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TWELVE PAGES THIS WEEK

United War Fund Drive Starts Oct. 8

The people of Europe face a critical fall and winter, and whether they are on the way to normal life by next spring depends to a great extent on the help Americans give them during the next few months, according to Winthrop W. Aldrich, President of the National War Fund.

Mr. Aldrich made this statement in a report to Frank Forsyth, Cherokee county War Fund Chairman, following his return from a trip to England, France, Holland, Czechoslovakia and Germany.

Cherokee county's quota is \$2,600. "There will be great suffering unless the people are provided with more of the mere necessities of life in addition to essential food and clothing," said Mr. Aldrich. "These minimum necessities are the things which the National War Fund agencies are seeking to provide."

"The work of the privately supported relief agencies of the National War Fund is enormously important, and in my opinion the extent of their work within the next few months may fix the pattern of living in Europe next spring. The people of Europe who have been aided by voluntary American philanthropy are well aware of the help they have received. And they are most grateful."

"I am convinced that the work being done by National War Fund agencies in NO way duplicates that of UNRRA."

Knitters For Red Cross Needed

Mrs. Dale Lee, chairman of knitting of the Cherokee county chapter of the American Red Cross is asking for knitters.

Garments needed are sweaters for refugees, hospital bed socks, stump socks and olive drab sleeveless sweaters for occupational soldiers. Any one who can knit is urged to get yarn from Miss Josephine Heighway at the library, and make some of these garments, which are needed.

To Recruit Young Men For Army

Sgt. Livingston and Cpl. Whitehurst of the Army Recruiting Station, Asheville, will be in Murphy this week for the purpose of recruiting young men for the Regular Army.

They will be here on Oct. 5, 8 a. m. to 5 p. m. and Oct. 8 thru Oct. 12, 8 a. m. to 5 p. m., and will be glad to answer all questions pertaining to enlistment in the Regular Army or Enlisted Reserve Corps.

SINGING CONVENTION

Fanning county Singing Convention will convene at Epworth, Ga., Sunday, Oct. 7, opening at 10:00 EST. Stamps-Baxter Quartette of Chattanooga will give a concert Saturday night the 6th at Epworth, beginning at 7:00 o'clock slow time.



This poster in observance of Newspaper Week, symbolizes the role to be played by "the Fourth Estate" in making Peace permanent.

Revival Begins Sunday At Free Methodist Church

A revival campaign will begin at the Free Methodist Church Sunday, Oct. 7, at 7:30 p. m. with the pastor, Rev. L. E. Latham, preaching. Workers from the Georgia District will be present during a part of the meeting to assist. Members and friends of other churches are invited to attend and co-operate in this effort to win souls to Christ.

Funeral Held For S. R. Young

S. R. Young, age 62, died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Clarence Mitchell of Union County, Ga., after an illness of several months.

Funeral services were held at Pleasant Grove Baptist Church Oct. 2 at 10 a. m. Burial was in the church cemetery, with the Rev. Carl Brewer and the Rev. Mr. Wade officiating.

Surviving are four daughters; Mrs. Edwin Mitchell, Mrs. Ed Mitchell, Mrs. Bonell Hill and Mrs. Visco Hill; three sons: C. J. of Atlanta, Frank of Blairsville, Hubert of the U. S. Army; three brothers: Sam, George, and Luther of Elkhartville; two sisters, Mrs. George Stephens, and Mrs. Lula Brackett of Blairsville.

Mr. Young was born and reared in Union County, Ga., and has been a devout member of the Baptist Church since early boyhood.

Pastors To Meet On October 15

The Western North Carolina Baptist Pastors' conference will be held on October 15 instead of October 8, as had been previously announced, according to statement from the Rev. C. M. Warren of Sylva, secretary. The meeting will be held at Jackson Line Baptist church in Bryson City. All pastors are asked to note the change in date. The meeting will begin at 10:30 a. m. EST.

Home From Much Foreign Service

Sgt. Johnny H. Wilson, son of Mr. and Mrs. I. N. Wilson of Marble, Route 1, has just returned home after spending three and a half years in the South Pacific. He received his honorable discharge at Fort Bragg.

Lions Raise \$3,975 For Swimming Pool At Park

Murphy Lions Club, Inc., realized a net profit of \$3,975.18 on the Cherokee county fair which was sponsored September 17-25, for the purpose of building a swimming pool at the city park, according to announcement by H. G. Elkins, chairman, and R. S. Bault, treasurer. Cash received from all sources amounted to \$6,665.93, from which disbursements of \$2,690.75 were made. An itemized statement of receipts and disbursements is published in this issue of the SCOUT.

The exhibits at the fair this year were described as outstanding, even though there were not so numerous.

In the 4-H club Guernsey dairy calf exhibits, winners in the Junior calf group were:

Hazel Suit, first prize; J. B. Hall, second, James Myers third and Ralph Warner, fourth.

