

E. H. Stillwell Speaks To Legion Members At Armistice Day Dinner

Weather Halts Much Of Parade For

Observing End Of War

One hundred twenty-five members of the William E. Dillard Post American Legion, of Jackson county, participated in the annual Armistice Day dinner served in the Sylva high school cafeteria at 7:30 Monday evening and heard the principal speaker for the occasion, Mr. E. H. Stillwell, head of the History department of Western Carolina Teachers College, deliver an address on "Our Foreign Policy and World Peace."

Mr. Stillwell urged the Legion members to join the Legion members of the nation in helping to mold a lasting peace. He congratulated the Legion on their policy of Foreign Relations adopted by the National organization which includes the continuation of a Foreign policy which is "neither hostile nor subservient to any power on earth—and which scorns appeasement."

Dan Tompkins was master of ceremonies at the dinner which was prepared and served by members of the Legion Auxiliary. Mrs. Tompkins, president of the Auxiliary, told of its functions and of the drive now on to raise funds to complete the Fountain Memorial to the heroes of World War I.

The weather caused abandonment of the planned parade in the afternoon.

All stores closed and business suspended for the afternoon.

KIDNAPPED WOMAN'S BODY FOUND MONDAY IN NEW JERSEY WOODS

The body of Mrs. Mary Pyle Kimmy, 36-year-old wife of Sgt. Glynn F. Kimmy of the U. S. Signal Corps at Fort Monmouth, N. J., was found by searchers Monday 45 days after Chalmers Laubaugh, 35-year-old parolee from a prison near Washington, D. C. entered her bedroom and at gunpoint forced her to leave her husband's side and drive off with him. The kidnapper's body was found along side of the woman after a Navy blimp circling overhead came upon the bodies sprawled about 400 yards from a swamp where duck hunters had found the kidnap automobile the day before.

State police said the woman's body was identified by her husband and by the Kimmy's landlady who came from Little Silver to the scene. Laubaugh's wallet was nearby and he was attired in the same blue shirt and blue trousers he wore the night of the kidnapping. In a bag found at the scene was a picture of Sgt. and Mrs. Kimmy as well as Sgt. Kimmy's social security card.

The two evidently had debated their fate for some time, police said, as empty packs of cigarettes were found near the bodies and the earth was littered with cigarette stubs.

A .45 calibre revolver with two exploded cartridges were found near the bodies.

WCTC Memorial Stadium Fund Progressing In Jackson

The campaign for raising Jackson county's \$15,000 quota for the Western Carolina Teachers College Memorial Stadium, which began on November 6th, is progressing nicely with encouraging prospects for its early completion, and possibility of going well over the quota, stated College officials in charge of the drive on Tuesday of this week. The college spokesman stated that the report in the Asheville paper, which stated that the drive had been completed in Jackson, was confused with the total fund now in hand which amounts to over \$25,000. Part of this total was contributed by parties out of Jackson county.

The committee in charge of funds stated that time had not allowed them to call on all of Jackson citizens which will be done before the campaign is over.

Mr. Ralph Sutton, chairman of the drive, announced at the homecoming football game Saturday

MEMBERS OF JACKSON WILDLIFE CLUB SEE CASTING EXHIBITION

Jackson Wildlife club met in the gymnasium at Western Carolina Teachers College last Tuesday night at 8:30 o'clock. President C. F. Dodson presided. A report of Secretary Fred Williams was heard and approved. T. N. Massie made a report on the educational program being put on by the State Federation of Wildlife clubs. Jackson's quota for the educational fund is \$100 and this was raised by Mr. Art Nuss in rifling off a new rod and reel which brought \$40.00, the balance of \$60.00 being paid out of the treasury. Ten delegates were appointed to represent Jackson county at the opening of the General Assembly in January.

The annual election of officers was held at this time, resulting in the electing of the following: Stedman Mitchell, President; Roscoe Poteet, Vice-president; and Dillard Robinson, Secretary-treasurer.

The members and guests enjoyed a casting exhibition put on by Mr. and Mrs. Art Nuss, representing the Ocean Manufacturing company of Philadelphia, manufacturers of all kinds of sporting goods.

197 N. C. AUTO DRIVERS LICENSES REVOKED IN TWO WEEKS PERIOD

The North Carolina Highway Safety Division has announced that 197 North Carolina auto drivers had their licenses revoked during the two weeks period from Sept. 27 to October 11, or a fraction over 14 per cent of the 14-day period. In almost every instance the cause for revocations was for driving drunk. The grand total for revocations since the highway patrol was established and records kept is 66,732. From this record there is little wonder that the state has such a big highway accident death and injury rate.

