

Thank You

The Cherokee Scout and Clay County Progress has received payment for the following subscriptions and renewals during the week beginning Thursday, January 10, through Tuesday, January 15: Hester M. Eller, Hayesville, 1; Van E. Thomas, Unaka; M/Sgt. James A. Hyatt, N.Y.; Mr. S. M. Hindsaw, Valdosta, Ga.; Andrew Groves, Hayesville, 2; R. F. Anderson, Murphy, 2; E. W. Davidson, Miami, Fla.; L. J. Brown, Turdewain; J. Wayne Plemons, Griffin, Ga.; Mrs. Susie Bates, Unaka; S. W. Payne, Ballground, Ga.; Frank C. Moore, Hayesville, 1; Jay Moore, Hayesville, 1; Mrs. E. R. Williams, McCoy, Fla.; John W. Swanson, Hayesville, 3; Gwen W. Swanson, Hayesville; Mrs. R. B. Ross, Hayesville, 2; H. J. McLelland, Lenoir City, Tenn.; J. V. A. Moore, Hayesville, 1; Mrs. L. Lassie Gribble, Franklin; C. A. Burch, Hayesville, 1; Georgia Wagner, Hayesville.

Traffic Deaths

RALEIGH - The Motor Vehicles Department's summary of traffic deaths through 10 a.m. Monday, Jan. 14, 1963: Killed to Date 32
Killed to Date Last Year 27

Murphy Calendar

THURSDAY, JANUARY 17
3:15 p.m. - Cherub and Junior Choirs at First Methodist Church.
7:30 p.m. - Commission Finance meeting at First Methodist Church.
Women's Club to meet at Murphy Power Board Building.
FRIDAY, JANUARY 18
7:00 p.m. - Hiwassee Dam -vs- Murphy at Hiwassee Dam.
7:30 p.m. - Session of Presbyterian Church to meet at the church.
SUNDAY, JANUARY 20
6:15 a.m. - Mass at Providence Chapel.
11:00 a.m. - Holy Mass at St. William Catholic Chapel.
5:00 p.m. - MYF Council meeting at First Methodist.
5:30 p.m. - MYF at First Methodist Church.
7:30 p.m. - Services at First Methodist Church on "Arm of Compassion."
MONDAY, JANUARY 21
6:30 p.m. - Rotary Club at Family Restaurant.
7:30 p.m. - PTA meeting in Rock Building.
TUESDAY, JANUARY 22
2:30 p.m. - Lottie Moon Circle at First Baptist Church with Mrs. E. L. Shields.
Mae Perry Circle at First Baptist Church with Mrs. J. L. Baugh.
6:30 p.m. - Lions Club to meet at Recreation Hall of First Methodist Church.
WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 23
6:30 p.m. - Annual Church night at the Presbyterian Church in Westminster Hall.
7:15 p.m. - Midweek services at First Methodist Church.
7:30 p.m. - Midweek services at Free Methodist Church.
8:00 p.m. - Choir rehearsal at First Methodist Church.

Town To Apply For Fire, Rescue Station Construction Grant

MURPHY - Murphy Town Board met in regular session Monday night, Jan. 14, at the Power Board Building.
A resolution for making application for Federal Grant to construct a Fire and Rescue station was approved by the board.
Bids were opened on the sale of two junked trucks. The board approved the sale to the

Bloodmobile Nets 47 Pints

In Andrews

ANDREWS - The American Red Cross Bloodmobile collected 47 pints of blood on Monday afternoon from 1-5 p.m. at City Hall.
Volunteer workers included Dr. F. E. Blalock and Dr. Van Gorder, Mrs. Doris Teas, Mrs. S. J. Gernert, Mrs. Irma Thompson, Mrs. Sue Morrow, Mrs. Doris Ladd, Mrs. L. C. Broome, Miss Frances McPherson, Mrs. W. W. Ashe, Mrs. R. A. Devar, Mrs. W. C. Fuller, and Donna Sue Fuller, Miss Helen Kivel, Miss Frances Cover, co-chairman, Mrs. Anna Winfrey, and chairman, Rev. Ed Whitson.
Door prizes donated by Lion and Rotary Clubs were won by Pauline Lunford, first prize of \$10.00, Charles Pullum of Akron, Ohio, second prize of \$7.50, and third prize of \$5.00 was awarded Rev. Robert Orr, pastor of Church of God.



