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## Girls Tie While Boys Trounce Bryson City

In the Bryson City-Murphy double-header here Tuesday night, the girls game was the closest of the season. It was a nip and tuck affair from beginning to end. At the end of the half the score was tied 12-12. Winesett came back for the local team to score 14 points in the last half, while Bryson City did the same to tie the game up with a score of 26 to 26.

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| <b>Murphy 26</b> | <b>Bryson City 26</b> |
| Winesett 16      | Smith 12              |
| Taylor 4         | Lance 4               |
| Roberts 4        | Watson 8              |
| Head 2           | Buchanan 2            |
| Plemmons         | Anderson              |
| Lynn             | Neely                 |
| Ammons           | Ammons                |
| Johnson          | Gloyne                |
| Beavers          | Dean                  |
|                  | Lee                   |
|                  | Welch                 |

## Book Review Is To Be On 22nd

The book review scheduled to be held at Murphy Carnegie library, sponsored by the library and Murphy Woman's club, on February 21, has been postponed until Friday evening, February 22, at 7:30. The reason for the change is that a concert is to be given at the school on Thursday evening, 21st.

The Rev. Ralph Taylor will have charge of the review, his subject being: "The Books in the Life of Abraham Lincoln", announces Miss Josephine Heighway, librarian.

## Tates To Leave For Vacation

"Public Worship a Priority" is the sermon subject announced by the Rev. T. G. Tate for Sunday morning at the 11 o'clock service at the Presbyterian church. At the 5 o'clock vesper service, the subject will be "The Elder Son". The Young People's service will be held at 5:45.

Mr. Tate will preach at Hayesville Presbyterian church at 7:30 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. Tate will leave Monday, Feb. 18, for a two weeks' vacation with their daughters in Miami and Tallahassee, Fla.

The Rev. R. E. McClure, executive secretary of Asheville Presbytery will occupy the pulpit here on the morning of the 24th, for Mr. Tate. His subject as announced will be, "The Sovereignty of God and Free Agency of Man".

## Davis Receives His Discharge

Robert E. Davis, son of E. E. Davis and the late Mrs. Davis visited his father, his grandmother, Mrs. Dixie Palmer, and his aunt, Miss Hattie Palmer, last week.

Davis who served with the marines for three and one half years has recently returned to the states and received an honorable discharge. The greater part of his time was spent overseas in Okinawa, Saipan and other sections. After visiting his sister, Miss Mary Jo Davis, and his brother, Jimmy Davis, in Cedartown, Ga., and his brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Orion J. Peevey in Sumter, S. C., he will be located in Canton with the Champion Paper and Fiber company.

## Perry Circle Presents Program

The Mae Perry circle, Mrs. E. J. Darnell, chairman, had charge of the meeting of the Baptist Woman's Missionary society which was held at the church Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Henry Hyatt was leader of the program which was opened with song for the year "We've a Story to Tell to the Nations", followed by the watchword in unison and Bible study by Mrs. J. V. Hall and prayer by the Rev. J. A. Morris.

Mrs. Hyatt gave the topic, "A Significant Meeting", five signs of Spiritual Awakening being presented as follows: "An Enlarged Christ", by Mrs. C. E. Woody; "Wide Use of the Scriptures", by Mrs. J. C. Ammons; "Christ in the Sinner", Mrs. Darnell; "It Has Happened Before", by Mrs. J. A. Morris; "World Conditions", by Mrs. H. Bueck.

The meeting closed with the hymn, "Showers of Blessing", and prayer by Mrs. Ammons. Thirty-four members were present.

**P. T. A. MEETS FEB. 19**  
ANDREWS — P. T. A. meeting was postponed from Tuesday, February 12, until Tuesday, February 19. This meeting will be in the high school auditorium. Mrs. Marjorie Freely will preside in the absence of the president, Mrs. Tom Hay.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. McCaslan of Raleigh arrived last Thursday for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Forsyth. Mr. and Mrs. McCaslan spent several years in Murphy and have many friends here.



## Final Rites For V. D. Hall Held Sunday Afternoon

V. D. Hall, 51, of Marble died at Petrie hospital Saturday at 2:30 a. m. following a short illness. He was employed with the state highway and public works commission.

