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SECOND CLASS POSTAGE PAID AT MURPHY, NORTH CAROLINA

New Buildings In County To **Se Appraised**

MURPHY - The board of commissioners for Cherokee County, N. C., met in regular session on Monday, March 4, 1963, Present at the meeting were Chairman, W. A. Hoover; Commissioners, W. T. Moore and L. N. Cole; and Clerk, I. R. Graves. J. B. Graves.

Motion having been made and duly seconded, John Don-ley, Tax Supervisor, was authorized to appoint one or more men to appraise all new build-ings in various townships of

herokee County.

Motion was made and duly seconded to approve of the bond of Sam W. Jones, J. P., with Fireman Fund Insurance Company as surety, in the amount of \$1,000,00. Motion was made by L. N. Cole and seconded by W. T.

Moore to place on the map 3/4 mile of road in Hot House Township, known as the Dave Bryant Road, Motion was made by L. N. Cole, seconded by W. T. Moore

to place on the map 9/10 mile Road in Notla Township, known as the Johnson Road,

Motion was made and duly seconded to place on the map 2/miles of road in Murphy Township known as the Timp-son Road,

Upon motion of L. N. Cole, seconded by W. T. Moore, Herman Edwards was elected Vice Recorder of Cherokee County; and for his service as such, he shall receive the compensation allowed the Re-corder of this County for the time that he may render such service, the compensation of the Vice Recorder to be de-ducted from the salary of the

There being no further business at this time, the meeting

Jurors for Cherokee County
Superior Court Term beginning April 1, 1963 (first week)
are: Buclid Voyles, Rt. 4,
Murphy; Gordon Whitaker,
Andrews; J. C. O'Dell, Murphy; William J. Martin, Rt. 2,
Murphy; J. M. Donley, Rt. 1,
Marble; Thurmond Hamby,
Farner, Tenn.; Carl'Stiles, Rt.
1, Murphy; Willie Givens, Rt.
2, Murphy; E. S. Fair, Rt. 3,
Murphy; B. R. McMahan, Rt.
1, Murphy; Burley Deweese, Rt.
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Clure, Rt. 2, Murphy; John
W. Rose, Rt. 3, Murphy; Ray
Picklesimer, Rt. 4, Murphy;
Dillard McCombs, Rt. 1, Murphy; Charley McClure, Rt.

2, Murphy; Lon Chastain, Rt.

4, Murphy; Grover Chastain. 4, Murphy; Grover Chastain, Rt. 2, Murphy; Winston Hawerhill, J Ralph Best, Andrews; Burt Hogan, Rt. 1, Brasstown; Mar-shall Clonts, Rt. 1, Murphy; John Beaver, Rt. 2, Murphy; Andrew Simonds, Rt. 1, Cop-

perhill, Tenn.; Clyde New-

man, Rt. 2, Culberson; Arthur Nichols, Culberson; Paul Lov-ingood, Rt. 1, Marble; Herbert Graham, Rt. 4, Murphy; E. C. Guthrie, Rt. 4, Murphy; Herbert Raxter, Marble; El-bert Totherow, Murphy; J. T. Postell, Andrews; J. H. How-ard, Murphy; Hal Conley, And-rews; C. L. Lunsford, Rt. 1, Murphy; Willard Whitaker, Andrews; Ham Rowland, Marbie; Herbert Bryson, Top-ton; Walter Radford, Rt. 3, Murphy; Jack Dickey, Mur-phy; Vernon Bryson, Mar-ble; Hobert Picklesimer, Rt. Murphy; Lloyd Baker, Rt. Murphy; Otis Stewart, Rt. 1, Murphy; Otis Stewart, Rt. 2, Culberson; W. M. Fisher, Rt. 3, Murphy; Wesley P. Anderson, Andrews; Arnold Stiles, Rt. 1, Marble; Claude Fowier, Murphy; W. W. Cook, Murphy; Carl Baker, Turtle-man, Team, FredScroggs, Rt. Murphy; Carl Baker, Turtle-town, Tenn.; FredScroggs, Rt, 1, Murphy; Edward Townson, Murphy; Marvin Thompson, Rt, 2, Murphy; J. M. Ander-son, Rt, 2, Culberson; Fred Swaim, Murphy and M. B. Montgomery, Rt, 2, Culber-

