

PLANS BEING WORKED OUT FOR BIG MOTORCADE

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"Duty of the Federal Government to Continue Aid for Highways." Charles A. Webb, co-publisher of the Asheville Citizen.

"Construction of Interstate Highways." John N. Holder, of Jefferson, Ga., chairman of the Georgia State highway board.

"Building the Appalachian Scenic Highway in North Carolina." James G. Stikeleather, of Asheville, state highway commissioner for the Ninth North Carolina district.

"Building Western North Carolina." Don S. Ehasz, publisher of the Asheville Times.

"Measuring the Value of Improved Highways." Congressman, Zeb Weaver, of North Carolina.

"What Improved Highways Mean to Atlanta." W. D. Hoffman, president of the Atlanta Chamber of Commerce.

"What Improved Highways Mean to Asheville." President Bryson, of the Asheville Chamber of Commerce.

"What the Appalachian Scenic Highway Means to North Ga." Henry H. Estes, of Gainesville, president of the Georgia division of the Appalachian Scenic Highway.

"What the Appalachian Scenic Highway Means to North Carolina." Otis Green.

"The Great Atlanta-Asheville-Montreal Motorcade of 1927." Mayor John Calney, of Asheville.

"The Atlanta Convention of the Appalachian Scenic Highway Association." W. E. Winn, of Atlanta, president of the Georgia Automobile Association.

All addresses will be limited to five and ten minutes, in order that the full program may be covered at the one afternoon session and without wearying the audience.

The committees on arrangement as announced by Mayor Hill follow:

Music and refreshments: Mrs. E. B. Norvell, Mrs. W. M. Axley, Mrs. R. C. Mattox, Mrs. S. D. Akin, Mrs. L. E. Bayless and Miss Josephine Heighway.

Finance: W. P. Odum.

Advertising and Publicity: Don Witherspoon.

Barbecue: E. B. Norvell.

Grounds and Parking: E. P. Hawkins, W. D. Townsend, J. W. Davidson.

Reception: John H. Dillard, chairman; W. M. Bell, D. Witherspoon, R. S. Parker, C. W. Savage, Dr. J. N. Hill, E. A. Davidson, W. P. Payne, J. B. Storey, W. M. Axley, N. E. Dockery, D. S. Russell, Andrews; C. A. Brown, Andrews; W. T. Holland, Andrews; N. W. Abernathy, Marble; G. F. Hendrix, Peachtree; A. Rice, Culberson; Geo. Crawford, Unaka; W. J. Martin, Martins Creek; A. B. Dickey, H. R. Elliott, Peachtree; Mrs. M. W. Bell, Mrs. J. H. Dillard, Mrs. Ralph Moody, Mrs. R. S. Parker, Mrs. J. W. Davidson, Mrs. J. H. McCall, Mrs. Gene Holecomb; and Mrs. Giles Cover, Andrews; Mrs. R. A. Dewar, Andrews.

Executive Committee: Mrs. E. B. Norvell, W. P. Odum, D. Witherspoon, E. B. Norvell, E. P. Hawkins, and F. S. Hill, Mrs. E. E. Adams, Mrs. J. B. Storey.

Arrangement Committee: Mrs. J. B. Storey, Mrs. H. G. Elkins, Mrs. T. S. Evans, Mrs. W. M. Axley, Mrs. R. C. Mattox, Mrs. L. E. Bayless.

Serving Committee: Mrs. E. E. Adams, Miss Josephine Heighway, Mrs. S. Akin, Mrs. P. C. Hyatt, Mrs. J. W. Thompson, Mrs. Beattie De-weese, Mrs. Niel Davidson, Mrs. R. W. Gray, Mrs. Allen Fain, Mrs. George Ellis, Miss Elizabeth Smith, Mrs. G. W. Candler.

Library Receives Books As Gifts

A number of books as gifts from The Woman's Club, Mrs. E. B. Norvell, and Miss Ann Candler, to the Carnegie Library were announced this week by Miss Josephine Heighway, Librarian. One of the books of especial interest is the one entitled "At Top of Tobin," by Stanley Olmsted, formerly of Murphy, which portrays scenes and life in Murphy a number of years ago.

The books as announced by the librarian follow:

Olmsted—"At The Top of Tobin", gift from Woman's Club.