Pay Amendment Killed By Voters

The voters of North Carolina decided their law makers could get along on their present pay status and voted down the proposed amendment which would have authorized the payment of \$10 a day for expenses. A great many were in favor of the increased pay as the measure was killed by only 916 votes in the state-wide voting on November 5th.

Returns from all the state's 1929 precincts showed that a total of 143,014 voted in favor and 143,930 opposed it.

Meanwhile, another amendment to give women the right to serve on juries apparently was approved overwhelmingly.

Dorsey Funeral Rites Set For Thursday

Funeral services will be held Thursday, November 14, at 3 o'clock for Farrell Dorsey, Jr., colored, who died at the C. J. Harris hospital Monday morning, following a brief illness. The Rev. J. H. Smith will officiate and pallbearers will be church and school mates. Burial will follow in the Old Field cemetery.

Farrell was the twelve year old son of Farrell Dorsey, Sr.

The President and the Mayor



PRESIDENT Harry S. Truman goes for another of his famous morning walks, this time in his hometown, Independence, Mo., where the Chief Executive went to vote. The President takes time out to chat with Mayor Roger Sermon in front of the latter's store. (International Soundphoto)

Jackson Farmers Children's Book To Be Notified Of Week Is Being The AAA Election Observed Here

Farmers in Jackson county will receive notices within the next few days about annual elections of community and county farmer-committees. D. C. Higdon, Chairman of the Jackson County Agricultural Conservation (AAA) Committee, said today.

Each of the county's fifteen farming communities will elect three committeemen and two alternates, as well as a delegate to the county convention where a three-man county committee will be elected. Announcement of the definite dates, hours, and places for holding the elections are now being determined.

Mr. Higdon said that approximately 1800 farmers are eligible to vote in the elections this year. Eligible Tar Heel farmers are those who are participating in the 1946 Agricultural Conservation program, or who have a contract with the Federal Crop Insurance Corporation. This includes owners, operators, tenants, and sharecroppers.

In announcing the coming elections, Mr. Higdon urged all farmers who are entitled to vote to attend their community meetings. Since the committeemen are responsible for developing, adapting, and administering national farm programs to meet local problems and needs, it is important that the men elected really represent the choice of the majority of farmers in the community.

TRAINING UNION NOW BEING CONDUCTED AT THE BAPTIST CHURCH

The Sylva Baptist church is conducting a Training Union this week at the church. The following books are being taught: Juniors, "Bible Heroes," taught by Rev. Clarence Vance, Associational Missionary; Intermediates, "Pilgrim's Progress," taught by Miss Louise Paschal, state Training Union Worker from Raleigh; Young People, "Investments in Christian Living," taught by Rev. C. M. Warren, pastor of the church; Adults, "Living Abundantly," taught by Rev. Mark Osborne, Jr., pastor of the Cullowhee Baptist church.

On Thursday evening a social hour will be enjoyed at 6:30 and visitors are cordially invited.

Communists Win In French Election Sunday

France seems to be drifting toward a communist form of government such as Red Russia has as indicated by the Sunday nationwide election. The voting was for deputies in the new national assembly of the fourth republic. The Communist advance, however, was accompanied by Socialist losses, and the combined leftist strength appeared weaker than at the time of the last national election.

Children's Book Week Is Being Observed Here

The Sylva Library is observing Children's Book Week November 10 through 16, with special attention being placed on the promotion of large circulation of children's books. The library is endeavoring to double its circulation of these books and is asking parents to bring or send their children to the library where suitable selections will be made for them.

The slogan of the week is: "Books are Bridges." Books are bridges to foreign lands and to better understanding of the people of other lands, fairy land, colonial days, pioneer days, adventure, facts and information, hobbies, the world of nature, the wonders of science, good manners and poise, fun and entertainment, appreciation of the past, building the future, education and culture and the career you want. Let's make Book Week the best of the year.

APPALACHIAN ELEVEN DOWNS CATAMOUNTS ON HOME FIELD, 42-6

Homecoming Crowd Sees Local Team Outplayed Throughout The Game

Around 3,500 people, said by school authorities to be the largest number to have ever attended a football game at Western Carolina, saw their favorite team, the Catamounts, take a licking from a big Appalachian eleven in the annual homecoming game on Hunter field last Saturday night. Coach Flucie Stewart's Mountaineers from Boone, outplayed the local boys in every department. The final score being 41 to 6.

The Appalachian club proved their superiority on the initial play of scrimmage when Murdock looped a perfect pass into the waiting hands of Brennan who dashed for a touchdown before the Cats or the spectators knew what was happening. The play carried for a total of 70 yards. John Boyette place-kicked the extra point.

Early in the second heat John Holler scampered 37 yards to the W.C.T.C. one where he was hauled down. He bucked the line on the next play to culminate a 75-yard drive and Boyette again kicked the extra marker.