Jurors for the second week are: George Pullium, Andrews, Quince Hembree, Mur-phy; Leonard Derebery, Andrews; Grover Moss, Rt. 1, Marble; Clarence Morrow, Rt. 4, Murphy; Ben Allison, Rt. phy; Ben Allison, Rt. erson; Charles S. Garnd, Culberson; Reno Tay-r, Box 66, Turtletown, enn.; Marshall King, Marble; P. J. Henn, Murphy; Horace Rector, Andrews; Bass Car-ringer, Rt. 1, Brasstown; John Bryant, Culberson; Henry Chambers, Rt. 3, Murphy; Bass Lovingood, Rt. 1, Mur-phy; D. Swanson, Rt. 4, Mur-phy; Garfield Possell, Rt. 1, Andrews; Fred Graves, Far-ner, Town & B. I. Fish, Mur-Andrews; Fred Graves, Farner, Tenn.; B. J. Fish, Murphy; Walter McDonald, Rt. 3,
Murphy; Arnold Bryson, Marble; Charles Whits, Murphy;
A. G. Quinn, Rt. 3, Murphy;
J. C. Hembres, Rt. 1, Murphy; Albert Conley, Rt. 1,
Marble; E. G. Battle, Andrews; Mack Fredy, Rt. 1,
Turdetown, Tenn.; Grady
Anderson, Andrews; Garnert I, Copp. Virgi med, Rt. 1, Copperhill, n.: J. H. Duncan, Murphy; nt Phillips, Marble; Troy t, Rt. 1, Marble, and i, ar-McHan, Marble.



MURPHY GIRLS WIN SMOKY MOUNTAIN CROWN - The Murphy High School girls, winmonth of the Western Division playoffs, won the Smoky Mountain Conference Basketball Championship at Cherokee Friday, March 1, downing the Franklin girls 70-45.

The Murphy girls trounced the Eastern Division champs behind the high scoring of Linda Jones, No. 24, above, and Linda Smith. Jones out jumps an unidentified Franklin player as

she hits for another two-points in the photo above.

Murphy ran away to an early lead in the first quarter, mainly on the fine scoring of Linda
Jones and Linda Smith who hit for 30 and 32 points respectively. The halftime score was

Other Murphy players scoring were Shirley Rogers 9, Eva Dockery 4, Judy Rogers 2, Ruth Crisp 1, Maxine O'Dell 2, Carolyn Crisp, Sue James, Judy Sanders, and Carmolita Smith. (Scout Photo)

Nantahala-

Upheld

LUMBERTON, N. C. - Su-

perior Court Judge Henry A. McKinnon, Jr., handed down a ruling here Friday, March

1, upholding the decision of the North Carolina Utilities

Commission in approving the

sale of distribution facilities

of the Nantahala Power & Light

Approval of the sale had

been given by the Utilities

Commission on Dec. 17, 1962,

but appeal from that decision was filed by the Haywood Electric Membership Corp.,

and others. It is expected that Judge McKinnons' rulling will

be further appealed to the North Carolina Supreme

In commenting on the action,

W. B. McGuire, president of Duke Power, said he hoped all

legal technicalities holding up

completion of the Nantahala

Sale could be concluded as

quickly as possible. He said

speedy action would be to the

benefit of the people of the

Nantahala area, as well as to

a part of the Duke PowerSys-

"If the Supreme Court de-

all concerned.

Court.

Co. to Duke Power Co.



KENTUCKIAN KILLED IN ROAD CRASH - Andrews - Ralph Moore, 25, of Grand Rivers, Ky., a native of Andrews, was killed early Saturday, March 2, in a head-on car-truck collision on U. S. 19 a mile north of Andrews.

Arthur Gar Jordan, 35, of Topton, identified as driver of the

truck, shown at right above, escaped injury, according to State Highway Patrolman B. N. Hooper.

Hooper said Moore's car, shown at left above, traveling at a high rate of speed, crossed the centerline and rammed head-on into the large truck. The men were the only occupants of the vehicles, Hooper

The accident occurred about 1 a.m. An inquest, held later Saturday a.m. by Coroner J. C. Townson, resulted in a ruling of accidental death, according to Hooper.

AMr. Moore was a son of Mrs. Fannie Adams West of And-

rews and Frank Moore of Gastonia. Surviving in addition to the parents are the widow, Mrs. Barbara Powell Moore; a daughter, Linda Sue of the home; two brothers, Eugene Moore of Andrews and Frank Lynn Moore of Gastonia; a half-brother, Stephen West of Andrews; three sisters, Miss Judy Moore of Andrews, Mrs. Barbara Webb of Asheville and Miss Joy Moore of Gastonia; and the maternal

grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John Adams of Andrews, Services were held at 2 p.m. Sunday in Valley River Baptist

The Rev. Weldon Gill and the Rev. Clifford George will officiate. Burial was in the church cemetery.
Pallbearers were Kenneth Trantham, Jerry and Vincent
Adams, Herbert Martin, John Gregory, and Steve Wheeler.

