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Bargain Days Will Be Friday, Saturday

CONVENTION OF D. A. V.'S WILL BRING 200 HERE

Convention Will Be Held At Gordon Hotel, Friday and Saturday, May 27-28.

Further plans are to be made at the regular monthly meeting Thursday night of the Disabled Veterans for the state convention to be held at the Gordon Hotel, Friday and Saturday, May 27-28. Officials of the local post stated that they have been informed that at least 200 delegates will attend and a possibility that many more will attend.

At a recent meeting it was decided that the convention headquarters, instead of the Masonic Temple. All the delegates could not be accommodated at the Gordon, it was said, and it was decided that the other hotels here be filled to capacity during the convention.

The local members of the organization are asking that the city and citizens offer any suggestions for entertaining the delegates, and they also that they be given cooperation in the citizens here for entertaining the delegates.

This is the first and largest convention scheduled to be held during coming season, and it was pointed out that during this first convention there will be an opportunity to advertise the city of Waynesville in line for the summer season.

The meeting Thursday night is very important, since many matters pertaining to the convention are to be brought up. All disabled veterans are urged to attend.

E. Gronce is in charge of entertainment for the convention.

T. Messer Seeks Board Of Education Nomination In June

T. Messer announced yesterday that he was a candidate for nomination for the Board of Education of county. Mr. Messer is the third candidate to announce for his office in the past few weeks. He is a native of this county, having lived on a farm until about 25 years ago when he came to Waynesville and entered retail grocery business, which he has operated for about 15 years. About three years ago he entered the wholesale grocery business which he now operates.

Mr. Messer is a present member of City Aldermen, serving his second term. This office is the first he ever held. He felt that he could fill the position as member of the Board of Education. He stated that if nominated and elected, he would strive to improve the present school system a better and better one.

He also stated that he was for any progressive in the school work. At the same time believed in strict economy where it did not interfere with the schools functioning properly. Mr. Messer is vice president and general manager of the Haywood Supply Company, here, an active worker in the Baptist church and a member of the Junior Order.

W. A. Hyatt Enters Race For Chairman Of Board Of Commissioners

W. A. Hyatt, prominent business and farmer of this county, announced yesterday that he was a candidate for the nomination for chairman of the Board of County Commissioners in the June Primary. Mr. Hyatt has always been active in the political affairs of the county, but never held a public office. He is present a member of the board of directors of the Haywood County Hospital, in which institution he has a great interest.

Mr. Hyatt is well known in the county, having been born and reared here, and always made this his home.

Kinsland Released Under \$3,000 Bond

John Kinsland, of Canton, who has been held in the Asheville jail as a result of the fatal shooting of Mrs. Cook, of Canton, has been released by consent of the solicitor, under a \$3,000 bond.

Herbert J. A. Lowe told The Mountaineer that he had not disclosed what the letters found on Tom Justice after he committed suicide, after being hunted for four days in the murder of his mother-in-law, Mrs. Cook.

Special Ascension Day Services Will Be Held Tonight

Service Begins Promptly At 8 P. M. Masons Will Assemble At Masonic Temple.

Today, Thursday, May 5th, is "Ascension Day," exactly forty days after Easter. The Knights Templar, being the Christian branch of Masonry, observe in their ritual the most great outstanding features in the life of Christ, His Birth, His Death and Resurrection, and the Ascension.

Rev. R. P. Walker, of the Presbyterian church, announces that the service tonight will begin promptly at 8 p. m. After an organ prelude by Miss Frederica Quinlan, the Knights Templar will carry out the regular ritual of the Commandery as follows:

1. Processional Hymn—"Onward Christian Soldiers."
 2. Affirmation of our Faith—the Creed.
 3. The Lord's Prayer.
 4. Prayers for all Knights Templar and for all others.
 5. Hymn—"Crown Him With Many Crowns."
 6. Scripture Lesson—"The Ascension."
 7. Offerotry Solo—"The Holy City,"—Miss Ida Jean Brown.
 8. The Doxology.
 9. Sermon.
 10. Solo—"I Heard the Voice of Jesus,"—Miss Mildred Crawford.
 11. Closing prayer and benediction.
 12. Recessional Hymn—"All Hail the Power."
 13. Postlude—Miss Quinlan.
- All Masons, Sir Knights or not, will assemble at the Masonic Temple at 7:30, and march in procession to the Presbyterian church.

