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**TAR HEEL WELCOME . . .** Sen. John F. Kennedy got a chuckle as Terry Sanford, left, presents a miniature North Carolina flag to him at the Sheraton Hilton Hotel in Los Angeles before attending a North Carolina delegation breakfast Tuesday.

## Chamber Of Commerce Flirts With New Industry

### New Membership Drive Started

It was learned this week that officials of a northern industrial firm spent several days in Murphy week before last looking for a suitable site to relocate their plant.

J. Doyle Burch, president of the Chamber of Commerce, kicked off the 1960-61 Chamber of Commerce membership drive with the announcement.

The firm would require a building with 35,000 square feet of floor space, air conditioning and a sprinkler system, block walls and concrete floor. The firm would employ approximately 400 persons with a weekly payroll of between \$8,000 and \$9,000.

"The plant officials left here very well pleased," said W. D. Townson, chairman of the Industrial Committee of the Chamber of Commerce. The president of the company told Mr. Townson, "We're ready to come when you are."

This company would be most interested in hiring untrained local people. One half of the working force would be female. A company official stated, "We would prefer to hire 18-20 year olds and train them in our methods and procedures."

The company officials were in Murphy from Wednesday, June 29 through Saturday, July 2.

Mr. Townson while on the trip with the North Carolina Farm Opportunities and Marketing Caravan through Canada and New England stopped off at the company's New York offices, and spent a half day with company officials.

Several sites were visited while the group was here. A local site within the city limits of Murphy is being seriously considered. Negotiations are in progress to obtain the property.

The Chamber in starting the membership drive in July has voted to change the fiscal year of the organization to July 1 to July 1.

Full memberships in the Chamber are \$50. Associate memberships \$25 down to \$10.

Mr. Singleton, Merchants Committee, stressed that most businesses are not interested so much in purchasing a membership but supporting the local Chamber of Commerce and its projects.

The membership campaign started Tuesday, July 12. The finance committee head by Dr. W. A. Hoover, is in charge of the drive.

Teams of two and three will call on every business firm in the vicinity of Murphy.

At the kick-off meeting, Citizens Bank & Trust Co. followed by Duncan Oil Co. and J. H. Duncan Tire Co. were the first Murphy firms to join the 1960-61 Murphy Chamber of Commerce.

### Murphy Calendar

**THURSDAY, JULY 14**  
7:30 P.M. — Murphy Chapter No. 10 order of the Eastern Star will meet in the Masonic Hall.  
7:30 P.M. — Deacons of Presbyterian Church will meet at the church.  
8:00 P.M. — The Rescue Squad will meet in the Murphy Power Board Building.

**FRIDAY, JULY 15**  
7:30 P.M. — The VFW will meet in the Murphy Power Board Building

**SUNDAY, JULY 17**  
6 P.M. — Methodist and Presbyterian Youth Fellowship will be held at Presbyterian Church.  
8 P.M. — Union Service of First Methodist church and Presbyterian Church will be held at the Presbyterian Church. Guest speaker, Rev. Wilson Dawling, Missionary to Brazil. The Cherokee County Third Singing will be held at Mt. Zion Baptist Church on the Road from Marble to Peachtree. All Singers are invited to attend.

**MONDAY, JULY 18**  
6:30 P.M. — The Civitan will meet at the Regal Hotel.  
6:30 P.M. — The Rotary Club will meet at the Family Restaurant on Andrews Road.

**TUESDAY, JULY 19**  
10:00 A.M. — Circle No. 4 of the First Methodist Church will meet at the home of Mrs. S. D. Akin, with Miss Mary Akin as co-hostess.  
4 P.M. — Junior Youth Fellowship will meet at the Presbyterian Church.  
7:00 P.M. — Senior Pioneer will meet at the Presbyterian Church.  
8 P.M. — The Ruth Swan Circle of First Baptist Church will meet at the home of Mrs. Loren Davis.  
8:00 P.M. — Circle No. 2 of the First Methodist Church will meet at the home of Mrs. W. S. Cann at Mrs. Ruth Carringer.

**WEDNESDAY, JULY 20**  
7:20 P.M. — Mid-week services at Presbyterian Church.  
7:30 P.M. — Prayer Service at First Baptist Church.  
Mid-week service at First Methodist Church.  
8:00 P.M. — Choir Practice at First Baptist Church.  
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8:30 P.M. — Choir Practice at First Methodist Church.

### Franklin Smith Nominated To Education Frat

J. Franklin Smith of Murphy, N. C., former teacher and principal in Cherokee, Burke, and Graham Counties in North Carolina and for the past year advanced post graduate student an instructor at The University of Tennessee, has been nominated for membership in Phi Delta Kappa Chapter of the University of Tennessee.

