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MASS MEETING AT THE COURT HOUSE.

Citizens of Waynesville Met Friday Night, Jan. 29th Want Larger Town, But No Police Judge.

A large crowd met in the court house Friday evening to hear a report from a committee appointed at another Citizens' meeting on Monday night, Jan. 24th. J. R. Boyd was chairman and T. C. Breeding was secretary.

C. H. Ray read the following report of the committee appointed at the former meeting to recommend legislation to be enacted by the legislature:

To the Citizens of Waynesville in mass meeting assembled:
We the committee appointed by your body on January 24th to make such recommendations as we think best relative to amendments to the charter of the town of Waynesville, beg to submit the following report, namely:
1st. We recommend that no action be taken to re-establish the Police Court.

2nd. We recommend that corporate limits of the town of Waynesville be extended so as to include a circle of one and one-fourth miles from a point in front of the old court house.

Respectfully submitted,

C. H. RAY,
J. R. BOYD,
THOS. STRINGFIELD,
C. B. MEDFORD,
JOHN N. SHOOLBRED,
M. THEO. McCRACKEN
FELIX E. ALLEY.

Waynesville, N. C., Jan. 28, 1921.

On motion section one was adopted unanimously.

Section two was read and a motion was made to amend that section by making the new court house the centre instead of the old court house corner. A large number voted for the amendment with only two votes against it.

Motion was made to extend 1 1/4 miles from new court house, 46 voted for with 23 against. The chairman ruled that those proposed to be taken in should properly be allowed to vote and some of these voted against the extension.

It was understood that this circle should not interfere with the Hazelwood incorporation, except the D. M. Killian, the Adger and the Norwood places which are now furnished lights and water by the city of Waynesville.

A bill for street paving and build-sidewalks is to be amended so that the aldermen may act without the two-third property owner's petition.

S. C. Limer moved to ask that authority be given the aldermen to levy one per cent on the hundred dollars for work at the cemetery. The motion was carried.

Dr. Way suggested that it would be a splendid time for the mayor and present administration to make a showing as to the condition of the finances of the town.

Mayor Atkins and Walter Hawk read some facts and figures that were interesting.

BAPTISTS TO CALL PASTOR NEXT SUNDAY.

Every member of the Baptist church and congregation is urged to attend services Sunday morning as the pulpits committee has unanimously agreed on a report and recommendation as to a pastor and it is desired that the church act on the report at that time and elect a pastor.

It is expected that Rev. R. A. Sen-telle will preach a brief sermon at 11 o'clock before the church goes into a conference.

Rev. Chas. F. Owen of Canton preached an interesting gospel sermon last Sunday morning at 11 o'clock.

Health is the most essential asset for success, without it there can be no real happiness. Chiropractic will help you regain your lost health. See Dr. J. Schiller every Sunday at Mrs. Schenck's, opposite Episcopal church, phone 81. 12-1

SALESMEN WANTED to solicit orders for lubricating oils, greases and paints. Salary or commission. Address The Todd Oil & Paint Co., Cleveland, O. 12-1p

HOUSE and lot for sale for less than it cost five years ago.—C. G. Logan

MRS. C. C. HOOK GUEST OF COMMUNITY CLUB.

One of the most notable events in the club life of Waynesville was the address on Saturday afternoon by Mrs. Charles C. Hook, president of the State Federation of Women's Clubs given at the Community Club rooms. Special guests of the club invited to hear this distinguished visitor were the members of the Civic League and the Woman's Club. The president of the latter club presided over the meeting. Mrs. T. Lenoir Gwyn, also an officer of the Federation, serving in the capacity of recording secretary introduced the speaker. Mrs. Gwyn paid high tribute to Mrs. Hook, her interest and influence among ten thousand club women scattered throughout North Carolina, who compose the Federated Clubs. She spoke of the sane leadership given the women during Mrs. Hook's term of office and in closing referred to the speaker by virtue of her own worthiness and the high office she holds the foremost woman in North Carolina.

Mrs. Hook, prior to her address, congratulated the Community Club on having as a member the recording secretary of the Federation and of the co-operation she had received at all times from Mrs. Gwyn.

First Mrs. Hook took up the various departments of the State Federation and explained the work of each and the part the individual club plays in the realization of these plans. She then gave an outline of the position of achievement and influence of women through these channels. In definite terms she told how and where to make her efforts most effective.

A review of the State institutions was given, a detailed account of the type of work of each, and the hundreds all over North Carolina who were clamoring to be admitted, and of the great lack of room in these institutions to meet the needs of the state.

She appealed to the club members, especially to the mothers, to seriously consider the unfortunate children of our state, who from lack of proper appropriation were denied admittance to institutions in which they should be placed, and urged each one to use every bit of her influence in creating a public sentiment so strong that the demanded amount be appropriated.