GOLD MEDALLION AWARD has been awarded to Mr. and Mrs. Ben Warner, Jr., of Murphy. This award was made by the Murphy Electric Power Board. For more details and pictures see inside this issue.

Dave Bristol To Return As Skipper Of Macon Peaches

ANDREWS - Dave Bristol, manager of the Macon Peaches last summer, will again guide the Georgia farm club of the Cincinnati Reds in class AA South Atlantic League this summer.
Bristol will report to Cincinnati farm base in Tampa, Fla., a brand new city financed four diamond layout, in mid March. He is presently coaching the Murphy High School boys basketball team.
He assisted Coach Chuck McConnell in coaching the Murphy football team to a fourth straight undefeated season last fall and to second place in the Western District of the State.
But Bristol has made his biggest mark in baseball. Signing Bristol in 1951 as an 18-year old infield prospect, the Reds lost no time in discovering the leadership talents that lay within the lad. In 1958 at the age of 24, Bristol was named playing manager of Hornell, New York's Class D Club. The following year he guided Palatka, Fla., to the Florida State League pennant. In 1960 his Vistula club finished fourth and



DAVE BRISTOL

won the playoff in the California league, Class C. Then he was jumped to Class B Three I League in 1961 where he managed Topeka, Kansas, to the pennant.
Last year his Macon Peaches finished third in the Class A Sally League after engaging Savannah's eventual pennant winners in a race for the pennant. His performance there earned for him the Macon helm again and the promotion to Class AA, only two steps below the major leagues.
Many baseball fans from Andrews who followed Bristol faithfully when his Peaches were playing in Asheville may now add the short trip to Chattanooga to their sports agenda this summer. Bristol's team will play 10 games in that Tennessee city.

Groups Fighting Nantahala Sale File Appeal

RALEIGH - Agencies fighting the proposed sale of Nantahala Power and Light Co.'s distribution lines filed an appeal Tuesday and asked that it be heard next month in Alamance Superior Court.
They said the State Utilities Commission order approving the sale to Duke Power Co., was unlawful and unconstitutional.
The opponents of the sale said they requested that the case be heard in Alamance County because the State Supreme Court calendar is so arranged that the high court could hear any appeal from there during the spring term this year.

The Utilities Commission recently granted Duke authority to buy the Nantahala lines for \$4 million. The decision left Nantahala with generating facilities to continue to supply power to its parent firm, the Aluminum Co. of America.
Fighting the order were the counties of Swain and Cherokee, the towns of Andrews, Bryson City, Robbinsville, and Webster, the Five-County Committee for TVA Power, the Cherokee Indian Band, Haywood Electric Membership Corp., Blue Ridge Electric Assn., and five Grange chapters.

In a companion petition, they asked again that the commission order, to become effective Thursday, be stayed until final determination of the case in the courts.
Their appeal covered 45 pages and cited 119 assignments of error in the lengthy hearings which preceded the commission order and in the order itself.

"The protesters assert," they said, "that said order, including its findings, inferences, conclusions and decisions, is unlawful, unjust, unreasonable, unwarranted,

and in excess and violative of the constitutional and statutory authority of the commission. . . .

They were critical of the evidence which was admitted at the hearings and said, among other things, that the commission erred in not mentioning in its order the fact that Tennessee Valley Authority power was available to Nantahala.

Nantahala requested to sell its lines, contending it would be unable to finance improvements to serve its subscribers adequately.

Tellico To Robbinsville Road Funds Are Allocated

WASHINGTON - A total of \$2,800,000 has been allocated by the Bureau of Public Roads to begin surveys and construction of a new Forest Service road between Robbinsville, N. C., and Tellico Plains, Tenn.

Congressman Roy A. Taylor said the money is to be divided equally between North Carolina and Tennessee, with actual administration of the funds to be under direction of the state highway commission of the respective states.
Rep. Taylor said both his state and Tennessee will immediately get \$700,000 each to launch programs in 1963, to be followed by another \$700,000 to each state next year.

"How rapidly construction can be brought under way now depends entirely on the two state highway commissions," the Congressman said.
The highway groups will be responsible for selecting a site for the road, survey work and the actual construction work, he said.

Local Plant Layoffs Direct Result Of Longshoremen Strike

MURPHY - The 25-day old maritime strike of the Longshoremen's Union dock workers that has paralyzed the eastern and Gulf ports of New York, Norfolk, Charleston, New Orleans, and Houston has directly effected workers at the Textured Yarn Co., Inc., plant at Peachtree.

