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## OLD FOLKS ENJOY DINNER ON JULY 4

On July 4th the Woman's Community Club of Brasstown held its annual old folks' dinner at the Log House Museum of the John C. Campbell Folk School. A large group was present, many coming from a considerable distance to the meeting. The oldest present was Mr. John M. Crawford of Elf, who came with his grandson, Mr. P. E. Crawford of Havesville. Although seemed to thoroughly enjoy the occasion. Mr. and Mrs. Jass Conley were present from the Mission and Mrs. Cling Carringer from Maryville, Tenn. Among others present were: Rev. T. L. Taylor, and Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Crisp, Mrs. M. C. Penland, Mrs. Marion Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Abe Green, Mr. and Mrs. Virge Ledford, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Stalcup, Mrs. Susan Beech, Mrs. M. A. Campbell of Johnson, N. C., Mr. and Mrs. H. E. McClure, Mrs. Sarah E. Brendle, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Crisp, Mr. G. B. Mason, Mr. T. B. Hampton, Mrs. A. T. Davidson, Mr. L. O. Weatherford, Mrs. Charlie Campbell of Birch, Mr. John M. Crompton, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Scroggs, Mrs. Viola Bell, Mrs. Lassie Hyatt, Mrs. Molly Lanev, Mrs. Lena Scroggs, and Mr. H. S. Sudath.

A chicken dinner was served at long tables out-of-doors. Mr. Crawford, Sr., pronounced the blessing, after which the party adjourned to the front of the Log House, where first Mr. Crawford gave a fine talk on his memories of the old days. He spoke of his love for those old times which persisted through his belief in progress. We should hold fast to the best in the old as we go forward was the substance of his talk, and remembering those who signed the Declaration of Independence on that Fourth of July in 1776, dedicate ourselves anew to true freedom and the service of our country. There were many hearty laughs over the stories he told of his own youthful experiences. After the singing of several old hymns, Rev. T. L. Taylor gave a patriotic talk with many reminiscences of the times when he was young. Mr. Crawford Sr., when called upon to speak, rose to his feet and said he was glad to be there and if his grandson would bring him next year he would come if he were able. This was the general expression of all those present.

Many visited the Community House and Farmhouse of the Folk School and some went over the entire farm studying the poultry, cattle, pigs, the new spring house, barn etc.

### DOG ORDINANCE AMENDED

The dog ordinance recently passed by the city council has been amended to allow dogs to run at large securely muzzled, and to allow one to run at large without a muzzle is subject to fine. Also, an ordinance was passed Thursday night at the regular meeting prohibiting the riding of bicycles, tricycles and roller skates on the side walks, violation of which carries a \$5.00 fine.

F. O. Christopher was also named as city attorney.

It is no disgrace to find red mites in your poultry house but it is a disgrace to leave them. Keep the brood coops and laying houses clean and sprayed with a good disinfectant.

Attention is called to the fact that in this issue of the Scout the bank statements appear twice. Proof was not read and some typographical errors crept in them. The correct statements are printed on Page four and eight of this issue. We regret very much that this error occurred, and a repetition was necessary.

## LADIES NIGHT OBSERVED BY LIONS CLUB

Luncheon at Regal Hotel Enjoyed By 27 Lions, Wives and Visitors

The Murphy Lions Club observed Ladies Night at the regular twice-a-month meeting Tuesday night. The affair was held in the dining room of the Regal Hotel, and a most sumptuous banquet was served by the management. The word "Lions" was written out through the center of the table with oranges arranged to spell the word, which was very unique and attractive.

A reading by Mrs. Howard P. Powell, entitled "Daddy and the Boy" was very amusing and interesting. Mrs. Bryan W. Sipe also gave a very interesting and entertaining reading entitled "Aunt Minerva and a Small Boy at the Circus." Both readings were good and were thoroughly enjoyed.

President Fain announced the committees and explained briefly the duties of each. He also had on display the Lion radiator emblem, to be given to the member presenting the most complete list of the local club's activities and accomplishments since its organization. It will be awarded at the next regular meeting.