Ivie Funeral Home was in charge.

Out of town relatives attending the funeral services were Mrs. Eunice Lanaro, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Powell, and Mrs. Gracie Powell, all of Norfolk, Va., Mr. and Mrs. Frank Moore and children, Mt. Holly, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Webb, Asheville, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Adams of Murphy.



Autopsy May Explain Myterious Death Of Culberson Wom Bloodmobile Is

Coming Apr. 8th

MURPHY - The next visit of the Red Cross Bloodmobile in Murphy will be Monday, April 8, according to H. L. McKeever, Chairman of the Murphy Blood Program. In April of 1962 Murphy

area citizens donated 188 pints but since that very successful day, less than 220 pints have en donated or an average of about 70 pints per visit, The bloodmobile volunt

committee hopes to get 150 pints on April 8 and all persons who are well and healthy are asked to give blood on this date. As usual, the blood-mobile will be at the Power Board Building in Murphy from 12:30 to 5:30 p.m.

Peachtree

By Mrs. Dock Sudderth A large crown attended the singing in Peachtree School auditorium Saturday night, March 2. Guest singers were the Lewis Family and Wendy Bagwell and the Sunliters, The door receipts amounted to over \$200 out of which the children of the fourth and fifth grades get 20% for a trip to Atlanta this spring. The Girl Scouts sold refreshments to finance their trip to camp during the summer

Miss Barbara Crisp, daugh-ter of Mr. and Mrs. O'Neal Crisp, has been awarded a three year scholarship to the school of nursing at Grady Hospital in Atlanta, Barbara will graduate from Murphy High School in May and will enter school of nursing in September. She and Linda Smith, daughter of the Rev. and Mrs. C. A. Smith, will

I appreciate so much Mrs. Neal Kitchens' write-up about me in her column "Rambling Clay", for such a busy lady to take time out to do It means more than she can ever know, I enjoy her warm, well-written column and her Clay County news in The Scout, Mrs, Kitchens, thank you.

-P-Buddy Millsaps, son of Mr. and Mrs. Dallas Millsaps, returned home Monday from a local hospital, Buddy was in-jured in an automobile accicember 9 and has been hospitalized ever since. We are glad he is home again and much improved,

Miss Carolyn Scruggs, student nurst at Missio morial Hospital, Asheville, and Miss Janet Pipes of Sylva spent the weekend with Mrs. Kate Pipes.

Mrs. Jean Stiles and baby of Atlanta, are spending sev-eral days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Kilpat-

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Barker are able to be out again after being confined to their home for several days due to illness.

Recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Hendrix and Mrs. Charles Hendrix were Mr. and Mrs. Joe Day and children and Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Owenby of Nantahala and Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Bateman and children of Chattanooga.

We are glad that Mrs. Arnold Kilpatrick is home again after being a patient in a local hospital for several days.

Weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hardy Morris were Mrs. Vernie Hembree and Mrs. Myrtle Plenmons of Hapecides in our favor," said Mc-Guire, "approval of the Federal Power Commission ville, Ga. Mrs. Plemmons re-mained for a longer stay with ed for a longer stay with will still have to be obtained before any work can be start-ed to make the Nantahala lines

Mrs. Ethel LeQuire and daughter of Morganton, N. C., are spending a few days with Grover Walsh. Mrs. LeQuire Judge McKinnon heard ents in the case in Alawas formerly Miss Ethel mance Superior Court in Gra-

ham.

"We've anticipated it," remarked John M. Archer, Jr.,
of Franklin, president of Nantahala. "That's wonderful,"

"We're pleased with the decision of Judge McKinnon approving the sale.

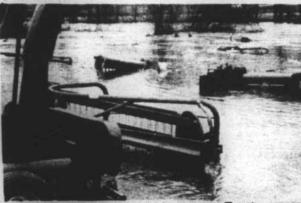
"I hope this decision would
now resolve the issue so that
the people of the area, with
the co-operation of the excellent industrial effort of the
Duke Power Co., can work Miss Margaret Hendirx and Miss Joann Crisp visited Mr. and Mrs. David Mullins in Young Harris, Gs., Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Garland Led-

Power Co., can work her to further the omy of the region."