The plant began to lay off workers Wednesday night, Jan. 16. By Monday, Jan. 21, only a skeleton crew will be maintained.

The layoffs were forced on the company due to the cancellations of end-of-month orders from the plant's largest consumers.

The largest consumers of textured nylon produced in the Murphy plant are the Dalton, Ga., area carpet mills. These carpet mills fact shut-downs throwing hundred out of work, due to lack of jute, an imported fiber, from the East Indies, and a necessary part of rug making.

Stockpiles of the glossy imported fiber have been exhausted and due to the strike of the dock workers, no shipments have been received in this country since Dec. 23.

The far reaching extent of the strike was brought to the attention of North Carolina congressmen and senators, the Governor, W. Frank Forsyth, State Senator, and Herman H. West, Cherokee County Representative, in telegrams Wednesday from Ronald Ressel, manager of the Murphy plant. Mr. Ressel said he wanted to "impress upon the men in Washington and in Raleigh the extent of the strike."

Seventy-five workers are effected at the Textured Yarn Plant. Upon North Carolina Employment Security laws, these workers will receive benefits depending on their eligibility status.

The lay-off will remain in effect, according to Mr. Ressel, until the strike is settled.

The Longshoremen walked out December 23 following an eighty-day Taft-Hardey "cooling off" period, during which time no settlement was reached.

Burlington Industries, Inc., Fontana Mills Division in Robbinsville, is also effected by the lack of jute. This rug manufacturing plant has also started to lay off workers.



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11	66	50	0.12
12	66	48	1.11
13	57	23	0.25
14	33	10	0.05
15	40	6	0.00
16		9	0.00

Forecast: Thursday and Friday, broken to scattered cloudiness; Saturday and Sunday, rain or snow.

'Quality Education' Helps Cherokee County

MURPHY - Cherokee County, along with the rest of the state, has been exposed to "Quality Education" for over a year now. In the day by day application of this program, "Quality Education" has meant more to Cherokee County that readily meets the eye.

"Quality Education" minded parents, students, and teachers will remember when Gov. Terry Sanford visited Murphy on Wednesday, Nov. 15, 1961, he said, "Quality Education is hard to define. We have no instrument to measure it." He linked the basis for its need to a question posed by President Kennedy - "Can democracy carry on in these times?"

With "Quality Education" we can demonstrate that we can advance in science, send man to the moon, orbit the earth, and get inside men's minds."

The governor stated that his purpose in coming to Murphy was to tell the people not to expect the job to be done in Raleigh because if it is going to be done "you must do it right here at home."

"We have given you the idea, it is important that you understand that something must be done. We have the plan, the program and the personnel. Now's the time to play a part in North Carolina's aim for quality education. We can lift Cherokee, Clay, and Graham counties, Western North Carolina, Western North Carolina and North Carolina educational standards to be second to none. We will make our contribution to our nation's goal."

From the day of the governor's visit, the "Quality Education" program began to take shape in Cherokee County.

Two years ago, in all three of the school systems in this county there was one special education teacher. Today, the three systems share five special education teachers.

These five teachers are the results of the "Quality Education" program. Three of the teachers work with the mentally retarded groups. The other two teachers work in speech therapy. One speech therapist works in the county unit and the other divides her time between Andrews and Murphy.

Today, the three school units are receiving twice as

much money per student for library use. There has also been an increase in funds per student for instructional materials.

Before, the school systems received .50¢ per student for library books, magazines, newspapers, and repairs to books. Today, they receive \$1.00 per student.

In the days before "Quality Education," the systems received \$1.00 per student for instructional supplies such as drawing paper, construction paper, writing papers, and regular instructional supplies used by the teacher. Today, this amount is \$1.50.

Had the state appropriations remained as before, the three Cherokee County school systems would be short ten teachers they now have. Six teachers, allotted on the basis of one additional teacher for each 20 regularly allowed teacher, and the four new special education teachers comprise the additional ten teachers.

Since each unit has from 40 to 60 teachers, this means Andrews has gained two, Murphy has gained two, and the county has gained two.

All regular classroom teachers are employed five extra days over and above the regular 180 day (nine months and one day), school term.

This additional five days enables the schools to bring the teachers in three days before the school term begins. The teachers are able to prepare and plan for the coming year. This enables the systems to operate with no loss of time with a full schedule on the first day of school.

The other two days are used after the school term for the completion of records and report cards.

