

Wolf Creek A Students Enjoy Thanksgiving Dinner At School

Wolf Creek A School students had a unique celebration of Thanksgiving, for instead of enjoying the holiday in their homes, they all brought edibles from home and cooked Thanksgiving dinner at the school on the heater.

Eighth grader, Stella V. Harris, recounts, in the story below, the activities of the day at Wolf Creek A:

gotten the day and some of us had read stories about Thanksgiving, but, we had not planned for a big day.

After a visit and inspiring talk by the Rev. W. H. Collins, our teacher expressed her wish that we had planned to have a good lunch prepared by us and invite our parents.

A number of voices saying, "We can, yet. Let's do it," were heard. Our teacher agreed at once to let us try. All began to tell what they could bring. A list was made. Then someone suggested that we follow the Basic Seven in selecting food or bring.

Each grade searched its own health book and other helps we had for information and soon everyone was deary to discuss the menu.

It was agreed that every child

furnish his own dishes.

The final list was made and all of us with hearts full of happiness and eagerness for the next day to come, left for home.

The girls were happier because they wished that they could do the cooking while the boys looked on.

The next morning came too late for some. Long before time for anyone to be here one boy came up with a wheelbarrow full of food and cooking utensils.

Behind him came other children with arms full of packages. Louise Collins brought a banana pudding and potato salad "already to serve."

And before many minutes our teacher's desk was neatly covered with frying pans, cookers, sauce pans, toaster, grater, dishes and silverware. The room was warm and the heater was ready to begin cooking. And what a surprise to the girls!

The boys had come all scrubbed up, hands and fingernails all clean, and waves set in their hair. They had come to help cook. And they did.

Everyone from the least to the biggest, except those who had not entirely recovered from a cold, had a job.

There were apples to be peeled, potatoes to be cooked and mashed, carrots to be grated, milk, tomatoes and string beans cans to be opened. There was bread to be toasted, slaw to be made, chicken to be fried, chow chow to be prepared and salad dressing to be made.

Fourteen or fifteen of us were working in our small room but there was not a single traffic accident. Every chance I had to look around from my chicken frying, I noticed that courtesy, quietness and cooperation were being practiced by everyone. The room was filled with pleasant sounds which can be made only by children with happy hearts, busy hands and cooperation in work. Miss Collins described it as the hum of industry.

Just when our lunch period came and we were ready to serve, we were glad to see two visitors, Mr. and Mrs. Zaer Collins, whom we had invited. We regretted that our parents could not come because of sickness in the home. The boys and girls both served the food.

After lunch the dishes, cooking utensils and food untouched were sorted. T. J. Harris, who brought the wheelbarrow, gathered the scraps for his pig.

When we had sat down again I heard someone say that we had not had a lesson today. When Miss Collins heard that statement she reminded us that we had had art in arranging the food, arithmetic in enlarging the recipes, courtesy and cooperation in bringing, preparing, and serving the food, health in selecting the food, history and geography in learning the reasons we celebrate Thanksgiving, spelling in making our list of foods we could bring, and English when we write the story about today's experience.

Graded Choirs To Present Christmas Music At Church

Christmas programs of music have been set at the First Baptist Church and are announced today by Miss Velma Umphres, choir director.

On December 14 at 7:30 p. m. the Youth Choir, a three part girls' choir will present "Gloria in Excelsis", a Christmas cantata arranged from the works of Felix Mendelssohn.

Dec. 17, Wednesday, at 7:30 p. m., the Children's Choirs will be presented in program. The Cherub Choir will sing Christmas carols and give recitations. The Primary Choir, under the direction of Mrs. H. E. Dickey, will present a program entitled "Little Lord Jesus".

The Juniors will present a pageant, "The Story of the Christmas Tree" which includes a singing choir and a speech choir, besides the others who take part in the pageant.

On Dec. 21, the Adult Choir will present a cantata, "His Natal Day" by Edward W. Norman.

