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## LAST RITES ARE CONDUCTED FOR JETER RAMSEY

Funeral service for Jeter Ramsey, Cherokee county World War veteran, who died at a United States Veteran's hospital in Lake City, Florida, was held at 10 o'clock Wednesday morning at the Hanging Dog Baptist church, with the Rev. C. K. Turner, pastor of the Murphy Baptist Church, and the Rev. T. F. Higgins, pastor of the Murphy Methodist church, officiating.

Mr. Ramsey was given a military funeral by the Murphy post of the American Legion, of which he was a member. He was also a member of the Hangingdog Baptist Church, and interment was in the churchyard.

Mr. Ramsey was born December 23, 1893, at Grandview, the son of Mr. and Mrs. John G. Ramsey. He enlisted in the Army in 1914, crossed with the First Division of the A. E. F. when American entered the World War, and served as non-commissioned officer throughout the war.

Mr. Ramsey was gassed and shell shocked during the Battle of the Marne. He was honorably discharged from the Army in 1923, and since that time has spent most of his time in government hospitals.

In June, 1931, Mr. Ramsey married Miss Mozelle Stiles, who survives. Also surviving are two brothers, Charles, of Knoxville, Tenn., and John M. of Grandview, and one sister, Mrs. Dulcie Sanderson, of Knoxville.

## Home Demonstration Club Organized at Suit

On January 29th Mrs. R. H. Foard, Home Demonstration agent for Cherokee and Clay Counties met with some of the ladies and several school girls at the home of Mrs. Pope and after singing "What a Friend We Have in Jesus" and engaging in prayer led by Mrs. Foard, the body, under the direction and supervision of Mrs. Foard proceeded to organize a Home Demonstration Club for the community by electing the following officers:

President, Miss Cora McNabb.  
Vice-Pres. Mrs. J. F. Wood.  
Secretary, Mrs. R. L. Keenum.  
Treasurer, Mrs. W. R. Pinkerton.

**FOOD LEADERS**  
Mrs. H. B. Menabb, and Miss Pearl McNabb.

**CLOTHING LEADERS**  
Miss Cora McNabb and Mrs. H. L. Hall.

**GARDEN LEADERS**  
Mrs. J. F. Wood and Mrs. Ida Pope.

The next meeting will be on the 4th Tuesday, February 23rd, at 9:00 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Mrs. R. L. Keenum, Secretary.

## FOLK SCHOOL

The Brasstown Savings and Loan Association and the Farmers' Association held their annual business meetings at the Folk School Saturday night, January 23rd. Reports of the year's business were made for each association, and directors for the coming year were elected. Those for the Savings and Loan Association are Quay Ketner, President, Oscar Cantrell, Vice-President, Fred O. Scroggs, Treasurer, Mrs. William Clayton, Secretary, and Tom Green, Director-at-large. The members of the Supervisory Committee are L. L. Scroggs, Mrs. Will Brendle, and Miss Marguerite Butler. The Credit Committee is made up of J. O. Penland, William Clayton, and Miss Louise Pitman.

The Directors of the Farmers' Association are George Bidstrup, President, Fred O. Scroggs, Treasurer, Will Brendle, Rufe Teems, and J. O. Penland.

The following Saturday night, the 30th, the annual meeting of the Mountain Valley Creamery Association was held at the Folk School. Figures comparing the totals of 1929, 1930, and 1931 showed a most gratifying increase in business. The Directors for the coming year are Fred O. Scroggs, President, J. O. Penland, Vice-President, Marguerite Butler, Secretary, George Bidstrup, and William Clayton. Quay Ketner, the manager of the Creamery, is also Treasurer, as is the case in many cooperative creameries.

The Women's Club of Brasstown met Wednesday evening, January 27, at the home of Mrs. Elmer Sales. Several matters of business were taken up. Then Miss Elizabeth Gates gave a brief talk about Bermuda, where she made a trip last June. Miss Louise Pitman spoke of some of her recent experiences in New Jersey, where she has been for a few months at the home of her parents. Miss Marguerite Butler

## ALONG ABOUT THIS TIME OF YEAR

By A. B. CHAPIN



## Letter From Mark O. Payne

Kansas City, Mo.  
Jan. 21, 1932.  
The Cherokee Scout,  
Murphy, N. C.

