



This paper has enlisted with the government in the cause of America for the period of the war.....

BLOWING ROCK BREEZES

Rev. Edgar Tufts preached two very instructive sermons last Sunday and Sunday night to large and well-behaved audiences. His theme Sunday was "Christ the Great Teacher." Topics: (1) Christ taught with authority. (2) Christ was a sympathetic teacher. (3) Christ taught with power. (4) Christ taught by parables.

His theme Sunday night was "The Lord reigneth." Topics: 1. The Lord ruleth the nations of earth. 2. The Lord reigneth over the individuals that compose a nation. 3. The Lord in His wisdom has seen fit to hide the future from our view. The Lord sends righteous judgments upon nations and individuals.

Miss Esther Ransom announces that the Boy Scouts whom she has been training will give a minstrel show at the public school house on Wednesday night August 14. Every body is cordially invited. The proceeds to go the Red Cross.

Mr. Claude Buff is the leader of the Boy Scout Patrol. They have a room where they meet each week on "Ransom Ridge." Mr. Buff says he will soon have the room in good shape, and he has found in the small boys material to make splendid men.

Rev. G. L. Hodges filled his appointments Saturday and Sunday night at Boone's Fork. He says that he has been in a series of meetings for twenty seven days. He has just closed a series of meetings at Hickory and Valmead, resulting in about 60 conversions. He has agreed to hold two more meetings, one at Center Grove Church in Caldwell the other at Bethany Church in Burke county.

Mr. Charles Moore, accompanied by his wife and two children and two sisters came from Gastonia last Saturday and will spend some time at the Watauga Inn. Mr. Moore is the son of Capt. J. D. Moore, deceased, of Gastonia.

Prof. B. B. and Mrs. D. D. Dougherty were in the village today.

Good Road Progress.

The grading on the Boone Trail Highway is getting well under way. Before this paper reaches the reader the steam shovel is expected to be on the job. It has already arrived at Shulls Mills. It will begin work near Villas.

The survey from Boone east toward the Wilkes line has been begun.

On the Wilkes side, a steam shovel force is located near Purler, working this way on the Boone Trail. With these two shovel forces, one at each end of the line, it will not be many months before this great highway will be completed. The entire road within Wilkes and Watauga counties is under the direction of the same superintendent, Mr. J. F. Mulligan, who has the reputation of being the best construction superintendent in the State.

Mr. H. Hocutt, the State engineer of maintenance for this district has just been in the county. He was here to consult with the engineer and the secretary of the Road Commission. He told them that he would be ready to begin the maintenance of the Boone Trail Highway as soon as one mile is completed.

Appalachian Training School.

A busy week has passed, examinations ending on Thursday afternoon. Two hundred eight students enrolled during the term and it has been a good school term in every way.

The commencement exercises took place in the auditorium Friday July 26th. Dr. William Poteat, President of Wake Forest College, who was to deliver the address could not be here. He sent his son, Dr. Hubert Poteat, also of Wake Forest College, to fill his appointment at eleven o'clock. We are glad to say that he filled his father's place well. His address was on the subject "Enlisting for Service," and he spoke of these as some wars to enlist in: The wars against Indifference, ignorance, vice, filth and disease, graft and corruption, and Sin.

Dr. Poteat closed his address by giving an exhortation to all to enlist and help fight in one or more of these wars.

In the afternoon at two o'clock the people reassembled in the auditorium for the class day exercises. The following program was rendered:

Address by the President, James A. Farthing. "Not for You"—Satie Hunt. Class History—Annie Winkler. Poem—M. Boyd Candell. Prophecy—Wilhelmina Shull. Class Will—Mary Lizzie Taylor. Valedictory—Edith Maxwell. Awarding of Diplomas. Class Song.

A bright, cherry, and energetic class has gone out from the school, and we wish them well wherever they go.

The Confederate Veterans were entertained at White Hall on Friday and Saturday. It brings a peculiar sadness to our hearts to see them assembled, to hear their band play, and see their interest in the present world war. Their strong support should help the younger generations to make a greater effort to win the war. Mr. Fleetwood of Winston Salem gave them an address Saturday, making one of the best speeches that has ever been heard in this town on the war and War Savings Stamps.

Prof. D. D. Dougherty who has been attending the summer term at A. & E. College, returned home Saturday evening. Prof. Dougherty looks well and reports a good summer. We have missed him and are glad to have him back.

Too Long in Extravagance.

We have lived too long in the gilded age of extravagance. It has dazzled our eyes and made our hearts beat faster. It has, therefore, shortened our lives. We have paid too dear a price that we might bask for a short time in the blaze of its glory. That there was a day of reckoning, we did not doubt, but that fact only added sport to the play.

The day of reckoning has come. War has brought us to our senses. That we may sow no more of our thorns and gather no more of the harvest we have sown in the plan and purpose of the War Savings Campaign. The Government has devised a plan to check our tendencies to waste and extravagance, to save us from profligacy and decay. It is that everybody shall refrain from all unnecessary expenditures, and cultivate the habit of saving and doing without that he may invest all spare money in Government securities and thus help to win the war. If you are saving and investing your savings regularly in War Savings Stamps, you are helping the Government to accomplish its purpose. If you are not doing these things, you are not only working against the Government, but you are playing the part of one of the country's chief enemies.