Facts About Summer School Work Given By Supt. B. D. Bunn

(By P. D. Bunn, Supt. Waynesville Township Schools)

There were a number of students in High School and in the seventh grades that were conditioned on one or more subjects. In making up the work during the summer we recommend that only one subject be taken unless the work can be done consistently over a long period of time. Two rules must be adhered to very strictly if the student wishes to get credit for the work done. First, there must be thirty hours of work completed on each subject, on which the student is conditioned. Second, this work must be done under a teacher who is certificated to do work in that field. The student, in any case, high or elementary, should get a written statement from his teacher or principal that summer school work will be accepted next fall.

Several pupils have made inquiry about the work and we have instructed them as follows: Mrs. Kellest is qualified to do the work for any of the pupils who are deficient in Math or Latin. Mrs. Jones, in English or Math I. Miss Boyd in French or English. Where as many as three subjects are to be made up the individual, by no means, should attempt to do the work in the summer but will be required to take the work over in class. As was stated to a parent this week it would be absurd to think a pupil could get off that much work in thirty, one-hour recitations, when said student had failed to make a passing grade over a period of eight months. The father thought likewise.

Pupils in the elementary school whose promotion depends on the removal of one condition, may remove same by taking the work under an elementary teacher who is qualified to teach in that field of work. If the parents will please consult the principal of the school in which said child is enrolled he will advise relative to the child's particular needs and what teachers will be accepted to do coaching work. For example: We would not recommend that a first grade teacher coach the work of the seventh grade student. Neither would a grammar grade teacher's coaching be acceptable for the high school pupil, unless that teacher holds a high school certificate and has had training in high school subjects.

Special Services To Be Held At Presbyterian Church Sunday

Special Mother's Day services will be held at the Presbyterian church Sunday, according to Dr. R. P. Walker, pastor. A special sermon has been arranged for the service and the choir has prepared special music for the occasion.

On Sunday afternoon Dr. Walker will preach in the Francis Cove chapel at 3 o'clock.

MOTHER'S DAY, SUNDAY, MAY 8



Grey though her tresses be, she's the same kindly Mother. Always cheerful—always smiling—always ready to give us her last ounce of devotion. Though the world fails us, Mother is always by our side to encourage and comfort.

Sunday is her day—the day set aside for us to show our appreciation for all she's done for us—the day to make her happy. Attendance upon church on Mother's Day will be one of the best ways to show our devotion to her.

W. L. Hardin To Discuss Bonus Question Here Monday Night

J. C. Patrick, commander of the local post of the American Legion, announced today that Mr. W. L. Hardin, secretary to Congressman Weaver, of Washington, will address the American Legion at its regular monthly meeting, Monday night, at 8 o'clock at the Masonic Temple.

Mr. Hardin is well posted on the much-debated question now in dispute in Washington, the bonus question and will discuss it in full detail at this meeting.

The Ladies' Auxiliary of the Legion will be present and the American Legion officials have extended an invitation to the public to attend this meeting and hear direct from Washington some outstanding facts about bonus lives in Iron Duff township, where

Baseball Season To Open Saturday With Enka At Hazelwood

The Western North Carolina Industrial League, of which Hazelwood is a member, will swing into action Saturday afternoon when the Enka nine invades the Hazelwood sluggers on the latter's diamond, at 3:30 p. m.

The Hazelwood lads have been training hard for the season and reports from their camp indicate that they are in splendid condition and ready for any team in the league. The Enka team last year was rated as one of the best in the league, and reports reaching here, are that this year's team is much better than last year's outfit. The Hazelwood boys are ready for them and stated yesterday that they were confident that they could come out of the affray with the big end of the score.

The batteries for Saturday's game for Hazelwood are: Putman pitcher, and Price, catcher. The other players slated to begin the game are: Cox, left field; Fox, shortstop; Fisher, second base; F. Robinson, firstbase; Burrell, third base; Prevost, center field; Kuykendall, right field.