Another Mountaineer score followed a few plays later making the score at the half 21 to 0.

A pass early in the third period put the ball on W.C.T.C.'s two and Spoltore tallied two plays later. Small ran the ball over for the extra point. A 15-yard penalty against Appalachian set up the Cat's only score in the third frame. Starting on the visitor's 42, Jim Bryson tossed a trio of aerials to Tate and Heavener to put the ball on the App's four where Heavener took a

Record Crowd Attends WCTC Homecoming On Last Saturday

COUNTY UNIT N.C.E.A. WILL MEET ON FRIDAY AT SCHOOL BUILDING

The Jackson County Teachers met at the Sylva Elementary school recently. New officers for the Jackson County Unit of the North Carolina Education Association were elected as follows: president Mrs. Emily W. Tompkins; vice-president, Mr. C. A. Hoyle; secretary-treasurer, Mrs. Shirley M. Bryson.

At a meeting on October 23 the Advisory Council appointed the following committees to serve for the year. Membership, Mrs. Lois Martin, chairman, assistants yet to be selected; Professional Service, Mr. W. V. Cope, chairman, Mrs. C. D. Killian, Miss Sarah Belle Hooper, Mrs. Guy Sutton, and Miss Bertha Cunningham; Public Relations Committee, Mrs. Lillian J. Madison, chairman, Mrs. Kate Rhinehart, Miss Evelyn Sherrill, Miss Fannie Goodman; Legislative work, Mr. Frank Crawford, chairman, Mr. J. E. Brown, Mr. W. H. Crawford; Federal Aid, Mr. Kenneth Terrell, chairman, assistants yet to be selected; Planning and Resources Committee, Mr. C. A. Hoyle, chairman, Mr. Alliney H. Bryson, Mrs. Davie Sutton.

The next meeting will be November 15, at which time a presentation for the local unit will be presented to the group for approval.

CRAWFORD RELEASES PRINCIPAL'S HONOR ROLL FOR SYLVA HIGH

W. H. Crawford, principal of the Sylva High school has released the honor roll for the first part of school. Those making an average of A on combined subjects are: Barbara Sue Emley, Barbara Ann Fisher, Eddie Lou Terrel, Derel Monteith, Doris Middleton, Frank Crawford, Jr., Naomi Hooper, Evelyn Parris, Marie Bumgarner, Zelda Seaman, Frankie Faye Fisher, Mary Bess Henry, Pearl Ashe, Barbara Bess, Betty Ann Queen, Jimmie Lee Blanton and Clarise Hoxit.

The following students made an A average on each subject: Derel Monteith, Doris Middleton, Jimmie Lee Blanton, Clarise Hoxit, and Betty Ann Queen. This list has been designated as the Principal's list.

SYLVA HURRICANES FALL BEFORE STRONG MURPHY ELEVEN, 25-7

Murphy trounced Sylva 25-7 on the Mark Watson Field Friday night. Until the final quarter the powerful Murphy eleven was too much for the Sylva team.

The Hurricanes were completely outclassed until the final period in which they scored their lone marker on a pass from Dillard to Jones. Sylva's defeat was probably due to the fact that their 1st string tackles, Bill Phillips and Ray Whitner were not in the line-up.

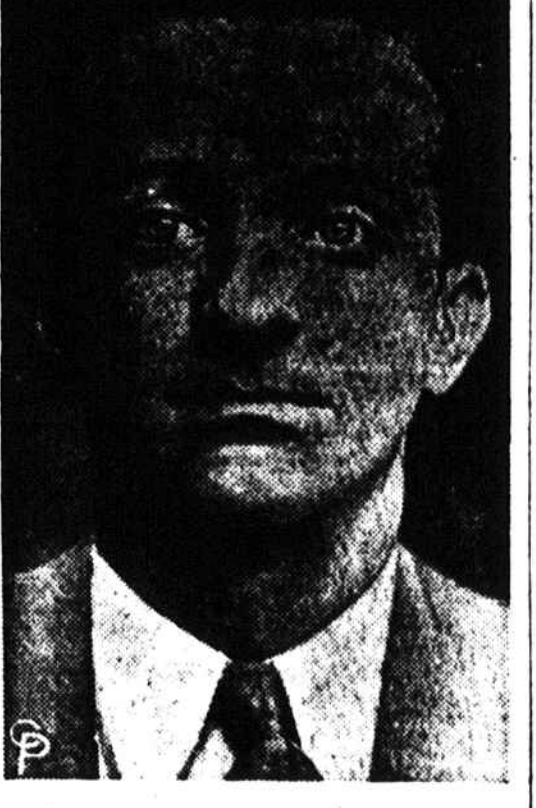
CANTON "B" TEAM WINS

Sylva "B" team fell before C. C. Poindexter's "B" team 20-0, Monday afternoon. The Sylva team was never a threat to the speedy Canton team. Two of the Canton touchdowns were scored on punt returns. Sylva was never in scoring territory throughout the game.

