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EIGHT PAGES THIS WEEK

It Could Happen In Cherokee

A great many farmers in Madison county have been very successful in producing high quality hay on land that no one thought was good enough to produce good hay.—Marshall News-Record.

One plank for the democratic platform is: "more attention to secondary and farm-to-market roads. Dissatisfaction with the road situation was very evident." All the people of both parties in all the rural sections of North Carolina are demanding more attention for these roads.—Mecklenburg Times, Charlotte.

An effort is being made to combat forest fires in Dare county. More than 100,000 acres have been burned over on the mainland. Four-H clubs have enrolled actively in the campaign to keep down fires this year.—Dare County Times, Manteo.

A set of Hammond chimes and a loudspeaker were given this week to the Ahoskie Baptist Church by the J. S. Leary family in memory of their son who lost his life in action on Saipan.—Hertford County Herald, Ahoskie.

Support of the Lions club in putting over a pending bond issue of half a million dollars for city improvements is asked. The money would be used for improving the streets, enlarging the water and sewer systems, providing better electrical facilities, possibly build a city hall, and provide a playground. Improvements to a cemetery will be included, too.—Catawba News-Enterprise, Newton.

The Woman's club has been credited with starting the garbage collection, the local clinic, the school lunchroom and a number of other things for the good of the community. The club is now planning a bridge to a new community house.—Northeastern News, Murfreesboro.

Morganston's first post-war clean-up, paint-up, and fix-up campaign gets underway Monday with city officials, the Chamber of Commerce, service clubs, Boy Scouts, school children, and others participating.—Morganston News-Herald.

Cubmaster D. C. Crawford, Jr., announces that Cub Pack No. 159 will have a father and son banquet at the Episcopal Parish house. Each Cub must bring his father with him.—Chowan Herald, Edenton.

A total of 1,726 bushels of cucumbers was sold on the Wauchula State Farmers market up to Wednesday night for the record average of \$9.80.—Hardee County Herald, Wauchula, Fla.

Albemarle has adopted a zoning ordinance, setting up residential, business and industrial districts and specifying the kind of buildings that may be erected within each district.

Monroe is putting lights on the high school athletic field.

A new pastor was told by an indifferent congregation that the church was dead. So he posted huge notices over the town that his funeral would be held the following Sunday. Curiosity made the entire populace turn out for the services. Before the altar was a coffin banked with flowers. After the sermon, the minister invited everyone to file by and look at the deceased. Each one who did turned guiltily away. A mirror, placed in the bottom of the casket, reflected his own face.—Rockingham Post Dispatch.

Many Cases Tried In County Superior Court

Cherokee county superior court convened here Monday morning with Judge Zeb V. Nettles of Asheville presiding.

Judge Wilson Warlick, who was scheduled to preside, is ill.

The case of Clarence Kimsey for murder was not pressed with leave; Garlee Rich tendered a plea of non-support of illegitimate child and was ordered to pay \$500 into the clerk's office for support of child; prayer for judgment was continued upon payment of costs.

Floyd J. Picklesimer was fined \$50 and costs for driving drunk. C. R. Floyd was found guilty of violation of prohibition laws and fined \$25 and costs. Birdie Hardin, convicted of violation of prohibition laws, was ordered confined in the county jail for 12 months and assigned to work on roads under supervision of state highway and public works commission, sentence suspended for 5 years on condition that he will make his appearance at August, November and April terms of court for five years, be on good behavior and not handle liquor, and further pay fine of \$50 and costs.

Marsden Bingham was found guilty of wreckless driving and ordered to pay fine of \$25 and costs, and driver's license revoked. Frank Davis, charged with driving drunk, was ordered confined in jail four months and work on roads, suspended for two years upon good behavior for 10 years and pay \$150 and costs.

James Allen, charged with driving drunk, was fined \$50, and costs. Garland Ramsey, charged with non-support of four minor children was ordered confined in jail for 18 months, to work on roads, suspended until youngest child is 18 years old on condition \$50 per month be paid, \$25 on the first and \$25 on the 15th, beginning April 1, and that he be on good behavior, not violate any criminal laws, and pay costs the county is liable for at this term.

Glen W. Palmer, violation of prohibition laws, was ordered confined in jail four months, to work on roads, suspended for two years on condition he pay \$50 and costs and be on good behavior.

