

People You Know

MURPHY

Mrs. H. G. McBrayer of Anderson, S. C., is here with her mother, Mrs. G. W. Candler. Mrs. Johnnie Nunn has returned from a vacation spent with relatives and friends in Charlotte and Whiteville.

Miss Clarissa Kincaid of Rome, Ga., spent the week end with her sister, Mrs. R. H. Foard. Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Elkins and Mrs. Don Witherspoon are attending the Southeastern China, Glass and Gift Show at the municipal auditorium in Atlanta this week.

The Rev. Asmond Maxwell is attending Pastors' Week at Emory University this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Franklin and Miss Judy Fisher were in Atlanta Friday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Singleton and children, Sara Varner, Knox and Martha spent two days last week with Mr. Singleton's brother, Dr. D. W. Singleton, and family.

Mrs. C. H. Townson and Mrs. Harold Wells spent Tuesday in Atlanta.

The Rev. Robert A. Potter attended the meeting of Asheville Presbytery at Mills River Tuesday.

Robert and Jimmy Davis of Son-ton spent Sunday with their grandmother and aunt; Mrs. Dixie Palmer and Miss Hattie Palmer.

ANDREWS

Mrs. David Swan is spending this week in Asheville as guest of her sister, Mrs. A. L. Duckett.

Mrs. Edwin Bristol left Sunday for Charlotte to attend the funeral of her aunt, Mrs. Alice White-side, age 92, who passed away Saturday in a Charlotte hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Ruffy spent the week end in Brevard where they attended the funeral of Dr. James Fred Zachary held on Sunday afternoon at the Brevard dist Church.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Rogers and daughter, Sara Margaret, have returned to Andrews to reside after a two years tour of duty at Fort Jackson, Columbia, S. C.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Womack and daughter of Aiken, S. C., spent the week end here with Mr. Womack's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Womack.

C. F. Myers of Atlanta, Ga., spent the week end here at the home of his mother, Mrs. Vina Rogers.

Mr. and Mrs. James Garren had as their guests over the week end Mrs. Garren's sisters, Miss Josephine Coffey of Atlanta, Ga., and Mrs. Tommy Riggins and Mr. Riggins of Marietta, Ga. While here they also spent some time with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Coffey of Marble.

Miss Betty Heaton and Miss Catherine Campbell of Charlotte, a former classmate at Flora McDonald College, Red Springs, spent the week end here as guests of Miss Heaton's mother, Mrs. Etta Heaton.

Herman Brauer spent last week in Southern Pines where he attended the Philco convention.

Marshall Heads Coble Dairy Brasstown Plant

Herbert F. Marshall, formerly of the Martinsburg, W. Va., Coble Dairy Co-op plant, has been named manager of the Brasstown plant succeeding C. R. Freed.

Freed resigned his post earlier this month.

Mr. Marshall has been with Coble since 1940, and has been at the Brasstown plant since last September. He and his family live in

and need the help and cooperation of the producers and patrons of Coble Dairy Co-op in Cherokee County." Marshall said last week, after taking over his new post.

He announced that there will be no other personnel changes at the plant at this time.

Mrs. Mason, Mrs. Burgess Head 1956 March Of Dimes

Mrs. L. L. Mason, Jr., and Mrs. C. C. Burgess are co-chairmen for the 1956 March of Dimes here. The Andrews chairman will be announced next week.

At a meeting Monday night of the Cherokee County Chapter for Infantile Paralysis, a tentative slate of workers for the campaign was made up. The meeting was held at the home of Bob Bault, committee chairman.

Next Monday at 8 p. m. a meeting for all workers in the drive will be held in the meeting room at the bank.

Slogan for the 1956 drive is "Polio Isn't Licked Yet." The local chapter reported a deficit of \$2,030.50 for medical work on Cherokee County polio patients in 1955. The local chapter is helping all Cherokee County polio patients who need help, it was reported.

