

Murphy Hi Notes

SUE LEDFORD, EDITOR

Plan Christmas Chapel Program

Committees to work out Christmas chapel programs have been appointed as follows: High School, Mrs. Bueck, Miss Virginia Wolfe, Miss Virginia Thomas and C. D. Puett; grammar school; Mr. Jordan, Mrs. Davidson, Miss Leatherwood and Mrs. Staleup. The primary grades will work out their program to be given in the new assembly room down in their building.

Reporters and typists for this edition are: Peggy Savage, Sally Barton, and Kathleen Holloway.

Juniors Make \$50 For Prom

With the help of their sponsors, Mrs. Ray and Miss Rule, the Junior Class had charge of the concessions on the athletic field Thursday afternoon. Tommy Alexander, class treasurer, not only did the buying but delivered many of the supplies. Sally Barton and Peggy Savage gave service with

their cars. Those juniors even had their parents working. Mrs. Alexander sent over some chili; Mrs. Barton and Mrs. Plemmons made popcorn balls; and Mrs. Savage lent her oil stove.

These juniors also had for sale the school colors, made in bows for lapel or hair; red and black for Andrews, gold and black for M. H. S.

The class made approximately fifty dollars which they have deposited to use next spring for the Junior-Senior Prom.

Boys Draw Thank Pictures

Some excellent Thanksgiving pictures have been drawn by the sixth grade boys this week using the scale method. This is an easy way to learn to draw and a great deal of interest has been shown by the boys, especially those who say they can not draw.

In English, the class learned poems about Thanksgiving to help them get into the holiday spirit.

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100 Percent In Red Cross Drive

Mrs. Boyd Davis reports that the Murphy Elementary Schools collected \$35.80 for the Junior Red Cross. All the classrooms joined by being 100%. Miss Sword's fourth grade gave the largest donation which amounted to \$4.82. Mrs. Patton's second grade gave the second largest donation which was \$4.41. There were 606 children who took part in the campaign.

Some of the sixth grade girls have ordered Tonetts which they hope to learn to play at their music hour. They are now working on their gifts for their mothers at Christmas.

The sixth grade boys were 100% in joining the American Junior Red Cross this week.

Alumni Return For Holidays

Murphy High School graduates back at the Homecoming game were: Jo Mason, Ruth Barton, Jerry Hall, Elizabeth Ann Elkins, Mary Frances Axley, James Hughes, Doris Crisp Emory Duckworth, Edgar Darnell, Alice Jane Dockery, Dorothy Palmer Martin Dockery, Jean Reid, Faye Boling, Sam Staleup, Sybil Hughes James Evans.

Food Classes Serve At P. T. A.

The girls in the foods classes made cheese and nut sandwiches, peanut butter, oatmeal cookies, and hot spiced tea for the Parent-Teachers meeting on Monday night. The following girls served: Jean Littlejohn, Frances Hert, Jean Penny, and Carmen Townson.

A movie in technicolor on a method of cake-making was enjoyed recently. It was entitled, "Four Hundred Years in Four Minutes."

A project in scarf making was started this week. The class will have a demonstration on tie-dyeing as one special way to make one colorful.

ATTEND CLUB

Mr. Bueck, Mr. Dulin, Mr. Sanders, and Mr. Jordan attended the initial meeting of the Smoky Mountain Schoolmaster's club last Monday night.

GRADE MOTHERS MEET

Grade mothers and their chairman, Mrs. Ed Brumby, met with the teachers of the elementary school Friday afternoon to map out some plans for the remainder of the school year.

Mr. Sanders of the high school reported \$8.80 and five rooms enrolled in Junior Red Cross.

The rabbit hunting season in North Carolina opens November 25.

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7,259 Lose Licenses For Drunken Driving

During October, 786 motorists in North Carolina were shorn of their driving licenses because of drunken driving, bringing to 7,259 total drunken driving convictions for 1948, the Motor Vehicle Department announced today.

The October drunken driving convictions were 294 higher than for the same month last year, when 592 persons were convicted.

A total of 1,257 drivers in North Carolina lost their driving privileges during October because of traffic law offenses and practices detrimental to Highway Safety. Revocations totaled 1,025, and suspensions 232.

These included 75 persons caught driving drunk outside the State, 43 driving drunk and miscellaneous, 34 driving after license was revoked, 16 for two offenses of reckless driving; 31 for reckless driving and miscellaneous; 39 for speeding over 75 miles per hour.