Dear Sirs:  
I am writing you for your weekly paper. Will you please enter my name and send me your bill, I will remit by return mail.  
As I am a Tar Heel and born and reared in Cherokee County, I would like to have the news from home.  
I am the son of, James A. Payne, no doubt you will remember me for I was in more devilmint than any of the other kids. I wish to say that Western North Carolina is far better off in prosperity than the country in a general way. Far I found the East and South also the North and Middle States last summer and I find the general Standard's very low.

I am thinking very seriously of buying me some property in the Western part of the county and I might be able to get in touch with some one through the Scout.  
I regret very much that I did not invest in some last Spring.  
I wish to say to the Scout and the people of Cherokee County that this is no place out here for a North Carolinian.  
Just as soon as I finish my course here in the Engineers I am ready to come back again.  
Wishing you and Cherokee County the Prosperous Year of many.  
Respectfully,  
MARK O. PAYNE,

club members. The club is happy to welcome two new members. Mrs. Fred Cantrell and Mrs. Will Donaldson. Delicious refreshments were served by Mrs. Sales.  
The next meeting of the Women's Club is to be held on February 24 at Mrs. William Clayton's.  
A special study group of the Men's Club is to meet with George Bidstrup at the Folk School Saturday night, February 6th.  
The usual joint meeting of the Men's and Women's Clubs is to be omitted this month, because of the numerous business meetings of the cooperatives. The next meeting is to be Saturday, March 12.  
The Directors of the Craft Guild are to meet at the farmhouse of the Folk School Wednesday, February 3, for an important business conference, to be followed by tea. The members are Louise Pitman, Mrs. William Clayton, Mrs. Fred O. Scroggs, Mrs. J. O. Penland and Mrs. James Caldwell.

The annual business meeting of the Craft Guild is to come the following Wednesday evening, the 10th, at the Folk School, when reports of the year's work will be given, and several matters discussed.

## West Liberty Fifth Sunday Meeting Is Held At Culberson

CULBERSON, Feb. 2. (Special)—The West Liberty fifth Sunday meeting was held at this place last Saturday and Sunday.

Saturday at 11 a. m., Rev. Fred Stiles, of Murphy, preached a very interesting sermon on the relation of the pastor to the church. Saturday night, Rev. Wily Graham preached a fine sermon along the line of Christian duty.  
Sunday morning, Rev. W. T. Truett, Wiley Graham, Fred Stiles, and F. C. West made some very interesting talks on the duties of the pastors and the members of the church towards each other in carrying on the great and all-important work of the church in its efforts to advance the cause of Christ in this sinful world.

At 11 a. m. Sunday, Rev. Bob Bell delivered a fine sermon on the church, and judging by the attention given and the quietness of the congregation, it was enjoyed by all.  
Sunday night after the B. Y. P. U. service, Rev. F. C. West preached an excellent sermon on the full duty of a Christian.  
We are glad to have these meetings held here, for we are sure this one did much and lasting good.  
At the Sunday service it was decided to have a ten days Bible course taught at Shady Grove church twelve miles west of Murphy on highway No. 28, beginning Sunday night, February 14th, 1932. Our pastor, Rev. W. T. Truett, was selected to teach the class. All are invited to attend.

## Relief Extended To Many In County

More than 100 children have been clothed and put in school by the various relief agencies in Cherokee county, according to R. W. Gray, of Murphy, chairman of the committees on unemployment and relief in the county.

Hundreds of garments have been distributed to families, and a few families that have no other means of support are receiving food. Wherever possible some kind of employment is obtained for those who are able to work so that they may become self-supporting.  
Farmers in the county who have a surplus of foodstuffs are being urged to employ as many men as possible to do needed farm work and to use such food in payment for the labor. Many farmers are co-operating with the suggestion of the committee along this line.

Mrs. Grant Ledford of Blue Ridge, Ga. has been the guest of Mrs. R. V. Wells for several days this week.

## Woman's Club Is Organized At Topton

On last Tuesday the ladies of Topton met at the home of Mrs. D. E. Wright and under the direction of Mrs. Foard of Hayesville organized a Community Woman's Club.

Mrs. D. B. Wright was elected president, Mrs. E. B. King, vice-president; Mrs. J. E. Nelson, secretary and Mrs. Mattie Taylor, treasurer.  
Mrs. King and Mrs. Harden were elected clothing leaders. Mrs. C. M. Wright and Mrs. Jess Matheson, food leaders, and Mrs. Taylor and Mrs. C. N. George, garden leaders. There was not as good attendance as was expected on account of the rainy afternoon. The next meeting will be the second Tuesday in February, at Mrs. King's.