Funeral services were held Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock, at Brasstown Baptist church with the Rev. Henry Brown officiating. Burial was in the church cemetery.

Surviving are the widow, three daughters, Mrs. Neva Vietch of Marietta, Ga., Mrs. May Belle Allgood of Marble, and Miss Evelyn Hall of Atlanta; his mother, Mrs. D. C. Hall of Hayesville, Route 1, seven brothers, Walter R. Hall, postmaster at Young Harris, Ga., Charles, Albert, Claude and Bill Hall all of Hayesville, Lee Hall of Winston-Salem, and Dee Hall of Canton; four sisters, Mrs. Fred Elliott of Franklin, Mrs. Grady Hawkins, Mrs. Charles Kimsey, and Miss Gordia Hall, all of Hayesville.

Active pallbearers were: Sam Davidson, Grover Mauney, J. G. Garner, Boyd Hamilton, Clay Rogers, G. W. Clayton.

Honorary pallbearers were: E. D. Curtis, Sam Barnett, J. M. Collett, J. W. Curtis, H. T. Ferguson, C. R. Haney, H. G. Harper, Glenn Hendrix, H. G. Hill, Paul Lomirac, Mack Patterson, D. G. Raxter, W. H. Raxter, Jesse Robertson, W. H. Smith, J. B. Sneed, J. L. Truett, I. L. Walton, C. B. Wells, Brown Caldwell, Glenn McGuire, Troy Hurt, Jim Slaughter, Jack Conley, Ed Wakefield, Gay Davidson, A. J. Ramsey, Walter Mauney, Fred Moore, I. T. Sylvester, and Ralph Lovingood.

Townson funeral home had charge of arrangements.

## E. M. Bryant, 84 Taken By Death

Funeral services were held Thursday at 11 a. m. at Liberty Baptist church for Elisha M. Bryant, 84, who died at his home at Patrick. The Rev. Thomas Truett, and the Rev. Mr. Hooker officiated. Burial was in the church cemetery.

Survivors include one son, J. P. Bryant of Patrick, two daughters, Mrs. Lillie Kimsey of Oklahoma, and Mrs. Elizabeth Tatum of Nashville, Tenn.

Pallbearers were: J. O. Rice, Parks West, Fair Hamby, Posey Garrett, Charlie Fox, and Sterling Akin.

Ivie funeral home was in charge of arrangements.

Mr. and Mrs. John Davidson accompanied Mrs. Alden Coward to Atlanta last week to meet Mr. Coward, and spent several days.

Peyton G. Ivie and Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Hyde made a business trip to High Point this week.

## Mrs. Mulliken To Be Speaker At Free Methodist Church

Mrs. Elsie Mulliken will conduct services at Free Methodist church here Thursday through Sunday at 7:30 p. m. and on Sunday morning at 11 o'clock, according to announcement by the pastor, Rev. Louis E. Latham.

Mr. Latham gives the following description of Mrs. Mulliken: "She has become known over the country as the lady who mixes gasoline and religion at 'The Open Bible Service Station' near Mebane. Accounts of her unique ministry have been printed in various papers including an article by Carl Goerch in 'The State' and also several religious periodicals. At this highway-side station people have been converted, the sick healed and marriages performed. Mrs. Mulliken is an interesting speaker and the public is invited to hear her, a missionary who preaches the 'highways and hedges'."

## Horse and Mule Clinic To Be Held

A series of work stock clinics will be held for the purpose of making available to farmers in Cherokee county: A free examination of all horses and mules brought to the clinic, treatment for bots and roundworms, floating teeth, and other treatments. These operations are to be performed if needed by the practicing veterinarian at the clinic.

The horse and mule clinics for Cherokee county have been scheduled as follows: Saturday, Feb. 16, Andrews—Hamilton 9:30 o'clock. Marble — Abernathy Store 10:30 o'clock. Martin's Creek school 1:30 o'clock. Bellview—R. H. King Store 2:30 o'clock.

## Dalton Man To Start Bedspread Factory Here

Claude R. Hayes of Dalton, Ga., has leased the room above Caringer's store to be used as a bedspread factory, according to announcement by Mayor W. M. Fain. The building is to be ready for occupancy by March 1. There will be 1600 square feet of floor space, and from 15 to 20 operators will be employed, Mr. Fain said. Two experienced operators will come here soon to train workers.

