



Additional Animals Assigned To Sale Of Guernseys May 18

This week a number of additional animals, especially bred for heavy milk production, were assigned to the Purebred Guernsey Sale which is to be held in Murphy on May 18.

In selecting animals this year the sales committee sought to choose Guernseys with pedigrees from foundation stock proven to be exceptionally high in milk production of an dtype.

Due to the interest being manifested by 4-H club members, several animals were picked for this sale that will serve as foundation animals for establishing purebred herds.

Eight unbred heifers are consigned. Twelve bred heifers will be in the sale. Three are from Notla Farm and one from Burt Shields.

Eleven cows recently fresh or soon to freshen will be on sale. Two are from Notla farms.

This year, only a few bulls will appear in the sale; however these were selected with extreme care and are from the best blood lines the Guernsey bred affords.

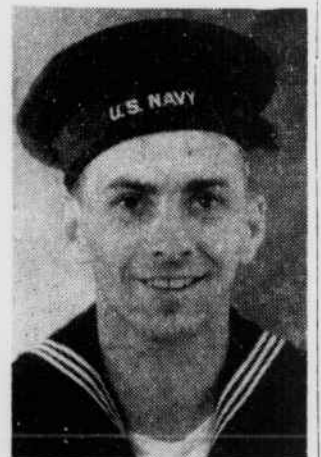
A few breeders have not made definite consignments as yet. When they are heard from a few additional animals may be in the sale.

One feature of the sale will be the presentation of a heifer by citizens of Murphy. At the sale last fall, the Lion's Club sponsored a similar project. Realizing the value of purebred animals that carry a high concentration of dairy characteristics, an outstanding calf that will make an unusual contribution to the development of the dairy industry wherever it goes has been selected. This calf carries the blood of famous Guernsey cattle. Again, as last year, this project is made possible through the sale of tickets.

Schlemmer To Speak, Andrews

Commencement exercises will end Friday evening, April 28, at Andrews high school, when Fred C. Schlemmer, project manager of Pontana Dam, will deliver the address and the graduates will receive their diplomas.

Pvt. Jas. C. Solesbee, Camp Wheeler, Ga., spent several days recently with his wife and mother, Mrs. Vienna Hips.



NOW OVERSEAS — Seaman Second Class Brown Caldwell, who entered the Navy, September, 1943. He received his training at Bainbridge, Md., after which he was sent to Norfolk, Va., for six weeks in Gunners school and is now serving overseas.

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MADE CAPTAIN — Lt. Edward Pruden Davidson, who recently was promoted to the rank of Captain, according to information received by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Davidson.

Captain Davidson was appointed aviation cadet April 28, 1942, at Trenton, New Jersey, assigned to aviation cadet engineering school Chanute Field, Ill., from May 1, to Sept. 18, 1942. Commissioned 2nd Lt., Air corps reserves upon graduation from Chanute, assigned to 24th Reconnaissance Squadron, Pope Field, N. C., served as squadron engineering officer of that squadron until Feb. 14, 1943, during which time the squadron moved to Vichy, Mo., was transferred to headquarters, 76th tactical Reconnaissance group, and assigned duty of Group Engineering officer and assistant group technical inspector. Group moved to desert area for California desert maneuvers middle of Sept. 1943. Transferred from 76th group headquarters, third tactical air division on March 15; assigned to duty as assistant 4-4 and aircraft maintenance officer for the division; present duty assignment, Alexandria, La.

C. I. Calhoun, Sr. Dies Tuesday At The Age Of 84

Charles I. Calhoun, Sr., 84 died at his home, Murphy Route 1, about 10 o'clock Tuesday morning following a long illness.

Funeral services were held Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock at Peachtree Baptist church with the Rev. Robert Barker officiating.

Burial was in the church cemetery. Towns funeral home was in charge of arrangements.

He is survived by three daughters, Mrs. George Wilson, Mrs. Lum Evans, Murphy, Route 2, and Mrs. Bill Payne of Murphy; and three sons, T. P. Calhoun, C. I. Calhoun, Jr., both of Murphy and Zeb Calhoun of Buffalo, S. C.

