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# NEWS OF GRAHAM COUNTY

#### Joyce Kilmer Forest

A group of Robbinsville Beta

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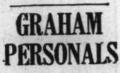
## Boy Scout Investiture Service Set Monday

On Monday evening, May 3 at 7:30 p. m. Troop 4 Robbinsville 7:30 p. m. Troop 4 Robbinsville LaVerne George Boy Scouts will hold their Charter Presentation and Investiture Service.

The following Scouts will be invested; Terry Clem, Verdon Corbin, Verlin Corbin, Gary Patterson, Neil Patterson, Jimmy Phillips, Gary Rodgers, Roger Shuler, Billy Smith, Conward Snider, and Jerry Stone.

Others appearing on the program will be Leonard Lloyd who will present the Charter to Dr. Nettie C. Parette, president of Rob binsville PTA, Sponsoring organization of the Boy Scouts; Dr. Richard G. Parrette, Chairman of the Troop Committee, composed of Clarence Bales, Ed Ingram, Kenneth Clem, Floyd Millsaps, Chester Crisp, Will Sherrill, Arvil Webster James Stanley, Gwyn Carver, Cowan C. Bateman.

Scoutmaster Huell Patterson will conduct the Investiture Service. The following Girl Scouts will act as ushers; Linda Ghormley, Patsy Hill, Barbara Stanley, and Patsy Campbell.



Joe B. Lovin, Graham County's oldest citizen, entered Tennessee Baptist Hospital, Knoxville, Tenn. Tuesday for a minor operation. Mr. Lovin has been in poor health for a number of years. He was accompanied to Knoxville by his daughter, Miss Clemmie Lovin. They returned nome Friday.

E. D. Ingram and Rev. John T. Frazier made a business trip to Asheville Tuesday.

Miss Dorothy Carpenter has accepted employment as book keeper with Snowbird Supply Company. Miss Peggy Griffin who is a student at the University of Tennes see, spene the Easter holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Griffin.

Mrs. K. S .Clem is recovering from a virus infection after being confined for several days in her home.

Miss Charlene Jones who is employed by TVA in Alabama and Miss Martha Ann Jones who is a student at Piedmont College, Demorest, Ga. spent the Easter holidays with their mother and sister, Mrs. Lois Jones and Rosemary. Ors. Viola Slaughter, Swananoa. Med her sister, Mrs. Vanis Mrs. Rose Siler and John Siler vis-ited Mrs. John Siler who is a pa-

Candidate for Rep. LaVerne George, 28, of Robb ville is a candidate for the post of representative from Graham County to the N. C. Legislative Assem

bly in 1955. He will run in the Democratic Primary May 29. George, who has served a term as town alderman, is a native of Graham County, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Grady George. He is married to the former Ruby Nell Hyde of Robbinsville and they have one

George is a graduate of Robbins ville High School and is a veteran of 32 months service.

#### **Tree Cutting** Demonstration

Graham County farmers and andowners were shown last week that a stand of growing timber has all the advantages of a cash investment plus a higher rate of in-

terest. Howard D. Bennett, forester of the Appalachian Hardwood Manufacturers In., gave a demonstration on selective harvesting of

timber. The demonstration was held on the farm of Frank Colvard, sponsored by the Bemis Hardwood Lum ber Co., which provided luncheon for the 25 farmers, foresters, industry representatives and others. Bennett pointed out that the trees

left should yield an income of about \$40 an acre in 20 years, while if all of them were cut now and the income invested at four per cent, the total would be lower

at the end of that time. **Dairy Cattle Be Spot Checked** 

inarian will be in Graham County the first of May for the county spot

testing of dairy cattle. the dairy cows in the county. The service is free of cost.



JUNIOR CLASS OFFICERS, and their sponsors, posed prettily at the Junior-Senior banquet last week in the Robbinsville School Lunch-room. Seated in front, left and right, are Margaret Ann Farley and Janice Dale Owens. Standing, left to right, are Evelyn Rogers and sponsors, Chester Crisp and Mrs. (Photo by Crisp of Bryson City) Doris Roberts.

## **Robbinsville Junior-Senior Has** Easter Theme For Banquet Ap.16

The Junior-Senior Banquet held Ap. 16 at 7:30 in the Robbins-

Roberts and Chester Crisp, junior class sponsors, led with plans for the evening.

