

MACON 4-H'ERS MEET NOV. 15

Annual Achievement Day Will Summarize Activities

The 4-H clubs will hold their annual Achievement Day Saturday, November 15, at 10:30 a. m., at the Agricultural building.

Emma Lou Hurst, president of the county council, will preside. This meeting will be a summary of the various activities as conducted by the clubs over the county.

A health program will be given by Clayton Ramsey, Roy Smith, Ruth Bryson, and Doris Dalrymple. This program was given at the Rotary Club a few weeks ago. Roy Smith is to summarize the health program as carried on by the Higdonville club last year. A team demonstration will be given on the preparation of an emergency meal by the two girls.

The Rev. Hubert Wardlaw will conduct the devotions.

Reports on the activities will be given as follows: Camp — Grace Long and Freddie West; 4-H Short Course—Leroy Roper, Myra Slagle; State Fair — Arnold Wilson and Betty Jane Waldrop; District and State Dress Revue—Barbara Hurst; District Fair—Newell Owenby.

In the afternoon the certificates and honors will be given to those completing projects. The girls will participate in a food preservation contest while the boys will have a contest in relation to their projects. Planned recreation will be a part of the afternoon program. All 4-H club members are urged to attend.

Report Of Cowee Home Demonstration Club

The following is the detailed report of the Cowee Home Demonstration club made at the recent Achievement Day meeting:

The Cowee club members feel that by Mrs. Sherrill being our helper we have lived more at home in the year 1941 by raising and canning a greater variety of food. Our club has canned approximately 15,000 quarts of fruits and vegetables.

We have also accomplished much in the home improvement plans within and with out carried on this year. Several homes have been remodeled and made more convenient.

Mrs. Joel Dalton has remodeled her house and also added two extra rooms. Mrs. Robert Morgan has built a new house, has painted it and electricity installed. Mrs. Grady Jones has added two new rooms and a porch to her house and bought several new pieces of furniture. At least four families have used the new method of refinishing their floors—Mrs. Bob Bryson, Mrs. S. C. Leatherman, Mrs. Geo. Potts and Mrs. Frank Gibson. There has been two new pressure cookers purchased this year—Mrs. Callie Bryson and Mrs. Bob Rickman.

Mrs. Hazel Hurst and Mrs. Albert Raby has water in their house. Mrs. Carr Bryson has had excellent results with her lamp brooder. She only lost three out of 100, and they died accidentally. She also had a cabinet built. Mrs. Frank Gibson had a brick mantel built and a small window put on each side of the fire place in the living room. Mrs. J. B. Hurst has added a new room to her house and had it all newly covered. Mrs. Weaver Gibson has had her house remodeled and painted. Mrs. T. M. Rickman had her house remodeled and built in-cabinets in her kitchen. Mrs. S. C. Leatherman and Mrs. J. P. Bryson has a new washing machine. Mrs. Hattie Shepherd has added two more windows in her kitchen and two in the living room.

Funeral Services Held For Dan Collins Nov. 11

Funeral services were held for Dan Collins at the Watagua Baptist church on November 11. The service was conducted by Rev. G. A. Cloer.

Mr. Collins died at the home of Harrison Pannell on Sunday, November 9. As there was no evident cause for his death an inquest was held Monday, but the report has not yet been made public.

Surviving are two sisters, Mrs. Lola Legion, and Mrs. Minnie Dalton; half sisters, Mrs. Lucille Davis, Mrs. Cora Patterson, Mrs. Bertie Humphries, Mrs. Grace Hightower, Mrs. Bernice Smith, Mrs. Marie Kingman, Mrs. Thelma Clemmuth, Mrs. Beatrice Gilliam; half-brothers, E. H. Collins and John Collins; one brother, Tom Collins.