A large crowd is expected to attend the game.

QUILT DISPLAY POSTPONED

The quilt display sponsored by the Woman's Club has been postponed, it was announced yesterday. The display was to have been given Thursday, May 12. The date for the display will be announced later through the columns of this paper.

Walter T. Crawford Enters Race For Representative

Waynesville Attorney Says Taxpayer Must Have Relief From Heavy Taxation.

W. T. Crawford, Waynesville attorney, announced himself today as a candidate for the House of Representatives. Mr. Crawford was born in Waynesville. He was educated at Mars Hill and Wake Forest Colleges and has been actively engaged in the practice of law since being admitted to the Bar.

He is a former Chancellor Commander of Balsam Lodge No. 62, Knights of Pythias and has served one term as secretary to the Haywood County Bar Association.

In announcing his candidacy Mr. Crawford stated: "I believe that the question of taxation will be a paramount issue confronting the next Legislature and that there must be a system of taxation worked out which will provide relief for the overburdened land owner without being unfair to other interests, however, other measures of almost equal importance will, if necessary, have to be dealt with and I believe that Haywood county's next Representative should go to Raleigh with an open and unprejudiced mind, looking to the best interest of all the citizens of the county; with a purpose in his heart to support all such measures as will be of benefit to all citizens. To the best interest of every citizen of Haywood County, I pledge myself and my services most heartily."

R. C. Chambers Candidate For Board Of Education

Mr. R. C. Chambers, well known as a former teacher and, twenty-five or more years ago, a member of the Board of Education, announces himself in this issue as a candidate for membership on that body. Mr. Chambers lives in Iron Duff township, where he has a farm and cattle pastures.

His friends claim that, inasmuch as he was for years a successful teacher, has had experience on the Board of Education, and is now a thrifty farmer and stock raiser, he is especially well qualified to serve acceptably in the position he seeks.

Mr. Chambers served three terms on the Board while A. J. Garner and R. A. Sentelle were in office of County Superintendent. He declares himself in favor of the best schools possible consistent with sound economy.

Lake Junaluska To Be Filled In Next Few Weeks

Ralph E. Nollner, general superintendent of the Southern Methodist Assembly at Lake Junaluska, said that the lake would be filled beginning the last of this week, or the first of next week. It will take about 21 days, with average rainfall, for the lake to be filled.

The lake was drained last November and has remained dry, except for the channel through which Richland creek flows. The lake bottom has been thoroughly cleaned and the dam repaired of several small leaks.

Mr. Nollner expects a large season on this year. The first of the opening events will begin about June 13, when Haywood Students will register for summer school.

35-Gallon Still Is Captured In Cruso Community Sunday

T. Rowley Pless Gets Copper Still and 50 Gallons of Beer on Raid in East Fork.

T. Rowley Pless, deputy sheriff of Cruso, captured a 35-gallon copper still late Sunday afternoon in the East Fork section, just a short while before the distillers began to make a run. Over 50 gallons of beer was found and destroyed at the still as well as many tubs, buckets and other paraphernalia required to operate such a business.

The still had been taken off the furnace and hid a short distance from the furnace when the officers arrived. The still was about three-fourths of a mile from the Cruso highway and located in a cove, Mr. Pless stated.

No arrests were made, but the officers stated that they had an idea who the still belonged to and that arrests would probably be made in a few days.

The still was brought to the county court house Sunday night, and was destroyed by the sheriff's department Monday before a large crowd. The inside of the still was tarnished and looked as if some strong acid had been placed in it. Some one in the crowd watching the "wrecking" said that the "stuff" that was made in the still would cut out anything, from copper to blue steel.

Accompanying Mr. Pless on the raid, was his wife, who brought the still to Waynesville, while Mr. Pless was holding a drunk man on the back seat. Tom Ellis and Mr. Phifer were the other two assisting Mr. Pless in the raid.

Health Conference To Be Held At Cullowhee Saturday

H. T. Hunter, president of Western Carolina Teachers' College at Cullowhee, announced yesterday that a Health conference will be held at that school on Saturday, May 7. The conference is being held under the auspices of the State Department of Education, State Department of Health, and the Teachers' College of Cullowhee.

