



THE MURPHY LAUNDRY

HIWASSEE DAM NEWS

An open letter to the citizens of Murphy, Hiwassee Dam, and surrounding communities:

May we express to you our most grateful thanks for the kindness with which you have received us and for the Christmas joys you have given us.

It is not merely the gifts you have bestowed that prompts the composition of this letter. It is the cooperative spirit you have shown toward us, the warm friendship you have offered, the true patriotic attitude as should be shared among Americans. These are the basic gifts from you for which we are so appreciative. Indeed, it is difficult to say in words what we feel in our hearts. May our actions convey to you what we try to say here.

Many of us are far from home and family. The manner however, in which you have received us into your homes, shared your Christmas pleasure with us, and extended the generosity of the Season toward us has earned what might have been an otherwise drab and colorless Christmas Day into one of genuine cheer and gladness. Again we thank you. It is our fervent wish that your individual Christmas has been a merry one and that the coming New Year will be the one to bring peace and prosperity.

Gratefully,
The Officers and Men of the United States Army—on duty at Hiwassee Dam.

The original force of army men who came to guard Hiwassee Dam have been replaced and enlarged by men from companies B. C. and D. of

LETITIA NEWS

Mrs. Wes Clonts spent the week-end with her father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Stiles of Peachtree.

Mrs. Letha Taylor and daughters, Lorene and Loretta, visited Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Clonts Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Olen Clonts spent Saturday night with Mrs. Erie Clonts. Mr. and Mrs. Luther Cearley and their daughter, Helen, spent Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Sara Jane Cearley.

Miss Norabell Clonts spent the week-end with her mother, Mrs. Erie Clonts.

Miss Norma Stiles of Murphy spent Thursday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. McKinley Stiles.

Mrs. Julia Cearley and daughter, Helen, spent Saturday night with Mrs. Erie Clonts.

C. B. Hedrick spent Christmas day with Mr. and Mrs. Luther Cearley. Lethel Campbell spent the week-end with his father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Carb Campbell.

Mr. and Mrs. McKinley Stiles visited the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Hedrick, at Ranger Tuesday.

Willard Taylor spent Wednesday night with Lethel Campbell.

Miss Ruby Taylor was the dinner guest of Louise Clonts Sunday.

the 60th Infantry, with First Lieut. Smith and second Lieut. Kibier as officers. After a careful check up, Lieut. Smith ordered an additional number to report for duty. The soldiers will be replaced every two weeks.

WOLF CREEK NEWS

Season's greetings and a successful New Year to you and you and you.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Simonds and family of five children left for Plant City, Fla., Tuesday of last week, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Otis Caylor and two children. They expect to spend the winter there and return to their homes here in the Spring.

Miss June Davis was quietly married on Saturday night of last week in Copperhill, to Radford, a CCC boy.

Mr. Frank Rymer shut down his Saw Mill here during Christmas, he resumed work again Monday morning and will soon have A. J. Simonds timber all sawed.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Green who have been living in Mrs. J. R. Morgan's house left Sunday afternoon for Jacksonville, Fla. Mr. Green was an electrician, working for the T. V. A.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Brooks and two children of North Tazewell, Va. spent the holidays here with Mrs. Brooks relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Garren of Graysville, Tenn., spent Christmas night with Mr. Garren's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Garren.

BOWLING SPRINGS

Remember our meeting day Saturday night and Sunday, Jan. 3-4. Rev. Drew Lunsford pastor.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Gaddis and children spent Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Mills.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Dockery have returned to Springfield, Ohio, after spending several days here with parents and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Garrett spent Christmas day with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Maneo Garrett.

Mr. Arnold Arms from the army in Mississippi is spending several days here with his parents and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Grant of Murphy spent Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Mills.

Mr. Cadmon O'Dell have returned to Springfield, Ohio, after spending several days here with his parents and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Bass Groves visited her parents Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Mills.

Mr. and Mrs. Glim Beyers visited Mr. and Mrs. Allen Beaver Sunday.

Everybody enjoyed the music at Mr. C. C. Mills Friday night, played by Mr. Arnold Arms, Mr. Earnest O'Dell and Will Palmer.

Mrs. C. C. Mills, Bruce and Jean Mills, spent Sunday night with Mr. and Mrs. Bass Groves.

PLEASANT HILL

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Disney and children spent Christmas with their parents at Lake City, Tenn.

Mr. John Hogan and family have moved from here to Culberson.

Rural Adams who is in the army at Camp Wheeler, Ga., spent one day last week with his sister, Mrs. K. W. Shearer.

Mr. Floyd Adams of Cincinnati, Ohio, spent Christmas with his parents here, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Adams.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Adams of Maryville, Tenn., spent one day last week with Mrs. Adams parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Allen.

Miss Lillie Payne is visiting friends at Sweetwater, Tenn.

Rev. W. A. Hedden filled his regular appointment here Sunday night. Misses Helen and Geneva Deaver were shopping at Patrick Saturday.

SUNNY POINT NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Burrell and children, spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Lon Burrell, of Georgia.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Johnson spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Wilburn Lafavers.

Miss Edith Rice from Franklin is visiting friends and relatives here.

Mrs. Elsa Lafavers spent Saturday with Mrs. Mattie Whitener.

Mr. and Mrs. John Mason had as their guests for Christmas, Mr. and Mrs. Fred McAfee, Mr. and Mrs. Neel Bell, Mr. and Mrs. Asbury Mason, Miss Edith Rice and Wayne and Howard Mason.