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Baptist Pastors' Meeting April 8

The Baptist pastors will hold their regular meeting at the Baptist church April 8, at 10 o'clock. The Rev. Algie West is in charge of the devotional and the Rev. J. Alton Morris will speak on "The Pastor, His Own Evangelist." The Rev. P. H. Hooker will pronounce the benediction.

SUBJECT FOR SUNDAY
"Revive Us Again" is the sermon subject announced by the Rev. T. G. Tate for the service at the Presbyterian church Sunday evening, April 7, at 7:30 o'clock. The Young Peoples' meeting will be held at 6:45 p. m.

There will be no morning service here as Mr. Tate will preach at the Hayesville Presbyterian church at 11 o'clock Sunday morning, and hold communion service following the sermon.

Has A Leading Role In Play

Mrs. Karl Weiss, Jr., of Salt Lake City, Utah, the former Miss Maureen Lovingood, is playing a leading role in a play, "Winning Winnie," sponsored by the Young People's Mutual association of Salt Lake City.

TO SEEK MEMBERS
RALEIGH—The North Carolina Wildlife Federation will launch an intensive membership drive on April 1 with a goal of 30,000 members by June 1, it was announced today by President P. K. Gravely of Rocky Mount.

Leslie Stillman Post To Elect Officers In May

ANDREWS — The American Legion, Leslie Stillman Post No. 22, had a meeting here Monday evening at 7:30 o'clock at the Legion Hut. The meeting was well attended, particularly by service men of War II. Quite a number of War II veterans had never before attended a Legion meeting. A number of new memberships were received.

Several talks were made by legionnaires explaining the work and function of the Legion. Dave Sigmon, State Service officer for this area, was on hand and discussed several phases of the GI Bill of Rights. He will be in Andrews each Friday to advise any service man or woman in matters pertaining to veteran affairs.

Post Commander John H. Christy appointed a nominating committee to bring in a slate of officers to be recommended in the May meeting. This committee was composed of I. B. Hudson, F. W. Swan, J. A. Watkins, John Swan, and Jack Ledford. It is the general understanding that this committee will recommend a War II man for post commander for next year, while other legion officers will be about equally divided between veterans of the two wars.

Following the meeting refreshments were served.

Miss Mozelle Moore, supervisor of music in the Shelby schools, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Moore, over the week-end.

Topography Of Park In Hands Of TVA

Murphy city park commission's hands have been tied in its efforts to get the construction of the proposed swimming pool underway, because of not having a topography of the park completed. TVA requested the topography before it would make recommendations for the location of the pool. This subject and others for the improvement of the park were discussed at the meeting held Tuesday evening in the home of Mrs. W. A. Hoover.

The topography was completed Wednesday of this week and was presented that afternoon to A. D. Rieger, property management head of the TVA for recommendations. The commission is hoping to hear from TVA within a few days.

This week work will be started on improvement of the tennis courts.

A report from the treasurer indicated that the park commission's funds are low, except for the fund being held by the Lions club for construction of the swimming pool.

It was ordered that screens and locks be added to the caretaker's house as soon as they could be obtained.

A caretaker will be selected to live in the house as soon as it is vacated by the present occupants, who expect to move within a few months.

A committee was appointed to contact the city police and request that regular patrols of the park area be made, to prevent destruction of property and unwholesome use of the park.

Hundreds Hear Symphony Concert In Andrews Monday

By POLLY HICKS

ANDREWS — The North Carolina Symphony Orchestra appeared in the high school auditorium, April 1, presenting an afternoon concert for children and one at 8 p. m. o'clock for adults. The auditorium was filled to capacity with appreciative hearers for both performances.

The large audiences of both concerts made up of music lovers from the rural schools of Cherokee County, Murphy schools, Andrews Schools, Marble elementary school, and others from surrounding communities; were enraptured with the music and sat absorbed and delighted until the last note was played by the artists. The children sat entranced during the afternoon concert. A short quiz program in connection with the demonstration of instruments was enjoyed by the children. This quiz consisted of guessing the names of familiar songs.