Jurymen

Of Second Week Of Court Announced

The following men were selected for jury duty to serve during the second week of the December term of court by the Macon county commissioners at their last meeting:

Second Week

E. B. Beck, Route 4; E. M. Dills, Gneiss; S. W. Bowers, Gneiss; J. T. Calloway; Highlands; C. H. Norton, Dillard, Ga., Route 1; W. G. Rowland, Route 3; J. R. Parrish, West's Mill; J. M. Raby; Route 4; A. C. Holt, Highlands; R. C. Rickman, West's Mill; John Wishon, Flats; Vance Vanhook, Route 2; Henry E. Waldrop, Franklin; T. M. McDowell, Dillard, Ga., Route 1; Virgil Smith, Stiles; J. Ed Crisp, Cullasaja; J. M. Brown, Route 2; R. L. Parrish, Etna.

Makeshifters

To Play High School On November 27

Franklin will have its first post season classic football game this year. The Franklin high school team will play a newly organized group known as the Macon Makeshifters, composed of local boys, many of whom were star performers on the local gridiron in the past, on November 27.

The local eleven will play Robbinville here this Friday and it is expected that many of the "Makeshifters" will be there to gain first hand knowledge of their ensuing fate.

While the play of the high school eleven has been somewhat ragged, due to lack of experience, their performances this year have been marked by their determined play and fine spirit. Tuesday they were beaten by the strong Hendersonville eleven, 21 to 0, but it may be said that had the breaks not gone against them they might have earned a scoreless tie.

The newly formed "Macon Makeshifters" are as yet undefeated, untied, unscored on, and we might add, unplayed. Boys who are expected to play in the game are Willard Pendergrass, John Slagle, Winton Perry, Bob Sloan, Charles Hunnicutt, Frank Higdon, James Perry, Harry Higgins, Charles Slagle, Fred Vaughn, Jim Cunningham, Jim McCullom, Ray English, Boone Leach and many others that the local managers have not been able to reach yet.

Franklin High

Sends Students To Canton Conference

The Western Carolina Conference of High School Student Government will meet Friday, November 14, at Canton high school, Canton. The Franklin high school student council will send the following delegates:

Robert Brinkley, freshman class; Myra Slagle, sophomore class; Charles Fulton, junior class; Helen Edwards, senior class.

John Crawford Advanced Higher Training Field

Aviation cadet John L. Crawford, son of Mrs. A. R. Higdon of Franklin, has been transferred from Lou Foote Flying school, Stanford, Texas to Goodfellow Field, San Angelo, Texas.

During his ten weeks' training at this basic flying school he will prepare to take his place in Uncle Sam's recently re-expanded Army Air Corps by learning to handle sleek 450 horsepower BT-13A trainers. Ahead of him lie ground school training, aerobatics, cross country practice, and formation, instrument, and night flying.

From Goodfellow Field he will go on to advanced training in larger, more powerful ships for a final ten weeks before receiving his wings and bars as a flying second lieutenant in the United States Army Air Corps Reserve.

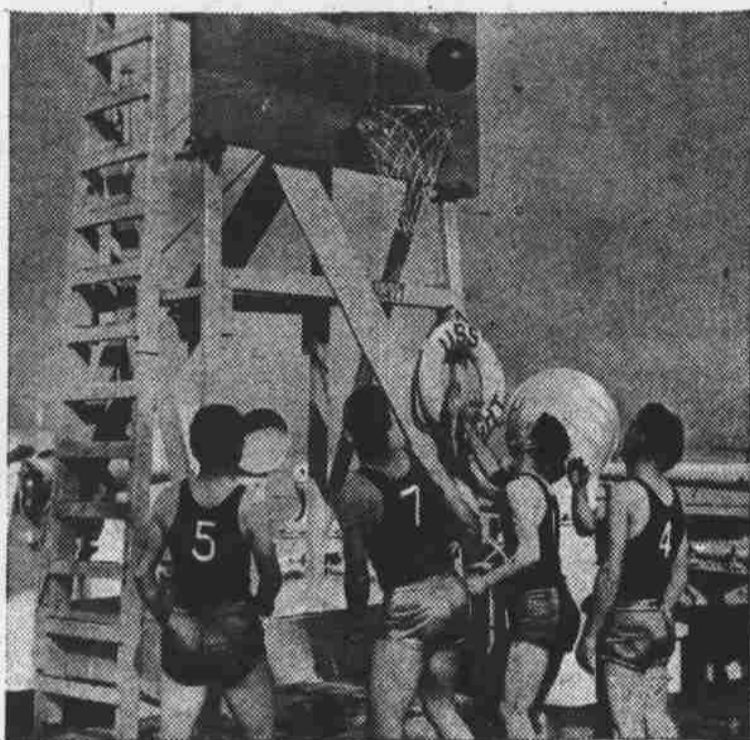
Prenatal Clinic To Be Held Nov. 19

The monthly prenatal clinic will be held in the Health Department office, Wednesday, November 19, at 1:30 p. m.