She spoke of the welfare work in the state, in Haywood county, and urged the women to support in every possible way the work being done by Mr. Allison and to present to the representative and the county commissioners the wonderful things to be accomplished by this means.

She explained the organization of the Legislative Council of Women, which is composed of the president and legislative chairman of the following: State Federation of Women's Clubs, W. C. T. U. and the Business and Professional Women of the legislative work being undertaken by the combined efforts of these organizations which is included in the following program:

"Endorsement of the bill to provide a state censorship of moving pictures.

"To amend the law concerning carnal crimes to read 'Carnal knowledge of a girl between the ages of 12 and 16 is a felony. The law now reads between the ages of 12 and 14.

"A mothers' aid law as recommended by the organization of superintendents of orphanages and the state board of charities and public welfare.

"Adequate appropriation for maintenance and necessary increase in capacity as recommended by state board of charities and public welfare, of Samaritan, Jackson Training school and Caswell Training school, making special provision at Caswell Training school for care of colored mental defectives.

"An appropriation for a training school for delinquent colored boys, on the order of the Jackson Training school.

"Endorsement of the program of legislation of the North Carolina Forestry association.

"A bill to provide privacy in voting.

"Retention of the primary law."

Relative to the bill of censorship of the moving pictures she explained that the one to be introduced in our legislature was patterned after the censorship bill of Pennsylvania, recognized the best in the country. As a testimonial of the growth of public sentiment against the low standard and degrading ideals as portrayed by many of the popular moving picture

Take a Little Bit of Rest

(By Jesse Daniel Boone.)

When the everlasting grind
Gets to working on your mind,
It is time to take a little bit of rest;
Pack you grip and hie away
Just for pleasure, or for play,
It's the surest panacea, and the best.

If you think you cannot go,
Ask the madam, she should know;
And then beg her to go with you if she will.
Quit the game a little while,
Forget you cares and try to smile,
And you soon can climb the steepest sort of hill.

theatres; 30 states are trying to get some form of legislation passed prohibiting the showing of these types. The speaker explained that she was not condemning the moving picture, for rightly used it could serve as a great educational and recreational force in any community, but he plea was for clean pictures. Then she spoke of the woman's responsibility regarding the amusements of youth, that when we condemn we must furnish other forms of entertainment.

The speaker's sincerity of interest in her work, her sane, practical and definite advice as to the most effective ways and means to employ in the accomplishment of her responsibilities won each of the club women, and each one, regardless of her busy household cares realized that even in a quiet way she too could help along these lines for making her town a better place in which to live.

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SYLVA AND JACKSON COUNTY.

Jackson County Journal.
When it comes to moonshiners operating their stills on the assembly grounds of the Southern Methodist Church at Lake Junaluska, they are overstepping the bounds of audacity and getting downright imprudent.

Born in Jackson county near Beta, February 7, 1841, and died at his home at Dillsboro, N. C., on January 15, 1921, being 80 years old at the time of his death.

The men in Sylva interested are requested to meet at Wilson Brothers store, Monday night, for the purpose of organizing a volunteer fire department.

The Tuckasee and Southeastern Railway Company has the rail laid on their tracks from Sylva to the Tuckasee river, a distance of four and one-half miles, and has the grading practically completed to Cullowhee, insuring that the road will be completed within the year, carrying the railroad by East La Porte, to the head of Casey Fork.

At a cost of approximately \$95,000 the town of Sylva has just completed an excellent water and sewerage system rivaling the best in the country. The water comes from the head of Fisher Creek, just under Black Rock, one of the highest of the Balsam ranges, and the intake is more than a thousand feet above the city, creating the necessity for a power reducing station. The storage reservoir is located on the highest hill around the town and has a capacity of 300,000 gallons of water. Engineers have measured the water at the lowest flow in recent years, and at that time the stream gave sufficient water for a town of 25,000 inhabitants.

In addition to that, if the necessity should ever arise, there is another stream, a prong of the same one, just across the ridge, which at a nominal cost the city could duplicate the quantity of water.

The water shed owned by the town covers some 300 acres of land and takes in every drop of water that comes to the intake, covering the territory to the tops of the mountains and ridges in every direction, insuring the absolute purity of the water supply to the town.

COMMUNITY CLUB.

The regular meeting of the Community Club will be held in their rooms Monday, Feb. 7th, at 3:30 p. m.

CANTON CLIPPINGS.

Enterprise.
The big drive of the Canton Chamber of Commerce was proceeded on Monday night by a grand rally at the Cantonian theatre where one of the best gatherings yet held by the Chamber, assembled to hear speakers from Asheville as well as Canton tell of the need of an organization such as a chamber of commerce to boost Canton.