AT REGIONAL MEETING Mrs. H. Bueck, district chairman of the Women's Division of the War Finance committee, attended a southern regional conference of the United States war finance committee in Capital City club Monday. The principal discussion was the fifth war loan drive which is to be conducted in June.

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No Contest For Local Offices In The Primary

Mrs. G. W. Cover of Andrews is Cherokee county's only candidate for representative. A. L. Penland, Hayesville, democrat; and Clyde H. Jarrett, Andrews, republican, are candidates for senator from the 33rd district. The name of Mrs. Winifred Townson Wells was filed for representative, but she withdrew her name.

Lawson Lunsford of Peachtree, B. B. Palmer of Marble, and Noah Hembree of Murphy filed for member of board of education.

Since there are no contests for local offices, the only voting in the May 27 primary will be for state officials.

21 Men Leave Tuesday For The U. S. Navy

Twenty-one Cherokee county men left Murphy Tuesday morning for Spartanburg, S. C., to enter the navy. They were:

William Gwen Cornwell, leader, Elmer Bascomb Collins, James Adolphus Parker, James William Mintz, Ralph Killian, Fred Herbert Holloway, Matt Herbert Reighard, Rufus Robert Reece, Wayne Jewel Roberts, James Edward Bristol, Sidney James Allen, Johnnie S. Ellis, A. V. Dockery, Marshall Chase Tatham, Calvin Wayne Taylor, Lonnie Frank Dockery, Earl Arthur Owenby, Lloyd Gordon Gibson, Carl Bryson, Jr., Vinson Dehart, Rufus Edwin Hunsucker.

Legion Post Takes WAC Applications

The local post of the American Legion is sponsoring enlistments in the WAC, and the Army has given the post a quota of three enlistments. Allen W. Lovinggood adjutant, announces that the post will receive applications and that the transportation of those interested in enlisting is paid from here to Asheville and return and that meals are furnished.

The post has been advised that the Army is in desperate need of women to fill posts as office workers to replace men who are being sent out. Whenever possible, WACs are allowed their choice of assignment.

The requirements are: two years of high school or more; must be between the ages of 20 and 50; must be in good health; married or single; if married, no children under 14 years of age.

To Lecture Here Friday Evening

Dr. Willis A. Parker of Asheville is bringing Dr. Herbert A. Miller of Black Mountain College as guest speaker of the Murphy Woman's club meeting to be held Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock at the Carnegie library. The lecture will take the place of the regular April club meeting. Mrs. Harry Miller, president, has announced. Dr. Miller's subject will be "Czechoslovakia and Other Minorities in Post war Planning."

Following the lecture a short business meeting will be held for the purpose of electing officers for the coming year.

In England

Pvt. Harold H. Lovinggood has arrived in England according to word received by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Bass Lovinggood of Murphy, Route 1. He is serving in the quartermasters corps.

He entered the Army in September 1943, taking basic training at Camp Blanding, Fla. He was transferred to Ft. Meade, Md., and from there to New York before going overseas.

IN HOSPITAL

Mrs. T. A. Case is a patient at Murphy General hospital for two weeks.

Reclassifications Are Announced

The Cherokee county draft board has reclassified a number of men this week. They include:

In 1-A, Donald Gibby, Wayne B. Pace, John H. Garrett, Dock G. Coleman, Glen R. Pace, Troy S. Hannah.

In 1-A(H), Clifton Henry, Gordon Jones, General M. Young, Hayes H. Dockery, Otis Adams, Horace L. Prince.

In 2-A, Verdun W. Davis, Lawton McDonald, Roy W. Stiles, Dennis A. Barnett, Zachery T. Carringer.

In 2-B, Jewell O. Moore, Roy E. Lee, Rex B. Porter, Rome B. Maney, Max Ferguson, Earl M. Mundy, Lloyd B. Lunsford, Clyde A. Dockery, Jr.

In 2-C, Loyal E. Hall, Virgil H. Clonts.

In 4-D, Hosea Woody.

