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Jack Morris Was Drowned Near Marble Thursday Morning

Mr. Jack Morris, for a number of years a traveling salesman of the Wofford-Terrell Co. was drowned in an old lake just this side of Marble sometime Thursday morning. Mr. Morris left Murphy about eight thirty for Macon County to make his regular calls for his company. About ten o'clock the Ford Runabout which he drove was found overturned in the edge of an old hole left when top soil was taken to put on the highway from Murphy to Andrews. There was considerable water in the hole. The wreck was discovered by Mr. Fred Johnson, who quickly brought word to Murphy. President E. C. Hyatt of the Wofford-Terrell Company immediately went to the scene of the accident to remove the body and bring it to Murphy.

According to those who viewed the wrecked car, it appears that for some reason Mr. Morris lost control of the machine and ran off the road into the hole. Some think that perhaps the steering gear was locked. However, the exact cause of the accident had not been determined at a later hour Thursday.

Mr. Morris' makes his home in Copperhill, Tenn. He has been traveling for Wofford-Terrell Company for four or five years and was a very popular and successful salesman. Immediately after word was brought to Murphy of the accident the Corner was dispatched to the scene to make an investigation to determine, if by chance, foul play was responsible for the wreck.

ASHEVILLE LIONS BANQUET MURPHY LIONS MONDAY

New Civic Club Organized Here—First Regular Meeting Next Tuesday Night

The Asheville Lions Club was host Tuesday night at a sumptuous banquet to the Murphy Lions, a civic organization just being completed. The banquet was held at the Dickey House, and some nineteen members and prospective members were present.

This was the first get-together meeting since the new organization was started last week. Only three members of the required number to secure the charted are yet to be secured. The first regular meeting will be held next Tuesday night, and in the meantime it is expected that these members will be secured.

J. L. Brown, secretary of the Asheville Lions, and H. Tracy Adom, of Winston-Salem spent several days in Murphy last week in the interest of the organization here. Mr. Brown represented the Asheville Lions at the banquet Tuesday night.

Features of the meeting Tuesday night were short speeches by Dr. Creel, pastor of the Bryson City Baptist Church and President of the Bryson City Lions; J. L. Brown, W. M. Fain, A. C. Richmond; and mandolin and guitar music by Wade Powell, "Fokay" and Will Mathis.

Telegrams were read by W. M. Fain from the Asheville Lions and District G. H. Gastings of Winston-Salem, as follows:

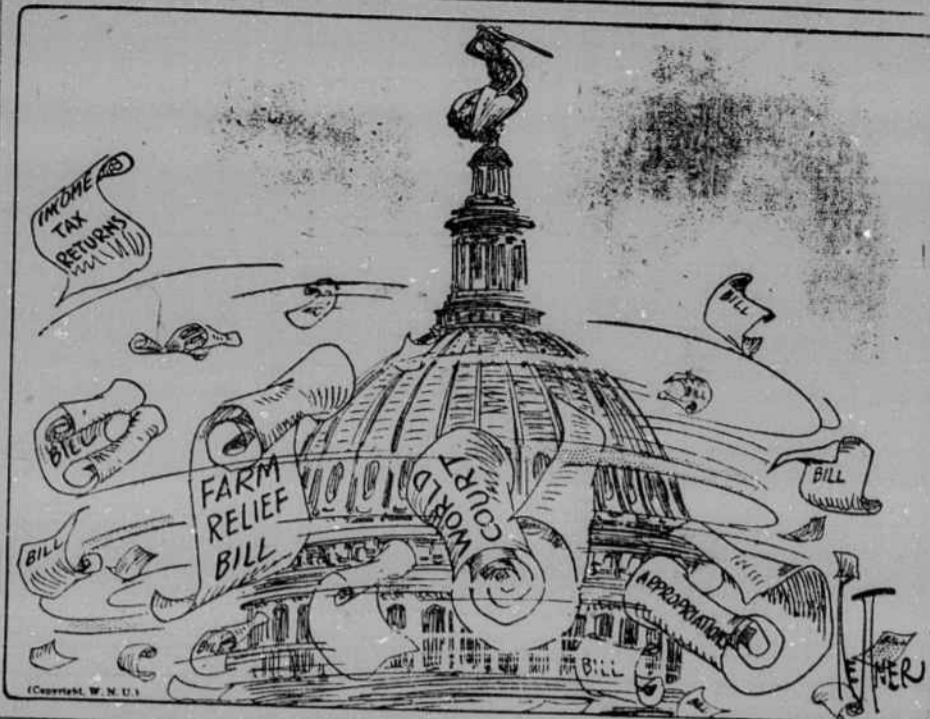
Asheville Near. Feb. 24, 1926. Hon. W. M. Fain, Mayor Murphy N. Car. Greetings Asheville Lions will back Murphy every way possible.