LIBERTY NEWS

The small son of Mr. and Mrs. Jake Bank who has been very sick is reported better at this writing.

Mr. Steve Donaldson has been very sick for several weeks and is slowly improving. His many friends will be glad to hear.

Mrs. Mattie Wright and Mrs. Marty Farmer of Turtle Town visited their father, Mr. Pearley Brown Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Watkins spent Xmas Eve night with his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Chastain of Isabella, Tenn.

Mr. and Mrs. Buster Ledford and children of Isabella and Ed Guthrie, of Ranger and Alvin Wright, of Madisonville, visited Lon Watkins and family Xmas day.

Miss Irene Wright spent Friday night with Mrs. Elvira Ledford.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy McMahan have returned to their home after spending a few days in Knoxville.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Panther, of Murphy, visited their daughter, Mrs. Howard Watkins recently.

SNOW HILL NEWS

Mr. Carl Elliott and his brother, J. B., returned to Canton, Ohio, yesterday. They spent Christmas here with their mother.

Miss Ruth Ledford, Mary Joe McDoud, Muriel Elliott and J. B. Elliott, visited Miss Parlee McConal Christmas eve night.

Correspondents please call for stationery.

Mr. Homer Sneed spent Christmas with his parents.

Mr. Raye Right and family spent week-end with Tommy Right and family.

Mr. Luther May returned to the Army at Chattanooga, Tenn., Sunday, where he has been visiting his friends and relatives.

Little Booby Smith spent Christmas with Miss Eddie Joe Elliott, in Murphy.

POSTELL NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Edd Quinn, of Copperhill, visited Mr. and Mrs. Poley Quinn Xmas.

Mr. and Mrs. Hershell Stiles and son, Gene, of Gastonia spent Xmas with his brother, Mr. M. C. Stiles and family.

We are sorry to learn of Mrs. S. Y. Allen's illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Abe Cannon and daughter, Charlotte, of Gastonia spent Xmas with Mrs. Cannon's father, Rev. S. A. Stiles.

Mrs. Sophie Jones visited her mother in Copperhill Xmas who is ill.

Mr. Bert Mason has recovered sufficiently to be out.

Mr. Ike Swanson has purchased a farm near Wehatty.



Happy New Year..

SHERRILL'S SERVICENTER

Mr. and Mrs. Shearn Montgomery visited Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Quinn, Sunday.

Mr. S. D. Jones suffered the injury to a leg due to a fall last week. Everyone is urged to attend the prayer services Friday and Sunday nights at the Swanson Church.

Parks Stiles visited and had dinner Saturday with Edith Stiles.

BRASSTOWN NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Birchfield and grand-children, Lois and Neal Birchfield, of Gastonia, visited their daughter, Mrs. Ovilie Crisp and family last week-end.

Hollis Penland who is employed at Maryville, Tennessee, spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Penland.

Walter Coker of Young Harris visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Coker last Tuesday.

Miss Bonita Crisp and Lois Birchfield visited Billie Lovingood Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Luke Ledford and little son Robert spent one night last week with Mr. Ledford's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Ledford.

The many friends of Mrs. Oma Mason will be sorry to hear she is slowly improving.

Haden Sparks was the Sunday morning visitor of Harrison Lovingood.

Mrs. Clarence Hemphill and daughter, Mary Edith, spent one night last week with her sister, Mrs. Jim Evans.

Mr. and Mrs. Fletcher Coleman visited Mrs. Mack Coker Saturday night.

Mr. Hollis Penland visited Mr. Harrison Lovingood Saturday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Claud Coker were the Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Coker.

Upper MARTIN'S CREEK

Mr. and Mrs. Sheridan Williams and children of Hendersonville; Emory Hughes, of Fort Benning, Ga.; Hartford and Walter Hughes, of Disston, Ore.; and Mr. and Mrs. Dereberry, of Andrews visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Aster Hughes during the Christmas holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Chapman and son, Robert Hayse, Mrs. J. B. Martin and Eva Nell Keasler were the dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Martin Christmas night in Ivy Log, Ga. They also visited Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Elliott and Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Jackson.

Mr. and Mrs. Fradis Burger, of Winston-Salem and Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Hughes spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Burger in Crossville, Tenn. They were accompanied home by Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Burger and son, Olan, of California.

Hoyt Martin, of Fort Bragg, spent the holidays here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sheridan Martin.

Mrs. Aster Hughes visited her sister, Mrs. Dillard Ricks and Mr. Ricks in York, S. C. during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Stalcup visited Mrs. Stalcup's mother, Mrs. A.

From "Shorty" And The Boys

B. Martin, Christmas night. Elisita Hedden is visiting in Knoxville with his son, Garland Hedden and Mrs. Hedden.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Lovingood and sons, Billy and Sonny, and Mrs. Nona Rowland of Murphy, Mr. and Mrs. Judson Chastain and baby, Martha, Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Chastain and children and Mr. and Mrs. Hobert Hughes visited Mrs. Elizabeth Chastain Christmas day.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Crisp and children visited Mrs. B. W. Chastain and Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Chastain Thursday.

Austin Brown has returned to her home near Young Harris, Ga. after visiting here with her sister, Mrs. H. C. Brown. She was accompanied home by Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Chapman, Robert Hayse and Mrs. Brown.

Mrs. W. H. Abernathy is ill, her many friends will be sorry to hear.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Jackson and son, Mack, were the dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Chastain Christmas day.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Keasler visited Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Martin and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Martin Christmas.

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