

People You Know

MURPHY

Miss Frankie Martin, Mrs. R. D. Chandler, Mrs. James B. Hall and Mrs. Henry Hyatt left Tuesday to attend the Baptist State W. M. U. Convention which is being held in the Asheville First Baptist Church March 15 through 17.

Mr. and Mrs. John Posey of Waynesville spent the week end here. Bob Hardin spent Monday in Asheville on business.

Among the school boys who spent the week end at home were Dick Ketter from Clemson College, S. C., and James Smith from the University of Tennessee, Knoxville.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bailey returned Monday night from a business trip to Greensboro.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Singleton had as guests Sunday, Mr. Singleton's mother, Mrs. W. A. Singleton, his brother, Frank, and his sister, Mrs. Paul McMeekin and daughter Susan of Westminster, S. C.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Burrus and children, Billy and Martha, were called to Canton Saturday due to the death of the former's grandmother, Mrs. Lula Smathers.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Singleton had as guests Sunday, Mr. Singleton's mother, Mrs. W. A. Singleton, his brother, Frank, and his sister, Mrs. Paul McMeekin and daughter Susan of Westminster, S. C.

ANDREWS

Mr. and Mrs. Rosendale of Chattanooga, Tenn., spent the week end here with Mrs. Rosendale's mother, Mrs. Dave Swan, at her home in Valleytown. Mrs. Swan accompanied them on their return trip home and will spend some time with the Rosendales.

Mr. and Mrs. John Duffy of Shelbyville, Ind. arrived Monday for a weeks stay at Valleytown Motor Court. The Duffys are renovating their cottage in Valleytown where they plan to spend vacations.

Mr. and Mrs. John Christy and Mrs. L. O. Caldwell have returned after a visit over the week end in Columbia, S. C., as guests of their children. The Christys were guests of their son, Pvt. Bob Christy and Mrs. Christy while Mrs. Caldwell was guest of her son-in-law and daughter, Pvt. Harry and Mrs. Rogers. While away Mrs. Christy and Mrs. Caldwell celebrated their birthdays jointly.

Mrs. G. E. Lail has returned after a visit in Bleckley, W. Va., with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Love.

A. B. Chandler, Sr., has returned after a stay of several days with his son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Meador and their children in Knoxville, Tenn.

Mrs. G. W. Clayton is spending this week in Asheville with her husband who is a patient at Black Mountain Sanitarium.

Rev. and Mrs. John C. Corbitt and Children have returned after a weeks stay in Magnolia and Burgaw.

Mrs. Zala Adams and son, Guder, and Mrs. Clara Sherrill spent Monday in Asheville shopping.

Mrs. L. L. Love has returned after a weeks stay in Bleckley, W. Va. as guest of Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Love.

Mr. and Mrs. Crawford Wyke spent the week end in Asheville with their daughter, Miss Melba Wyke, who is a patient at Black Mountain Sanitarium.

Mrs. Ola H. Williams and son, Billy Ray of Calderwood, spent the week end here with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Harve Hamilton. Glenn Hamilton also spent Sunday and Monday with his parents.

Gerald McGuire spent Monday in Asheville.

CORNWELL DIES IN ACCIDENT

Samuel Willard Cornwell, 43-year-old resident of Route 3, Murphy, became the first traffic death victim in Cherokee County in 12 months when his 1931 A-Model Ford plunged into Owl Creek from Hangingdog Road about 9 a. m. Sunday.

Patrolman Ray Heffner reported the body was found by Creed Head Route 1, Murphy and it was believed the accident occurred some time after 1 a. m. Sunday.

Cornwell was apparently alone when his car left the road on the right side, followed the shoulder for 124 feet crossed the highway and plunged down an embankment into the creek.

The accident occurred near the intersection of Hangingdog and Owl Creek Roads. Patrolman Walter G. Leming Andrews assisted in the investigation.

Funeral services for Cornwell White Church, with the Rev. Fred were held at 2 p. m. Tuesday in Stiles officiating. Burial was in the church cemetery.

Surviving are the widow, Mrs. Julia Green Cornwell; four sons, Pvt. Wayne Cornwell of Ft. Lewis, Wash., Howard, Gene and Harold Lee; and one daughter, Wilma Faye of the home; one sister, Mrs. Mae Nicholson of Columbus, Ga.; two half-sisters, Mrs. Grace Dockery of Murphy, Route 3, and Mrs. Ruth Adams of Norcross, Ga. Townson Funeral Home was in charge.

SINGING

There will be an afternoon singing at 1 p. m. Sunday, March 20 at the McClelland Baptist Church. The church is located about three miles from Andrews on the Pisgah Road. The public is invited to attend.

Models Named For Fashion Show; Public Is Invited

The Junior Woman's Club annual spring fashion showing will be staged here tomorrow night (Friday) at the Methodist Church social hall.

The theme for the showing is "Symphony of Spring" and all outfits will be furnished by Murphy merchants—Candler's, Cowards, Roy V. Lovingood's, Murphy Supply Co. and Trudy's.