Robbinsville Man Dies Saturday

Robert Campbell, 77, of Robbinsville died Saturday night in the home of a son, Robert Cecil Campbell, after a long illness.

He had worked as a logger before his health failed.

Funeral services were conducted at 2 p. m. Monday in Bear Creek Baptist Church of which he was a member. The Rev. Clarence Adams, the Rev. O. L. Orr, and the Rev. Clifford George officiated and burial was in Red Marble Cemetery.

Surviving are another son, Leroy of Graham County; a daughter, Mrs. Millean Johnson of Sylva; two sisters, Mrs. George Huscusson of Graham County, and Mrs. Frank Johnson of Fanner, Tenn.; three half-sisters, Mrs. Eulis Cox of Hayesville, Mrs. Clyde Gilreath of Gastonia, and Miss Stella Campbell of Robbinsville; five half-brothers, German of the U. S. Army, Yank of Birmingham, Ala., Ernest of Graham County, Camp of Kentucky, and Lester of Hayesville.

Ivle Funeral Home had charge of arrangements.

IN HOSPITAL

Patients in the Rodda-Van Gorder Hospital this week are Billy Forsyth, of Andrews; Mrs. Sarah Ledford, of Andrews; Mrs. Cotneron, of Topton; Johnny Nichols, son of Mr. and Mrs. John P. Nichols, of Mineral Bluff, Ga.; Mrs. Arnold Isenhower, of Robbinsville; Mrs. Ray Smith, of Andrews; Mrs. James Jordan, of Topton; Louise May, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James May, of Kyle; Mrs. James May, of Kyle.

Mrs. Minnie Tatham, who was confined to the hospital due to illness over the week end returned to her teaching duties at Marble School on Monday.

Flue-cured tobacco accounts for four-fifths of the total leaf exports from the United States.

Mrs. Anderson Dies In Hayesville

Mrs. Nellie Thomas Anderson, 67, died suddenly in her home in Hayesville Saturday morning.

Funeral services were conducted at 2 p. m. Monday in Hayesville Methodist Church with the Rev. George E. Green, pastor, and the Rev. Alonzo Davis, pastor Murphy Circuit, officiating. Burial was in the church cemetery.

The body lay in state in the church from 1 to 2 p. m.

Pallbearers were O. L. Anderson, Robert L. Anderson, Early Anderson, Jr., Harold Anderson, Robert Johnson, Allen J. Bell, Jr., Anderson Bell and Robert Tiger. Daughter of the late Dr. W. A. Graham and Laura Noland Graham of Haywood County, Mrs. Anderson moved to Cherokee County with her family when a young girl.

She was married to Weaver L. Anderson of Clay County in 1926, and had lived there since that time.

She is survived by the husband; one daughter, Miss Opal Anderson of the home; one son, James W. Anderson of Asheville; and two grandchildren.

Also three sisters, Mrs. Nettie Axley of Murphy, Mrs. Mattie Fer-

Mrs. Hyatt Dies In Akron, Ohio

Mrs. Elizabeth Hyatt, 73, widow of J. W. Hyatt of Culberson, died Monday, November 17, at the home of a daughter, Mrs. Charles Arp, in Akron, Ohio, after a lingering illness.

She was a native and lifelong resident of Cherokee County, the daughter of the late Bobby and Lucinda Ballew, prominent Cherokee County families. She had been with her daughter in Akron

guson of Waynesville, and Mrs. Annie Mae Freeman of Fairview; two brothers, H. M. Graham of Blaine, Tenn., and W. A. Graham of Charlotte.

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for four months. Surviving are five daughters, Mrs. Wayne H. Maples of Dayton, Ohio, Mrs. Earl Deweese of Culberson, Mrs. Arp of Akron, Mrs. Jetter Cearley and Mrs. Claude Mashburn, both of Burlington. Also three sons, Guy of Barberton, Ohio, Ray of Cuyahoga Falls, Ohio, and Donald of Burlington; two grandchildren and one great grandchild.

