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WAYNESVILLE, N. C., THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 25, 1937

\$1.00 IN ADVANCE IN COUNTY

Election Meeting Of C. Of C. Will Be Held Tonight

Directors Will Be Elected. Officers Will Make Annual Report

The annual election meeting of the Chapter of the Court of Commerce will be held Tuesday evening at the court house. Annual reports of the officers will be made at that time, it was announced by President Chas. E. ...

5 Bills Introduced In Legislature By Rep. John Cabe

Board Of Commissioners Would Be Reduced To Three Members; Salary Also Cut

Among five bills recently introduced in the legislature by Representative John Cabe, includes a change in the board of commissioners, which will reduce the number from seven to three members after the next election, and sets the rate of pay at five dollars a day for each day they meet, instead of the present salary of \$500 a year.

Survey Reveals Majority Of People Favor Liquor Stores Instead Of Present Methods

A general survey completed this week, shows that the trend in Haywood county favors a liquor store in preference to the present system of handling liquor. No less than 100 people were approached on the subject, and a large percentage of the cases, they favored the liquor store system as provided for in a bill just passed by the legislature than to the present bootleg methods.

Presbyterian Revival Begins Tonight At 7:45

Rev. E. A. Dallas, Of Georgia, Engaged To Conduct Services For One Week

Revival services will begin at the Presbyterian church here tonight at 7:45, with the Rev. J. A. Flanagan, of Franklin, preaching. On Friday night at the same hour, the Rev. George Hammond, of Canton, will be the message.

Three Young Men Killed When Train Strikes Automobile

Coroner's Jury Returns Verdict Blaming Driver Of Car With Accident

An accident, termed "negligence on the part of the driver," by a coroner's jury, cost three young Haywood county men their lives late Sunday afternoon, when their automobile crashed into a westbound passenger train at a grade crossing at the Clyde city limits.

Ernest L. Withers Will Make The Report Of The Nominating Committee

Ernest L. Withers will make the report of the nominating committee, which consists of fifteen names, and from that list ten will be elected as electors. Mr. Ray also announced that additional nominations will be accepted from the floor.

Another Bill Of Interest, Is Restoring The Absentee Ballot In The County For County Officers

Another bill of interest, is restoring the absentee ballot in the county, for county officers. That bill reads: "Section 1. That chapter two hundred twenty-three of the Public Laws of 1935 entitled 'An act to repeal the absentee ballot law of Haywood County,' be, and the same is hereby repealed, it being the purpose and intent of this act to repeal said chapter two hundred twenty-three and to place the control of the absentee ballot under the supervision of the state-wide election law."

E. J. Duckett Named Plant Engineer At Sylva P. Board Mill

E. J. Duckett, who has been plant engineer at the Western Carolina Teachers College for the past four years, has recently accepted a similar position with the Paper Board Mill, of Sylva. Mrs. Duckett who has been matron of the Reuben Robertson building at the college, has also resigned.

Local Scouts Get Promotions By The Court Of Honor

A Court of Honor was held in the court house on Monday night for the Waynesville troop of the Boy Scouts, with William Medford, presiding. A large number of parents and friends of the scouts were present.

Cabe Takes Floor In Behalf Of His C. Library Bill

Says He Will Appoint Three Men For Aldermen If None Run Because Of Low Salary

According to Raleigh visitors, Representative John Cabe took the floor of the House last week after he had introduced a bill which would abolish the court library \$1 fee now charged each person convicted in Haywood county.

Boyd Bound To Court In The Parton Death Case

John Boyd, principal of the Rock Hill school, waived a hearing before Magistrate C. B. Atkinson here Saturday, in connection with the death of Homer Parton, 21, of Jonathan's Creek, who was fatally wounded while near the barn of Boyd on February 9th.

Representative Cabe Also Introduced A Bill Abolishing The Office Of Deputy Constable In Waynesville Township

Another bill affecting Waynesville, was, "That chapter three of the private laws of 1933 providing for the sale of pulp timber on the watershed of the town of Waynesville, be and the same is hereby repealed."

Turbyfill Bound To Court For Robbery

John Turbyfill was bound over to Superior Court, under a \$1,000 bond, by Mayor J. H. Way, Jr., Tuesday, in mayor's court, charged with breaking into The Tavern, on Main street.

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Home Hygiene Certificates Given To 13 Women Here

On Wednesday William Medford presented certificates to 13 women who have completed a 30-hour modified course in Home Hygiene and care of the Sick given through the National Red Cross and the local Waynesville chapter of the Red Cross.

David Stentz Wins D. A. R. Medal

David Stentz and Gordon Hendricks won first and second prizes in the 29th annual declamation contest sponsored by the Dorcas Bell Love Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution, for the boys of the township high school, which was held on Monday morning in the school auditorium.

What's Going On In Our Capitals

IN WASHINGTON (By Senator Robert R. Reynolds.) The next four months may prove to be one of the most eventful periods in the Seventy-fifth Congress.

Rotarians Hear Asheville Editor

Charles K. Robinson, editor of The Asheville Times, discussed both sides of the proposed changes in the Supreme Court before the Waynesville Rotary Club here last week.

Men Skies Passes Away In Arizona

News has been received here by relatives of Mrs. Skies, of the death of her husband, Glen Skies, of Phoenix, Ariz., which occurred on last Friday.

Social Disease Control Will Be Studied Wed.

Jack Messer, county superintendent of education, has announced a conference on social disease control, which will be held on Wednesday, March 3rd, in the Central Elementary School, at 3 o'clock.

Industrial Class To Stage Exhibit

The industrial classes of the high school will stage an exhibit of their work on Thursday evening, beginning at eight o'clock, it was announced by Owen Corwin, instructor, yesterday.

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The third in a series of Lenten lectures will be given on Thursday night at 7:45 by Father Federal, of Swananoah. The subject of his talk will be "The Scourging of the Pillar." Mrs. Jos. Liner will be the guest soloist accompanied by Mrs. Evander Preston at the organ.

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To Build Home In The Belle Meade Section

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Colkitt have completed plans for building a home in the Belle Meade section, it was learned yesterday.