O'shanghnessy—"Diplomatic Days"

Otis—"When Israel Putnam Served the King", Gregory—"Desert Valley"

Henty—"By Sheer Pluck", Henty—"The Lion of St. Mark", Burroughs—"Jungle Tales of Tarzan", gifts by Mrs. E. B. Norvell.

Hope—"Bunnie Brown and Sister Sue at Christmas Tree Cove", gift by Miss Anna M. Candler.

WEST CAROLINA HOLIDAY ASKED FOR ROAD FETE

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grams received yesterday from various points in Canada asking that the 1927 annual convention of the Appalachian Scenic Highway Association be held in Canada. Mederic Martin, mayor of Montreal wired: "The Mayor of Montreal cordially invites the members of the Appalachian Scenic Highway Association to hold their next convention in Montreal, the metropolis of Canada."

V. G. Cordy, manager of the Mt. Royal Hotel, Montreal, wired: "We cordially invite the Appalachian Scenic Highway Association to hold its 1927 convention at the Mt. Royal hotel, the largest in the British Empire. Montreal offers historic and scenic attractions without equal in America."

Engineering Praised

Speaking on behalf of the Atlanta Journal and the state of Georgia Harlee Branch, of Atlanta, said following Mr. Marvel, "that the organization of an international motorcade commencing at New Orleans and Atlanta and proceeding the length of the scenic highway in 1927 would do much to establish this great route as one of the marvels of modern times."

"In combination of scenery, rich country, and hospitable cities along its route there is nothing like this highway East of the Rocky Mountains," Mr. Branch declared, "Every time I stand on some of those gorgeous peaks and look down the length of some of those magnificent valleys and gorges I am made to feel that your engineers have achieved a very great thing in making these natural grandeur available to so many people of the world."

"Every place I go in your state the highways indicate that right here the most effective road work had been done that has been achieved in this generation anywhere. It is a tribute to Western North Carolina and your leaders here that you had the vision to make this highway possible. Hundreds of thousands of people in Eastern America have lain awake at night dreaming of new places to visit in their automobiles. This highway gives them the answer to their dream. This great motorcade from Montreal to Atlanta in October will be one of the most spectacular of international relationship."

"Georgia is sending her delegates to Murphy in large numbers on August 21, and Asheville and Western North Carolina can do nothing less than send great delegations for the occasion," he urged. "We are coming to you to help you celebrate the completion of your link in the scenic highway—and you owe it to yourself to join in this celebration enthusiastically."

Newspapers Get Tribute

Mr. Branch then paid tribute to the unselfish services that have been rendered in the cause of good roads by the Asheville newspapers, declaring that without their help the matter might have been delayed by years.

He also paid a tribute to Major John S. Cohen, publisher of the Atlanta Journal, whom he characterized as "the father of interstate roads." He narrated how, almost a decade ago, Major Cohen set out to convince the public that automobiles could be used for long trips and told of the devotion with which the Major has labored in the Appalachian Scenic Highway project. One of the principal addresses at the celebration on August 21 will be made by Major Cohen. He will speak on "The Development of Highways."

Another tribute that was paid in the course of the evening was addressed by James G. Stikeleather, North Carolina Highway Commissioner for the Ninth district, to Roscoe Marvel, president of the Appalachian Scenic Highway Association. In narrating some of the history of the scenic highway movement he revealed that at the beginning of Mr. Marvel's agitation for this route it was doubted whether much would ever come of it.

"The completion of the North Carolina unit in it and the virtual completion of the Northern Georgia unit gives the nation a high class and unbroken route all the way from Montreal to Atlanta," Mr. Stikeleather declared, "and great credit is due Roscoe Marvel for the accomplishment."

Three Great Highways

In the course of his address Mr. Stikeleather revealed that "the Nineteenth district has more miles of finished concrete highway than any other district in the state of North Carolina."

Summarizing the situation that now obtains with reference to the highways completed, he stated that

Franklin Talent To Present Play At Auditorium Aug 19

A committee from the Franklin Eastern Star were in Murphy this week and made arrangements to present two Franklin talent plays at the school auditorium Thursday night August 19th, at 7:30 o'clock.

The plays are two one act comedies, brimful of laughter, and added features will be dancing, solos and jokes. Music will be furnished by the Franklin orchestra.