Those attending the banquet at the Regal Hotel Tuesday night were: Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Gray, Mr. and Mrs. Durfee, Mr. and Mrs. D. Witherspoon, Mr. and Mrs. V. M. Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Sipe, Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Cooper, Rev. and Mrs. Howard P. Powell, Mr. and Mrs. Bailey, Mr. and Mrs. C. K. Hoover, Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Elkins, Mr. G. H. Cope, Mrs. Gladys Burgin, Pete Hyde, A. F. Osborn, W. M. Fain, Ed Moore, Dr. Ed. E. Adams.

## BRASSTOWN

We are glad to know that Aunt Jane Standridge is recovering from the injury she received in a fall she had some few days ago.

Mr. J. H. Hall, of Warne, N. C., was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Hall Sunday.

Mr. Henry Carringer, Mrs. Mary Carringer, Harve Carringer and family, Bass Carringer and wife, Verlin G. Groves of Ogden, N. C., all motored to Graham County Sunday to see the large clear water lake of that county. They report an interesting time.

A revival meeting at Brasstown Baptist church will begin on Sunday, July 22. Rev. C. F. Conley, pastor of the church, and Rev. Zeb Stevens of Georgia will conduct the services. Everybody is invited to attend the services and help make the revival a success.

Perhaps one of the worst storms this section has ever known swept over it July 5. Trees were uprooted, literally twisted into splinters, corn broken down, buildings torn and rent, some completely demolished. So far we hear of no lives lost, and no stock killed in the storm. A check up on the destruction made by the cyclone is about as follows:

The tops out of three large white pine trees in Jim Scrogg's yard broken out—one of these almost crushing the Post Office.

Sixty-seven trees counted on the hill above Harley Scrogg's uprooted, twisted and broken, and crossed over each other.

Mr. R. L. Anderson's barn top lifted from the walls and set away from the building at a distance.

Over one hundred trees counted blown over and crossed over one another on the hill above Mr. Herschel

## COPE CO. MAKES READY TO START MILL OPERATION

New Concern to Manufacture Dimension Stock—Lease Old Furniture Factory

A new concern, known as the G. H. Cope Lumber and Dimension Company, Inc., is repairing machines and building, placing new machinery in position and preparing to begin operation about the first of August, according to announcement this week by G. H. Cope, president and general manager of the new corporation.

The old furniture plant has been leased and part of the machinery will be used, and a number of new machines have been bought and will be installed as soon as they arrive. The large dry kiln of the furniture factory will be used. It has the capacity of a half million feet of kiln dried lumber per month.

The new concern will dry kiln and manufacture core and dimension stock and house trimmings, and will employ about fifteen men full time. Mr. Cope stated that his company would be in a position to handle all grades and all kinds of hard wood lumber that is being manufactured in this section of the county.

Mr. Cope is a lumberman with more than 21 years experience in Murphy and vicinity alone, and he is well acquainted with all ends of the game. He is also well known in lumber circles throughout the state. His company has been negotiating with the owners of the furniture factory for the past several months for taking over and operating it, and this news will be heralded by the people of this section with much rejoicing, as most of the industries of Murphy have been closed down for the past two years.

## DEMONSTRATION TO BE STAGED BY BAPTIST S. S.

Living Moving Picture of Ideal Sunday School To Show Present and Future Possibilities

A living moving picture showing an ideal Sunday school and a moving prophecy of the future religious life of the community will be staged next Sunday morning at the regular Sunday school hour by the Baptist church. Some three hundred children will take part in the exercises which will begin at 9:45.

The first part of the program will be a parade by seventy-five children under three years old accompanied by their mothers, which will be followed by a parade of children of the various ages and who will, in a colorful array, show some of the possibilities of the present and future religious life of Murphy. The children will carry placards bearing different messages, and the occasion is expected to be interesting and inspiring.

On one day during the week following, the exact time and place to be announced at the Sunday morning exercises, the Sunday school will have a watermelon cutting which will take the place of the school's annual picnic.

Rev. T. L. Sasser, the pastor, addressed a letter of invitation to all members of the church and families of Paptist persuasion, making the announcement relative to the exercises and melon cutting, which will be found under the caption "With the churches," on another page of this issue.

