

## RED CROSS IS MAKING APPEAL FOR WORKERS

### Women Needed To Make Surgical Dressings In Cherokee County

The American Red Cross is in the midst of its greatest effort in the 61 years of its existence.

The women of America are called upon and expected to supply 90 per cent of surgical dressings needed for our men in the armed forces. The manufacturers of these supplies can furnish only 10 per cent.

Murphy, playing equally as important a part as town and cities ten times her size, makes this appeal to the women of Cherokee county to respond to this plea and give support in the promotion of this work. Even if you can give only one hour your help is needed.

The present month's quota is 30,000 2-inch sponges. Next month's material is expected next week.

The work is simple, taking no skill to fold on a cardboard pattern. Each worker, however, is required to wear a freshly laundered cotton dress and hair covering made of gauze or unbleached domestic cut in triangle.

The Murphy chapter sent Miss Addie Leatherwood for a week's training in Asheville and is now instructing supervisors in the making of bandages.

The present Red Cross work room is in the Mayor's office in the library building, using card tables furnished by Peyton Ivie for work tables.

Officers in the local Red Cross Unit are: Vice-Chairman in charge of training for surgical dressings, Miss Addie Leatherwood; Vice-Chairman, charge of packing, Mrs. R. S. Parker; Vice-Chairman charge cutting, Mrs. M. W. Bell; Vice-Chairman charge of recruiting of workers, Mrs. W. H. Griffiths, and Mrs. A. B. Cash; Vice-Chairman charge of records, Mrs. Harry Miller.

Next week The Scout will announce hours the work rooms will be open.

## Automobile Owners Warned To Affix Federal Use Stamp

Attention of automobile owners has been called to section 557 of the Revenue Act of 1941 requiring that a Federal Use stamp be affixed to all automobiles and trucks in use on and after Feb. 1, 1942.

The stamps should have been purchased during the period of February-July at the post office, and if this was not done you are required to purchase stamp from the Collector of Internal Revenue. S. E. Varner of Brevard, is the Collector for Cherokee county, and if you are delinquent you are requested to purchase post office money order, payable to Collector of Internal Revenue, Greensboro, N. C., and send to Mr. Varner at Brevard, together with the name and address of the person in whose name the car is registered and the matter will be given immediate attention.

## Red Cross First Aid Course To Be Given

A standard Red Cross First Aid course will be given Thursday night from seven to nine o'clock at the home of Mrs. Lillie Scroggs at Brass-town. Miss Gayle Isensee, community nurse, will be the instructor.

Further particulars may be obtained from Mrs. Scroggs, or those interested may report to the class on September 3.

## STATE WILL USE TAB-SIZED AUTO PLATES IN 1943

North Carolina's 1943 automobile license plate will be a small tab, containing only four square inches, T. Boddie Ward, Motor Vehicle Commissioner, has announced.

Automobiles will be equipped with only one of the tabs attached to the rear license plate. The serial number on the tab will not correspond with the 1942 number, Ward said.

It is estimated that the state would save about 200 tons of metal by substituting the small plate for the larger ones now in use, and enough metal is now on hand from previous purchases to make enough tabs for next year.

## CHURCH TO HOLD ADVANCE RALLY

Gathering Is Scheduled To Be Held Monday At Andrews Presbyterian Church

A religious education advance rally, sponsored by the religious education committee of Asheville presbytery, will be held in the Andrews Presbyterian church Monday evening, August 31, at 7 o'clock.

The meeting will include the churches of Hayesville, Murphy, Robbinsville, and Andrews.

Inasmuch as travel is difficult, other rallies will be held at Asheville, Franklin, Waynesville and Hendersonville so that one will be near every pastorate in the presbytery, according to an announcement by the Rev. H. B. Dendy, D. D., of Weaverville, chairman of the Asheville presbytery committee.

These rallies were planned during the recent conference of the presbytery's young people at Montreat.

The program as planned follows: Devotional, led by the Rev. H. L. Paisley, D. D., pastor of the Andrews church; "The Advance as a Whole", the Rev. James M. Carr, of Knoxville, director of religious education, Synod of Appalachia; "The Advance and Sunday School Extension," by Dr. H. W. McLaughlin of Richmond, Va., director of country church and Sunday school extension; discussion of "What Can We Do in Asheville Presbytery?"; led by Dr. Dendy.

Following the meeting, moving pictures of the young people's conference at Montreat will be shown.

Pastors, church officers, Sunday school teachers and officers, young people's teachers, leaders in the auxiliary, parents, and all interested friends are urged to attend.

## New Service Ruling Will Effect Only A Few Here

Instructions issued last week by national selective service headquarters to the local draft board to place all but the totally unfit class B-1 registrants in class A-1 will not effect very many men in Cherokee county, the local board announced here this week. Men classified as B-1 are those who have heretofore been deferred because of defects.

