

## Short Sport Splints

Despite the weather, the mud, and a light pole in the middle of the field, the local baseball season got off to a successful start Sunday when the locals downed Hayesville in a twin bill. Murphy fans got an eye-ful on more than one occasion as little known players broke into the limelight. First there was the hitting of Raymond Carroll who garnered four hits in as many tries in the second game. Carroll also supplied the winning punch in the second game at Hayesville the Sunday before with a home run with two mates on base.

Jack Crawford gave an exhibition of power hitting when he lofted one over the left field fence at the 325 foot mark. Clyde Amos pitched his first game and gave a good account of himself although he had a good margin to work on after the third inning.

The light pole directly behind second base is a menace. On more than one occasion a player has barely avoided injury from crashing into the pole. In addition, the pole is located entirely too close to the football field, creating more than a necessary amount of danger to the performers. It seems that the pole could be moved without too great an inconvenience since it is in use only when the County Fair is in progress—or about six or seven days a year while ball games and practice sessions are going on three-fourths of the year.

Knoxville's Smokies seem to have done an about-face in the last few days. Imagine the lowly Smokies taking two out of three from the Atlanta Crackers. Three straight from Little Rock added to a victory in their last game with Memphis two weeks ago give the Smokies a record of six out of the last seven.

## Lions Continue Hottest Team In Bowling League

Upsets in the realm of bowling marked last week's play in the Summer Handicap League. After the Lions' surprise victory over the Lucky Strikes, the Coca-Cola five swept a three game series from the Man Shop to go into a tie for first place with the Lucky Strikes. The Lions then proceeded to take the Man Shop into camp in two out of three games to leave the cellar position which they had occupied since the opening night of play.

Massey led the way Tuesday evening with a three game total of 497 for the Lions. For the Man Shop Davidson knocked over 477 pins in three games.

The scores: Lions (2)

Hoover	122	105	98	325
Massey	155	154	188	497
Sherrill	112	156	117	385
Ray	156	178	142	476
Elkins	137	156	124	417
Handicap	72	72	72	216

Coca-Cola (3)

Moody	140	122	113	375
Sneed	123	142	134	399
Barnett	130	107	100	337
Christopher	140	149	171	460
Pitzer	152	210	221	583
Handicap	27	27	27	81

Man Shop (1)

Campbell	117	110	167	394
Davidson	154	143	180	477
Allred	159	142	151	452
Dummy	115-115-115			375
Handicap	76	76	76	228

Man Shop (0)

Adams	119	142	141	402
Allred		117	131	248
Davidson	122	155	143	420
Leatherwood	133	142	154	429
Stacy	122	135	110	367
Handicap	27	27	27	81

League Standings

Lucky Strikes	6	3	.667
Coca-Cola	6	3	.667
Lions	5	7	.417
Man Shop	4	8	.333

Big Four

Pitzer	9	186
Crawford	9	173
Schuyler	9	162
Davis	9	187

## People, Spots In The News



**YANKS ARRIVE**—Cheering natives of Northern Ireland run alongside U. S. soldiers after the first contingent of troops to reach the British Isles in the present war land at an undisclosed location. (Photo passed by censor and cabled from London to New York.)



**OH BOY!**—Mrs. Carl Silver, Detroit, wanted to devote more time to Red Cross knitting so she invented this device to hold baby Donald Allen's milk bottle.



**PEANUT BLOC**—Southern Congressmen approve products featured in National Peanut Week, when chain stores and other distributors help south's growers market huge crop. Looking over peanut products, including even cloth, are (left to right) Representatives Cox, Georgia; Kerr, North Carolina; Pace, Georgia; Fulmer, South Carolina; Cooley, North Carolina, and Steagall and Grant, Alabama.

## Murphy Gains Lead In Smoky Mountain

Murphy added a game to its lead in the Smoky Mountain Baseball League Sunday when they defeated Hayesville in both ends of a double bill while their nearest rivals, Franklin and Bryson City, were once again splitting their two games at Bryson City. As the teams change opponents for the third Sunday of play, Murphy holds a two-game margin over Franklin and Bryson City.

Murphy downed Hayesville in a 6-5 thriller that saw Hayesville score five times in the final inning to knot the count only for Murphy to win the game with one away in their half of the same inning. The nightcap was a breather for Murphy as the pounded out a 15 to 4 decision aided by Crawford's second homer of the year.