Persons present at last Monday's meeting were Mr. Bault, Mrs. Burgess, Mrs. Mason, John Gill, treasurer, Mrs. C. R. Worthen, secretary, Mrs. Frank Ferguson, and Jimmy Howse.

H. D. CLUB

The Valleytown Home Demonstration club will meet with Mrs. Lawson Crawford at her home in Valleytown Wednesday, Jan. 25 at 3 p. m.

Mrs. Phyllis Snyder, of Murphy, regional librarian, will be the guest speaker.

Community Life Course Planned At Folk School

Mrs. Velma B. Moore, Dr. Selma C. Mayo and J. W. Fanning will be group leaders during the short course at the John C. Campbell Folk School February 1-5.

The course offered especially for persons who have jobs in PTA, Grange, church groups, Home Demonstration clubs, civic clubs, community development clubs and other civic-minded organizations. Registration will begin Wednesday, Feb. 1 at 2 p. m. and that evening will be spent in getting acquainted with the short course aims and with fellow participants.

The course begins at 8:45 a. m. thereafter with Thursday, Friday and Saturday mornings devoted to lectures, panel discussions, symposiums and group discussion of three related topics: "Looking at our Southern Highland Community Life", "Our Potential in the Southern Highlands" and "What Can we do about it?"

Thursday Dr. Mayo of the rural sociology department of N. C. State College, Raleigh, will present some information from a study of Southern Highland community life.

Friday morning's topic will be presented by a panel of businessmen, industrialists, political leaders and other community workers interested in the potentials of local communities. Mrs. Moore will be in charge of the panel.

Saturday's topic will relate local situations to the potentials with J. W. Fanning of the Georgia Center for continuing Education, Athens, Ga., in charge. The group will attempt to come out with some ideas that can be carried home for local groups to discuss and act on.

Sunday morning community church services will be held followed by a summary discussion and dinner.

Thursday and Friday afternoons will be devoted to special interest groups including crafts, followed by tea in a Brasstown home. The regular Friday night folk games will be held.

Total cost of the course including room, meals and tuition is \$25. Daily commuters who do not eat or sleep at the school pay \$1 per day.

Some scholarships are available for participants in the areas served by the Citizens Bank and Trust Co. and the banks have also offered to cooperate with community groups who wish to work out a program of community development.

Case Gets Hole-In-One At Florida Golf Course

P. G. Youngblood Dies At Hiwassee

P. G. Youngblood, 54, of Hiwassee, Ga., died at 10:30 a. m. Monday in a Hiwassee hospital after a brief illness.

He was a farmer and the son of the late Newton and Sarah Jane Mason Youngblood, prominent family of Towns County, Ga.

Funeral services were held at 2 p. m. Wednesday in Macedonia Baptist Church with the Rev. Truett Hogsd officiating. Burial was in Osborne Cemetery.

Surviving are the widow, Mrs. Verdie Woods Youngblood; three daughters, Mrs. Curtis Dearing and Mrs. Grady Stamey of Atlanta and Miss Wanda Youngblood of the home; five sons, Roy and Bill of Moline, Ill., Gene of Hiwassee, Owen with the Army in Myrtle Beach, S. C. and Herbert of Hiwassee; five grandchildren.

Also three sisters, Mrs. Rorie Kimsey, Mrs. Ada Dills and Mrs. Erie Wheeler of Hiwassee; and three brothers, Ben of Rabun Gap, Ga., Lincoln of Tiger, Ga., and Arlin of Hiwassee.

Townson Funeral Home was in charge.

Missionary Speaker Be In Andrews

The Rev. Gustave Woerner, teacher at Toccoa Falls Bible Institute and College, and former missionary to Indo China, will be the guest speaker at both the 11 a. m. service and the evening service next Sunday at the Andrews Free Methodist Church.

The Rev. John Vimont, pastor, will be away for three weeks and during his absence guest speakers will fill the pulpit.

Konnaheeta Club Meets Tonight

The Rev. Vitolds Gobins will be the guest speaker at the dinner meeting of the Konnaheeta club Thursday at 6:30 p. m. Jan. 19 to be held in the cafeteria of the Andrews school.