Huggins To Occupy Pulpit At Baptist Church Sunday

N. A. Huggins, General Secretary and Treasurer of the North Carolina State board will supply the pulpit of the Sylva Baptist church at the eleven o'clock service, Sunday, November 17. The public is cordially invited to attend.

Sought In Swindle



A COAST TO COAST alarm has been sent out for Julius Davis, 53, alias Jimmy Collins, of New York City, in connection with the embezzlement of \$632,000 by William Arthur Nickel, member of the Mergenthaler Company. Davis was implicated by Nickel. (International)

LOCAL MINISTERS TO ATTEND BAPTIST MEET AT ASHEVILLE CHURCH

The First Baptist church in Asheville will be host to the North Carolina State Baptist Convention to be held November 18 through the 21st. A feature of the opening day will be a session of the North Carolina Pastor's Conference, one to be held at 2:30 p. m. and an evening session at 7:30 p. m. Representatives to the Conference from Jackson county are Rev. C. M. Warren, pastor of the Sylva Baptist church; Rev. W. N. Cook, of the Webster church; Rev. Clarence Vance, Associational Missionary and Rev. Edgar Willis.

G.O.P. Outlines Farm Program

Taking advantage of their increased power in Congress GOP leaders have announced that they will work out farm programs along lines of expanding markets and consumption instead of curtailment of production.

Rep. Hope, Republican of Kansas, ranking member of the house agriculture committee, will become chairman next January when the House is reorganized under Republican control. Hope said that his party had already taken steps toward working out a permanent agricultural program along that line when the last congress adopted his bill for marketing and research investigations. He hopes to see more activity when the new congress convenes.

Newly Organized Farm Agency Has Planning Meeting Nov. 7

The appointment of the former Jackson County FSA County Committee as FHA Committee for this county was announced November 1, by William T. Brown, Jr., County FHA Supervisor. The Committee consists of the following farmers: Robert M. Bryson, Speedwell; C. P. Dillard, Sylva; Fred A. Bryson, Glenville. Mr. Robert M. Bryson will continue to serve as chairman of the Committee.

On November 7th the Committee had its first formal meeting under the Farmers Home Administration. This meeting was held for the purpose of discussing changes in their duties as Committeemen. Among their duties is the certification that applicants are eligible for production and subsistence loans. To be certified by the Committee an applicant must meet the following requirements: (1) Must be a citizen of U. S. (2) Must operate a farm not

Parade In Sylva And Football Game, Dance At Cullowhee Enjoyed

Beginning with open house at 1 o'clock and climaxed with informal dancing in the Breeze gymnasium at 10, the 1946 Homecoming Day held at Western Carolina Teachers College last Saturday, drew a large crowd of alumni and friends back to the campus.

After the meeting of the high school coaches at Cullowhee the program was brought to Sylva. The parade formed at the east end of town and following the colors a high stepping band from Cherryville led the parade through the main street of town. Special cars bearing the founder, president, deans, and other officials were featured in the parade and next came sponsors from each class of the student body and organizations of the school, with their escorts.

Grouped on the courthouse steps, the Cherryville band made a pretty picture in their bright blue uniforms. They entertained the crowd with a program of concert music and the audience was shown some fancy baton twirling.

The evening program at the college began promptly at 7 o'clock and was held on Hunter field. Five girls marched on the field bearing the colors. They were followed by four members of the Veterans club representing the Navy as the band played "Anchors Aweigh," then four others as the Army to the strains of "As the Caissons Go Rolling Along." Next in order were fourteen sponsors and their escorts, representing the senate, the four classes and different clubs. The sponsors were dressed in suits and carried arm bouquets of yellow nuts.

Over the loud speaker system, Dr. H. T. Hunter made a brief talk welcoming the alumni and visitors. He presented Ralph Sutton who told of the stadium to be built as a memorial to the 26 men who made the supreme sacrifice in the late war, and a report as to how the campaign was progressing.

The program was interspersed by music by the Cherryville band, including the National Anthem, America and the Alma Mater. Performances were given by the Cherryville Baton corps and by the Cullowhee baton corps led by J. B. Beam.

Concluding the program was a stunt program led by members of the physical education department of the college.

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Subsistence and Production Loans May Be Made Under FHA for Following Purposes:

- (1) To purchase livestock, farm equipment, seed, fertilizer, lime, farm supplies, and other farm needs.
 - (2) To pay for necessary hired farm labor during peak seasons or periods of emergency.
 - (3) To pay debts secured by
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