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The RAMBLER

Now we've heard of having fun at the Wagon Train Celebration and several beard stories, but Hoyt Walker is the first person who claims to have made money from the recently celebration. Mr. Walker says that if business is as good next year as last, he will consider retiring. His idea was a beautifully simple, he says. It amounted to waiting on the edge of the pavement as the riders and wagons came through and then selling the participants a special lotion for saddle sores. Perhaps Mr. Walker did not really do this, nevertheless, it is a wonderful idea.

Things aren't always what they seem. Such is the case with the person in this picture. But, to see if anyone can determine just who posed for this shot, The Scout will give one year's subscription to the Scout free to the person who first calls in and tells this person's identity. Just call the Cherokee Scout, VE 7-2222. The person's family is not allowed to compete.



GREET'S FAMILY

Sergeant Henry L. Martin, son of Mrs. Jewel S. Martin of Murphy, Route 2, welcomes his wife, Vivian, and children, Janet, Steven and Daniel, as they arrive at Fort Buckner, Okinawa, on June 19th from the United States. Mrs. Martin, who had not seen her husband for three months, made the voyage with her young sons and daughter aboard a Military Sea Transportation Service vessel, the General Hugh J. Gaffey. Sergeant Martin is assigned to the U. S. Army Ordnance Group, Ryukyu Islands, as a mechanic in the 137th Ordnance Company.

Grape Creek Man Arrested After Shooting Auto

Sheriff Claude Anderson reported that Clarence Clark, approximately 25, of Grape Creek section, was arrested Sunday after he fired three shots into the rear of a moving car.

He was released on \$700 bond, Mr. Anderson said.

The sheriff said there was no apparent reason for the shooting, except that Clark was drinking.

No one was injured in the shooting.

Mr. Anderson said the car had stopped to pick up a man and as it pulled away, Clark fired three shots into the rear of the auto.

GI Loan Rates Upped To 5 1/4 Per Cent

The maximum interest rate that may be charged on GI loans is now 5 1/4 per cent, Veterans Administration said.

Previously the maximum was 4 1/2 per cent but the new rate became effective on July 2.

VA direct loans will also carry the increased rate, but the new rate does not apply to loans previously closed or already in existence, VA emphasized.

The increased rates were based on provisions of Public Law 86-73 which was approved by the President on June 30.

Loans closed on or after the effective date of July 2, 1959, may carry the new rate unless the lender had made a commitment to grant the loan at a lower rate, VA said.

The new law also authorized the Administrator of Veterans Affairs to request an additional \$100 million for direct housing loans to veterans.

VA said July 25, 1960 is the deadline for World War II veterans to apply for GI loans and Korea veterans have until February 1, 1965.

July Jury List Announced By Clerk Of Court

Following is the list of persons drawn to serve on the jury during the one week term of Superior Court set for July 27.

W. A. Truelove, Murphy; Otis Wilson, Marble; W. B. Clonts, Murphy Route 4; M. M. Leatherwood, Murphy Route 1; J. R. Beavers, Unaka; Arthur Nichols, Culberson; R. L. Wilkins, Murphy; James Donald Hughes, Murphy Route 2; Buster Taylor, Unaka, Violet Route; Charlie Beavers, Culberson Route 2; John A. Hampton, Culberson Route 2; Herbert G. Morrow, Unaka; James Griestamer, Marble; John H. Brendle, Murphy Route 4; Lake Graham, Murphy Route 4; Hoyt Walker, Murphy Route 4; John A. Hall, Murphy Route 4; D. C. Carpenter, Andrews; Henry Messer, Andrews; J. P. Raxier, Andrews; Fred W. Davis, Murphy; Monroe Garrett, Marble; Earl Whitaker, Andrews; Robert Lee Kieselburg, Culberson; Elmer Taylor, Murphy Route 3; H. C. Tilson, Culberson; Ernest Griggs, Marble;

E. H. Brumby, Murphy; E. C. Kilpatrick, Murphy; Emory Shields, Culberson Route 2; John McMullan, Unaka; Sidney Radford, Murphy Route 3; Olen Radford, Murphy Route 3; Vincent Pulliam, Andrews; Dennis Shields, Culberson; Grover C. Mauney, Murphy Route 1.

WW I VETERANS PLAN

Barracks 906 of World War I veterans will meet July 20 at 7:30 p.m. at Cherokee County Courthouse.

The Hon. T. S. Candler of the Superior Court will be speaker for the meeting.

The public is invited to attend.