Platt's. Zed McClure's crib and granary torn to pieces—a two-by-four being (Continued on Page Four)

## MONTGOMERY PLAYERS AT MURPHY SOON

Andrews Man In Partnership With Well Known Company of Artists

The Montgomery Players, well known throughout this section, owned by Lowrie Montgomery and T. M. Wortley, will be in Murphy soon for a week's performance with some of the most popular plays of the stage.

This company has just finished a 13 weeks' engagement at Athens, Ga., and five weeks in Columbus, Ga. They have their own big tent theatre, and Mr. Montgomery stated that everything this year was new—new plays, new people, and new vaudeville. The company is composed of eleven people, featuring Mae Howard, leading lady, playing opposite Mr. Montgomery.

Mr. Montgomery stated that their motto was "The best money can buy in attraction—in plays and talent." Each production carries a complete change of scenery. One Alabama critic, reputed to be the most severe critic in the South, stated that the performances of the Montgomery Players were equal to shows he'd paid \$3.30 to see this year.

It will be recalled by many in this section that it was this company of artists who played at the Majestic Theatre, in Asheville last winter for two weeks. They are also endorsed by both the press and pulpit.

Mr. Montgomery has been in the show business and with shows for the past twenty years, and Mr. Wortley, whose home is at Andrews, and who operates a clothing store there as well as the Dreamland Theatre, has been in the show business for many years, having operated a number of theatres in Georgia prior to making his home at Andrews. Both are hustlers, live wires, and the people can rest assured that they will be given some real entertainment when the Montgomery Players make Murphy and Andrews.

## SUNDAY SCHOOL CONVENTION AT UNAKA JULY 19, 20

Under Auspices Cherokee County And North Carolina Sunday School Associations

All indications point to a record-breaking attendance at the annual Cherokee County Sunday School Convention which is to be held on Thursday and Friday, July 19 and 20. The convention will be held with Unaka Methodist church, fourteen miles west of Murphy, on Joe Brown Highway. The opening session will be held at 3:00 o'clock Thursday night, July 19.

According to announcements made by the officers of the County Sunday School Association, the program has been prepared with the idea of having "a convention for the discussion of practical Sunday School plans and problems," the plan being to have something in the convention that will help workers in all departments of the Sunday School.

Among the prominent speakers on the program will be Miss Flora Davis, Raleigh, Acting General Superintendent of the North Carolina Sunday School Association; and Miss Freda Bose, Louisville, Ky., for past four years Educational Director of New Orleans, La., Council of Religious Education. During the convention these workers will discuss various phases of Sunday School work.

As has been previously announced (Continued on page 8)



WORDS ARE DAILY ON GOLF COURSE

Bites Many and Flock of the Bobby Joneses Go to Holes Every Day

A bug has certainly been deep biting on the business section. If the number of people have been frequenting the Country Club's nine is any indication that the bug has been biting, he certainly has been a whopper, or his long and deep-plunging

afternoon—and mornings, and herds of the following Jones' art can be seen cutting, mashing, and chasing white ball over hill and swamps, it is a far and cane brakes, through rivers, over fairway and the mad chase to see if he can make it in par—or shoot a

highly good scores have on the course during the days, with C. K. Hoover the list with 49, and Ed. a close second with 52. The other scores are as follows: Ed. E. Adams 54, J. W. 58, John Brittain 58, R. 61, Ralph Moody 54, 63, Luke Ellis 63, Mrs. R. W. Gray 58, and Mrs. 70.

Even the Caddies the golf bug has stung or caddies. It is getting to find a caddy that the golfers—or near—or have had to turn and order to let some have the of bumping the little white the rough places.

rest of this story will continue with four of the best our golfers on the course had to turn caddy in or the game might proceed minimum hazard of losing Storey, the banker; Fred the lawyer; Bryan W. professor; and the writer, newspaper editor (some called we-a-k-l-y) sallied a game of what is often in terms of slang, as sure pool." No caddies found in town. It was one might be found on the pt. 1c and behold, all who caddying were playing, volunteered to caddy, and ne of the best opportunities the game—from another and are glad we took it.

Storey's Play led the game off from the with some good driving, the first green in 8. On the he made a drive that was and drawn out it cost him at regardless of the cost of and the regret over having it alone on the grassy hill, on and made the second 8. On the third tee he lost and control of his driv-

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