In the senior group, James Smith won first prize, Hazel Suit second, Carroll Clonts, third, and James Myers, fourth.

In the senior yearling group,

SYRACUSE HONORS WAINWRIGHT



HERO OF CORREGIDOR AND BATAAN, Gen. Jonathan M. Wainwright receives a red-feathered headdress, symbolizing hope that the United War Fund drive will go over the top, from Gordon Smith, president of the Syracuse, N. Y. Chamber of Commerce. The presentation was made during the city's welcoming ceremonies for Wainwright. (International)

Captain E. S. Miller Liberated; In Manila

Charter Presented Topton Patrol

The charter for Neighborhood Patrol No. 10 of Topton was presented Wednesday evening by Harry Webster of Murphy, District commissioner. The Scout master was Jerry M. Long. The committeemen include: Bruce King, Richard Conley, C. N. George, Jess L. Matheson, and G. C. Fair.

The members of the new unit are: Earl J. Nelson, John B. Godfrey, Bobby and Wilbur Fair, Richard T. George and Ray L. Matheson. Members of the American Legion of Andrews assisted in the program.

F. V. Smith conducted the tenderfoot and investiture service.

Home After Five Years Of Service

S. Sgt. Gene Mallonee, son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Mallonee, has been honorably discharged from the Army and is now at home. He has been in service five years, spending the last eighteen months in the European theater.

SINGING CONVENTION

The Cherokee county semi-annual Singing Convention will be held Sunday, Oct. 14, at Suit, in the Old Friendship Church.

An invitation is extended to everybody.

Tom Dickey Gets His Discharge

Sgt. Tom Dickey who has been with the marines for four years the last year having been spent in Panama, has received an honorable discharge and is now at home here with his mother, Mrs. Leila Dickey.



ON FURLOUGH - Pvt. Fred Lefevers, who recently spent a 10-day furlough with his mother, Mrs. H. M. Lefevers. He has completed his training at Camp Rucker, Ala., and has now returned to the post at Ft. George Meade, Md., where he will finish his training.

Post Offices At Murphy And Andrews Proposed

15 Men Men Leave For Military Examination

The following 15 men left Murphy Wednesday morning for Fort Jackson, S. C., for pre-induction physical examination:

Lewis Casteel Hawkins, Jr., leader; Edgar William Floyd, Homer Poley Floyd, Harry Crithier Palmer, Oid James Rhodes, Winfred Lake Cook, Luther Guy Harris, James Sheridan O'Dell, Charles Junior O'Dell, M. B. McDonald, William Herschel Lee, James David Farmer, Ernest Wayne Willoc, Ralph Edward Dailey, Owen Brewer, transferred.

Scout Publishes New Features For Subscribers

As a progressive step in its service to its subscribers, THE CHEROKEE SCOUT this week announces the beginning of an outstanding feature service, distributed by King Features Syndicate, New York City, which the paper believes will be welcomed by its readers.

Among the features in this new service are:

Timely cartoons for the editorial page by Jesse Cargill.

Comic features including Muggs and Skeeter by Wally Bishop, Sally's Sallies by R. J. Scott, and The Old Home Town by Lee Stanley. The SCOUT already published The Lone Ranger each week.

Scott's Scrap Book, an oddity panel prepared by R. J. Scott.

Menus for the housewife, by Betsy Newman.

Live International news pictures, and a number of other features that will be of interest to the entire family.

The feature which the SCOUT believes will be most appreciated by the subscribers is "Highlights on the Sunday School Lesson" by Newman Campbell. Each week Dr. Campbell will give a general discussion of the International Uniform Sunday School lesson for the following Sunday, and teachers and pupils alike will find it helpful in preparing their lessons.

Cherokee Now On Eastern Standard Time

The Cherokee county board of commissioners at its meeting Monday voted unanimously to leave the time in Murphy as it now stands, which is Eastern Standard time, and the time on which Murphy operated for several months before central war time was adopted. The entire state of North Carolina is now operating on uniform time which eliminates confusion hereafter.

Buses and trains which have been operating on War time, have moved back an hour, and schedules are an hour later than during the war.

The commissioners also drew the jury list for the November term of court, and turned the 1945 tax books over to the sheriff for collection, settling with him for last year's taxes.

Bulldogs To Play Franklin Friday

Murphy Bulldogs play Franklin high school in Murphy Friday afternoon at 1 o'clock. This is the first home game of the season for the Bulldogs.

On September 21 the Murphy team lost a hard-fought contest to the Mountaineers of Waynesville, by the score of 21 to 12.

Baptist Pastors To Meet Monday

Ministers of the W. N. C. Baptist Association will hold their monthly conference in the First Baptist church, Murphy, on October 8, at 10 a. m. All ministers are cordially invited to attend.

The Rev. W. T. Truett will have charge of the devotional and the Rev. J. Alton Morris will speak on "Improving Our Pastorates."