Meanwhile Franklin slugged out a 15 to 5 win over Bryson City to gain revenge by knocking Parker out of the box. Parker had defeated them the Sunday before. Russ Sumner came back to even things for the day by pitching Bryson to an 8 to 5 conquest.

Next Sunday finds Murphy at Franklin and Bryson City at Hayesville in doubleheader encounters.

The standings:

	W	L	Pct
Murphy	4	0	1.000
Franklin	2	2	.500
Bryson City	2	2	.500
Hayesville	0	4	.000

## West Liberty Fifth Sunday Conference To Meet At Liberty

The West Liberty Associational Fifth Sunday Conference will meet with the Liberty Baptist church, Sunday, May 31. The Fifth Sunday Conferences have been held in the churches of the West Liberty Association for a number of years. Many of the churches have been contacted. The purpose of these meetings is fellowship, inspiration, and information. A number of churches are expected to be represented. Lunch will be furnished by the Liberty church.

The program:  
Devotion and Song Service by

Mrs. Norene Graham.  
The Mission of the Holy Spirit by Rev. Fred Townsend.  
The Doctrine of Baptism by Rev. E. A. Beaver.  
Song service.  
Sermon by W. T. Truett.  
Lunch.  
Devotional and Song Service by Rev. Steele.  
Evangelism by Rev. Fred Stiles.  
Fellowship by R. P. Lovingood.  
Worship by Rev. Cloyd Pipes.  
Closing.

## Check Your Ration Stamps

War Ration Stamp No. 1 went out of date at mid-night May 16. Stamp No. 2 is good from May 17 to May 30, inclusive; Stamp No. 3, May 31 to June 13, inclusive, and Stamp No. 4, June 14 to June 27, inclusive. If each stamp is not used during the corresponding periods above it becomes void. After June 27 the allowance of sugar per stamp may be retained, may be increased or may be decreased, according to the nation's supply.

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## Social Security Number Not Necessary Always

### OCCUPATIONAL QUESTIONNAIRE AND YOUR SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER

Men should not apply for a Social Security account number card merely for the purpose of showing an account number on their occupational questionnaires, stated D. W. Lambert, manager of the Social Security Board in Asheville.

Social Security account numbers should be obtained only when a person is going to work or has a job in employment which is covered by the Social Security Act. Farmers who are required by the Selective Service Board to fill in an occupational questionnaire do not need a Social Security account number card, according to Mr. Lambert.

The Social Security Board has been receiving numerous applications for Social Security cards recently from those who have registered for the draft and who have received an occupational questionnaire from the Selective Service Board. There is a place on the questionnaire for the Social Security number, but this is intended only for those who have Social Security account number cards. If an individual filling in the questionnaire does not have a Social Security account number, he should simply write "None" in the space provided for his Social Security account number.

Those who have had social security account number cards and have lost them may secure a duplicate card free of charge at 203 Flatiron Building, Asheville, or at their nearest Social Security Board Field Office.

## CULBERSON NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Gleen Owenby, of Lenoir City, Tenn., spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Bob Cearley.

Wendell Watson was a business visitor in Copperhill last week.

A letter came to the Cherokee Scout this week from Charlie Cearley, from California. Charlie is in Uncle Sam's Navy and receives mail at Patrol Squadron VP-71, care Postmaster. He sends his regards to all his relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dickey spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Dickey.

Miss Elaine Cearley is visiting in Lenoir City, Tenn., this week.

O. G., Loma Kate and Edith Anderson visited J. M. Anderson and family Monday evening.

J. Roberson, of Fort Jackson, is visiting friends and relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Hyatt announce the birth of a baby girl, Betty Jane.

Claud and John R. Simonds, of Wolf Creek, were visitors here last week.

Rev. Fred Townsend preached at Friendship church Sunday.

Mr. Guy Hyatt left last week for Akron, Ohio, where he has a position.

Carl Hensley and wife, and young son, are visiting relatives here and in Murphy. They drove down from Dunbarton, Ohio, where they make their home. They will be here for ten days.

Mr. Alden Cook, of Murphy, was a Sunday visitor here.

Sheridan (Watson, of Murphy, spent Sunday here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Watson.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Tilson, of Farners, Tenn., were visitors here Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Croft, Paul and Janice spent Sunday in Marble.

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