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"Looks Like A Million"



Miss Greta Glass, of Coral Gables, Fla., looks like a million dollars in the new recovery bathing suit, made of imitation currency and designed for a state-wide celebration.

Rev. R. A. Sentelle Laid To Rest Here Monday Afternoon

(Continued from front page)

Lenoir in East Fork township. In the fall of that year, he entered school at the old Bethel academy under the tutelage of Dr. J. M. Mease, and again in the winter of 1867, under the Rev. D. B. Nelson. Both of these men Mr. Sentelle often spoke about as having given him the inspiration and ambition to go forward with his desire for an education and a career in his chosen work. It may be said that during these two years work the foundations of his aims and ambitions were laid.

Another man Mr. Sentelle often referred to as having had a great influence upon him in his early days was Captain W. J. Wilson, one of the most distinguished teachers of the War Between the States. Captain Wilson was for some years county examiner and issued to Mr. Sentelle his first certificate to teach school. To repair the deficiency of his early education, Mr. Sentelle continued a student in summer schools and in private schools, all of his life until a little more than a year ago. For several years, and up to the summer of 1922, he attended regularly as a student in the Junaluska Summer school. In that respect his life has been an inspiration to many young teachers of the county.

July 28, 1878, Mr. Sentelle always regarded as a pivotal date in his career, for it was on that day that he stood the examination to become a minister of the Gospel. He prized the letter from the presbytery notifying him on his eligibility to the ministry. He has kept the letter framed and hanging on a wall of his study all these years.

It is difficult to determine in which field Mr. Sentelle has accomplished his greatest work, that of the church or the schools. His accomplishments in both fields have been remarkable. For many years, he has been referred to as the "father of the public schools of Haywood county," but at the same time it may be said with equal truth that he has been the patriarch of the Baptist ministry of the county.

Among the men that are best known among their fellows who went to school to Mr. Sentelle are the following: General Harry Ferguson, the man who has in recent months made the Mississippi river behave; William B. Ferguson, who was associated with the former in raising the Maine; Homer Ferguson, president of the Newport News Shipbuilding company; Garland S. Ferguson, Jr., a member of the Federal Trade commission; E. W. Gudge, ichthyologist of the American Museum of Natural History; Dr. J. E. Abel, Dr. W. L. Kirkpatrick, Dr. J. R. Metracken, Dr. Sam Stringfield, former Judge Thomas L. Johnson, and a number of other leading men and women of Western North Carolina.

In 1881, he was elected county superintendent of schools, being the first to hold that important office. He served until 1893, when he retired and was out of office until 1904, when he was again elected superintendent and served until 1921. After retiring from the county superintendency in 1921, he continued as a teacher in the county until 1932, when he bade farewell to the profession he loved so well.

Among his public services in the domain of the church, he was for several years secretary of the Western North Carolina Baptist convention, before that body became consolidated with the Baptist State convention. He had served at different times as moderator of the Haywood Baptist association. He is said to have officiated at more funerals than any five men in the county.

For thirty years he was pastor of the Bethel Baptist church, where the funeral services were held. He probably knew more people in Haywood county than any other man. He has doubtless been a visitor to more homes in Haywood county than any half dozen other men.

Some months before his last illness, he gave expression to the following words that perhaps characterize the man better than any that may be said about him: "My life seems like

Interest Rate Is Reduced On Loans

T. L. Gwyn, secretary-treasurer of the Asheville Production Credit Association has just received word from Governor W. I. Myers of the Farm Credit Administration in Washington, D. C., that the interest rates on new loans from production credit associations has been reduced from 5 1/2 to 5 per cent.

According to Mr. Gwyn the new 5 per cent interest rate becomes effective immediately on all new loans and advances made by the association and will be applicable until further notice.

"The new interest rate of 5 per cent will not effect loans already advanced in full," Mr. Gwyn said. "These will continue to bear the rate of interest prevailing at the time the loan was closed. The interest charge on loans from the association are collected when the loans mature. The Asheville Production Credit association is now making loans on acceptable crop and chattel security to farmers in Buncombe, Haywood, Transylvania, Madison, and Henderson counties.

"The reduction of the interest to 5 per cent on new loans," Mr. Gwyn continued, "is made possible by a recent sale of Federal intermediate credit bank debentures to investors at an unusually low rate of interest. The association gets money to lend farmers from the Federal intermediate credit bank of Columbia, S. C."

"The lowering of the interest rate on new loans to 5 per cent is the result of a reduction in two months of the rate having been lowered from 6 to 5 1/2 per cent on March 15."

"According to Governor Myers," said Mr. Gwyn, "the Federal intermediate credit bank is passing on immediately to farmers-borrowers from production credit associations the savings made possible by the low cost of getting money. The convenience of borrowers in the security of the intermediate credit banks has been such that the banks are able to get money to lend at the lowest discount rate in their history. Governor Myers says that the resulting low rate of interest on production credit association loans is enabling farmer-borrowers to save thousands of dollars on the cost of their farming operations this year. If the associations make sound loans, and loans that are collectible, an adequate supply of low cost money will continue to be available."

IMPORTANT LIBRARY NEWS

The Waynesville Library Board met on Wednesday morning with a group of interested people, from Canton to discuss with Miss Gilbert from the State Library Commission at Raleigh, plans for making the present library a free county library. Also meeting with the board were heads of the various clubs and organizations of Waynesville.

As the paper was going to press at the time of the meeting further details will be given in the paper next week, but this project is one of paramount interest to every person in Haywood county.

NOTICE

My friends have brought to me reports that several of my opponents are telling that I have withdrawn from the race for Constable of Waynesville Township. This is not the truth. I am still in the race, and if elected will do my best to fill the duties of the office and not be partial to anyone.

HOMER DAVIS
Candidate for Constable.

a dream, so swiftly has it flown by. I am now an old man. I have worked where I have seen my duty and have tried always to do the task well. I have seen men and communities grow bigger and better. I have seen changes come on swift but silent wings. I have seen those who labored with me called away by the Angel of Death before their work was hardly begun. I have tried to take up the burden and carry on. And yet there is much left to be done. I would fain remain here and be happy to play a part in the tasks that lie out ahead. But my work is in other hands. I am resigned. My God's will be done!"

New Commissioner's Program To Provide Better Sport Fishing

The new program of the North Carolina Game and Inland Fisheries Commission, headed by Commissioner J. H. D. Williams, is to provide better sport fishing for the people of the State. The program is to be carried out by the new Commissioner and his staff of about 100 men.

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Lays are required of all persons fishing in surface water other than those in which they reside and non-residents. This fee is the same of residents—amounts to 25c. In addition, county licenses are required of all persons fishing in surface water of counties in the State. During the last few weeks, sharp increases in collections has been reported.

Although the season is closed for fishing, the warm water season is now in effect, the dates being May 1 to June 11, some form of angling is permitted for certain days in each week during this period in all counties. Fishing is permitted on specified days in counties having only warm water fishing during the May 1 to June 11 period, and the trout season is under way in Western North Carolina.

One phase of the inland fisheries program which the new commissioner is planning to stress is the construction of fish ponds on every farm in the state where facilities are available. Each new pond, it is pointed out, will provide new opportunities for fishing and other recreation and will afford an opportunity, if proper cultural methods are followed, for a continuous supply of appetizing and wholesome food.

The U. S. Bureau of Fisheries has long pointed out the advantages of pond-fish culture, and the State conservation department has taken hearty interest in this movement by frequently calling the attention of the public to the desirability of providing new fishing grounds.

J. M. McElroy and W. P. Best were among the visitors here from Cranberry last week.

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