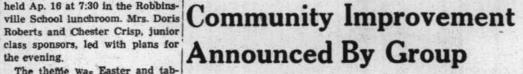
The theme was Easter and tables were decorated with rabbits and eggs, while around the walls tion and development were formu- and choose their individual and spring flowers were used. Place cards were daffodils.

The following program was givwelcome, Evelyn Rogers; response, Anna Sue Deyton; "Easter Pa-

rade", Margaret Ann Farley; class prophecy, Janice Dale Owens; last will and testament, Maurice Mc-Clung.

Dr. L. M. Becton, federal veterduring the latter part of April and teachers, the school board, school check on Bang's Testing and TB intudent.

He will check some 30 per cent of Persons have been notified when Dr. Becton will visit their farms and have ben asked to leave their cattle in the barn on that date.



Plans for community organiza-1 b. Let each community decdie lated by the Community Improve- group projects. ment and development committee

of Graham County's Long Range en: returning thanks, Huey Garden Agricultural program in a meeting Agent.

The following outline for commu ity organization was adopted: 1. Organization.

a. Let individuals within each community who are leaders organ-The Easter Parade, led off by

junior and senior girls modeling ize their respective communities. b. Farm and civic organizations their gowns, also included boys, should also promote community committee, principal and super- development.

c. Churches and leaders in K. S. Clem, superintendent, gave churches should also promote and encourage development and ima short talk on Success and Failprovement ure, and James Stanley, principal, d. Home demonstration clubs spoke on ambition.

The young people receiving the

chicks were E. J. Shuler, Billy J.

Beasley, Roy Davis, Maxine Shope

NOTICE

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT

Vs

The defendant, Herman Godfrey,

will take notice that an action en-titled as above has been commenc-

ed in the Superior court of Graham

County, North Carolina for the

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to appear at the office of the O of Superior Court of Graham C

ty, at the courthouse in Robbins ville, North Carolina, 20 days after

the 8th day of April, 1954, and ans

W. M. Sherrill 30-etc

e of a divorce on the purpose of a divorce on the grounds of two years separation and the said defendant will fur-

NORTH CAROLINA

ROSELLE GODFREY

HERMAN GODFREY

GRAHAM COUNTY

Carmel Payne, Johnny Colvard.

should also help in getting differ-ANGUS SALE ent communities organized. The Asheville Angus sale will 2. Development after organibe held at Enka May 18. zation.

b. Let each community decide ts own policies.

c. Any help on community work that can be rendered by anyone should be solicited by the in-3. Projects.

their own projects, which might include any of the following. 1. Churches and grounds Schools 2.

3. Recreation and recreation areas. 4. Telephones and community signs.

5. Any projects which the com munity alight select.

4. Limitations and competition. a. Communities follow natural boundaries

' b. Competition between different communities should be encouraged c. Tours will be planned and

conducted if any group desires to participate in one

## Local Youths Attend Asheville Convention

### J. W. Eller Dies After Long Illness

J. W Eller, 76, a lumberman, Robbinsville, after a long illness. 10 a.m. at Robbinsville Baptist Church, with the Rev. Otis Orr ficiating. Burial was in Old Mother Church Cemetery.

Surviving are the widow, Mrs. Lillie Eller; three daughters, Mrs. Millsaps, Mrs. G. A. Harris of Cherryville and Mrs. Jeanne Cable of Snyder, Okla.

Also two sons, J. G. Eller of binsville; six grandchildren; two brothers, William of Hazelwood and Van of Hayesville; three sisters, Mrs. Henry Moore of Lincolnton; Mrs. Ivalee Rogers and Mrs. Willard Slaughter of Robbinsville. He was a charter member of the Atoah Baptist Church near Rob-

### **Cape Gets School Coal Bid**

C. W. Blanchard, Director, Division of Purchasing and Contract, struction, has announced that C. lica. W. Cape is the successful bidder for hauling and storing coal for Graham County Schools for the 1954-55 school year?

**Grover Davis Is** 

GROVER C. DAVIS

Davs served for eight years at

solicitor, for four years as Hay-

wood County attorney and as Hay-

wood County Chairman of the

He is a member of the Methodist

solicitor of the 12th District.