First Methodist Church Elects Officers For Year

At the Fourth Quarterly conference which was held in First Methodist church Sunday morning, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

Board of Stewards: H. E. Bishop, Dale Lee, D. V. Carringer, H. G. Elkins, J. C. English, W. M. Fain, J. W. Franklin, Edwin Cook, Dr. J. R. Bell, Duke Whitley, W. P. Odom, Dr. L. T. Russell, Frank Taylor, Robert Weaver, T. A. Case, W. D. King.

District Steward: J. W. Franklin; Reserve: W. M. Fain; Recording Steward: W. P. Odom; Communication Steward: Mrs. John Axley.

Board of Trustees: Term expires 1945, W. P. Odom, H. G. Elkins; term expires 1947, P. C. Hyatt, W. D. King, J. W. Franklin; term expires 1948, W. M. Fain, H. E. Bishop.

Legion Service Office Opens At Courthouse

The American Legion has opened a service office for veterans, in the judge's room at the courthouse, with Miss Justine Justice as clerk. She is in the office daily from 8 a. m. to 4 p. m. A service office, Dick Hulmes of Asheville, will be at the office once each week to assist veterans.

Assisting with the work here are: Capt. F. W. Swan, education; Tom Axley, G. I. loans; A. Q. Ketter, agriculture; H. Bueck, business advice; Edwin Hyde, legal advice; Miss Marvie Walker, relief; and Winslow McIver, employment.

Richard Howell Gets Discharge

Richard A. Howell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Allen Howell, who has been with the U. S. army overseas for 27 months, returned last week and received his honorable discharge at Fort Bragg and is now at home. He served with the army in North Africa, Sicily, Italy, France and Germany.

If congress enacts legislation proposed by the public buildings administration, Murphy, Andrews and Robbinsville will be in line for new post office buildings. It is proposed in a \$10,000,000 post office construction, extension and remodeling program for Western North Carolina that a \$95,000 building be constructed at Murphy and an \$85,000 one each at Andrews and Robbinsville.

Other proposed buildings, west of Asheville, are at Bryson City, \$85,000; Candler, \$85,000; Enka, \$85,000; Sylva, \$95,000.

The North Carolina program is a portion of a list of 4,020 eligible building projects in the states and territories, upon which the PBA proposes to spend a total of \$774,795,000. The legislation proposed Tuesday would, however, provide for early authorization of \$193,000,000, which would be spent upon projects with highest priority, based upon urgency of need. The most urgently needed projects would be built from the first appropriation, with others to follow over a period of years.

Local Officers To Attend Fall F. B. I. Conference In Waynesville

At least nine Cherokee, Clay and Graham law enforcement officers are scheduled to attend the fall F. B. I. Conference in Waynesville on Thursday, October 11, it was learned yesterday.

Those invited to attend the conference from these counties include Sheriff L. L. Mason, Cherokee County; Chief of Police W. W. Brandon, Murphy; Chief of Police Frank Mehaffey, Andrews; Chief of Police Lt. L. M. Woodard, Hiwassee Dam; Sheriff G. E. Brewer, Robbinsville; Chief of Police C. D. Sawyer, Robbinsville; Chief of TVA Police Captain J. W. Dodd, Fontana Dam; Sheriff N. R. Kitchin, Hayesville; TVA Police Lt. H. D. Garrison, Chatauga Dam; Hayesville.

Edward Schiedt, special agent in charge of the F. B. I. office of the Carolinas, has announced that the principal topic for discussion will be "Post War Planning For Police Departments". There also will be demonstrations and the discussion of the care of firearms, and a talk on "personal descriptions" by a special agent. Mr. Schiedt also announced special pictures of fugitives wanted in this area would be shown.

The conference will begin at eleven o'clock at the Waynesville aemory, with the host city giving a barbecue and other forms of entertainment at the noon hour. Official hosts are Mayor J. H. Hay, County manager George Brown, Chief O. R. Rogers, Sheriff R. V. Welch and City Manager G. C. Ferguson.

Roberts Awarded Gold Wreath

Santa Fe, N. M. - The Meritorious Service Unit Plaque, awarded military personnel of the Atomic Bomb Project, has been presented at the project's laboratory northwest of this city.

The presentation was made by Colonel Gerald R. Tyler, Commanding Officer, at a review and retreat parade. Dr. J. R. Oppenheimer, Director of the laboratory, said that the work of the troops was invaluable in production of the bomb.

Individual members of the detachments wear a gold wreath on the right sleeve of their uniforms as evidence of the award.

They include T/5 Luther B. Roberts, Route 1, Marble, N. C., member of the Special Engineer Detachment.

ANNUAL HOMECOMING

The annual homecoming services of Vengeance Creek church will be held Sunday, Oct. 7. All quartets and singers are invited. Everybody is asked to come and bring a basket lunch.