Everyone is invited to attend and no admission will be charged, but a donation will be taken to help in club projects with needy children.

Mrs. Jack Bocook is chairman of the show and music will be by Mrs. Jerry Davidson. Mrs. W. V. Costello will be commentator.

Junior Woman's Club members who will model are Mrs. Howard Alexander, Mrs. Jack Bocook, Mrs. Harold Brown, Mrs. Anne C. Teague, Mrs. John Carringer, Mrs. Jack Crawford, Mrs. Harry Dick-ey, Mrs. J. B. Hall, Mrs. A. J. Headrick, Mrs. Harvey Hinshaw and Mrs. Charlie Hughes.

Mrs. Chuck McConnell, Mrs. H. L. McKeever, Mrs. Orville Middleton, Mrs. Howard Moody, Mrs. C. K. Olson, Mrs. George Size, Mrs. John Smart, Mrs. John Smith and Mrs. Alfred Wallace.

Guest models will be Mrs. W. H. McKeever, Mrs. B. W. Whitfield, Mrs. F. C. Bourne, Sr. and Mrs. W. F. Elliott.

Junior models for the showing are Misses Judy Davis, Ann Parker, Joan Schmitt, Jo Garrett, Hedy West, Ida Brumby, Linda English, Betty Lou and Nettie Sue Dockery, Judy Sneed and Betty Weaver.

Children in the show will be Jan Bocook, Barbara Smith, Shellah Sneed, Marcis Kay Olson, Barbara Townson, Bobby, Mike and Jim Jodran, Diane and Donna Wilkins, Trip Bourne, Phil Mattox, Bobby Weaver, Sammy Duncan, Samuel Davis, Hubert Wells, Glenda Mills, Peggy English, Kenny Jane Davis, Nancy Mills and Mary Linda Hyatt and Dickie Davis.

Some 30 door prizes will be given including a pair of hose to be donated by Payola Remant Shop. The hose were omitted by oversight from the list published last week. Cincinnati symphony orchestra.

Two Week Term Of Court Opens Here April 4

A two week term of Superior Court will open here Monday, April 4 with Judge Dan Moore of Sylva presiding. Clerk of Court Kellis Radford said.

Jurors for the first week who are to report at 9 a. m., April 4 are:

FIRST WEEK Robert L. Raper, Culberson; Ora Thompson, Unaka; Hayes Dockery, Murphy; J. L. King, Rt. 2, Murphy; Lee Murphy, Unaka; Fred H. Mashburn, Andrews; Pearl Swaim, Murphy; Wiley King Jr., Marble; Earl Adams, Marble; Guy Brittain, Murphy; W. B. Lovin good, Rt. 3, Murphy, and E. J. Darnell, Murphy.

Also Stanley Whitener, Rt. 3, Murphy; W. E. Conley, Andrews; Bert G. Smith, Brasstown; Luther

Dockery, Rt. 3, Murphy; Wayne Abernathy, Rt. 3, Murphy; J. W. King, Marble; Charlie Beavers, Rt. 2, Culberson; R. L. Chastain, Rt. 2, Murphy; Roscoe O'Dell, Rt. 3, Murphy; Olen Shields, Rt. 2, Culberson; Clyde Williamson, Farmer, Tenn. and W. T. Moore, Andrews.

And W. P. Gregory, Andrews; Wade Anderson, Rt. 2, Culberson; A. R. Hatchett, Rt. 2, Murphy; Frank Stiles, Murphy; Lloyd J. Wilcox, Farmer, Tenn.; J. M. Hughes, Murphy; A. Dewey Kephart, Rt. 3, Murphy; Gordon T. Wilson, Marble; Clifford D. Elliott, Murphy; Geneva Chastain, Rt. 2, Murphy; Pinkie Sneed, Rt. 2, Culberson; Virgil Kephart, Rt. 3, Murphy; H. G. Jones, Suit; and C. W. Witt, Rt. 1, Murphy.

Also Gladith Creasmon, Andrews; Cliff Radford, Murphy; Carl

Absentee Ballot Petition Gets Good Reception In County

Coble Men Down Civitan All-Stars

The Civitan All-Stars were defeated last week 47-32 by the Coble Dairy employees in a polo benefit basketball game.

Meanwhile the Duffy girls downed the Coble girls by a close eight to seven margin.

C. K. Olson was in charge of arrangements for the games.

Crippled Children's Clinic Be Saturday

The clinic for crippled children will be held Saturday, March 19, in the Bank building on Main street in Andrews.

Dr. Stanley Atkins of Asheville will be assisted by members of the Cherokee County Health Department. The clinic will begin at 10 a. m. and continue into the afternoon.

Approximately 3,000 Cherokee County voters are asking the North Carolina General Assembly to do away with the present absentee ballot law

Copies of a petition asking for the change in the law have been spotted through out the county and the first report showed over 3,000 people have signed.

Copies of the petition are still out and more names are expected to be added.

The present number of signers represents about half the voters in the county.

The petition will be sent to Raleigh when a bill is introduced to change the present absentee ballot law.

The petition asks that the absentee ballot be used by service personnel only.