This move, effective immediately, is taken in order that affected men may be examined by army doctors and be either accepted or rejected so that they may at once know their status.

Future class for selectees will be for class 1-A men only. Those totally unfit will be classified in class 4-F.

## RECOVERS FROM OPERATION

Mrs. Neva Holt, who recently underwent an operation for appendicitis in a Daytona Beach, Fla., hospital, has recovered sufficiently to leave the hospital and return to her home.

Mrs. Holt is expected back in Murphy in the next two weeks.

## CHEROKEE COUNTY SENDS 86 MEN TO INDUCTION CENTER

### Group Left Murphy Early Saturday Morning

One of the largest groups of selectees to leave Murphy boarded three special buses at seven o'clock last Saturday morning for the Fort Jackson induction center. The group was composed of 86 men from Cherokee county. The list included the following:

Charles Hannibal Hyatt, leader; Harold Wayne Hall, assistant leader; Homer George Gladson, assistant leader; Verlon Thomas Roberson, Baxter Hatchett, Fred Washington Breedlove, Major Ernest Church, Carmel John Curtis, William Hardin Cornwell, Lee Walter Hyde, Ralph Weldon Adams, Nolan Russell, Clayton Sankey Graham, William Morgan, James Wilson Conley, Herman Alfred Green, Wayne George Luther, Lowell William Ballew, Von William Cook, Francis Elbert Arp, John Robert Bradley,

Clyde William Lovingood, David Logan Ownsby, Virgil Allen Fisher, Wayne C. Roberson, Herbert Hugh Roberts, Ralph Claude Gibby, Pink Sherman Evans, Hoyt Houston Johnson, Willie Rattler, Ed Thomas Guthrie, Ralph Dockery, John Porter Mason, Clyde Henderson, Addison Martin, Willis Lush Ledford, Pearl Kephart, Fred Young, Edwin Hensley, Walter Lee White, William Thomas Mallonee, Ralph Clinton Hughes, Silas Jack Wilson, Hoyt Waldroup, Dale Harvey Dockery, Tommie Farmer, James Arnold Stalcup, Rossie Newton, James Allen Clayton, Hobbie Whitener, Glenn Bryant, James Allen Painter, Carl Columbus Ledford, Leonard Moore, Ed Garland, Hubert Ray Holloway, Robert Talmadge Green, Everette Anderson Kimsey, Wayne Anderson, John Arthur Swanson,

Erwin Elijah Carter, John Robert Wilson, Paul Warren McMahan, Haden Glenn Bruce, Lyle Marshall Robinson, Walter George Hogsed, Robert Henry Rogers, Robert Edwin Holland, Roy Louis Patterson, Hoyt Marion Bryant, Frank Frederick Wilson, Ag Gibby, Howard Walker, Venson Burton Watts, Raburn Burgess, James Hicks, James Arthur Griffith, Willis Buren Loudermilk, Charlie Wayne Conley, William Earl Chambers.

The local board reports that the following men failed to show up for the scheduled induction trip: William Richard Gance, Charlie McDonald, Bert Russell and William Louis Brown.

The following men were transferred from other boards and left with the local contingent: J. C. Johnson, Ernest Jackson Anderson, Fred Truell, William Lowry Whitmore, George Quince Rogers, Joseph Louis Ingram.

## Occupational Census Going Forward At Local Draft Office

The local selective draft board is going forward with the task of making an occupational census of all Cherokee county men between the ages of 18 and 64.

Occupational questionnaires already have been sent to all registrants in the first three groups, and questionnaires are now going out to group four at a very satisfactory rate, local draft officials have announced.

The questionnaires are checked by the board's questionnaire clerks for completeness. Then one section goes into the registrant's draft file, another goes to the Asheville office of the U. S. Employment service, and a third to Washington.

## HOLLAND BUYS HALF INTEREST IN RAILWAY LINE

W. T. Holland, of Andrews, has purchased half interest in the Tennessee and North Carolina railroad, the short line that operates between Andrews and Hayesville.

Mr. Holland purchased the half interest from Joseph A. Garson, of Norfolk, Va. Mr. Holland at one time owned the railroad. About six months ago he sold it to Frank O. and Joseph A. Garson, who operated it with Joseph A. Garson as manager until last week when Mr. Holland bought Joseph A. Garson's share. Now Mr. Holland is manager with Frank O. Garson as his partner.

## Excavation At Dam One Fifth Finished

Excavation for Fontana dam is now one-fifth completed, the TVA announced here this week in a report on work in the area.

The TVA said 65 percent of the excavation at Fontana has been completed for the diversion tunnels, which will carry the river around the site while construction work is in progress, and that active tunneling has been started at the downstream portal of the railroad tunnel and advanced about 100 feet. The railroad tunnel will later be a third diversion tunnel. The one-fifth figure covered all excavation necessary in construction of the huge dam.