Improvement Of Fishing Topic For Wildlife Meet

WAYNESVILLE - The North Carolina Wildlife Federation is holding a meeting at 7:30 p.m. Friday, Jan. 25, at the Courthouse in Waynesville to discuss ways to improve the fishing in this area. The Haywood County Wildlife Club is host for this meeting and they urge everyone to attend.

Chester S. Davis, Chairman of the trout committee of the Wildlife Resources Commission, will be principal speaker. Mr. Davis is much concerned about the condition of our trout fishing, therefore, everyone should attend this meeting so as to learn of these conditions and assist in correcting them.

The condition of the fishing will be discussed at the next session of the legislature so a special invitation is extended to the State Senators and members of the House of Representatives to attend this meeting. The legislators will be able to gather some valuable, first hand information which will help them when the legislature convenes in February.

Improved fishing is a definite way to increase the tourist business and income of this area as well as being beneficial to the local fishermen. The number of people attending will determine the success of this meeting, so please plan to attend.

Andrews News

Mrs. Giles Cover arrived in Atlanta on Monday from Ft. Myers, Fla., where she has spent several weeks with her daughter, Mrs. Jane Orr.

Mrs. Cover attended the inauguration of Georgia's governor Sanders on Tuesday, and also was present at the reception and ball. While there she was the guest of Mrs. Walter Estes. Following social events, she left for committee meeting in Raleigh.

Large Tract Of Land Given To Scouts In Moore Subdivision

MURPHY - A deed has been recorded in the Cherokee County Register of Deeds of office whereby a parcel of land inside the limits of Murphy has been put in trust to be used solely by the Boy Scouts of America and the Girl Scouts of America.

The deed was made and entered into on Saturday, Jan. 5, by E. C. Moore, a prominent Murphy businessman, and his wife, Fannie Moore, and the trustees for the Boy Scouts and Girl Scouts, W. Frank Forsyth, Raymond Joseph, Walter Puett, and W. A. Singleton.

The future site of scouting activities for this area is located in the tract of land known as the E. C. Moore subdivision. The tract contains some 10 acres more or less. According to Mr. Moore, the tract is closer to 15 acres than 10.

The description of the land as contained in the deed is as follows.

Beginning on the SW corner of Lot 88 and of the E. C. Moore Subdivision (lot now owned by Robert McCombs)

and running N 158, 7 feet to the S E corner of lot No. 88 thence N W 70 feet to a point where the Robert McCombs line intersects with the Boulevard; thence in a Northerly direction with the E Margin line of the Boulevard and with its meanders 1547 feet to a point on the E Margin of the Boulevard in line with the rock wall of the E. C. Moore Fishpond; thence S 575 feet to the N W end of the rock dam; thence up the branch with its meanders 1720 feet to a stake on the Valentine Line Woodrow Hembree's S E Corner; thence with the Valentine Line 200 feet to the Beginning Corner, containing 10 acres more or less.

To Have and To Hold, the aforesaid tract or parcel of land, with all the rights, privileges and appurtenances thereunto belonging, unto said parties of the second part, trustees as aforesaid and their heirs, successors and assigns forever, upon the trusts and for the use and purposes following and no other, that is to say:

First, this trust is created solely for the use and benefit of the Boy Scouts of America and the Girl Scouts of America, to erect thereon such Building or Buildings as they see fit to erect and for such other and further use as may be in accordance with the custom and needs of said Boy Scouts and Girl Scouts.

Second, if and when said land and premises shall cease to be used for the purposes herein above enumerated, then said land and premises and the title thereto shall revert back to E. C. Moore's heirs and assigns.

Murphy Delegation Attends Jehovah's Witness Assembly

MURPHY - Working in an organization capacity from Murphy at the three-day assembly of Jehovah's Witnesses in Calhoun, Ga., were Henry Lyons, Rt. 1, presiding minister of the local group, and Betty Jo and Tena Everett of Route 4.

Mr. Lyons, who headed the delegation from here, has been presiding minister of the Murphy group since 1955. He served at the assembly in leading in a practical training program of ministers by personal teaching in house call activity.

Betty Jo, 20, and Tena, 17, were assigned to the cafeteria department during the three-day training program. They served as cashiers. Fifteen from here attended.

Mr. Lyons stated, "The 816 persons attending the principal address of the conference, 'The Bible's Answer to Our Problem of Survival,' by B. E. Griffin, Southern District Supervisor, made the Calhoun meet the largest religious gathering in that city."