Gerald Lovin of Stecoah, and Rose Marie Corso of St. Louis, Mo. were married on Monday, April 19. at the Robbinsville Courthouse, C. P. Sawyer, Justice of the Peace performed the ceremony.

Mr. Lovin is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Pearlie Lovin of Stecoah. He graduated from Western Carolina Teachers College, and taught one year in the Robbinsville High School. He is at present employed in St. Louis, Mc.

Mrs. Lovin is the daughter of -Mr. and Mrs. Coscenga of St. Louis

Ap. 9 in the office of the County dividual communities.

a) Let each community choose

binsville. charge.

#### members, consisting of Evelyn Rog ers, Marselle Stewart, Christine James, Ann Costner, Leota Dinton, Lavinia Lovin and Chester Crisp, sponsor, attended the State Beta died April 20 at the home of a Club Convention in Asheville, Ap. daughter, Mrs. R. B. Millsaps in 17, at the George Vanderbilt Hotel. After morning registration, the Funeral services were held at group attended the second general session of the convention with ap-

proximately 1,830 Beta assembled. and the Rev. Henry Cochran of- Presiding was Bob McDade, state vice-president. Following the invocation, greetings and national office reports, a forum discussion was given on "How the Beta Club can Serve the School".

The third general session bgan after lunch with Juanita Wood, wood state secretary, presiding. Cullowhee and Hugh Eller of Rob- This session was mostly the election of new state officers.

The real fun and entertainment, and later a dance was held in the a banquet, was given in the hotel City Auditorium, both of which were thoroughly enjoyed.

### Townson Funeral Home was in Associational WMU Meet Today

The Tennessee River Baptist Associational WMU meeting will be today (Ap. 29) at the Cold Springs Baptist Church, Bryson City.

Speakers will be Miss Janet Wilson, state Young People's Secretary and Miss Anna Frances Todd, State Department . of Public . In- missionary to Colubia, South Amer

> Miss Lois Ward of Almond, associational superintendent, will preside.

Sessions will be held at 3:30 p. m. and in the evening. Supper will be served by ladies of the host church.

tient in Blount Memorial Hospital, Maryville, Tenn. over the week end. Mirs. Siler is reported to be aproving

R. B. Morphew and Add Thacker made a business trip to Asheville Tuesday.

Mack Jenkins is a patient in Rodda-Van Gorder Clinic this

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Hyde had as their guest, for the Easter holidays fr. and Mrs. Wallace N. Hyde and children, Martha Jane and Charles Wallace from Salisbury; Mr. and Mrs. Gleen Cooper and three sons, Charles, Lyle and Randall all of Maryville, Tenn. and Mr. and Mirs. William L. Drake of Knezville,

Mrs. I. D. Wells, Houston, Texas arrived Friday to spend several with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Tatham and other relatives around Robbinsville. She was nied by Miss Fannie hter, who has been spending ewinter in Texas and Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Slaughter is still confined to her bed. Mrs. Richard Riddle, who will visit relatives in Asheville. Mrs. | J. B. Cory is recovering

from a recent illness.

Mrs. L. W. Wilson, underwent a sharpe's mother returned to Knox tonsillectomy at the Rodda-Van ville with her. er Clinic, Andrews, Wednes 

The E. B. King, from Andrews in Robbinsville Sunday vis-ing her sister, Mrs. N. O. Hamp-a and brother, J. H. Tatham and C., visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. George Jenkins children, Paril, Pearline, Shir and Beverly Sair, of Asheville Saster holidays with Mr. and Ciyde Colvard and family.



courthouse ,with some 26 members sttending.

Bob Holland, assistant farm ag-Ten Graham County Four-H members received their chicks to ent, discussed the purposes of the council and later the following offloers were elected: Ann Costner, president; Bobby Howell, vice-Thursday. president; Freida Rattler, secre tary and treasurer; and Larry Orr and Linda Ghormley, membership Carpenter, Roger Webster, Verlon Corbin, Junior Collins; Johnny chairmen.

Following the meet games were Saturday of each month at 10 a.m. The group will meet the first played and refreshments were served.