Board Of Commission Hear Offer To Cut Watershed Timber

George Lovingood, 81, Dies At His Home Tuesday After Long Illness

George Lovingood, 81, of Murphy died at 5 a.m. Tuesday at the home following a long illness. Mr. Lovingood was the son of the late Benjamin F. and Clarinda Bates Lovingood, pioneer families of this section. He was a retired merchant and farmer and was a member of Cherokee Lodge 146, AF and AM, of Murphy. Mr. Lovingood was a prominent merchant in Cherokee County for several years. Services were held at 4 p.m. Wednesday in the White Church with the Rev. J. Alton Morris, pastor of Murphy First Baptist Church, the Rev. Thomas Truett and the Rev. Oscar Winkler officiating. Burial was in the church cemetery. Masonic rites were held at the grave. Pallbearers were John O'Dell, Dock Ramsey, Frank Bristol, Fred Johnson, Ross and Rollin Dockery, Charlie Radford and George Walls. Surviving are the widow, Mrs. Dora Treadway Lovingood; two daughters, Mrs. Bertha Bates and Mrs. Maggie Anderson, both of Murphy; four sons, Roy of Murphy, Homer of Springfield, Ohio, Vernon of Gastonia and Jack of Hendersonville; 11 grandchildren; 18 great-grandchildren; and two sisters, Mrs. B. B. Palmer and Mrs. J. F. Palmer, both of Marble. Townson Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

Murphy Catholics Plans Outdoor Services

Murphy's Catholic Chapel will begin outdoor services in the Ranger-Culberson area on Friday, July 17th. The Gospel Harmony Quartet will be led by Brother Charles Kennedy of Cincinnati, Ohio. The Scripture reading and nightly sermons will be delivered by the Revs. John Carrigan and William Bow of Russellville, Kentucky. The evening services will be conducted Friday, Saturday and Sunday, July 17, 18, and 19th on highway 64, ten miles west of Murphy on the edge of the Notla Farm. Services will begin at 7:30 p.m. and will end with a religious movie. The Rev. Joseph Dean, pastor of the local chapels, announced that visitors are welcome to attend, either as part of the open air congregation, or as spectators in their congregation, or as spectators in cars on the side lines. The follow up program, after the outdoor services come to an end, will consist in weekly information classes in Ranger and Culberson to explain Catholic beliefs and customs to the local neighbors who express any interest in obtaining such information.

Bemis Company Says Town Would Get About \$25,000 For Timber

The Town Board of Commissioners met Monday night in regular session and heard an offer from Bemis Lumber Co. in Robbinsville to cut the timber from Murphy's watershed. The Commissioners took the offer under consideration. A Bemis representative said the price for the lumber would be approximately \$25,000.

MEETING SET

Montgomery Lodge 426 will meet Saturday at 7:30 p.m. to work on Third Degree.

All Master Masons are invited to attend. Refreshments will be served.

Draft Board Seeks

Carl R. Davis

Anyone knowing the whereabouts of Carl Robert Davis son, of Mrs. Menice (Fred) Davis, is urged to contact the local board of the Selective Service System.

Davis is subject to be classified as delinquent according to the local board. His last known address was Murphy Route 3.

Three men were forwarded to Knoxville, Tenn July 13 for induction into the armed forces.

They were Alvin Kephart, John Jake Johnson and Kenneth Jenkins.

In other business, the Commissioners complimented Charlie Johnson, town clerk, and the traffic department for the method in which the traffic was handled during the Wagon Train Celebration.

The Commissioners entered into the record a resolution stating that there was a need for a new cemetery to be opened at Sunset Cemetery. If a new section is opened, it will mean that several graves will have to be moved to provide a road to the site.

It was agreed by the commissioners that an accounting firm would be called in to help prepare the town budget for the coming year. The budget must be approved by the end of this month.

J. H. Duncan, finance chairman of the Wagon Train Committee appeared before the Commissioners and requested that the town purchase the flags that had been used for the Wagon Train Celebration decoration.

Mr. Duncan said the committee only wished to meet expenses and that the flags would be sold to the town as cheaply as possible.

The flags and bunting originally cost \$396.

Breece Breland Opens Dentist Office Here

Dr. Breece Breland, a recent graduate of the Dental School of the University of North Carolina, opened an office this week for the practice of dentistry in the Mauney Professional Building.

Dr. Breland, a native of Holly Hills, S. C. was graduated from Furman University, Greenville, S. C., with a B. S. degree in biology and chemistry and received his D. D. S. at Chapel Hill in June.

He and his wife, the former Joyce Coleman, and their two children, Melissa and Coleman, are residing at the former W. M. Lay residence.

Republicans Set Party Meet

Next Tuesday

There will be a county wide meeting of the Republican Party at Cherokee County Courthouse Tuesday at 7:30 p. m.

County Chairman E. E. Stiles said that party matters will be discussed.

CLUB HOLDS

LADIES NIGHT

Ladies Night was observed by the Murphy Rotary Club Monday. Club members and their guests ate supper at the Henry House and then visited the Commercial Corp.