All expectant mothers who are expecting to have the service of a midwife are requested to attend this clinic.

The clinic will be under the direction of Dr. G. B. Lynch, county health officer, assisted by Miss Alma Kee and Mrs. Lina Padgett. Miss Kee, district health nurse is serving Macon county until Mrs. Gaines' successor can be secured.

NAVY COURTMEN PRACTICE BASKETBALL ON SHIPBOARD



Perfect physical fitness is required of sailors in the U. S. Navy and Naval Reserve. Excellent athletic facilities are provided both afloat and ashore.

Pictured above are bluejackets on the aircraft tender U.S.S. Wright holding basketball practice on shipboard. Almost every ship in the U. S. Navy has its own basketball team. Rivalry among

the crews of the various crafts runs high. In addition to basketball—football, baseball, boxing, bowling, wrestling and tennis all rank high as sports with Uncle Sam's sailors. Organized intra-fleet competitions are held for most sports. Trophies and individual awards usually are presented to the championship winning teams and players.

Poppy Sale

By Legion Auxiliary On November 15

Mrs. Alf R. Higdon, president of the American Legion Auxiliary, announces that poppies will be sold Saturday, November 15, instead of Armistice Day as previously announced. The fund will be used to help the needy children of World War veterans.

The little red paper flowers are made by disabled soldiers of World War I, who are patients in the government hospitals for veterans, and are reminiscent of the "poppies of Flanders Fields."

Army Service Of William D. Parrish

The following record of Army service of a Macon county boy, William D. Parrish, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Parrish of West's Mill, will be of interest to his many friends.

During six years of service in the U. S. Army he was stationed at Fort Hamilton, N. Y.; leaving May 19, 1937, for Manila, Philippine Islands, on a voyage as Arms inspector. On his way he spent four days in Hawaii, where he was met by old friends with whom he had previously served. He reached the Philippines on July, later proceeding to Shanghai, China, where he arrived on October 8. He returned to the United States, landing in California on October 31, 1941.

He has been transferred back to the Fourth Bombing Squadron, (H) A.F.C.C., Westover Fields, Mass. In a recent letter home William reports that he is in the best of health, and is looking forward to a leave to come home for a visit soon after the New Year.

Total USO Contributions Near Sixteen Million

Total contributions to the national United Service Organization have reached nearly \$16,000,000 according to a report received here by John Archer, Macon county USO chairman. This over-subscribes the original goal by \$6,000,000.

Last July under the direction of Mr. Archer \$275,000 was raised in this county which was \$75 more than the county's original quota.

Thomas E. Dewey, national chairman, stated that due to the great army expansion program, an even larger fund might be raised to meet anticipated needs, but that those who had so far helped in this drive to meet the recreational needs of our soldiers and sailors might justly be proud of their record.

M. M. Buchanan Promoted To Corporal

Private M. M. Buchanan, of Franklin Route 4, stationed at Camp Davis, Anti-aircraft Coast Artillery and Barrage Balloon Training Center, has been promoted to Corporal, according to a news release received. He is a member of the 96th Coast Artillery unit.

Mothers

Report School Needs To Board Of Education

The committees appointed at the last meeting of the Parent-Teachers Association to present certain urgent needs of the Franklin schools to the Macon County Board of Education, met with that body last Saturday afternoon. Gordon Moore, chairman, J. E. Cabe and Frank Browning, were present. The committees were represented by Mrs. Emory Hunnicutt, Mrs. T. W. Angel, Jr., and Mrs. Allan Brooks. Other members of the committees are Mrs. R. S. Jones, Mrs. Gus Leach and Mrs. Katherine Porter Matthews. Guy Houk, county superintendent and J. H. Finley, principal of the Franklin school, attended the meeting.