During the month, 45 persons lost their licenses for a second conviction of drunken driving. A second drunken driving conviction means mandatory revocation of driver's license for a period of three years.

Twenty-five persons were deprived of their licenses for being habitual violators of traffic laws, 37 for failure to maintain proof of financial responsibility, 32 for two offenses of speeding over 55 miles per hour, 19 for transporting liquor, and three for involuntary manslaughter.

During the month, 492 persons were convicted of reckless driving, bringing to 4,078 total reckless driving convictions for 1948. Reckless driving, however, requires no revocation or suspension on first offense.

In addition to the major violations which are cause for revocation or suspension, there were 6,329 other violators who were convicted, but not deprived of their driving licenses. Speeding took the greatest toll, with 2,744 convictions, bringing speeding convictions for 1948 to 26,161.

Other offenses: failing to have driver's license, 1,449; faulty equipment, 433; improper lights, 264; running through red light, 265; passing school bus loading or unloading, 47; driving on wrong side of road, 50; passing on curve, 34; passing on hill, 25; failing to stop at intersection, 30; failing to dim lights, 60; failing to stop when entering highway, 30.

Of the total violators for October, 5,669 were North Carolinians, and the remaining 660 were out-of-state drivers.

Optimist Bowl Game Is Dec. 3

ASHEVILLE—A 11 indications point to a capacity crowd here the afternoon of December 3 when the All-Western and All-Eastern high school squads meet in the second annual Optimist Bowl game at Memorial stadium.

Last Sunday at the George Vanderbilt Hotel here the two coaching staffs, headed by West's Bill Morris and East's "Pete" Peterson, met with Bowl committee members and officials and all but completed the selection of the two all-star senior squads. However, several places on each outfit were left vacant pending the outcome of

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Cooking Hints Are Given

By RUTH CURRENT
State Home Demonstration Agent

Do you eat the same things for breakfast each morning, buy the same cuts of meat each week? Let's get out of that menu-planning rut and use some of the other good foods. Too often we build our meals out of what's in the pantry rather than building our pantry out of what should be in our meals.

How many different vegetables have you eaten during the past week? Vegetables vary greatly in their food value and in the minerals and vitamins they contain. Let's not stick to three or four "old stand-bys" but try some new ones on our menus.

Many of the vegetables—tomatoes, cabbage, carrots, turnips, turnip greens, cauliflower, green peppers, beets and spinach—which we ordinarily cook could be eaten raw to give variety and to preserve more of the food value.

Try a salad made of raw cabbage and raw spinach or other greens, with a good French dressing poured over it. Have you tried raw cauliflower dipped in cream cheese? Raw green pepper strips, turnip, parsnip and carrot sticks and curls, cauliflower flowerlets, and cabbage wedges make crunchy, interesting relish combinations and

games through Thanksgiving Day and the performances of "borderline" participants.

As the tentative lineups of the squads now stands all of Western North Carolina will be well represented on the field. It was generally agreed that neither selection could officially be announced until the day after Turkey Day contests due to the fact that both coaching staffs are determined to annex the best possible talent.

add zest as well as food value to any meal.

Fortunately most inks are washable. A good sudsing in warm water and soap is all that's necessary to remove ink stains from clothing.

Occasionally, however, you may have to apply vinegar or lemon juice. If clothes are white, bleach remaining stains with hydrogen peroxide. With colored clothes sponge clothes with warm glycerin and let stand for 30 minutes. Rinse well.

Most candy stains will wash right out. Chocolate is the only one that is a little difficult to remove. After washing the garment in lukewarm water, use hydrogen peroxide to remove the balance of the stain. Rinse well. If the stain is on a coat or jacket that can't be washed, sponge with carbon tetrachloride.

The average annual damage from all forms of sediment and redimentation is approximately 175 million dollars, says the U. S. Soil Conservation Service.

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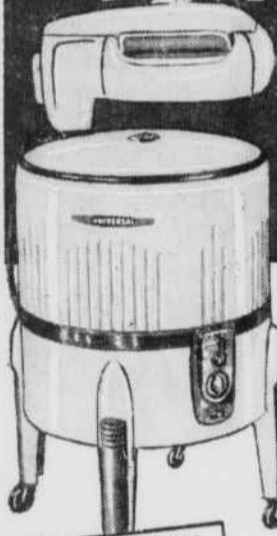
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