Murphy Civitan Club Elects Officers And Names Committees For 1959-60

Following is a list of officers and committees recently elected to serve the Civitan Club of Murphy for 1959-60.

President, W. T. Brown; President Elect, John Jordan; Vice President, Kenneth Davis; Second Vice President, Howard Martin; Secretary, Hugh Brittain; Treasurer, Ray Joseph; Sergeant of Arms, Ralph Rhodes; Chaplain, Walter Puett;

Board of Directors: C. L. Alverston, Walter Coleman, Dr. J. N. Hill, L. L. Mason, Bunch Nugent, Ben Palmes, Paul Ridenhour.

Program Committee: S. S. Williams, Coordinator.

First Monday: Second Six Months, Chester Lawson, Walter Puett, Kenneth Davis.

Third Monday: First Six Months, Paul Ridenhour, Don Ramsey, W. Palmer.

First Monday: Second Six Months, Howard Martin, L. L. Mason, A. G. Quinn.

Third Monday: Second Six Months: C. L. Alverston, Sam Hardin, Ralph Rhodes.

Fellowship: Ralph Rhodes, Chairman, Bunch Nugent, A. J. Headrick, W. E. Crag, L. L. Mason.

Boy Scout Committee: John Jordan, Chairman; Don Ramsey, Dr. George Dyer, Ben Ragsdale.

Fruit Cake Sale: Ray Moore, Chairman.

Membership: Sam Davidson, Chairman; A. G. Quinn, Chester Lawson, S. S. Williams, Walter Coleman.

Publicity: Paul Ridenhour, Chairman, Howard Martin, Harry Seamon.

Sports: Dr. W. R. Gossett, Chairman, Don Phillips, Nat Kinney, L. R. Harding, Jim Ed Hughes.

Project Committee—Group One: L. R. Harding, P. J. Henn, John Donley, Roy Lovingood, Hugh Ables.

Group Two: Don Phillips, Chairman, Kenneth Davis, Ronald Resse, Lillard Walker, M. P. Wells.

Awards and Scholarship: Walter Puett, Chairman, Ralph Rhodes, Howard Martin, John Jordan.

Civitan Booth: Ben Palmer, Chairman, Hugh Brittain, Dr. A. J. Headrick, A. G. Quinn, Bunch Nugent, Hugh Ables.

Offer Appreciation

I D CLARE
The Editor
Cherokee Scout
Murphy, N. C.

We are grateful to you for the publicity which you gave to our Wagon Train Celebration. We appreciate, very much your cooperation in giving space to news bulletins and other items of interest during the days and weeks that we were making plans for our Wagon Train Project.

In connection with this we would also like to thank all Committee Chairmen, Committee Members and all other citizens of this area for their wonderful cooperation and support. Although the work in making plans for the celebration was very difficult at times we found it a pleasure to have the cooperation of so many fine people. Without this interested cooperation our celebration would not have been such a great success.

Sincerely yours,
Holland McSwain, Chairman
Jack Dickey, Co-Chairman

(Ed. NOTE: I. D. Clare's letter will return to this spot next week.)

Mrs. Roy Deane Honored With Shower

ANDREWS—Mrs. Roy Deane, the former Miss Verdie Mae Harper, of the district hospital staff was honored with a miscellaneous shower at the home of Mrs. Wayne Mintz on Saturday evening. Miss Ellen Davis was co-hostess.

After the opening of gifts the hostesses served refreshments.

Education Board Meets At Andrews

ANDREWS—The Board of Education of the Andrews City Schools met on Friday night, July 10, at the office of the superintendent, with all members present except Bruce Lunsford of Marble.

Mrs. Ernest Trantham was re-elected to her position as secretary in the superintendent's office for the 1959-60 school year.

Other items of business included the election of Miss Geneva Chastain of the Martin's Creek community to teach first grade at the Marble Elementary School and Miss Mary Ruth Gibson of Andrews to fill a seventh grade vacancy in the Andrews Elementary School.

The Board has received the resignation of Mrs. O. A. Reschke, science teacher in the Andrews High School, because of her husband's recent bad health. The resulting vacancy and the principalship of the Andrews Elementary School are the only positions yet to be filled on the faculty of the school unit.

The Board expects no difficulty in finding qualified persons for these two positions, since a number of applications have been received.

In other action, the Board approved the closing of the Superintendent's office on Monday and Tuesday, July 13 and 14, since Mrs. Trantham will be on vacation and Superintendent C. O. Frazier will be in Raleigh on school business.

SINGING PLANNED

There will be a Fourth Sunday Sing July 26 at Bear Paw Union Church at 7 p.m.

All singers are invited to attend.