

This Week With Macon County Agents

By Mrs. Barbara B. Hunnicutt

4-H neighborhood leaders are beginning to realize more than ever their importance in helping to train rural youth to live by their motto, "to make the best better".

Mrs. Woodrow Franklin, of the Holly Springs community, is an example of an active 4-H leader. She was elected to serve as a neighborhood leader for the first time this year, and has already held one meeting with the 4-H girls in that neighborhood. This meeting was a follow-up of the dairy foods training school she attended that was held by Miss Virginia Wilson, extension nutritionist. At this training school, the leaders were shown techniques in giving a demonstration and trained to help 4-H club girls who plan to give a dairy foods demonstration in June. For her demonstration, Mrs. Franklin made "Velvety Soft Custards Used In Desserts" in which she brought out the food value of milk, food values lacking in milk, the amount of milk needed in the daily diet, the care of milk and milk products in the home, and the cooking of milk. For her final display, she used three different arrangements of attractive desserts, using the soft custard as a base. For refreshments, Mrs. Franklin served the girls the desserts she had just prepared in her demonstration.

This is just one example of the work neighborhood leaders are doing to help train and develop 4-H club members in public speaking, teamwork, and sportsmanship. They are taught that poise, personality, and personal grooming are necessary to attain success in any phase of life. This is one form of work being carried on by the women of this county in helping to develop the future citizens in our communities.

Metal beds are coming back into vogue. In place of brass beds put away a generation ago and more conventional wooden beds, lightweight and tinted aluminum beds now are appearing on the market.

Angel, Brevard Student, Makes College Honor List

Allen Angel, son of Mrs. A. A. Angel, of Franklin, made the honor roll for the mid-semester of the second term at Brevard college, according to Dean J. J. Stevenson, Jr., who announced the college honor list.

Gneiss

By MRS. F. E. MASHBURN

Mrs. Howard Keener, of Walnut creek, was called to her mother's, Mrs. Carry Henry, bedside in Ellijay Sunday as Mrs. Henry was critically ill. Mrs. Keener was accompanied by her small granddaughter, June Wood.

Mrs. Catherine Russell, of Walnut creek, is in extremely poor health at present. She is one of our very oldest residents.

Col. Watts and Mrs. Watts, of California, and Corporal Watts' mother, Mrs. Rosetta Watts, of Peek's creek, and her daughter, Miss Evelyn Watts, and also another daughter, Mrs. G. H. Reid, and small son, Glen, of Gold Mine, were recently visiting Mr. and Mrs. Everett Mashburn on Ledford branch.

Mrs. Gertrude Berry has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Martha Dowdle in East Franklin.

Samuel M. Mashburn, of the carrier Leyte, which is now undergoing repairs at Portsmouth, Va., was visiting in Macon on a week-end liberty. The Leyte returned to Norfolk, Va. after spending 52 days of service in Korean waters as part of Task Force 77. Mr. Mashburn received two letters of citation for service rendered over there which he highly prizes.

G. R. Mashburn, who is working in Hampton, Va. was also visiting home folks this week-end.

Little Janet Blackwell, small daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Blackwell, Jr., of Durham, fell out of a grocery cart and fractured her skull. After spending several days in a hospital she is all right again. Her mother will be remembered as Miss Lucy Mashburn.

Yes, this section of the county is also developing. The power line was built about two years ago. Now the roads have crews of men daily on them preparing them for gravel.

Farming also is not lagging. George Holland used a disk harrow and also plowed with a tractor the tract of land now owned by Wendel Keener, but

to old timers it is known as "The Keener Bottom". Wendel's grandfather, the late J. M. Keener, once owned it.

Moore aluminum was used for railroad tank cars in 1950 than in any other year.