Club Schedule For April Is Announced

The schedule for April's Home Demonstration clubs is as follows: Wednesday, April 3, Postell, Mrs. N. A. Quinn, 1:30 o'clock; Thursday, April 4, Peachtree, Mrs. Julia Wells, 1:30 o'clock; Monday, April 8, Violet, Mrs. Fred Graham, 1:30 o'clock; Tuesday, April 9, Bellview, Club Room, 10:00 o'clock; Thursday, April 11, Slow Creek, Mrs. Jim Donley, 1:00 o'clock; Friday, April 12, Sunny Point, Mrs. Harold Payne, 1:00 o'clock; Tuesday, April 16, Grandview, Mrs. Howard McDonald, 1:00 o'clock; Thursday, April 18, Tomotla, Mrs. Lem Smith, 1:30 o'clock; Friday, April 19, Marble, Mrs. Vernon Bryson, 1:30 o'clock; Tuesday, April 23, Martin's Creek, School, 1:30 o'clock; Wednesday, April 24, Valleytown, Mrs. Bruce West, 2:00 o'clock; Thursday, April 25, Ranger, School, 1:30 o'clock.

Richard Mauney Back In Raleigh

Richard Mauney left Friday for Raleigh where he resumed his position with the State Treasury Department April 1. Mr. Mauney recently was honorably discharged from the army, where he served for two and a half years. Mrs. Mauney and daughter, Kathy, will join Mr. Mauney in Raleigh at an early date.

Mr. Mauney was accompanied to Asheville by Pete Woodyard and Mrs. Tom Mauney.

Morris Announces Sermon Subjects

Rev. J. Alton Morris announces that his sermon subject for Sunday morning at the First Baptist church will be "Seven Wonders of Hell". The topic for the evening worship service at 8 o'clock is "Three Things Youth Should Learn." The first in a series of talks to the young people of the community.

ATTEND FUNERAL
Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Hodges returned Sunday night from Asheville where they had gone to attend the funeral of Mrs. Hodges' father. Their son, Bobby, a student at N. C. State College, Raleigh, also attended his grandfather's funeral.

MINISTERS TO MEET
The Western North Carolina Minister's conference will meet at the First Baptist church April 15. All ministers west of Waynesville are invited to attend.

Great Dairy Development Is Possible In This Area, Says Head Of U. S. Dairy Division



PRESBYTERIAN SPEAKER

Dr. Frank Hill Caldwell, president of the Louisville Presbyterian Seminary, Louisville, Kentucky, who will be the speaker on The Presbyterian Hour next Sunday morning, April 7th, at 8:30 A. M., E. S. T., over an independent network of southern radio stations.

Born in Corinth, Mississippi, Dr. Caldwell for a time attended the United States Military Academy, and the University of Mississippi, and was awarded the Bachelor of Arts degree from Centre College in 1926. He took his ministerial training in the Louisville Presbyterian Seminary and pursued post graduate work leading to the Doctor of Philosophy degree in the University of Edinburgh. He studied later at the New York University, became professor of Bible at Centre College, and after a pastorate in the White Memorial Church, McComb, Mississippi, he came to Louisville Seminary as professor of homiletics in 1930. Dr. Caldwell was elected president of the institution in 1936 and that same year was awarded the Doctor of Divinity degree by Centre College.

The subject of Dr. Caldwell's address next Sunday morning will be, "Truth Which Liberates."

The program can be heard in this section over: WNCN, Asheville; WPTF, Raleigh; WSJS, Winston-Salem; WSB, Atlanta; WNOX, Knoxville; and WRVA, Richmond, at 8:30 a. m.

Recruiter To Be Here Wednesdays

"The Navy Recruiter will be in the Court House in Murphy every Wednesday between the hours of 9 A. M. and 4 P. M. beginning April 3, to accept young men 17-30 years of age for enlistment in the U. S. Navy."

Six Candidates Are Announced

The following names have been announced as candidates for town councilmen, to run with Neil Sneed, candidate for mayor: T. W. Axley, E. O. Christopher, W. D. King, A. L. Martin, Tom Palmer, and E. E. Stiles.

Planning Council Adopted Three Timely Projects For Special Study

The Cherokee county social planning council has adopted the following three social projects for special study this year: compulsory school attendance, rural road improvement, and adult education—right of franchise.

At the next meeting a discussion on the first subject, compulsory school attendance, will be held. A special study of it is being made this month by a committee composed of Mrs. J. D. Shields, chairman; Mrs. Laura Freeman, and Mrs. Ben Warner.

Regular meetings are held each first Tuesday. The council met Tuesday night at the school library with 21 members present. A. Q. Ketner, chairman, presided. Following a discussion of what the social problems in the county are, the three projects mentioned above were selected for special study.

Special Cast Is Selected For Beta Club Play On April 11

"It's an ideal cast, wisely chosen appearing in a great play of laughs, a few tears, plenty of thrills and romance," say Mrs. Joe Ray and Miss Jane Hill, directors of the Beta club's presentation of Mark Twain's "The Adventure of Tom Sawyer," which will be on Thursday evening, April 11 at 8 o'clock in the Murphy school auditorium.