One play is entitled "In Dixon's Kitchen," by Wilbur Stout, which is a series of courtship interruptions, and the other is entitled "Agatha," by Jane Troy, and takes place during the Civil War.

The plays are being given under the auspices of the local association for the benefit of the Carnegie Library, and it is hoped that a good number of the people will come out to see them.

the celebration at Murphy will observe three outstanding facts:

1. The virtual completion of Highway No. 10 from Morehead City to Murphy, one of the greatest highways lying entirely within a single state to be found in the Union.

2. Completion of a high grade through route from Montreal to Atlanta, Georgia with only one detour in existence at present.

3. Completion of fifty miles of water bound macadam road from the North Carolina-Georgia line to Cleveland, Georgia.

Plans to extend the membership of the Appalachian Scenic Highway Association were then outlined to the meeting by Otis Green who called upon members present from the various civic clubs of Asheville to go out to their respective organizations and lay before them the benefits that they have derived from this highway and the duty they owe to the organization to become members.

Gains Much Publicity

Means that have been employed to make the highway known to America were set forth by Harvey Holleman who reported that "newspaper information regarding the annual convention in October and the Montreal-to-Atlanta motorcade has been sent to over 300 newspapers in Eastern United States and that 25 of the leading motor magazines of America have carried information about the highway." Precisely what the highway does to advertise Asheville and Western North Carolina was pointed out by Mr. Holleman and he urged that the city can do nothing better in its advertising campaign than to proclaim that A. S. H.—stands for "Asheville mountain metropolis on the Asheville Scenic Highway."

Harry Stillwell Edwards, noted author, a Georgian by birth and now a resident of North Carolina, was called upon by Mr. Elias, chairman of the arrangements committee for the motorcade to Murphy, to say a few words about the highways of North Carolina.

"It would be impossible," said Edwards "to tell in a few words what I think of the roads here. It would take volumes. I am reminded that it has been said that "all roads used to lead to Rome but now they lead to Asheville." It must be remembered that the roads did not make Rome; the roads helped Rome to hold the world once it was conquered.

"Greatest Thing Done By South"

"If I were asked," he continued, "to state what is the greatest thing the South has I should say the Appalachian highland which your great highway is opening up to America. This highland is the backbone of the South. And you open this through highway you are opening up a route into the very backbone of the South riches."

Other addresses were made by N. Buckner, F. Roger Miller, Mr. Elias, and Holmes Bryson, president of the Asheville Chamber of Commerce.

Plans announced for the Murphy celebration include a two-hour program of addresses by outstanding leaders in Georgia and Western North Carolina, a barbecue, and a musical program. Mayor F. S. Hill of Murphy, notified officials of the association that Cherokee county is planning one of the greatest celebrations in its history and citizens of Western North Carolina have been invited to spend the night at Murphy preceding the celebration.

Father Sage Says: The man or woman who has sufficient strength of character to work hard and think hard neither is necessary to the enjoyment of all the comforts is rare.

MAUNEY ATTENDS N. F. L. A. MEET AT COLUMBIA, S. C.

Organization Covering the Carolinas, Georgia and Florida Has Loaned Farmers \$77,000,000

Prof. L. E. Mauney, president of the Cherokee National Farm Loan Association, comprising the counties of Cherokee, Clay and Graham, attended the meetings of 515 local associations of the Carolinas, Georgia and Florida for two days last week which were held at the Columbia Federal Land Bank, Columbia, S. C. Howard C. Arnold, president of the bank told the delegates that the farmers in these four states have borrowed more than \$77,000,000 through these associations since the bank was established nine years ago.

Mr. Mauney stated that officers for the main association were elected at this meeting. The officers of the local association are: Prof. Mauney, president, and B. L. Fox, of Ranger, Secretary.

Red Cross Official To Be Here Monday

According to announcement by members of the local chapter, Mr. J. Arthur Jeffers, Assistant to the Vice President of the American National Red Cross, will be in Murphy Monday, August 16th.

A meeting of the citizens of the town has been called for 7:30 o'clock at the assembly hall or the Library Monday night, and it is hoped that the people will bear this in mind and give this high official of America's greatest relief organization an attentive hearing.