Lions Club of Asheville Winston-Salem, N. Car., Mar. 1, 1926 Mayor W. M. Fain, President Lions Club, Murphy, N. Car., Congratulations on organization of Lions Club, and wish for you success in your new undertaking. We can accomplish a great deal when banded together for a common purpose. Would be glad to aid in any way about charter night. G. H. Hastings, District Gov.

Resolution were passed expressing appreciation to the Asheville Lions for the suptions treat to Mr. Nettie Dickey for her generous hospitality, and to J. L. Brown personally for his efforts in making the banquet possible. The meeting lasted a little more than an hour and a pleasant one it was.

The Lions Club is expected to fill a long-felt need of a civic organization here that would allow the business and professional men of the

Whirl of March Winds



Covering Clay County With a Heavy Sod of Grass

Hayesville—Mr. Sams, County Agent at large, for N. C. State College, visited Clay County, and this was his advice, cover the bulk of Clay County with a heavy sod of grass. According to his advice and under the direction of the County Agent, nine (9) pasture demonstrations were started with the following men: J. C. Zimmerman, Brasstown, N. C.; W. R. Anderson, Brasstown, N. C.; W. R. Anderson, Brasstown, N. C.; W. R. Anderson, Brasstown, N. C.; W. R. Anderson, Brasstown, N. C.; W. R. Anderson, Brasstown, N. C.; W. R. Anderson, Brasstown, N. C.; W. R. Anderson, Brasstown, N. C.; W. R. Anderson, Brasstown, N. C.; W. R. Anderson, Brasstown, N. C.

Mr. Sams advised renovation of old pastures, by discing them, then seed wellard using the section harrow. The grass mixture he advised was Blue Grass (Kentucky) Orchard Grass, Tall Meadow Oat Grass, Timothy and Herdage Grass, with these grass use, White sweet clover, and Lespedeza. In the low soggy lands he advises the trial of Dallis Grass, about 3 per A.

Clay County's Farmers Co-operative Association capitalized itself with a \$1,000.00, to do business with for the next year. It has done business for two years, in a semi-organized way. For the last six months it has saved its members by its cooperative efforts over \$2,000.00, and it only has sixty members.

WILLARD R. ANDERSON, County Agent

CARD OF THANKS

We wish the thanks, most sincerely, the people of Murphy and surrounding country, our friends and relatives for their many kindness and sympathy in the sickness and death of our son and brother Frank.

Mrs. Nettie Dickey and family.

town to get together and enjoy a social function and the fellowship that is natural feature. The Lion's motto is "Fellowship and goodwill," and Murphy welcomes any organization that makes for progress, good will and cooperation.

Those present at the banquet were: Harve Elkins, Dr. E. E. Smith, B. W. Sipe, Dr. Edw. E. Adams, E. C. Moore, George Ellis, J. W. Davidson, R. W. Gray, A. C. Richmond, Dr. S. C. Heighway, Rev. T. L. Sasser, J. L. Brown, of Asheville, Dr. Creel, of Bryson City; W. M. Fain, C. K. Hoover, J. B. Storey, R. L. Shriver, J. H. Phaup, and C. W. Bailey.

Officers of Lions Club are: W. M. Fain President, J. W. Davidson, First Vice-President, E. C. Moore, 2nd Vice-President, R. S. Parker, Third Vice-President, B. W. Sipe, Secretary, Dr. Edw. E. Adams, Treasurer, C. W. Bailey, Tail Twister, J. B. Storey, E. P. Hawkins, R. W. Gary and W. W. Hyde, Directors.