At Apalachia dam, the TVA said 12 of the 31 blocks that will compose the dam have been topped off, or completed. The report said concreting at Apalachia is now 95 percent completed for the dam and spillway and 86 percent completed for the power house. The tunnel excavation is now 95 percent completed, the report stated.

## Jim Carver Injured By Assailant Near Hiwassee Dam Home

Jim Carver was found about 9:30 Wednesday night near his home in the Hiwassee Dam section in a state of collapse. It was found he was suffering from knife cuts in the back, and had also sustained numerous bruises about the head and face. Leonard Standridge, a clerk in a store at Hiwassee Dam was notified by parties discovering Carver and he brought the injured man to Murphy.

Carver is being held in the county jail pending investigation by officers. Nothing has been learned by officers from the injured man as to the identity of his attackers or the motive for the attack.

## Folmesbee Will Be Ordained Priest

Sunday, August 30, the Rt. Rev. Robert E. Gribbin, of the Diocese of Western North Carolina will advance to the Priesthood the Rev. Grant Folmesbee, B. D., the Vicar of the Church of the Messiah, Murphy.

The service will take place in Grace Episcopal church, Waynesville, at 11 a. m. E. S. T. The members of the congregations served by Mr. Folmesbee are invited to attend the ordination service.

Sunday evening at 7:30 a Preparation Service for the Holy Eucharist will be held at the Murphy church. The Eucharist will take place Monday morning at 8 a. m., at which time the newly ordained priest will give Communion for the first time. The members at Hiwassee Dam are urged to attend.

A new schedule of services for Episcopalians in the county will be announced next week.

## SCHOOLS IN CITY GET UNDER WAY THIS MORNING

### Several New Teachers Are Announced By Supt. Bueck

The schools in the Murphy City Unit began the fall term today (Thursday) with chapel programs for both elementary and high school pupils. Registration in the high school will continue through Friday, with the full time schedule to begin Monday.

The opening bell will ring at 8:45 in the mornings, with the lunch period beginning at 12:00 and lasting 45 minutes. Dismissal will be at three o'clock.

New members of the faculty for this year are as follows:

Miss Ruth Davis Emory of Pigeon Forge, Tennessee, B. S. in Home Economics from Maryville College, Maryville, Tennessee.

Miss Mary E. Folger of Nashville, Tennessee, B. S. at George Peabody College, Nashville, Tennessee.

Miss Mildred Hayward Farrow, of Black Mountain, North Carolina, B. S. in Library Science, George Peabody College, Nashville, Tennessee.

Charles Alfred Smith, of Murphy, North Carolina, B. A. Degree at Union College, Barberville, Kentucky and graduate work at Emory University, Atlanta, Georgia.

Miss Margaret Curt of Greenville, Kentucky, B. A. and Master of Arts, Peabody College, Nashville, Tennessee.

Miss Nina De Hart of Bryson City, North Carolina, B. S. Degree in Commercial Education, Mount Berry College.

Mrs. Frances Ray of Murphy, North Carolina, B. S. in Education at Western Carolina Teachers College.

Miss Charlotte Varner of Fort Myers, Florida, A. B. Degree, High Point College, High Point, North Carolina.

Mrs. Catherine Wells of Murphy, North Carolina, B. S. in Education, Major in History, Minor in English, Western Carolina Teachers College, Cullowhee, North Carolina.

Robert S. Bault of Asheville, Chicago Institute of Technology, Chicago, Illinois.

Mrs. Pauline Bault of Asheville, North Carolina, A. B. Major Latin, Minor math, Appalachian State Teachers College.

Miss Sadie June Love of Asheville, North Carolina, A. B. English, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill, North Carolina.

Miss Mildred Aiken, Murphy, Murphy, North Carolina, B. S. in Music Breneau College, Gainesville, Georgia.

Mrs. Margaret LeMay Mauney of Murphy, A. B. Randolph Macon College, Lynchburg, Va.

Miss Geraldine Shields, of Murphy, North Carolina, B. S. in Education, Appalachian State Teachers College.

Mrs. Llyod Hendrix of Murphy, North Carolina, Mars Hill College, Mars Hill, North Carolina.

## Dedicatorial Service At Ranger Baptist Church

A dedicatorial service will be held at the Ranger Baptist church Sunday, September 13.

The following program has been arranged:

10:00 a. m.—Devotional service, led by S. S. Akin.

10:30 a. m.—Address by John B. Payne.

11:00 a. m.—Dedicatorial sermon by the pastor, Rev. W. T. Truitt.

12:00 Noon—Dinner.

1:00 p. m.—Songs and devotional.

1:30 p. m.—Addresses by visiting ministers.