John Moore, Jr. Takes Special Course, Ft. Sill

Fort Sill, Okla. — Technician Fifth Grade (Corporal) John B. Moore, Jr., Murphy, North Carolina, has been selected to attend the Enlisted Full Track Vehicle course, of the Field Artillery School at this post.

Corporal Moore is the son of Mr. John B. Moore, 107 Valley River avenue, Murphy.

Enlisted men and officers are constantly returning to the nation's only Field Artillery School for instruction in the latest artillery tactics and techniques.

The accuracy and effect with which artillery fire has been delivered on the enemy by our troops overseas reflect the value of this training.

Fred Swain, Jr. Trains As An Ordnance Soldier

Pvt. Fred Swain Jr., formerly of Murphy, N. C., who was recently taken into the service, has been sent to the Ordnance Replacement Training Center, Aberdeen Proving Ground, Md., where he will receive his basic training as an Ordnance soldier.

He formerly lived at Murphy, N. C. His present address is Company E, 1 Regiment, O.R.T.C., Aberdeen Proving Ground, Md.



CADET Wm. B. HORNSBY

Hornsby Finishes Pre-Flight Work

Columbia, S. C., April 17—Aviation Cadet William Barnette Hornsby, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Hornsby, of Murphy, has been graduated from the Navy Flight Preparatory School at the University of South Carolina, and has entered the next phase of his training at the CAA-WTS School at the University of Miami, Coral Gables, Fla.

At Coral Gables A/C Hornsby will make his first solo flight and be one step nearer to the day when he will wear his wings of gold as an ensign in the U. S. Navy Reserve, or a second lieutenant in the Marine Corp Reserve.

A/C Hornsby graduated from Andrews High School before starting his training as a pilot.

Commencement Exercises To Be Held Sunday, Monday, Tuesday; Cash And Sharp Are Speakers



TO SPEAK HERE — J. Worth Sharp, president of Young Harris College, Young Harris, Ga., who will speak at the commencement exercises of Murphy high school Tuesday evening at 7:30 o'clock, in the school auditorium.

H. N. Wells Joins Guernsey Club Of America

Peterborough, N. H. — The American Guernsey Cattle Club announces the election of H. N. Wells, Murphy, North Carolina, to membership. Mr. Wells has a herd of registered Guernseys on his Beachwood Farm, Route No. 2, Box 4.

The American Guernsey Cattle Club is a national organization of 25,000 breeders of pure bred Guernseys. It records the registrations of pure bred Guernseys which trace to the Island of Guernsey, the original home of the breed, in the English Channel. It also supervises tests of production and through Golden Guernseys, Inc., supervises the marketing of Golden Guernsey Milk.

SOCIAL SECURITY

The social security board field office at Asheville will give service on claims and account numbers at Cherokee County Courthouse, Courtroom, May 18, 9 a.m.



CADET ROY M. TATHAM

Tatham Completes First Training; Now at Pensacola

Aviation Cadet Roy M. Tatham, 21, son of Mrs. Purdy Tatham of Andrews, was recently transferred from the Naval Air Station, Memphis, Tenn., where he completed his primary flight training, to the Naval Air Training Center, Pensacola, Fla., for intermediate training.

Upon completion of the intensive course at the "Annapolis of the Air" Cadet Tatham will receive his Navy "Wings of Gold" with the designation of Naval Aviator, and will be commissioned an Ensign in the Naval Reserve or a Second Lieutenant in the Marine Corps Reserve.



TO PREACH FINALS SERMON — Rev. A. B. Cash, pastor of First Baptist church, Murphy, where services will be held Sunday morning at 11:15 as a part of the closing exercises of Murphy high school. Mr. Cash will preach the baccalaureate sermon.

Hampton Gets Gunner's Wings

Pvt. Grover C. Hampton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred T. Hampton, Route No. 2, Murphy, North Carolina received his silver aerial gunner's wings and was promoted to the grade of corporal when he completed the flexible gunnery course for radio men at the Yuma Army Air Field recently. Prior to his training in flexible gunnery, Cpl. Hampton graduated from the Radio Operators and Mechanics School, Scott Field, Illinois.