Sad Death Claims Murphy man

The second prominent business man of Murphy within a week was claimed by death early Monday evening, March 1st, when Mr. L. W. Brittain was called to the great beyond. Mr. Brittain was sick for only a short time, a complication of disease being the cause of his death. The funeral was held at the house Tuesday afternoon at three o'clock by his pastor, Rev. D. H. Rhinehart, assisted by Rev. T. L. Sasser, after which interment was made in sunset cemetery. for the last sad rites.

Mr. Brittain was born October 7, 1871 and was therefore slightly past fifty four years of age. He married Miss Mary Gertrude Hayes on March 29th, 1896. To this union were born seven children, two of whom preceded the father to the grave. Mr. Brittain is survived by his wife; five children, Mary Kate Axley, Gertrude C. Dickey, Carrie Nell, Hugh Mark, and Gnuv Arthur; two brothers, W. P. of Peachtree, Mark of Murphy, and one sister, Mrs. E. S. Miller of Murphy, besides a great number of relatives and friends.

Mr. Brittain has long been in business in Murphy. At the time of his death he was engaged in the sale of fresh meats and groceries and had under construction, in conjunction with his son-in-law, Mr. Tom Axley, a large business house on the corner of Tennessee and Hiwassee Streets. Mr. Brittain was a member of the Methodist Church and had served as a steward in his church for many years. He was for a long time, and until recently a member of the local Board of Education. His counsel and advice will be missed in the business and civic affairs of the town as well as in his church.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Moody of Marble, visited her parents Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Abernathy last week.

Street Work Goes Rapidly Forward

With the aid of brickbats from the ruins of the recently destroyed courthouse, street work in the Town of Murphy is going rapidly forward. The street by Wofford-terrel, E. L. Townson property; that one between Bryson's and Palmer's; and the street leading to the McCall-Ellis section were completed last week and rolled down with a steam roller and put in good condition. This brick are being placed on the street leading to the McCombs section. This stretch the worst places in Conaheta drive and on one or two other streets are also being repaired. When this work is completed, practically all the streets of Murphy will be in excellent condition.

"Carry On"

By Mae E. Abernathy

Some morning, should you wake to find Your friend's have left you way behind, And all the world seem's cold, unkind— Just carry on!

Just plunge alone into the game: And though you play for wealth or fame, Or play for love—it help's the same, Just carry on!

Just buckle down when things are slow, And play it fair, so when you go, We'll pass the word that all may know, You carried on!

STANSBURY-SIZEMORE

Mr. Made Stansbury of Almond, N. C., and Miss Maybell Sizemore of Judson, N. C., were married at the residence of T. N. Bates, Murphy, N. C., on March 3rd, 1926. Esk T. N. Bates, officiating.

Placed in the Mail Premiums Won at 24 County Fair

The fair Association fulfilled its obligation to pay the other premiums following the fair. The money with these premiums was realized above all expenses and premiums occurred at the last county fair, although the weather was very unfavorable. Had good weather prevailed at the 1925 fair, there would undoubtedly have been sufficient funds to pay the entire premium list of the year before, it was said.

It will be recalled that the fair association was unable to pay the 1924 premium list at that time on account of the shortage of funds, due to low gate receipts, which in turn, was due to extremely unfavorable weather. Fair officials, in announcing the payment of three-fourths of this old premium list, stated that they hoped to have the full cooperation of every citizen of the county in the planning and carrying out of the fair this year. It was stated that farmers, housewives fruit and vegetable grower and cattle and poultry raisers should begin now to plan for the fair in the fall. By united action, the 1926 fair can be made by far the best ever held in this entire section.

Cheap Feed Produced By Good Pasture

Raleigh, N. C., March 1.—A good pasture produce the best feed for all kinds of livestock and the feed is secured more cheaply than in any other way. Even the man put over cow, a few hogs and some work stock will find a permanent pasture to pay well.

Witt's presentation have shown that furnish succulent food for livestock from March until late November," says S. J. Kirby, extension pasture specialist for the State College of Agriculture. "In almost every county east of the piedmont section, there are permanent pastures which have produced heavy grazing for periods varying from one to 21 years. Almost any type of soil will produce these pastures and some soils will produce these pastures better than any other kind of crops. The best pasture lands a rather fertile soil ranging from a sandy loam to a clayey loam of low to medium upland."