National Forest Timber For Sale

Sealed bids will be received by the Forest Supervisor, Nantahala National Forest, Franklin North Carolina, up to and not later than 2:00 p. m. May 7, 1951, and opened immediately thereafter for all the timber marked for cutting, live or dead, standing or down, located on an area embracing 54 acres within the Beech Cove Unit, White Oak Creek of Nantahala River, Nantahala National Forest, Macon County, North Carolina, in the total number of 265 trees of the species listed below. No bid of less than \$1833.00 as a lump sum payment will be considered. Bids in excess of minimum permissible rates established in conformity with ceiling price regulations will be reduced to such permissible rates. Such permissible rates will be announced as soon as determined and in event it is not possible to make such determination before bidding date, such dates will be postponed. In addition to the above amount any unmarked timber which is authorized for cutting in connection with road construction or other improvements or which is otherwise cut and subject to payment will be paid for at the following current rates for stumpage: Northern red oak \$39.00; white oak \$22.00; black oak and birch \$22.00; basswood and red maple \$18.00; chestnut oak \$13.00; scarlet oak \$8.00; silver bell, hickory and black gum \$4.00 per MBM. \$500.00 must accompany each bid to be applied to the purchase price, refunded or retained in part as liquidated damages, according to conditions of sale. The right to reject any and all bids is reserved. Before bids are submitted, full information concerning the timber, the conditions of sale and submission of bids should be obtained from the Forest Supervisor, Franklin, North Carolina, or the District Ranger, Robbinsville, North Carolina. A5 and A19c

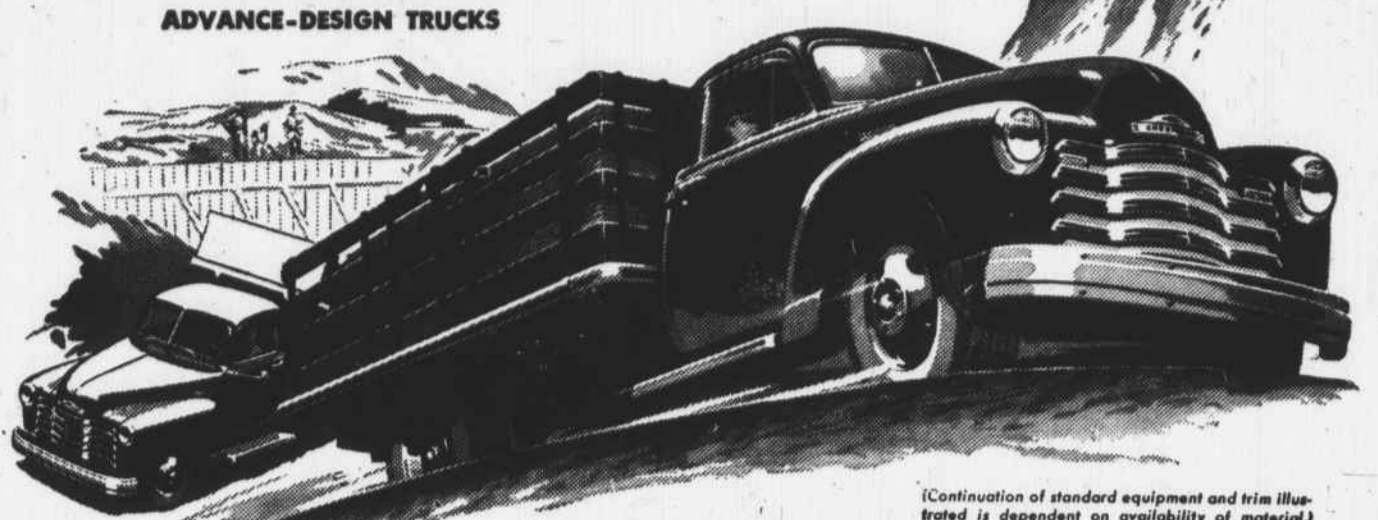
Minute particles of abrasive aluminum oxide, propelled through a jet by carbon dioxide and trained on tooth decay, will lessen the pain and jarring associated with the usual steel

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