the present time less than 40 per cent of the population of the orphanage is of Masonic parentage. The home possesses valuable buildings, grounds and equipment and has had no operating deficit for several years.

The annual budget of the orphanage calls for an expenditure of \$194,500. This provides shelter, clothing, and food, recreation, heat, light, books, school supplies, health program, staff of trained workers, vocational training in several de-

partments, laundry, repairs and upkeep to grounds, building and equipment and experienced case work for a family of 308 children.

Liberal gifts are needed this year for operating expenses in order to maintain the home and provide emergency repairs.

The Oxford Orphanage is more than a philanthropy—it is an investment in the lives of North Carolina boys and girls who would not otherwise have a chance. It pays to the state and its citizenship the high dividend in character and trained young people. It is an opportunity today for North Carolina citizens to express in a substantial way their desire to help others.

The orphanages of the state use the thanksgiving season as an occasion to appeal to the citizens of the state for so much needed assistance. The Oxford Orphanage is open for visitors each day and hundreds of North Carolina citizens visit this historic spot every year.