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

Boys to Entrain for Army Camps.

Following is a list of Watauga boys who will entrain at Shulls Mills tomorrow for Camp Jackson, S. C. It is a good, representative body of men, the kind that it takes to make up a great army, capable of subduing the terrible Hun and bringing peace to the world:

- Claude Buff
Clement Daniel Mcneil
Claude Monroe Shore
Leonard E. Wilson
Robert Penley
James Franklin Wilson
James Mays
Neuben P. Miller
Roey Isom Haynes
Cloyd Norris
Orville H. Greene
William Donnelly Wilson
Edward Honeycutt
Jasper Lafayette Story
John C. Dugger.

The following will entrain on Monday, July 5, for Camp Wadsworth, Spartanburg, South Carolina:

- Claude Donald Church
Ray Henderson Eller
Jesse Monroe Day
Finley Hodges
Carl Bryan Watts
George Franklin Eggers
M. C. Greene
James E. Shell.

Jury List.

Following is the list of jurors drawn for the fall term of Watauga Superior Court, that will convene in Boone on Monday, Sept. 5:

FIRST WEEK.

- Frank Jackson, C. L. Moretz, W. S. Miller, W. F. Green, C. F. Connett, R. E. Moody, I. W. Bolick, R. H. Shore, R. M. Coffey, L. W. Kerley, G. A. Hodges, A. D. Blair, Joe W. Ward, W. L. Brown, W. C. Davis, G. M. Henson, W. P. Bach, N. S. Fletcher, W. L. Broybill, F. M. Harman, Miles A. Ward, O. J. Phillips, J. L. Miller, G. C. Greene, J. M. South, Wm. Kenhour, T. S. Watson, B. F. Greene, E. W. Miller, W. D. Look, A. Hill, T. W. Rominger, J. B. Matney, James Fox, G. W. Rowe, D. W. Church, H. L. Story.

SECOND WEEK

- W. L. Davis, Joseph E. Farthing, G. G. Reese, C. R. Dishman, Q. B. Cannon, Wm. Elrod, E. J. Smith, R. J. Walls, C. E. Henson, W. D. Combs, N. M. Church, W. W. Blackburn, T. C. Woodring, T. A. Greene, H. H. Proffit, J. F. Potter, J. F. Gragg, G. W. Baird.

Why Should You Join War Savings Society.

Every patriotic citizen in N. C. should be a member of a War Savings Society and should wear a War Savings badge, says the War Savings Times. The badge bearing the torchlight of liberty in blue field and encircled by the words "War Savings Service," is the emblem of the War Savings Service. It stands for liberty and service. Each member of a society is entitled to wear the badge for the reason it signifies that he is fighting for liberty by saving and lending his savings to the Government to win the war.

Some one has asked, Why the War Savings Society? The answer is, for the team work that it produces—the team work of which Kipling speaks, when he says,

"It's not the individual, Nor the Army as a whole, But the ever-lasting team work, Of every blooming soul."

When men, women and children bind themselves through a common pledge to do anything, they receive more strength and encouragement than when working alone. Members of War Savings Societies are encouraged by one another and are reminded to save and serve when otherwise this important matter would escape their minds.

The purpose of a War Saving Society is to strengthen those who are weak and make stronger those who are strong. By becoming a member of a Society a person serves his country in two important ways; first, by saving and lending his savings to the Government; second, by refraining from unnecessary expenditures and non-essentials which

release labor and material for the Government's use.

As the War Savings Society is a patriotic organization, formed for promoting thrift and economy, every boy and girl, and man and woman, who would render the Government an efficient service should become a member. It means that that person proposes to be a 100 per cent patriotic American citizen.

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NOTICE OF SALE

North Carolina, Watauga county. E. S. Coffey, trustee, to the use of D. J. Cottrell, attorney in fact of the heirs of A. S. Edmisten, deceased vs J. A. Edmisten

By virtue of an execution directed to the undersigned from the Superior court of Watauga in the above entitled action, I will, on Monday the 5th day of August 1918, between the hours of 10 o'clock and 2 p. m. at the court house door of said county, sell to highest bidder for cash to satisfy said execution, all the right title and interest which the said J. A. Edmisten, the defendant has in the follow ing described real estate, to wit:

Lying and being in the town of Blowing Rock, North Carolina. Beginning at a stake or stone, the Abernethy and Ashley corner and runs N with Abernethy's line to Martin's old corner; then west with Martin's line to a stake on east side of Wallingford street, then south with said street to N. L. Edmisten's corner, then east to the beginning, and contains 4 acre, more or less. Reference is hereby made for a more complete description to a deed from W. J. Palmer and wife Mary Palmer to J. A. Edmisten, dated 1st day of October 1896, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for Watauga county in Book Y at page 348. This June 4, 1918

W. P. MOODY, Sheriff.

W. P. SPEAS, M. D.

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