The meeting which was scheduled for eight o'clock was some 15 or 20 minutes late owing to the visitors from Asheville being delayed on the way here by their car getting stuck in the mud of Buncombe county, which Mr. Erskine, one of the party characterized as worse than that of Flanders Fields.

Starting with a list of old members totaling only 36, Tuesday's drive increased the list to 182, making a total of 146 members added during the day's campaign.

After considerable red tape Canton has been able, through the efforts of Capt. W. V. Dorsey, Southern Railway agent at this point to secure a divisional signal unit, authorized for Canton, consisting of wireless telegraph and telephony. The state of North Carolina lends this organization over several states in the South.

AN OLD PIONEER PASSES.

Canton Enterprise.
A wave of grief overshadowed the minds and hearts of the people of Haywood and Buncombe counties Sunday morning, January 16 on account of the death of Mr. J. H. Sharp, one of Buncombe county's best and most beloved citizens, who lived in the Hominy Valley section, where he had resided during his entire life time.

Mr. Sharp was a Confederate Veteran of noble repute, having served throughout the entire period of the war between the states. He was a member of the famous 25th North Carolina regiment and always bore the admirable record of having been a brave and faithful soldier; true to his every task, he is said to have never missed an engagement.

Upon his return from the war between the states, Mr. Sharp settled in Buncombe county, his native abode. Ever since his return home, following the close of the war, Mr. Sharp has been one of the well-known good citizens of Buncombe county, a substantial farmer of the type that is admired by men everywhere.

Mr. Sharp was married three times and was the father of twelve children, ten of them being the children of his first wife, and the other two being the children of his second wife. Mr. Sharp is survived by his third wife and six children who are: Mrs. Emma Lindsay, Mrs. Tempy Whitaker, both of whom now reside in Florida; Messrs. Eugene and George Sharp, who are now living in Georgia; and Messrs. W. T. and Marion Sharp, who are both well known and prominent citizens of Canton.

The funeral services were conducted Monday afternoon, January 17th, at two o'clock in the Rice Hill cemetery by Rev. Mr. Powell of the M. E. Church, South of Hominy Valley section and Rev. Mr. Warren of the Northern Methodist Church, also of the Hominy Valley section. Buncombe county mourns over the loss of this splendid man.

Chiropractic adjustments will remove the cause of disease without medicine, whether asthma, constipation, liver trouble, etc. Consultation free. Dr. J. Schiller at Mrs. Schenck opposite Episcopal church. 12-1

J. HARDY NOLAND.

Uncle J. Hardy Noland of Fines Creek, father of David R. Noland, former sheriff and representative in the State legislature, died at his son's home last month in his 90th year. He was one of the oldest citizens of that section and was highly respected. He was one of Haywood's old pioneers who had many struggles.

He leaves nine children as follows: David R. and Robert L. of Fines Creek and Rev. T. W. Noland of Tennessee, who is presiding elder of Lebanon district in the M. E. Church, South. Mrs. Dr. W. A. Graham, Mrs. Joseph Rogers, Mrs. R. M. Ferguson, Mrs. G. M. Fish and Mrs. Mattie Wells, besides 58 grand children and 59 great grand children.

The funeral services occurred Jan. 21st and the burial was at Fines Creek.

I. M. HYATT.

I. Montraville Hyatt, pioneer road builder, who has been in ill health a long time died at his home in East Waynesville Friday night, Jan. 28, at the age of 69 years. Mr. Hyatt was a great sufferer in his last days and death must have been a relief. He was buried at Green Hill Monday afternoon and by request no preacher conducted services.

He is survived by a widow, one daughter, one son and four brothers. The daughter is Mrs. T. R. Hyatt with whom he lived, the son is J. Finley Hyatt of Miami, Fla., while the brothers are R. A. L. Hyatt and Sam Hyatt of this county, Sebron of Jackson county and Bedford, who lives in the state of Washington.

Sheriff Cobb and Policemen Mitchell and Whitener found five barrels of still beer last night across the railroad from Mr. Newton Brendle's on land belonging to Esquire Clark Medford. The beer was nearly ready for making whiskey and a foundation was ready for the still.

VICTORY THEATRE WITH WAYNESVILLE ORCHESTRA.

Monday, Feb. 7, Edith Hallor in "Just Outside the Door."

There are three great mediums of disseminating information. Telephone, telegraph or tell-a-woman. All three are used to their utmost in "Just Outside the Door," the latest Select Picture with Edith Hallor. See it here next Monday.

Tuesday, Feb. 8, Ruth Clifford in "The Amazing Woman."