Mr. and Mrs. James Axley have returned from Newport News, Va., where they have been located for some time and will be with Mr. Axley's mother, Mrs. Nettie Axley here, for awhile.

## Adult Scout Drive Launched By Lions



SCOUTMASTER — Roger Ammons, local manager of Farmers Federation, who recently was appointed scoutmaster of Murphy Boy Scout Troop 2. Scouts are celebrating the 36th anniversary of Scouting this week, February 8-14.

## Miss Beck Resigns Her FSA Position

Miss Susan Beck, who has been home supervisor for the Farm Security administration here since April, 1944, has resigned her position, effective February 15. She will leave Saturday for her home at Salisbury, Route 4, to spend a vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Beck. She has not announced her plans for future work.

Since coming to Murphy Miss Beck has done FSA work in Cherokee, Clay and Graham counties. She has been active in the Baptist church and in civic circles in the community. Prior to coming to Murphy she was with FSA at Tryon.

Miss Beck's successor has not yet been named.

## Funeral Held Monday For A. J. McDonald

Funeral services for Andrew Jackson McDonald, 66, who died suddenly at his home, Murphy, Route 3, Saturday, were held Monday morning at 11 o'clock at Hangingdog Baptist church, with the Rev. Hosea Woody officiating. Burial followed in the church cemetery.

Pallbearers were: Dewey Garrett, Dennis Garrett, Fred Dockery, Oscar Davis, Clinton Mills and Wayne Abernathy.

Surviving are the widow, Mrs. Ellie Abernathy McDonald; four sons, Bob, Burgan, John and Clyde McDonald all of Murphy, Route No. 3, five daughters, Mrs. Iona Freeman, Mrs. Dorothy Beavers, Mrs. Nina Killian, Mrs. Mary Lou Carolin, and Mrs. Iowa Marcus, all of Murphy, Route No. 3.

Ivie funeral home had charge of arrangements.

## George Floyd Is Discharged

Cpl. George W. Floyd, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Floyd of Hiwassee Dam, was honorably discharged from the army, January 18, at Ft. Bragg.

He served in New Guinea, South Philippines, Okinawa, Reyukyu. Cpl. Floyd has the following decorations and citations: American Theatre service medal, Asiatic-Pacific service medal with 3 bronze stars, Philippine Liberation medal with 1 bronze service star, Good Conduct medal and World II victory medal.

Dr. and Mrs. Edward S. Miller left Tuesday for St. Augustine, Fla., where Dr. Miller will be resident physician at Flagler hospital, a position he held before entering service. They were accompanied by Mrs. Frank Justice and children, Cecelia and Frank, who will spend a month in St. Augustine.

The Rev. J. Alton Morris, pastor of First Baptist church, Murphy, was the principal speaker at the meeting of Murphy Lions club Tuesday evening in the basement of the Methodist church. His address was on "Scouting", and other features of the evening's meeting were on the same subject.

Mr. Morris used as his subject the theme for this year's anniversary celebration of Boy Scouts, "Scouts of the World—Building Together". He stressed the importance of proper training of young people, emphasizing the well-rounded of training physical, socially, intellectually, and spiritually. He said that Scouting is a "big business" of this community and should receive the support of all local citizens.

The Rev. Rufus Morgan of Franklin spoke briefly on Scouting and urged the Lions to back the scoutmaster, assistant, and scout troop.

The Rev. Ralph Taylor, pastor of the local Methodist church, announced the adult membership drive which begins February 17, and made a motion that each Lion be responsible for securing or contributing at least \$10, which was passed. Murphy's quota for this year is \$500.

Dale Lee, district vice-chairman, who has charge of the adult campaign, urged the Lions to support it. He presented the speakers, and also Roger Ammons, scoutmaster; and Don Allison, assistant scoutmaster. Ammons introduced the scouts attending: Whitfield Winesett, W. A. Sherrill, Jr., Ralph Isenhour, Buddy Palmer and Olin Frice. They gave the scout pledge at the beginning of Mr. Morris' talk.

The following were initiated as new members, Lion Taylor being in charge: W. M. Mauney, Merle Davis, T. A. Case, C. W. Arnold and W. D. King.