The state setting will represent the interior of Aunt Polly's home in Missouri, where she lives with her nephew, Tom Sawyer, and his half brother, Sidney, and her niece, Mary.

The cast of characters is as follows:

Tom Sawyer, an all-American boy, Fred Brendle, Jr.; Huckleberry Finn, the village outcast, Sam Stalcup; Aunt Polly, Tom's aunt, Mildred Hendrix; Mary, Tom's cousin, Mary Evelyn Carringer; Sidney, Tom's half-brother, James Hughes; Becky Thatcher, Tom's "adored one," Jo Anne Barnett; Mrs. Sereny Harper, a Neighbor, Jean Reid; Joe Harper, her young son, Tom's bosom pal, Kenneth Christopher; Susy Harper, her daughter, Elizabeth Anne Elkins; Widow Douglas, who knows all the news, Henrietta Plemmons; Jim, a young negro boy, Alfred C. Smith; Sheriff, Jerry Hall.

Farmers Shown New Type Silo

County agents and farmers of this adjoining towns were shown a motion picture entitled, "Money in the Bank", illustrating the use of a new type silo which can be built for from \$8 to \$19 each. The showing of the picture was sponsored by Coble Dairy Products in interest of getting farmers to grow more corn to keep up dairy production in the winter months.

The picture was shown by a representative of the Sisalkraft Co. which produces material for the silos.

Following the picture a discussion of the silos and calf pellets for feeding calves and save milk was held. It was indicated that several farmers will take advantage of both.

DEADLINE

April 13 is the deadline for filing for all legislative, county and township offices, reminds P. A. Arrowood, chairman of the county board of elections.

W. E. Wintermeyer, in charge of the Division of Dairying of the United States Department of Agriculture, Washington, D. C., following a study of the dairying industry and possibilities here for two days last week, stated that he sees no reason why this county and section could not be developed into a great dairying area. He urged the farm agents, farmers and others interested to put forth every effort to tap the resources of dairying here.

While in the county Mr. Wintermeyer attended five meetings of farmers, dairymen, 4-H clubsters and students, in Murphy, Marble, Andrews, Hiwassee Dam, and Ranger, along with Farm Agents A. Q. Ketner and Don Allison, Miss Mary Cornwell, home Agent; F. R. Farnham, dairy specialist, Asheville; and Delmar Thompson, of Coble Dairies.

Jr. Woman's Club To Hold Dance For Cancer Benefit

The Junior Woman's club will hold a dance and benefit bridge at the gymnasium on the evening of April 12, for the benefit of the cancer control drive, which started April 1, according to announcement by Mrs. Robert H. Cox, county commander. The committee from the club working on this includes:

Mrs. George Atkinson, Mrs. George Phillips, Mrs. Ruth Nichols, Miss Elizabeth Gray, Miss Mary Cornwell, and Mrs. W. J. Canata. Sandwiches and drinks will be sold.

Other committees working with Mrs. Cox and Robert S. Bault will be announced next week.

Harry P. Cooper Is Assistant Loan Guarantee Officer

Atlanta, Ga.—Harry P. Cooper, twice mayor of Murphy, N. C., has been appointed assistant loan guarantee officer in the Veterans Administration Georgia Regional Office, Vaux Owen, the VA Regional Manager, announced today.

A native of Murphy, Mr. Cooper served as mayor in 1927, 1928 and 1929. He also served in the State general assembly as a member of the House in 1936-37.

He joined the Veterans Administration in April, 1944, as a rating specialist after serving seven years as a special investigator and attorney with the Washington Office of the Interstate Commerce Commission.

He was an attorney in Murphy from 1927 to 1937, and during this time he served as a loan agent for several mortgage loan companies in North Carolina. He was engaged in real estate and general development business from 1913 to 1926, except for a two-year period in the Army. He is a graduate of Georgia Military Academy and attended Wake Forest Law School.

A member of the American Legion, he served three terms as commander of the Joe Miller Elkins post and eight years as district commander of Western North Carolina. He once served as secretary of former Senator Robert R. Reynolds.

His son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Mattox, now live in Murphy.

First Girl To Be Elected To Office

Among the recently elected officers of Bowman Gray medical school in Winston Salem is Miss Helen Wells, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Wells of Murphy, who was elected class representative by the senior medical students. She is the first girl to hold an office in the school.