

**April Schedule For Pre-School Clinics**

The pre-school clinics for Franklin and vicinity for the month of April will be held in the office of County Health Department in the Ashear building on Tuesday mornings from 10 to 12 o'clock. Other pre-school clinics for the month of April in the county have been scheduled as follows:

- Thursday, April 10, Otto school, 10 a. m.; Chapel school (col.), 1 p. m.
- Friday, April 11, Oak Dale school, 10 a. m.; Oak Dale school, 1 p. m.
- Friday, April 18, Highlands school, 10 a. m., and 1 p. m.
- Thursday, April 24, Higdonville school, 10 a. m.; Salem school, 1 p. m.

These clinics offer an opportunity for each infant and pre-school child in the county to obtain the diphtheria toxoid as required by law.

Any person interested in having the diphtheria toxoid clinic for their community should get in touch with the county Health Department at once. Dr. E. N. Haller, County Health Officer.

**Holly Springs Club With Miss Deal**

The Holly Springs Home Demonstration Club met at the home of Miss Callie Deal Franklin Route 4, Wednesday, April 2, for its regular monthly business and social meeting.

**FEATS OF POWER**  
IN 1859 BLONDIN, FRENCH ACROBAT, WALKED A TIGHT ROPE ACROSS NIAGARA FALLS, ONCE BLIND FOLDED, ONCE IN A SACK, AND AGAIN ON STILTS!  
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**Friendly Service**

It is understood how responsibilities and precise thinking become vague and unimportant when a dear one has passed away. We fully realize how one feels during this period and we make an honest endeavor to give friendly, advisory service. Our staff is considerate and helpful.

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**Ellijay**

**By MISS HAZEL AMMONS**  
We are sorry to report that there are several cases of measles in this community.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Henry and two small sons visited friends and relatives on Buck Creek Sunday.

Mrs. Levi Haskett has been very ill for the past week but is somewhat better.

Mr. and Mrs. Rollin Rickman and Thomas Rickman and Mrs. Sara Ammons of West's Mill visited Mrs. Rickman and Mrs. Ammons' sister, Mrs. Alex Ammons, Sunday, March 30.

Mrs. Howard Keener and children of Gneiss were visitors of Mrs. Keener's brother, Joe Henry, and Mrs. Henry last week-end.

Mildred and Nina Mashburn visited on Mountain Grove Sunday.

Funeral services were conducted for the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Peek last Saturday at the Ellijay Baptist church.

Miss Freda Lee Mincey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Mincey, is ill with pneumonia and measles.

Mr. and Mrs. Weimar Young and family visited Mr. Young's sister, Mrs. Fred Mincey, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Rogers and Mr. and Mrs. Don Houston and daughters, Shirley and Betty, of Buck Creek, visited Kermit Rogers Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Bishop announce the birth of a daughter, Mildred Louise, on March 25.

Mrs. Alex Ammons and daughter, Sara, spent Wednesday night with Mr. and Mrs. Edison Ammons.

F. C. Cary was accompanied Sunday from Toxco, Ga. by Mr. and Mrs. Kay and Mrs. Kay's sister, also of Toxco, to the Cary mines on Ellijay.

Mrs. Fronia Dunn is at her home in this community after a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Joe Jackson of Franklin.

Mrs. Carl Peek of Gneiss visited her daughter, Mrs. Ed Adams, Sunday, April 6.

Mrs. Add Clouse visited her aunt, Mrs. Sara Price who has been ill for quite a while.

Little Gertrude Bowman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Bowman, has been ill at her home but is recovering.

**Unemployment Benefits Drop**

Benefits to unemployed workers in North Carolina, which have been dropping materially since the defense program started last fall, amounted to \$17,850,654.99 in the three full years and less than three months this year of payments through Saturday, March 22, Chairman Charles G. Powell, of the Unemployment Compensation Commission, reports.

Receipts to the fund, through last Saturday, reached \$4,219,141.03, which includes \$43,000,892.23 in employer contributions and \$1,212,521.80 in interest on the State fund balance on deposit in the U. S. Treasury. The balance in the fund, as of Saturday, was \$26,368,759.94, both in the pooled fund and in individual employers' reserve accounts.