### Presbyterians To Hear Missionary

The Rev. Wilson Dowling, returned Presbyterian missionary from Brazil, is to speak twice next Sunday at Murphy Presbyterian Church. He will address the morning congregation at the church; and is to speak and show slides at the joint service with First Methodist Church Sunday evening at 8 o'clock.

Mr. Dowling, on his first furlough with his family, has been doing pioneer work in the South American republic. First Presbyterian missionaries went to Brazil 100 years ago.

In the absence of the pastor on vacation Hubert Sneed is to lead the worship at morning service, and Holland McSwain at evening hour. All friends are invited to hear Mr. Dowling.



**HOUTS NEW ROTARY PRESIDENT**

Tom Houts (right) is shown receiving the gavel from outgoing Rotary president Don Carter (center). Gordon Butler (left) of Andrews officiated at the installation. Other officers are Robert Penland, vice-president; Douglas Smith, secretary-treasurer; and Holland McSwain, Burley DeWeese, Virgil O'Dell, and Don Carter, Directors. In addition to installation of the new president, ladies' night was observed by the club.

## Ohio Man Drowns Trying To Rescue Son From Lake

Mr. Howar Deal, 24, of Cleveland, Ohio drowned in Appalachia Lake Monday night, July 11, while attempting to rescue his 4 year old son.

The accident occurred about 7:30

## Out Of Town Guests Used As Wagon Train Judges

Out of town guests visiting in Murphy for the Fourth of July week-end and the Wagon Train were put to good uses as judges in the many events held at the fairgrounds after the arrival of the Wagon Train.

Lt. Col. and Mrs. Perry Kemster and family from Pope Air Force Base, near Fayetteville, N. C. were the guest for the celebration of Mayor and Mrs. L. L. Mason. Also visiting the Masons was Miss Ruth Reneau from Knoxville, Tenn. and a student at Carson - Newman College at Jefferson City, Tenn. The Kemsters and Miss Reneau were the judges for the Best Costume and the Big Beard Contests.

## Local Athlete Named Head Football Coach At Andrews

ANDREWS — A former Andrews football and basketball star was named earlier this week as head football coach and athletic director for Andrews



**BOB COOPER**

High School. Bob Cooper will return to the school where he played four years of football.

Superintendent Charles O. Frazier made the announcement that Cooper had accepted the position, and stated that he felt that Andrews was very fortunate to obtain a man of Bob Cooper's

Monday night about 1 1/2 miles from Hiwassee Dam. Mr. Deal and his three sons, ages 3, 4 and 6, were out in a boat with Mr. Lawson Waldon of Copperhill, Tennessee, with whom the Deal family is staying.

The 4 year old boy fell out of the boat and his father jumped in to rescue him. Deal, although a good swimmer, began yelling for help. Waldon paddled the boat in and rescued the little boy.

At first the boy seemed dead. Artificial respiration was administered in the boat by Waldon and the boy recovered. By the time Waldon was able to revive the boy and get the other two boys under control, Deal had disappeared from sight.

Waldon got to shore and then had to walk, carrying the two younger boys, 1 1/2 miles to get help.

The Cherokee County Rescue Squad, which was incorporated on July 7, and the Cleveland, Tennessee Rescue Squad were called in to recover the body. Dragging operations went on all night and at 8:55 Tuesday morning, the Cherokee County Rescue squad found the body in 40-60 feet of water about 75 feet from the bank. The body was taken to a funeral home in Copperhill, Tenn.

## Sheriff Raids Sixty Gallon Still

A 60-gallon aluminum still was captured on Tatham Branch near Andrews, Friday July 8 by Sheriff Claude Anderson and deputies.

The still was destroyed along with 200 gallons of mash. No one was at the scene.

Making the raid with Sheriff Anderson were Lloyd Ramsey and Lofton West.

## Lions Club Installs New Officers

New officers of the Murphy Lions Club installed at the meeting of the Club Tuesday, July 12 were Charles Hughes, President; John Savage, vice - president; Ronald Ressel, Secretary; Kenneth Godfrey, Treasurer; Wallace Williams, Tail Twister; John Gill, Lion Tammer; Robert Bruce, 2nd vice president; and Alden Coward, 3rd vice president.

The speaker for the installation and ladies' night program was Guderj Cabé, the new district governor.

## Van Horn Head Of Mining Group

The Carolinas Local Section, consisting of the States of North Carolina and South Carolina, heretofore in the Southeast Section has been established by the 36,000-member American Institute of Mining, Metallurgical, and Petroleum Engineers. The Institute now has 94 Local Sections.

Officers of the new Section are, Chairman, Earl C. Van Horn, of Murphy, North Carolina; vice Chairmen, William T. McDaniel, of Asheville, North Carolina, and S. Duncan Hearon, of Durham, North Carolina; Secretary-Treasurer, Lewis J. Hash, of Enoree, South Carolina.