We hope all the ladies in the community will be present for we know we will learn something that will be of great benefit to us.

## Murphy Boy Is In War-Torn Shanghai

Jack Lloyd, former Cherokee county boy and brother of Reogan Lloyd of Murphy, is believed to be with the United States forces at war-torn Shanghai, China. Jack is a member of the crew of the U. S. Destroyer Perry, a unit of the Pacific Fleet, and his brother here overheard a radio message broadcasting news of the conflict which stated that the U. S. S. Perry arrived at Shanghai last Monday.

This is the second time that Jack has been in China under similar circumstances. He was with the U. S. forces when this county ordered that the lives and property of its citizens there be protected from the warring Chinese factions several years ago.

## Women Organize Club At Peachtree

Monday afternoon, January 25th, a meeting was held in the Peachtree school house by the ladies of Peachtree, and a Community Woman's Club was organized under the leadership of Mrs. Foard, home demonstration agent for Cherokee and Clay Counties.

Mrs. Foard conducted the devotional, after which the following officers were elected:  
President, Mrs. Walter C. Witt.  
Vice-president, Mrs. F. J. Watkins.  
Secretary, B.ulah Robinson.  
Treasurer, Mrs. E. A. Howard.  
The next meeting of the club will be held February 17th, at the home of Mrs. F. J. Watkins. Everyone is cordially invited.

## Peachtree And Hayesville Divide Cage Victories

Peachtree and Hayesville basketball teams divided victories Saturday night, January 30th, the games being played on the Murphy court. The line up follows:

**Girls**

**Peachtree, 17**

Oval Sudderth, F	5
Opal Sudderth, F	4
Coffey, C F	8
E. Brooks, G	0
Donley, G	0
L. Brooks, G	0
Watkins, sub G	0
Total score	17

**Hayesville, 15**

Ford, M F	2
Scroggs, F	9
Hollifield, F	4
Cherry, G	0
Powers, G	0
Duvall, G	0
Ashe, sub G	0
Total score	15

On Friday night, February 5th, Andrews and Peachtree will play double-header games in the Murphy gym, the game beginning about 7 o'clock, Murphy time.

On January 21st, Peachtree won over Ogden high in triple-header games. The line up follows:

**Girls**

**Peachtree, 23**

Sudderth, Opal, F	10
Sudderth, Oval, F	10
Coffey, C F	3
Donley, G	0
Brooks, L., G	0
Brooks, E., G	0
Total score	23

**Ogden, 1**

Kayler, F	0
Chambers, F	0
Walker	1
Duvall, G	0
Ford, G	0
Chambers, G	0
Total score	1

**Boys**

**Peachtree, 16**

Millsaps, F	2
Ferguson, F	4
Herbert, C	9
T. Millsaps, G	1
Davis, G	0
Robinson, S F	0
Waldroup, S G	0
Total score	16

**Ogden, 11**

West, F	6
Coffey, C	0
White F	2
Ford, G	3
Parsons, G	0
Total score	11

**Midgets—Boys**

**Peachtree, 10**

Ogden	7
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## Subscribers Pleased With Lower Price Of The Scout

The recent reduction in the price of The Scout \$1.00 per year is meeting with hearty approval and response from the readers and people of the county and elsewhere. A number of new subscribers have been received as well as renewals. Here's the honor roll for this week:  
S. Y. Allen, Suit; Mrs. Daisy Sales Marble; Mrs. Lula Walker, Villa Rica, Ga.; J. P. Walker, Andrews; C. A. Swaim, Murphy; C. I. Calhoun, Murphy; M. O. Payne, Kansas City Mo.; R. E. Graves, Murphy—all new subscribers and welcomed into The Scout family of readers.  
Renewals received with many thanks are as follows: T. L. Sasser, Reidsville; Mrs. Ed Waldroup, Brasstown; E. A. Anderson, Letitia; W. H. Arrowood, Marble; J. E. Mulkey, Murphy; Mrs. W. H. Griffiths, Murphy; H. S. Sudderth, Murphy; J. B. Martin, Murphy; B. B. Palmer, Marble, and Mrs. J. C. Hembree, Murphy.

## Poultry Car To Be Here Next Tuesday

Take all your poultry to car Tuesday, February 9th, where we have arranged for you to get highest wholesale cash price.

R. W. GRAY,  
County Agent.

## Pie Supper at Culberson

There will be a pie supper at the Culberson school house Friday night February 5th, provided weather is favorable. Proceeds to go to the benefit of the school.