Pressure Canners To Be Checked

All persons owning a pressure canner and wanting it checked and put into good working shape are requested to bring them to the home economics laboratory of Murphy school on Monday, May 1, by 9 o'clock in the morning. The clinic has been changed from Jackson county on April 28 to Murphy on May 1.

The canners should have the name and address of owners securely fastened to them.

An expert engineer will be here to test the canners. At 3:30 o'clock in the afternoon a demonstration will be given on "How to Clean and Care for Your Pressure Canner".

It will not be necessary to test the new victory canners.

Murphy school closing exercises will be held Sunday through Tuesday. The Rev. A. B. Cash will preach the baccalaureate sermon Sunday morning and J. Worth Sharp, president of Young Harris college, will deliver the address Tuesday evening.

Sunday morning's exercises start at 11:15 at First Baptist church, with the prelude, "Reverie", by Mrs. J. W. Davidson. "God of Our Fathers" will be used as the processional. Invocation will be offered by the Rev. Ralph Taylor. Following the doxology, the glee club will sing the anthem, "Lift Thine Eyes". "Come Thou Almighty King" will be sung by the congregation, after which the Rev. C. A. Smith will offer prayer. Prayer response will be by the glee club, and scripture reading by the Rev. Ralph Taylor. The anthem, "Ye Watchers and Ye Holy Ones" will be sung by the glee club. The Rev. A. B. Cash will preach on "The House Wisdom Built". Closing features will be a solo, "The Lord's Prayer" by Miss Virginia Morgan; recessional, "Praise Ye the Father"; and benediction.

On Monday evening at 7:30 American folk music will be presented by Murphy grade school, in the school auditorium. Certificates will be presented by Supt. H. Bueck.

Graduation exercises will be in the school auditorium at 7:30 Tuesday evening. Following the processional, the glee club will sing, "Three Roses" and "April". Miss Barbara Robinson will deliver the salutatory, and H. A. Maxwell will introduce the speaker, President Sharp. Miss Virginia Morgan will sing "Ava Maria", and awards and certificates will be presented by Supt. H. Bueck. The valedictory will be delivered by Miss Mildred Hampton. Marshals are: Misses Mamilee Kilpatrick, chief; Georgie Lee Mulkey, Janice Hall, Lillie Frances Hawkins, and Mildred Wells.

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To Complete Recruit Training

Naval Training Station, Sampson, N. Y. — Bluejacket Harry W. Robinson, S 2/C, 509 Hiwassee St., Murphy, N. C., will complete his recruit training this week at this naval training station on the shores of Seneca Lake and will be granted leave.

Upon his return to Sampson, he will be eligible for further assignment which may qualify him for a petty officer rating.

Archer Speaks On Post-War Planning

John Archer of Franklin, manager of Nantahala Power and Light Company and chairman of post-war planning in his county, was guest speaker at the meeting of Murphy Lions club Tuesday evening. He challenged members of the club to consider carefully now what they are going to do when the war ends, in stimulating industry and commerce to production and usefulness at a minimum of 40 per cent in excess of the 1939 level. The purpose of the post-war planning program is to "plan boldy for after-the-war", he stated.

Steps to take in getting industry to have a part in post-war planning are: Awaken sense of importance in the community; see the necessity for looking ahead and planning for their own future; intensify sense of responsibility and appeal to them as enterprising leaders.

A total of \$318.50 for the Boy Scout adult membership drive was reported collected by members of

the club. Among the guests present were: J. H. Duncan, Pritchard Smith, both of the U. S. Navy, who are members of the club; Lewis Shields, son of E. L. Shields; and Edward H. Brumby.

Tailtweater Doyle Burch was wearing a new "tailtweater's" hat.

H. G. Elkins reported as chairman of the military affairs committee, that members of the club usually are late in arriving on the scene when men are leaving for military service, and usually there are not enough to pass out the cigarettes and chewing gum the club presents the boys. Members were urged to be on time.

Dr. W. A. Hoover reported on the council meeting held in Dillsboro recently.

Doyle Burch, chairman of the calf sale committee, announced the tickets will be given to members this week.

Lions state convention to be held in Charlotte June 11-13 was announced by Dr. W. A. Hoover.