In connection with the adult campaign, Chairman Lee says, "Scouting is one of the most worthy cause a person can contribute to. You will be called upon during the week of February 17-23 to contribute to the Boy Scout drive for funds for the camp in this area. All of the Scouts are privileged to go to camp and share all of the benefits and activities of the camp and corps of instructors. Please contribute as generously as you can and you will be greatly helping the Scouts of this area."

## Funeral Held For J. M. Henson

Funeral services were held Sunday morning at 11 o'clock at Ebenezer Baptist church for James M. Henson, 71, who died Feb. 2 at Harding Montana. The Rev. Henry Brown officiated, and burial followed in the church cemetery.

Mr. Henson went to Montana 49 years ago, and was employed by the McKay, Hamilton Cattle Company at Billings, Montana.

He is survived by two brothers, Boyd and Grady Henson of Blairsville, Ga., R. F. D. No. 3, and three sisters, Mrs. Poley Chapman, Mrs. Mollie Brown of Blairsville, K. F. L. No. 3, and Mrs. Ada Moore of Chattanooga, Tenn.

Ivie funeral home had charge of arrangements.

## Fire Plug To Be Added At School

At the meeting of the town council Monday night, it was voted to put a fire plug on the school grounds for more protection to the buildings and the school buses.

It was also voted to publish a financial statement of the year 1944-1945, ending June 30, 1945.

Mrs. Lloyd Hendrix and sons, Bobby and Jimmy, left Wednesday for North Wilkesboro to visit Mrs. Hendrix's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. McNeill.

Mrs. James B. Ward of Knoxville is spending the week here with her mother, Mrs. G. W. Candler.

# WCTC Music Staff To Give Concert Here On February 21

The Murphy Woman's club will present in concert on Thursday evening, Feb. 21, at 8 o'clock, the music staff of Western Carolina Teachers college, Cullowhee: Mrs. Inez W. Gulley, mezzo-soprano, Nelson O. Schreiber, violinist, and A. M. White, pianist and accompanist.

Before returning to Cullowhee, the group will give a half hour program for the school.

Mrs. J. W. Davidson, president of the club, announces that a short business session will be held immediately following the program as there are several items of business to be attended to.

Mrs. H. Bueck, program chairman, will be assisted by the following committee on arrangements: Mrs. Duke Whitley, chairman; Mrs. Dale Lee, Mrs. Sara Lloyd, Miss Margaret Curd, Mrs. Harry Miller and Mrs. Edwina Hagaman.

There is no admission charge and the public is invited.

Mrs. Gulley has been teacher of voice at Western Carolina Teachers college for the past 14 years. She was granted a leave of absence in 1939 in order to study public school music and a Capella Choir

direction at Teachers' college, Columbia University.

For a number of years Mrs. Gulley has made outstanding contributions to the civic and musical life of the state. She has served as chairman of music for the North Carolina Federation of Women's clubs, public school music chairman in North Carolina Federation of Music clubs.

On two different occasions, Mrs. Gulley has won the silver cup given by the N. C. Federation of Women's clubs for the best original song submitted in the state wide contest.

The first song to win the cup was "Sunshine and Shadow Was She", and the second to win was "Sweetheart I Hear You Calling." Other musical compositions of Mrs. Gulley are: "That Other Mother of Mine", "The Chicadee", and "Hallucyon Days".

Mr. Schreiber of Harvey, Ill., and Mr. White of Rosman, joined the faculty of Western Carolina Teachers college last year.

Mr. Schreiber holds a bachelor of music degree from the American Conservatory of Music, Chicago, and a master's degree from Columbia University, New York. He has

tought music in Chicago, New York City and Austin, Texas. He is winner of the American Conservatory medal in intermural competition for violin playing and was awarded in graduate competition the highest award at the American Conservatory.

During the last three years, Mr. Schreiber has been a sergeant in the army air corps with which he saw action in the African and European theater of operations before his release.

Mr. White, who for the last three years has been a member of the navy air force, is a graduate of Furman University where he held for one year a graduate fellowship. Later he studied conducting and public school music at the University of North Carolina. At the Juilliard School of Music, Mr. White was the pupil of James Friskin. He also studied with Rudolph Gruen, composer and concert artist. He was director of music for a year at Bethel college before entering the service.

This trio of musicians will give a varied program of numbers by favorite composers.