



Two Appalachian State Teachers College students played a role in saving the life of 10-year-old Mary Nell Eggers of Sugar Grove, says Dr. Lawrence H. Owsley, surgeon at Watauga Hospital. Nancy Louise Bell and Georgia Ruth Todd, both elementary education majors, each donated a point of their rare RH negative-Type "O" blood to the young girl who needed it before undergoing major surgery. Miss Bell is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Horace Bell of Kings Mountain. Miss Todd is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus Todd of Yadkinville.

Mrs. Triplett Funeral Tues.

Mrs. Nevada Millie Triplett, 78, of Blowing Rock, died in a Statesville Hospital Sunday. Funeral services were held Tuesday at 2 o'clock at the Laurel Fork Baptist Church by Rev. W. T. Brackett and Rev. Robert Shore and burial was in the church cemetery. Surviving are three sons and five daughters: Don, Route 4, Boone; Archie, Statesville; Arvie, Old Fort; Miss Rosalee Triplett, Statesville; Mrs. Jonas Clark, Lenoir; Mrs. Greta Cobb, Hickory; Mrs. Edward Simpson, Route 2, Elton College; Mrs. Charles Hurst, Statesville; two brothers, Granville Storie, Route 4, Boone; Calvin Storie, Lenoir. There are fourteen grandchildren and 2 great grandchildren.

'CONSERVATIVE' DEFINED

A Democratic congressman has come up with this definition of a conservative: "A man who worships dead liberals." The proof, says Representative Denton (Ind.), is that the conservative Eisenhower Administration has relied on laws of the Franklin Roosevelt Administration to prevent another depression.

James Hodges Saturday Dies In Tenn. Class Plans

Johnson City, Tenn., Feb 3.—James Millard Hodges, 81, of the new Jonesboro Highway, died in Memorial Hospital at 6:15 p. m. yesterday. He was a merchant and operator of a grocery store on the Jonesboro Highway for the past 20 years. He was a member of the Temple Baptist Church, where he served as a Deacon for several years. A native of Avery County, N. C., he had resided in Washington County for the past 32 years. He was the son of the late Thomas and Mary Elizabeth Trivett Hodges, early residents of Avery County. In early years he taught singing schools in the area for a number of years. Surviving are his widow, Mrs. Mary Cannon Hodges of Johnson City; three sons, Conley, Claude and Charles Hodges, all of Johnson City; two daughters, Mrs. Dessiree Cokelet of Johnson City, and Mrs. Vina Rutledge of Bluff City; four brothers, Lloyd, Gordie and Will Hodges, all of Boone, N. C., and Lonnie Hodges of Stanford, Ky.; one sister, Mrs. Addie Johnson, also of Stanford, Ky.; nine grandchildren, seven great-grandchildren and several nephews and nieces.

Twenty courses will be offered on Saturdays during the spring quarter at Appalachian State Teachers College for the benefit of teachers and others within driving distance of the campus, reports Dr. James E. Stone, Director of Extension Service. Credit earned by taking the courses may be applied toward degrees or used for renewal of teaching certificates. Each course carries three quarter hours credit. Registration begins Saturday, March 5. Courses offered include: Teaching of reading, principles of guidance, research in education, organization and administration of secondary schools, elementary school organization and administration. Supervision of instruction, mental hygiene in teaching, public school finance, organization and administration of guidance services, utilization and preparation of audio-visual aids.

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Final Wool Date Given

Final date by which Watauga county farmers may file applications for incentive payments for wool marketed in the 1959 marketing year has been set as April 30. According to Vaughn Tugman, chairman of the County Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Committee, the National Wool Act of 1954 authorizes ASC county offices to make incentive payments which will encourage an increase in the production of wool. Nationally, the program is designed to bring the annual wool crop up to 300 million pounds. The wool payment program provides incentive payments direct to farmers which will bring the average price received throughout the Nation up to 88 percent of parity. Under this program, farmers market their wool through the usual channels obtaining the best prices they can for their production. Then at the end of the marketing year, payments are made to producers in an amount sufficient to bring the average price received throughout the Nation up to the incentive level of 88 percent of parity of 62c per pound. Under this program the farmers who do the best job of marketing their wool still receive the best price for their wool including the incentive payment. The incentive payment is a percentage increase on the price the farmer receives on the actual sale. As of this date 280 producers have filed wool applications compared with 292 producers the same date last year. Also 152 producers have filed unshorn lamb applications compared with a total of 156 producers filing last year. From available records it is evident that some producers fail to file for the incentive payment each year. The 1959 wool marketing year began April 1, 1959, and ends March 30 this year. Applications for wool or unshorn lambs sold during this period must be filed at the county ASC office before the closing date. Sales tickets covering all sales must be filed with the applications, Mr. Tugman advised.

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