Several important persons will take part on the program, including Dr. L. B. McBrayer, of Sanatorium, N. C.; Dr. Ernest Branch, of the State Health Department; Miss Juanita McDougald, of Raleigh; Miss Pearl Weaver, of Waverlyville, and several others and members of the college faculty.

The conference will be attended by physicians, nurses, school officials and other persons interested in the health of school children from throughout the eight counties of Western North Carolina.

A clinic for pre-school children will be held Friday afternoon at the college, beginning promptly at 1:45. It is expected that a large number of citizens from Haywood will attend the conference and clinic.

Special Services For Junior Will Be Held Sunday Afternoon At First Baptist Here

There will be a special service at the Baptist church on Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock May 16, to the Junior Order United Americans. The service will be conducted by Dr. R. P. Walker, pastor of the Presbyterian church. All Juniors and the public is cordially invited to attend this service. The nature of the service will be a home coming day for Juniors. There will be a more definite announcement next week.

Merchants Are Ready With Lots Of Good Bargains

\$5.00 in Gold Given For Visiting Stores in Waynesville Bargain Days.

LARGE CROWD OF SHOPPERS EXPECTED

Merchants Offering Seasonable Merchandise At New Low Prices.

The merchants are staging another series of bargain days, Friday and Saturday of this week. This is the second of the bargain day groups that have been put on here during the past three months. The merchants here felt that now at the end of the spring season and beginning of the summer season with new merchandise being placed in stock would be an opportune time for the buying public to stock up.

Some citizen of the county this week will be awarded \$5 in gold for a few minute work, whether he is a shopper or not, all that is necessary is that he must visit the stores that are taking part in the bargain days. Here is the way to get \$5 without having to spend a cent. Take The Mountaineer and go to each merchant who has an advertisement in it this week and ask them for a "word ticket." Each merchant will give you a ticket with a word on it, and after you get a ticket from eight business houses in Waynesville, take the tickets and arrange a sentence from the words. Bring or mail your sentence to The Mountaineer before Monday at 6 p. m. and if your answer is like the original sentence written by the editor of this paper, a \$5 gold piece will be waiting for you at this office next Thursday. Easy isn't it? It is not nearly as hard as a crossword puzzle and look at the profit you get. Everyone is entitled to try except members of the staff of this paper. No tickets will be given to children under 18 years of age.

Win \$5

It will pay you and your family to come up street both days and visit all the stores and see the many different bargains on display each day. Prices during the past few months have continued to drop, until the present low prices have reached a level that most business men believe is the limit. In fact, one or two items have already shown an increase in price and in several cases merchants have been notified that the present prices, on merchandise would go up in 60 days.

Those taking part in the bargain days are: C. E. Ray's Sons; Denton's Hardware; McCracken Clothing Co.; Eagle Ice and Ice Store; Massie Department Store; Mook's Department Store; Sluder-Garrett Furniture Co.; Clyde Ray, Florist.

Herbert M. Smith Is Buried Here Monday

Herbert M. Smith, 28, of Hazelwood, was buried at Green Hill cemetery, Monday afternoon, after an illness of only a few days at the home of his father in Hazelwood.

Mr. Smith was a speed-ster in Washington, D. C. and had come home for a visit when he died. He was an ex-soldier and had suffered an injury during the war, from which he never fully recovered.

Rev. Kay Allen, of Allen's Creek conducted the funeral.

Mrs. W. T. Fortner, 70, Buried Here Wed.

Funeral services were held yesterday for Mrs. Nancy Fortner, of Pulaski, Va., who died there Sunday following an illness of several weeks. Interment was made at Green Hill Cemetery.

Little could be learned of the funeral arrangements, and of relatives here. It was said that she is survived by several grandsons of Hazelwood. Mrs. Fortner was in her 70th year and the wife of W. T. Fortner. The body reached here Wednesday from Pulaski.

PREACHES BACCALAUREATE SERMON AT CULLOWHEE

Rev. Albert New, rector of the local Episcopal church, preached the baccalaureate sermon at the Cullowhee High School last Sunday afternoon.