One spokesman for the group was reported to have told the board that the committee who had visited the school recently was of the opinion that the public does not know the conditions that handicap the pupils in the matter of over crowded rooms, lack of desks, poor lighting and lack of cleanliness; and that the school authorities had been indifferent too long.

A two-hour conference was held, but nothing definite was promised to correct the lack of seating except that chairs had been supplied to those students who were not supplied with the usual necessity of desks.

The board appropriated \$50 to clean up the entire building, including a thorough renovation of the toilets and washing of windows. The board also promised to recommend to the town board the stationing of a policeman at the dangerous traffic point on the Georgia road when the children are dismissed in the afternoon. It was shown that this is almost universally done in other communities. The need of a sidewalk on the school side of the highway for the children's safety was presented.

Sander's Store In New Building

Sanders Department Store is now established in the new building adjoining the Bank of Franklin. Since the fire a year ago, which destroyed their place of business, this dry goods firm has carried on in the crowded quarters of the fine-and-ten cents store operated by them on the other side of Main street.

The new building is in the same location, and is the same size, but the likeness ends there. Their entirely new and complete line of merchandise is displayed in a building that is modern and complete in every way. A double entrance and three display windows of plate glass furnish the front of a handsome interior finished in light colors, and equipped with fluorescent lighting.

The goods are arranged in their separate departments for the convenience of customers, the principal ones being the shoe, ready-to-wear and complete clothing and household departments, with a better stock than ever before.

Red Cross Roll Call Launches This Week

UNION SERVICE THANKSGIVING

Rev. Hubert Wardlaw To Preach At Baptist Church

A union service of all the Franklin churches will be held on Thanksgiving Day, November 20, at 8 o'clock in the morning, at the Franklin Baptist church. All the town pastors will take part and the Rev. Hubert Wardlaw, pastor of the Presbyterian church, will be the preacher.

This service is in keeping with the usual custom to have a community thanksgiving service, alternating each year at the different churches. It is customary for all churches to make their offerings for the support of their orphanages at this service. All are requested to designate their church on the envelope containing their contributions.

This early hour has been chosen so that housewives and business people may attend.

N. C. E. A.

Committees Appointed By Local President

At a recent meeting of the local unit of the North Carolina Education Association at the Franklin high school committees were announced and plans for the year discussed.

Mrs. J. C. Horsley, as president, urged that every teacher become a member. To date 80 have joined and it is expected that the unit will become 100 per cent as to membership at the next teachers' meeting on November 15.

Committees Named

The following committees were named:

Professional Relations chairman, Mrs. O. F. Summer; members, Mrs. Annie Pierson, Mrs. Virginia Ramsey, Mr. E. J. Carpenter, Mr. W. H. Finley and Mr. Cyreus Foutes. This committee plans to formulate a code of ethics for the group.

Public Relations Committee, chairman, Mrs. Katherine Porter Matthews; members, Mrs. Pearl Hunter, J. C. Hawkins, Miss Veva Howard, T. T. Love, Mrs. Joyce Cagle.

Teachers Welfare Committee, chairman, Mrs. Dora Lee Carpenter; members, Miss EtEhel Calloway, Mrs. Albert Aamsey, Miss Fleeta Mason, Mrs. Blanche Howard.

Legislative Committee, chairman, E. G. Crawford; members, Jack Carpenter, Miss Nina Howard, Mrs. Myrtle V. Norton, Norman West.

This committee's aim for the year is to draw up a constitution for the local chapter.

The Resolution or Fellowship Committee, chairman, Mrs. Philip Green; members, Mrs. Myrtle Keener, Miss Sarah Thompson, Mrs. Herbert Angel, Mrs. Paul Grist.

The duty of this committee is to remember those who are sick or bereaved. Every teacher who learns a member who is in distress is requested to get in touch with Mrs. Green or one of her committee.

Community Education, chairman, Miss Nora Moody; members, Miss Annie Bailey, Mrs. Nina T. McCoy, Mrs. Lola S. Kiser, Miss Grace Carpenter, Mrs. Mary S. Byrd, and all principals.