Townson Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

Funeral services were conducted at 2 p. m. Thursday in River Valley Baptist Church near Culberson. The Rev. Thomas Truett officiated and burial was in Hyatt Cemetery.

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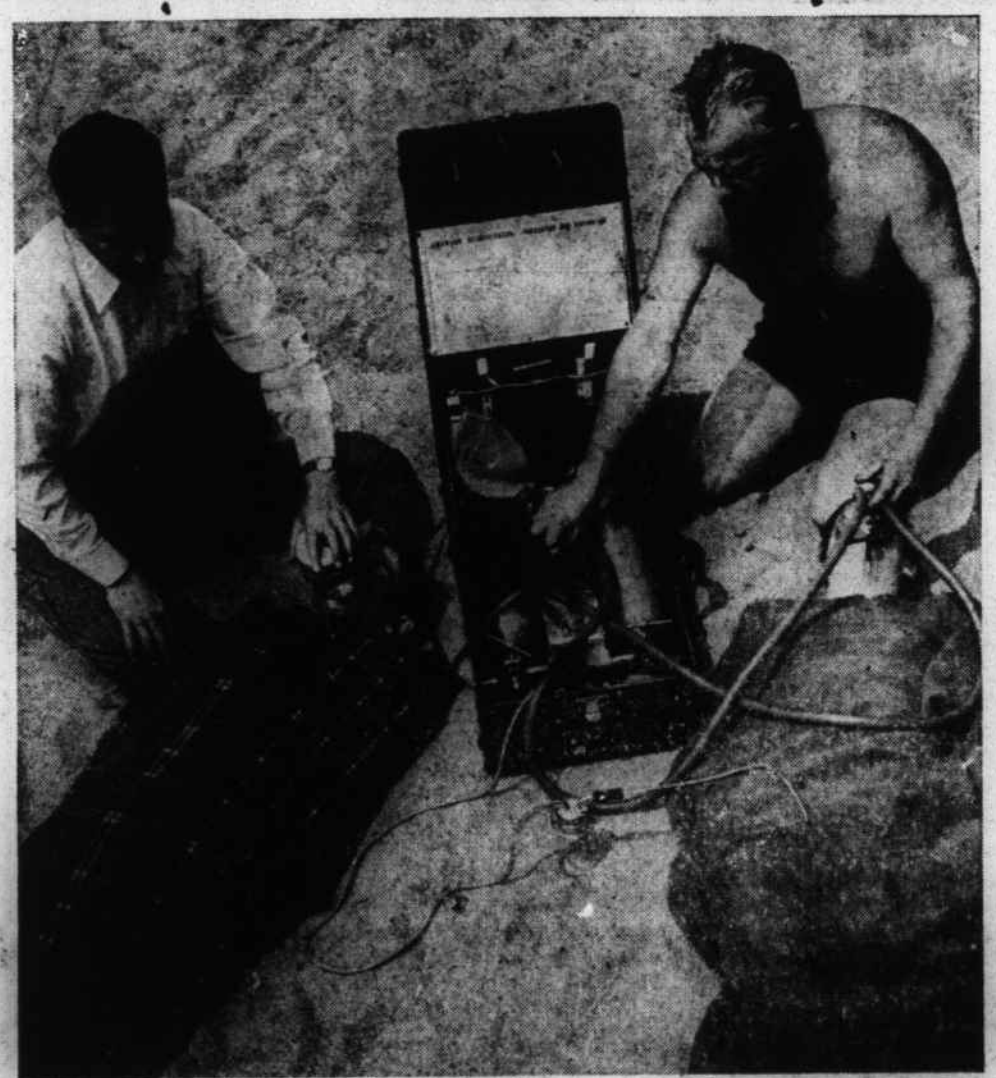
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