Murphy Girl Wins Lot In Florida

The friends of Miss Esta Swain, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Swain, are congratulating her upon winning a lot in Palham Manor, Fla., which is a subdivision on the Lake City and Jacksonville highway. Miss Swain solved a puzzle sent out by the Maja Sales Corporation, of New York City, and sent it to the judges of the contest. The other day she received a deed to a lot in Palham Manor.

Miss Swain is a student in the local high school, and will enter the ninth grade this year.

Andrews Locals

Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Hoblitzell returned Sunday after having had their daughter, Fannie Sue, treated in the hospital in Asheville. Fannie Sue is now much improved.

J. A. Tatham, Leona Tatham, Mary Tatham and Mrs. F. E. Frye, Jr., motored to Nanathala Sunday afternoon.

Jim Glenn and son, Emmett, and Mary Joe Fish and Ruth Waldroup were in Franklin on last Sunday attending the McConnell-Trautt meeting.

D. H. Tillett was in Murphy Monday attending court.

J. C. Arbogast, Jr., has been out of town for several days the first of this week attending to business.

On last Saturday night, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Dewar and Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Phelps and children, Elizabeth, Edith, John, Jr. and Edna and Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Tillitt went out to Junaluska School House and had a picnic supper.

On last Saturday, Troop D. N. C. N. G. entroped for camp at Camp Oglethorpe, Ga. Among other things taken as mascots was a goat and a colkie.

This troop left with full equipment and in good shape. We are expecting the troop to make an excellent impression at the camp.

Supt. J. G. Allen has completed his new home on Aquone Road and moved in on Monday of this week.

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P. B. Forebee made a business trip to Sylvania and other nearby points the last of last week where he was attending to business in connection with his bond business.

Dr. Glenn of Copper Hill, Tenn., was in Andrews on Tuesday of this week on his camp to a camping party over on Aquone. While in town on his way, he stopped off in Andrews and removed the tonsils from several of the children here in town. He brought with him two nurses and assistants.

Among those having their tonsils removed were: Warren Wortley, Margarette Holland, Meredith Whitaker and Walter Whitaker.

Mrs. F. E. Frye, Jr. of Canton, N. C. has been spending several days in Andrews where she is visiting her parents, Dr. and Mrs. E. I. Herbert.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Phelps, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Walker and R. A. Dewar left Andrews Wednesday for a trip to Atlanta, Ga., to be gone until Friday of this week.

At the meeting of the Board of Directors of the Andrews Building and Loan Association Monday, W. W. Ashe was appointed a director to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of C. H. Bailey who has moved to Elizabethton, Tenn.

By my announcement disappearing in the Scout some thought that I had withdrawn from the race for Register of Deeds, but such is not the case. I am in the race to the finish. Your support and influence will be highly appreciated.

Yours very truly, W. A. BOYD (50-4t-b)

FURNISHED ROOMS for light house keeping. See Mrs. Mattie A. Taylor, City. (1-11-26)

NOTICE

I hereby announce myself as a Candidate for the Office of Sheriff of Cherokee County, N. C., subject to the Republican Primary and convention. All favors shown me will be appreciated.

This 7th day of June 1926. (50-4f) R. T. STILES

Christopher's LEADERS FOR THIS MONTH PRICES IN EFFECT NOW! To Stimulate Business Through August We Are Offering the Following Prices During the Entire Month.

Table listing clothing items and prices: Men's Broad Cloth Shirts with collars, Each \$1.15; Men's 50c to \$1.00 Broad belts, Each 45c; Men's Work Shirts, Each 49c; Men's Hats with fancy bands, Each \$2.29; Men's pin check Work Pants, Per pair \$1.19; Ladies' Silk Dresses, Each \$4.95; Ladies' Silk Hose, all colors, Per pair 39c; Ladies' \$1.25 Silk Hose, all colors, Per pair 95c; Gingham, Per yard 9c; 32 inch Gingham, Per yard 12c; Best grade L. L. Sheetting, Per yard 12 1-2; Good grade Sheetting, Per yard 9c; \$2.00 Bed Spreads, Each \$1.40; Ladies' Muslin Gowns, Each 59c; Ladies' Silk mixed Step-ins, Each 79c; Special lot of Ladies' Silk Dresses, Each \$7.75; Special assortment of cloth, was 60c to \$1.00, yard 34c.

Dress Patterns Reduced. See The Prices

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