Woods cut-over land and cleared land will produce good pastures and are easily prepared for seed, states Mr. Kirby. The woods land may be prepared by cutting out the underbrush, thinning out the taller trees and removing those trees which are valuable for timber. It is necessary to break and disk old brom-sedge land before seeding. The cultivated land may be prepared simply by disking the soil. A better growth is secured if the land has been plowed the fall before, but cultivated land should not be plowed for planting to pasture just before the seeds are sown.

Mr. Kirby states that the land should be well fertilized with stable manure, 300 to 400 pounds of acid phosphorus and from 200 to 300 pounds of some organic nitrogen material like cottonseed meal or tankage. Seed mixtures to use can be secured on application to the county agent or to the pasture specialist and seeding should be done between February 15 and April 1.

PORK PRODUCING A SIDE LINE TO DAIRYING

Photo shows County Agent W. R. Anderson of Clay County standing in the fine herd of Poland China hogs belonging to Witt Penland, of Elf Community. The herd comprises eight sows and sixty-four pigs. Record in Clay County show that the dairyman receives as much in return from feeding skim milk to hogs and dairy calves as he receives for cream shipped.—Extension News Bulletin.

L. D. Axley Succumbs to attack of Pneumonia Tuesday

Tuesday evening about seven o'clock Mr. Luther Axley of the Beal section succumbed to an attack of Pneumonia after an illness of about a week.

For several days before he died, his life was despaired of. His sister, Mrs. Nina Hubbel, a trained nurse, was called from her home in Georgia members of his family, who were very ill at the same time.

The funeral services were held at the Baptist Church Wednesday afternoon at three o'clock, by the pastor, Rev. T. L. Sasser, after which interment was made in the Sunset cemetery.

Mr. Axley was a very quiet man, and one who always attended strictly to his own business. He lived in the Beal section of Town and devoted most of his time to farming activities. Just before moving to town he lived on the Axley Homestead just up Hiwassee River.

He is survived by his wife, three children, James, Frances and Louise, one brother, Tom, and two sisters, Nina and Hattie, together with a large number of relatives and friends.

His passing was the third prominent citizen of the Town, and head of a family, to be called to his reward within a week, all of which has served to cast a gloom of sorrow over the entire town.

Dairy Week in Clay County

Hayesville—The week of March 8-12, will be dairy week in Clay County. During this week the office of the county agent, is running a system of Dairy Barn Schools, the instruction will be given by Mr. F. R. Farman, Extension Dairy Specialist and the County Agent. The instruction will be along the following lines: Production of grain and roughage on our farms for dairy cattle, how to care for dairy cattle, how to select good dairy cattle, and how we may obtain these cattle.

Mr. Farman will discuss three of these subjects and the county agent will discuss three. Mr. Farman will discuss the grain and roughage that we can produce on our farms, that will return us most as a dairy ration. He will discuss how to feed these for a balance ration to get high production. He will give a demonstration in selecting dairy cows that produce a profit. The county agent will discuss permanent pastures, the building new ones and renovating old ones. The financial returns that Clay County dairymen are now receiving, according to the records. The agent will discuss a system through which cows may be had.

These Dairy Barns Schools will be held at the following places at the state time.

Brastown Community, Wm. Clayton's Tuesday, March 9, 1926, 9 A. M.

Crawford's Creek, Fletcher Hawkins Tuesday, March 9, 1926 2 P. M. Hayesville Community, Otto Waldroup's Wednesday, March 10, 1926, 2 P. M.

Hiwassee Township, Wark Weaver's Thursday, March 11, 1926, 9 A. M.

Elf Community, Erwin Kitchen's Thursday, March 11, 1926, 2 P. M.

Sheeting Creek Cem. Frank Rodgers' Friday, March 12, 1926, 9 A. M.

Elf Community, Carlton Ledford's Friday, March 12, 1926, 2 P. M.

WILLARD R. ANDERSON, County Agent.

Murphy High Lose to Cooperhill Quint

The Murphy High School basketball quint turned back by the fast Cooperhill basketball team on the latter's court in Copperhill on Tuesday night. The final score was 19 to 31. The boys played neck and neck for three fourths of the game, but in one quarter, Cooperhill slipped through enough field goals, before the locals could break up the play, to run up a lead that could not be overcome.