Is there ever a justification for forgetting the Seventh Commandment? Why blame the woman—what about the man?

Wednesday, Feb. 8, Marguerite Namora in "Stolen Moments."

A six reel special, one that will like.

Thursday, Feb. 10, Taylor Holmes in "Nothing But Lies."

The greatest comedy of all. See how Homer Davis got his certificate. He is some liar, but he wasn't in it with Taylor Holmes.

Friday, Feb. 11, Alice Brady in "The New York Idea."

There is a lot of amusement and a deal of food for thought in "The New York Idea," the brilliant satire on modern society, in which Alice Brady is starring this week.

Saturday, Feb. 12, Franklyn Farnum in Silent Joe's Trail, a Sunbeam Comedy, a Ford Educational.

NO REST—NO PEACE.

There's no peace and little rest for the one who suffers from a bad back, and distressing urinary disorders. Waynesville people recommend Doan's Kidney Pills. Be guided by their experience. Ask your neighbor.

Mrs. W. P. Farmer, Love Lane, Waynesville, says: "Some time ago I had considerable trouble with my kidneys. My back ached some and I felt worn out and tired. My kidneys were in bad shape and acted irregularly. I was lame and tired in the morning and could hardly get around. Hearing of Doan's Kidney Pills, I got some at the Annex Pharmacy and only used a few when I felt better. In a short time I was entirely cured."

Price 60c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mrs. Farmer had. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfrs., Buffalo, N. Y. Adv.

SMATHERS STREET TO BE FIFTY FEET WIDE.

Smathers Street which has only been an ordinary width of about 35 feet since the fair grounds fence was built some years ago will hereafter be a 50 foot thoroughfare.

The fence at some points had recently been moved out and when the town authorities investigated the original orders and consulted the map as made by the surveyor they find a fifty foot street was provided and they propose now to take 15 feet from the fair ground property which now belongs to Mrs. W. R. Harbeck. While this takes a small strip from the Harbeck property the loss will be more than offset by the enhancement of the remaining acreage by reason of a broader and better street.

TIME LIMIT FOR JENKINS CONTEST EXPIRES.

Asheville, Jan. 21.—With the time limit expired, all chances of the contest proposed by L. L. Jenkins, defeated Republican candidate for congress, against Congressman Zebulon Weaver, have been given up. While Mr. Jenkins still maintains that there were irregularities in the election, he evidently did not believe it strong enough to actually go into the contest.

He has let his friends here know that he will be in the race again two years from now and is already laying plans for that campaign.

THE HON. JOSEPH DAVIS.

I knew nothing about the passing of this good man until I received your paper the other day. I want to lay a flower on his grave. He was ready and ripe for translation. You might write "Emigravit" on his tombstone, for he has only emigrated to the spring abodes and never withering flowers." He was a tower of strength in the battle for the overthrow of John Barleycorn in the county and state. Having served well his generation he has fallen on sleep. May our heavenly Father multiply His mercies upon the bereaved family.

T. F. GLENN.

WOMAN 103 YEARS OLD NATIVE OF RUTHERFORD

Union, S. C., Jan. 20.—Mrs. Susan Kirby, of Union, today celebrates her 103rd birthday anniversary with an elaborate dinner given in her honor and attended by 30 guests.

Mrs. Kirby, who resides with her son here, appears to be physically and mentally active. Born in Rutherfordton, N. C., she was married in the early fifties to J. M. Kirby and had 11 children, five of whom are living, 21 grandchildren and 16 great-grandchildren.

DECLINE IN LUMBER AND LABOR PRICES.

By S. C. Limer.

Feb. 1, 1921.

Based on prices given by the manufacturer:

Pine framing 40% off.
Ceiling 39% off.
Pine Siding 38% off.
Pine Boards 40% off.
Oak Flooring 70% off.
Red Cedar Shingles 38% off.
Pine Shingles 40% off.
Glazed Sash 30% off.
Best Carpenter 25% off.
Medium Carpenter 30% off.
Common Labor 35% off.
Cement 40% off.
Laths 56% off.
Other items not listed in proportion. Any one desiring to build can base the cost from the above figures.

MORROW—HOLCOMBE.

A quiet but beautiful home wedding was solemnized at the home of Mr. J. P. Morrow of Lake Junaluska, Wednesday, Jan. 19th, when his beautiful and attractive daughter, Miss Delia Elizabeth, became the bride of Mr. Marion Holcombe of Jonathan, Robt. W. Howell, Esq., officiating. The bride wore a very becoming tailor-made suit of blue Messmer serge with sailor hat to match. The only attendant of the bride, Mrs. James Medford, wore a black taffeta dress with picture hat.

The bride has a host of friends who will learn of her marriage with interest.