Band Booster Club To Be Organized

Local GOC Joins Exercise

Murphy's 34 volunteer ground observers will face the most important exercise of their training starting at 8 a. m. Wednesday, March 23, W. C. Messer, GOC supervisor, said today.

A general alert starting March 23 will last for 33 hours and will need the assistance of every volunteer in the Murphy Ground Observers Corps, Mr. Messer asserted.

The new exercise will end at 5 p. m. Friday, March 25.

Between 75 to 100 flights will be made in this area day and night during the exercise. This special spring exercise is being made to test the detection and interception capabilities of the Murphy GOC, Mr. Messer said.

The first step in organizing a booster club for the Murphy School Band was taken last week by a group of interested citizens meeting at the school.

The nominating committee appointed will report at the organizational meet of the club tonight Thursday, Mar. 17 at 7:30 in the band room. Anyone interested in the project of boosting the band is invited to attend and join.

It was pointed out Friday that the state does not set aside any funds to be spent for transportation, uniforms, instruments and other needs of a school band. Moral support and outside help are the greatest needs in keeping a band going it was said.

During Friday's discussion it was said that some 90 children are enrolled in band at Murphy School and only 11 have privately owned instruments.

The other children in the band are using some 50 instruments owned by the school. Some of the instruments are almost worn out and beyond repair, it was said, and in some cases as many as three children share an instrument.

HARRY BISHOP IS TOASTMASTER CLUB PRESIDENT

Harry Bishop last week was elected new president of the Murphy Toastmasters Club.

Others on the new slate to be installed in April are: Bob Bault, first vice-president; Don Ellis, second vice-president; Dr. A. J. Headrick, secretary-treasurer; Ralph Rhodes, sergeant at arms; Asmond Maxwell, past president; and Rhett Winters, deputy governor. The officers will serve a six months term.

Next Thursday, Mar. 24, for their regular meeting the Murphy Toastmasters will attend the Andrews Lions Club meeting and present the program.

There are 27 members in the club, with a limit of 30 members set. Recent new members are Marlon Ennis, Wayne Holland, Frank Forsyth, J. H. Duncan, Chester Lawson, Marc Ben-Joseph and Joseph Dean.

Truett - McConnell Head To Lead Baptist Revial

The Rev. Joe Miller, president of Truett-McConnell Junior College, Cleveland, Ga., will be the evangelist for the Murphy First Baptist Church revival series April 10-17. The local revival is one of a chain of simultaneous revivals in some 29,500 Baptist churches throughout the south.

Mr. Miller has had wide experience as a pastor, evangelist and U. S. Army chaplain. Prior to becoming president of Truett-McConnell, Mr. Miller was pastor of the First Baptist Church, Ludowici, Ga.

Medical Care Commission Get Dist. Hospital Plans

Andrews Glee Club Rates "Excellent"

The Andrews High School Glee Club, under the direction of Mrs. H. A. Van Gorder, entered the western district music contest at Cullowhee Friday. They received a rating of excellent which makes them eligible to enter the state finals at Greensboro later in the spring.

Sixty-two members of the Glee club were transported to Cullowhee by members of the Konnahecta club.

ALL NIGHT SINGING

An all night singing will be held at Oak View Baptist Church at Tusquitee in Clay County April 2.

Tri-State Baptist Meet Set Friday

The tri-state evangelist conference, which includes a part of north Georgia, Tennessee and western North Carolina will be held Friday evening at Isabella Baptist Church, Isabella, Tenn.

Pastors and their wives are invited to attend a supper meeting at "The Sahara Restaurant" at 6 p. m.

The program will begin at 7:30 p. m. Dr. Ramsey Pollard Pastor of the Broadway Baptist Church, Knoxville, Tenn. will be the visiting speaker.

The District Memorial Hospital of Southwestern North Carolina, Inc., announced today that it has been advised that complete plans and specifications for the proposed hospital are expected to be in the hands of the Medical Care Commission in Raleigh before April 1.

If the plans and specifications are approved by the Medical Care Commission they will then be forwarded to New York for architect's approval then to Washington and back to Raleigh.

On final approval, advertising for bids for the construction of the hospital will start.

Ferebee said that it was hoped that awarding of contract and actual construction would be started by the latter part of May.

Six Associates, Inc., of Asheville is the firm drawing up the plans

Walter Carringer Wins Audition

Walter Carringer, tenor of Murphy and New York was named winning vocalist in the young artist classification for persons between the ages of 21 and 30, Saturday in young artist and student musician auditions held at Duke University under sponsorship of the North Carolina Federation of Music Clubs.

Carringer is now eligible to compete in district auditions scheduled for March 28 at Wesleyan Conservatory, Macon, Ga.

District winners will enter the national competition, which offers cash prizes or New York debut recitals, together with paid solo engagements with the Boston and Cincinnati symphony orchestras.



THE MURPHY SCHOOL BAND Saturday attended the District school band competition at Cullowhee. They are pictured just before leaving by chartered bus. The trip was the first of the local Music Lodge and several private citizens. (The Times)