CULBERSON - Shown above is the field in which the body of Mrs. Emma Shields was found at 3:00 p.m. Saturday, March 2, by Lee Godfrey, Charles Hunter, and Troy Coker, who were searching for Mrs. Shields. The arrow points to where the body was lying. This field is located 3/4 of a mile from the Shields' home. There were two three-strand barbed wire fences between the field and the Shields home and also a creek with no means of crossing except by wading or



VALLEYRIVER, swotten by heavy rains Tuesday, over-owed its banks Wednesday, March 6, flooding lowlands near Murphy, Here farm equipment at the Wilson Tractor Co. on the Andrews Highway was caught in the surging currents of the overflowing river around 9 a.m. Wednesday.
(Photo by Harold Hatchett)

Mrs. Emma Shields, 76, had been missing since Feb. 20, was found at 3 p.m. Saturday, March 2, in an open field

day, March 2, in an open field about three-quarters of a mile north of her home.

Lee Godfrey, Charles Hunter, and Troy Coker, who were searching for Mrs. Shields, discovered the body.

Walter Cole, 65, of Atlanta, Ga., is still being held on a charge of murder. He is to be taken to Raleigh some time this week for a some time this week for a lie detector test, Anderson

Sheriff Claude Anderson said Cole had spent the night of Feb. 19 in the Shields' home. He was arrested on Feb. 25 in Blue Ridge, Ga., just across the line from Cherokee County.

A coroner's jury, impanel-ed at the scene of the dis-covery, ordered an autopsy performed to determine the cause of death.
Sheriff Anderson and Coro-

ner J. C. Townson said there was no visible evidence of foul

play.

The autopsy report is expected this week. Cole will be held in Clay County jail pending the report, according

pending the report, according to Anderson.

Earlier, the sheriff had reported that almost every square foot of ground within a radius of a mile of the missing woman's home had been fruitlessly searched.

The sheriff said about \$200 in cash was found on the hody.

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The son, Cecil Shtelds, 44, who lived with his mother, was held briefly for question-ing but was released after a lie detector test in Raleigh proved negative.

WHAT I HAVE DONE IN 4-H / 150 CLUB WORK

By Larry Groves Myers Chapel 4-H Club In my first five years of 4-H Club work, I have completed several different pro-jects. One was the Dairy Calf project. This is a record kep on the amount and cost of feed given to a young dairy calf up until the time the heifer freshens. Also, in the dairy projects are Dairy Production and Dairy Herd Management records which I am presently keeping. Other projects I have completed are Swine and Soil Testing and

Fertility. 4-H activities I have participated in include: 4-H Club Camp - In my first two years of club work I attended camp twice and both times had a

wonderful time. Each morning there were such classes as handicraft, swimming, recreation, wildlife, and volley-ball, I think 4-H Camp is a wonderful experience for any 4-H'er and all should try to attend; and State 4-H Club Week in Raleigh - This, too, has been a very rewarding experience for me. Not only do you get to meet and see numerous boys and girls (about 1500) from all over the state, but you also learn a lot, This is a week filled with fun, education, and experience-(walking, too), and I am very proud that I can

News and be a part of such a great or-

ganization as the 4-H club. Anyone who is not acquainted with 4-H doesn't know whather is missing.

ENTOMOLOGY AS A 4-H PROJECT By Eddie Tipton Brasstown 4-H Club

There are many interest-ing fields or hobbies that the 4-H'er can do in Entomology, Collecting insects and learning their names and what class they belong to is a great interest in itself, I have my own collection of insects that I have collected for about three

or four years. I enjoy getting out and catching insects of all kinds, and then mounting them to dry to put in a case for a col-

You could start a project of your own by catching terflies and moths and using them to make ashtrays and many types of jewelry.

Another very interesting project would be finding the diseases of plants or animals and finding what insect causes

Why don't you, a 4-H'er try a project of your own and find our how interesting it

WILDLIFE CONSERVATION By Sam Davis, Jr.
I have been a 4-H Club

member since 1957, Wildlife Conservation has been my main project. Through this project I have learned to appreciate all of nature. Since I became interested in wildlife, I have met many

interesting people throughout the United States and Canada, and have had the opportunity to attend meetings such as the Carolina Bird Club and the Wilson Ornithological Society, I have especially en-joyed attending Wildlife Con-ferences which are held each I meet other 4-H'ers from throughout the state who are interested in Wildlife Conser-

I was western regional winner in 1961, and attended the North Carolina Wildlife Fed-eration Banquet at Greens-boro, in 1962 at the banquet at Durham I received the Governor's award, which consist-ed of a trophy, a gold pin, and a certificate.

If there are any 4-H Club members interested in a Wild-life project and need help to get started, I would be glad to help them.