**Where \$7,000,000,000 Will Go**

	<b>AIRCRAFT and ACCESSORIES</b>	\$2,054,000,000.
	<b>FARM COMMODITIES, ARTICLES</b>	\$1,350,000,000.
	<b>ARMS, AMMUNITION, ARMOR</b>	\$1,343,000,000.
	<b>FACTORIES, MACHINERY, TOOLS, SUPPLIES</b>	\$752,000,000.
	<b>SHIPS and FACILITIES</b>	\$629,000,000.
	<b>TANKS, TRUCKS, AUTO PARTS</b>	\$362,000,000.
	<b>MILITARY EQUIPMENT</b>	\$260,000,000.
	<b>CONDITIONING ARTICLES OF DEFENSE for the DEMOCRACIES</b>	\$200,000,000.
	<b>FUND for CONTINGENCIES</b>	\$40,000,000.
	<b>ADMINISTRATION</b>	\$10,000,000.

This chart shows how President Roosevelt plans to spend the \$7,000,000,000 requested of Congress to finance the Lend-Lease Act and "make for democracies every gun, plane and munition of war that we possibly can." The estimates were drawn up by U. S. Budget Director Harold R. Smith.

**Lake Emory**

**By MRS. O. V. MINCEY**

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Sanders of Canton visited relatives in this community Sunday.

Mrs. J. R. Beery spent the week-end with relatives in this community.

Mildred Shuler has been confined to her home for the past two weeks with whooping cough.

**New Lake And Picnic Grounds On Hiwassee**

The Supervisor of the Nantahala National Forest announces that plans have been made and construction is under way for a recreation area on the Persimmon Creek arm of the Hiwassee Reservoir.

A large concrete and stone dam is to be built so as to have a constant level lake of approximately 65 acres. This lake will provide fishing, swimming, and boating for the citizens of Murphy and other nearby communities. So far the work has progressed slowly but with the advent of warmer weather all details of the construction will move more rapidly. The principal recreation developments will be on the east side of the lake.

Let's take a tour of inspection over the plans. We turn off of N. C. Highway No. 294 on a beautiful road bordering the lake. It is about one-half mile to the parking lot. A broad stone staircase makes an easy descent to the area. At the foot of the stairs one trail to the left leads to the bath-house which is a commodious building, housing bath and toilet facilities for the recreationists. In front of this building is a large sand beach leading to the water. The swimming area graduates from one foot deep to four feet deep. The sand bottom area is 200 feet long and 50 feet wide and provides a safe place for the beginner or non-swimmer to play in the water. Just beyond this area is a diving platform where the expert swimmer can enjoy to the utmost diving and swimming.

The trail continues on south from the bath-house to a beautiful hand-hewn timber shelter. Surrounding this shelter are 22 picnic tables, including some with simple fireplaces for those who desire to cook their picnic lunch.

Fresh, cool, pure water is to be piped to convenient stone fountains scattered about the area.

A trail for those who enjoy hiking will encircle the lake.

When we stood at the bottom of the stone steps we mentioned the trail to the left, the trail leading to the right follows around the edge of the lake to a beautiful secluded picnic unit, and from here on across the dam completing the circuit trail of the lake.

It will be your area built for your pleasure just as all other National Forest recreation areas are built.

Fire will destroy the beauty of the forest so won't each one of you help us by being careful with fire and leaving the picnic or camp site you enjoyed clean so that you will want to come back.

George Thompson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jess Thompson, left on April 1 to enter a CCC camp near Smokemount.

**Tesenta**

**By MRS. LEWIS NORTON**

Clyde Patterson of Florida spent a few days with his father here.

Robert Hopkins has been confined to his room with measles. Mr. and Mrs. Sam Lee Seagles have moved on the Clarks Chapel road.

Robert and Mat Vinson visited Jud Tallent at Riverside last week. Billy Vinson of Florida is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Vinson, here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Cook are moving to the ledbetter mountain near Flats.

**Briartown**

We are having nice weather these days. The measles on Briartown are kinder dying down after most people have had them. John Neel's family of nine have had measles and three of the family pneumonia.

Twins were born to Mr. and Mrs. Buford Owenby—one on March 20 and one on March 27—a girl and a boy named Shirley and Pearley. They weigh six and one-half pounds each. Buford seems to be all smiles now.

There has been lots of sickness around here this winter. Versie Douthit is at Angel hospital very

sick. Our school has started back up, but can't prosper much on account of measles.

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