Social Committee, chairman, Mrs. Margaret Slagle Bolton; members, Mrs. Marie Stewart, Mrs. Wardlaw, Mrs. Katherine H. Williams, Miss Amanda Slagle, Mr. E. J. Whitmire, Mrs. Catherine F. Henry.

These different committees are requested by their chairmen to meet in the rooms adjacent to the auditorium at 9:30 o'clock Saturday morning, November 15, just before the regular teachers meeting to discuss plans for the year.

The chairmen are requested by the president to make a report at the general meeting as to these plans.

FUTURE FARMERS TO MEET NOVEMBER 12

The Future Farmers held their first meeting of the season on Wednesday, November 12 in the Agricultural department of the Franklin high school.

The following officers were elect-

Final Plans And Reports Of Chairmen Made At Dinner

Final plans for the annual Roll Call were completed on Wednesday evening, when chairmen and workers met at the Tavern for dinner and to hear reports of the chapter's officers, and to receive instructions for the canvass this week.

The Rev. Philip Green, county roll call chairman, gave an inspiring address, noting the fine record of previous roll calls and the increased need this year, as marked by the chapter's quota which has been raised to \$900. He appealed for the spirit of sacrifice in the name of Christ.

The Rev. J. L. Stokes, as principal speaker, stressed the world appeal for help that is answered by the Red Cross, which symbolizes all that is termed humanitarianism, extending aid to friend and enemy alike, recalling that the minds of the common people of every nation are close kin to their brothers of every race.

Chairman's Report

Harley Cabe, chapter chairman, appealed to all to renew their memberships, citing that the state of national emergency called upon the Red Cross to shoulder unparalleled responsibilities, comparable to World War days, when \$20,000,000 was raised. He gave the following figures of the record of the American Red Cross of the last fiscal year: 127,000 men in military service aided, 577,000 First Aid certificates issued, 2,885 emergency highway first aid stations maintained and 3,959 mobile units. Relief has been extended to 335,000 in disasters, 5,000 reserve nurses to U. S. Army, 81,000 trained in home nursing.

War sufferers have been helped to the extent of \$22,000,000. There are 8,600,000 in 3,700 active chapters in the U. S.

Local Chapter

"Our local chapter may seem small, but, I believe, in spirit we are as big as the biggest," said Mr. Cabe. He summarized the chapter's work this year as follows: War production, \$98.04; Home service, \$87.81, U. S. O. \$10.00.

Mrs. Lola P. Barrington made a graphic report of Junior Red Cross activities in the schools, and announced that Mrs. Hubert Wardlaw was her assistant in this year's drive.

Mrs. J. E. Perry, production chairman, made the report of garments sent for refugees. Both these reports deserve special notice, and will be published in next week's issue.

J. D. Chandler Passes At Tallulah Falls

News has been received here by Mr. and Mrs. John H. Thomas of the death of their son-in-law, J. D. Chandler of Tallulah Falls, Ga., on Tuesday night, November 11, about 10 o'clock. The end came suddenly, following a heart attack. Burial will be in Gainesville, Ga., his former home, on Thursday morning.

Mr. Chandler is survived by his wife, the former Miss Bertha Thomas of Macon county; their three children, Thomas O'Neil, Frederick and Mrs. Dorothy Chandler Bridgers of Elrod, N. C.; two sons by a former marriage, John of Tallulah Falls and Jim of Cornelia, Ga.

Burial Services Held For Richard Penland In Ohio

News has been received here of the death of Richard Penland, former Macon county boy, in Akron, Ohio. Mr. Penland was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ler Penland, formerly of Macon county, who now reside in Macon Ga.

Surviving besides his wife and children are six brothers: Charles, William, L. E., Dennis, George, and Morris; three sisters, Mrs. Charley Sutton and Doris and Nell Penland. Funeral services were held in Akron, Ohio.

Hunter Anderson, president; Bobbie Waldrop, vice-president; Robert Parker, secretary; Sam Ramsey, treasurer; Sam Gibson, reporter.

Speeches were made by Anderson and E. J. Whitmire, teacher of agriculture, who gave the boys good advice on how to conduct themselves properly, and plans for the year were outlined including the buying of calves.