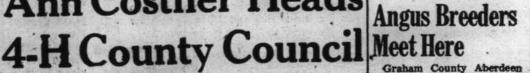
MOOSES HAVE SON Mr. and Mrs. Tom Moose announce the birth of a son on Thurs day, Ap. 22. They have 10 other

and Mrs. Roy Phillips. Mrs. Sam Sharpe's sister, Mrs. Clifford Smith, of Knoxville, spent the week with her and Mrs.

Mirs, Ross Wigging underwent a Serious operation at Rodda Van Gorder Hospital recently. She is still a patient at the hospital. Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Bales spent Easter work out it.

Mrs. Norma Hooper and Mrs. Rose Sharpe were in Knoxy Gridey where Mrs. Hooper and appointment at the hospital. A. M. Headrick, 90 has return from Margarith. Torm in make Hooper and an

will apply to the court for the re-bid demanded in the complaint. m Maryville, Tenn., to ma



Graham County Aberdeen Angus breeders met last week at the county agent's office to hear Van Holsapple, a representative of the national Angus Breeders Association.

Persons present were Forest Denton, E. D. Ingram and son, J. S. Howell, F. S. Hooper and son, raise on the 4-H Chick Chain last D. Hyde, Troy Proctor, Clyde Garland, Harold Orr, R. L. Holland, as sistant county agent and W. H. Flake, county agent.

> Mrs. Brown Has Woman's Club Meet

The Graham County Woman's Club met last week at the home of | wilt. That is why when you plant a Mrs. Mack Brown, with Mrs. Ray wilt resistant, the plants may all Parsons and Miss Ellen Carver as- die of wilt. Bacterial wilt is comsisting her as bostesses.

A special program on internat-tional relations was given by Mrs. The emphasis is still Massey.

group voted to sponsor a food sale has become quite popular in th held Ap. 24. They also voted to as-sist other clubs of the town on the as closed as five or six feet apart er recreation program. Some15 members were present.

Flower Arrangements **Demonstration Is Set** ; Miss Pauline Go se housing specialist, will hold a ments de ay at 1 p. m. at the co

laintiff and notify him that if its so to do the plaintiff will ne is invited to att

## **GARDEN TIME**

#### BY ROBERT SCHMIDT

Anyone who tries to grow to toes in the South is concerned with the problem of wilt. There are two kinds of wilt which commonly affect tomatoes-fusarium and bacterial wilt-caused by two different organisms which are quite com mon in garden soils of this state Both carried over in the soil from year to year.

board of elections for six years. Fusarium wilt can be effectively He was the county representative combatted by the use of wilt rein the 1949 legislative assembly. sistant varieties such as Homestead Southland, and Jefferson. Marglobe and Rutgers are still very Church in Waynesville and is a popular varieties but seem to have past teacher of the Men's Bible very little resistance to the present Class strains of fusarium wilt. There are at present no varieties available which are resistant to bacterial

variety recommended to you as monly known as Granville wilt

The emphasis is still being put Beaufort Lance and Miss Anne on ice-box size watermelons. The New Hampsure Midget variety During the business session the grows to the size of a cantaloup

> A fault of this variety is that it be comes over-ripe very quickly. An-other good small melon is the Rhode Island Red variety which will weigh about 10 to 12 pounds on the average. It has deep red fleah and black seeds. The best of them all, in my opinion, is the Jap anese Seedless melon. It will avanose Sections metods in the set of a weight, and is of excellent quality. There are seldom more than a donen mature seeds in a melon-the rest of the meths are undeveloped

out Seeds for planting are quite -

They plan to make their home in St. Louis at present.

#### AVERS IS PROMOTED

Edward D. Ayers, son of Clyde Grover C. Davis of Waynesville has announced his candidacy for M. Ayers, of Tapoco, has been promoted to Airman Second Clas.

Ayers graduated in the class of May, 1951, from Robbinsville High School, and enlisted in the Air Force in October, 1951. He completed basic training at Lackland Air Base, Texas, and entered the Air Force Remote Turret Control School at Lowdy Air Force Base; Colo. Upon completion of the course, he entered the Advance B-26 Gunnery School at Langley Air Force Base.

sive-almost 5 cents per seed this in the B-26 aircraft in Kores and year-but the results are worth it. was awarded the Air Medal.



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