## Presbyterians Purchase New Manse

Murphy Presbyterians are to gain increased facilities through the purchase of a manse early this week with the plan to convert the present manse at the rear of the church into an Education-Fellowship Hall.

The new manse is on Valley River Avenue, a dwelling formerly occupied by Howard McDonald.

## Want Ad Sells Lawnmower

FOR SALE — A Wizard lawn mower. Good condition. Will sell for \$40.00 cash. Contact Harold Phillips on Cherry St., Murphy, N. C. 48-2tp

Ad ran only two times in the Scout. The mower was sold last Saturday, just two days after the second insertion.

Dial VE 7-2222 for our efficient Want Ad service.

## Bridge Survey Complete; Contract Letting Delayed

The survey and preliminary work for the proposed new bridge over Hiwassee River has been completed. F. L. Hutchison, District Highway Commissioner, told the Scout in a telephone conversation Thursday, July 7. The letting of the contract for

the entire project which includes not only a new bridge across Hiwassee River but the improvement of the western highway approaches to Murphy has been delayed.

Two routes for the western entrances of Highway 64 into

Murphy are under construction. One involves relocating the highway south of the present location passing along the ridge line behind Townson Lumber Co.

The other alternative is the improvement of the present roadbed. The relocation of the highway would involve cutting a roadbed across the ridge line from Evans property west.

The other possibility is the improvement of the present highway. This would involve widening and straightening the highway west from the Evans property out past Townson Lumber Co. It is proposed to widen the left side leading west from the intersection of Highway 64 and old U. S. 19.

Townson Lumber Co. has been contacted and the proposal of widening the highway through their property presented. The Highway Commission proposes that Townson Lumber Co. move their entire operation to the north side of the present highway between the railroad tracks and the highway. This would eliminate the congested area found at present.

Mr. Dave Townson, president of the company, believes that this proposal is feasible and has submitted cost estimates to the Highway Commission of the proposed move of his lumber operation. These estimates are under consideration at this time.

Mr. Hutchison further stated that a locating crew out of Raleigh would complete the necessary surveys for the improvement and revision of the highway west of the Evans property in the near future.

He also said he is anxious to let the contract for the bridge so that work can start as soon as the water in Hiwassee Lake is let off.

## Area Lions Assume New Duties

District 31-A Lions Club officers in Western North Carolina will be installed at a Ladies Night Program of the Candler Club Monday, July 18, at 7 p.m. in the Candler School Cafeteria.

New officers will serve 36 clubs with more than 1,600 members in 12 western mountain counties for the new club year which began July 1.

Six new zone chairmen to be installed include Joe El-Khoury of Andrews, Zone 1.

Robert W. Easley of Murphy will be inducted as WNC director of the White Cane Drive.

Other WNC Lions Club leaders assuming new duties will be Herman K. Brauer of Andrews, chairman for North Carolina Eye Bank for Restoring Sight, Inc., Winston-Salem.

## New Catholic Pastor For Murphy Installed

Father Raymond Dehen of the Glenmary Home Missioners Fathers was installed as pastor of St. William's Chapel in Murphy, N. C. on June 29, 1960. The Right Reverend Monsignor John F. Roueche, Pastor of St.



**FATHER RAYMOND DEHEN**

Lawrence Parish, Asheville, N.C., presided at the ceremony.

In his remarks to the assembled parishioners Monsignor Roueche reminded them that spiritual authority to teach and

to guide and to sanctify souls comes down from Our Lord through lawful succession from the Apostles who were sent forth by Jesus. To symbolize these powers Msgr. Roueche handed over to the newly installed pastor the church keys and the ritual book. After the ceremony refreshments were served in the parish church hall.

The Pastor of St. William's includes mission stations and chapels at Robbinsville, Tusquitee, Hayesville, Lance Cove, Buck Creek, Andrews, Fostana, Texana, and Providence Hospital in Murphy.

Father Raymond will continue the radio program sponsored by St. William's Chapel; namely, Life in Christ over WCVF (10:45 a.m. Fridays) and Faith of Our Fathers over WRRK (Saturdays at 9:15 a.m. and Mondays 9:30 a.m.)

## Episcopal Bible School Starts

The Vacation Bible School of the Messiah Episcopal Church will start on Monday, July 18th. The leader this year will be Mr. Sam A. Tomlinson, of Jackson, Mississippi, who comes to us from the General Theological Seminary of the Episcopal Church in New York City.

There will be a complete coverage of ages from first grade to teen-age, and a pre-school class. The program will include Bible study and the various activities thereunto. Mr. Tomlinson has come to us after a special course of preparation at the Southern Institute of Town and Country Church work and outlook, at Valle Crucis, North Carolina.

## AUNT HET



They want a young preacher to get the young folks interested; but when I feel the need o' spiritual comfort, I want somebody with wisdom instead o' pep.