Members of the International Relations committee are in charge of the program. They are: Mrs. Galusha Pullum, chrm. and Miss Elizabeth Kilpatrick, co-chrm., Mrs. L. B. Womack, Miss Frances McPherson and Mrs. E. A. Munger.

Hostesses are Mrs. Hancock E. Davis, Mrs. F. E. Blalock, Mrs. S. J. Gernert and Mrs. Amos Harris.

Miss Heaton To Teach Dancing Here

Miss Hildred Heaton of Andrews will teach dancing classes each Tuesday afternoon after school at the TAC on the ground floor of the library building.

The classes will be for both boys and girls.

Hobby Nights Offered At School

The series of Monday hobby nights at the John C. Campbell Folk School January through May was announced this week.

The cost for each course is \$3 per month (four nights).

The courses will be held from 7-9 p. m. each Monday with the following courses offered:

Conversational Spanish, Mrs. Lucile Gault, instructor; weaving, Mrs. Alice Tipton, instructor; wood carving, Mrs. Muriel Martin, instructor; and wood working, Caud Staicup, instructor.

3,000 Attend Farmers Federation Opening Day

BY BOB BEARD
Editor, Farmers Federation News
A crowd of approximately 3,000 people turned out for the Grand opening of the new Farmers Federation store here Saturday and saw Mayor L. L. Mason cut a ribbon to formally open the new building for business.

Mayor Mason was introduced by James McClure Clarke, executive vice-president.

Guy M. Sales, general manager of the Farmers Federation, who did most of the planning of the new building, welcomed the crowd and explained that the new store would mean better service and marketing possibilities for Cherokee, Graham and out-of-state patrons.

"The construction of this warehouse would not have been possible had it not been for the support given by Murphy businessmen, farmers, and other county residents who bought stock in the Farmers Federation and enabled us to finance this project," Sales said.

A member of the Farmers Federation since 1922, when he first aided President McClure in organizing the farm co-operative, Sales also paid tribute to Murphy store Manager Don Ramsey and his assistants, Olen Clontz and Wade Ashe, for the fine service they have given patrons of the store.

Highlighting the opening day activities was the appearance of John Parra, who autographed copies of his newly published book, "Roaming the Mountains."

A total of \$995 in prizes, including a \$100 Savings Bond, was

awarded during the day. Winner of the bond was Ralph Dewees of Murphy.

A complete list of winners appears elsewhere in this issue of the Scout.

Other Farmers Federation officials taking part in the event were Glenn Hunt, sales manager; Don Biggstaff, purchasing agent; Mrs. C. E. Dameron, publicity director; Claude Smith, seed department manager; Sam Nava, hardware department manager; Heralb Smathers, fieldman; and Ray Betas, sales promotion assistant.

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Mrs. Palmer, 80, Dies After Illness

Mrs. Nancy Alice Palmer, 80, died at 10 p. m. Friday, Jan. 13, in the home of a daughter, Mrs. Ellen Ross of Hayesville after an illness of two months.

She was born in the Hanging-dog section of Cherokee County, a daughter of the late William H. and Emmaline Hampton Cornwell.

Funeral services were held at 2:30 p. m. Sunday in Truett Memorial Baptist Church of which she was a member.

Palbearers were Clyde Dayton, George Bristol, Bob Burch, Hayden Ledford and Porter Ledford.

The Rev. John Grant and the Rev. John K. Miller officiated and burial was in the church cemetery.

The body lay in state for 30 minutes prior to the services.

Surviving, in addition to Mrs. Ross, are three daughters, Mrs. Mae Hubbard of Buena Park, Cal., Mrs. Grace Bracken and Mrs. Hattie Jo Swain of Murphy; two sons, Greeley and Wade of Hayesville; 21 grandchildren and 22 great-grandchildren; seven brothers, Jim, Oliver and Arthur Cornwell of Murphy, Will of Lenoir City, Tenn., John of Blue Ridge, Ga., and Hilton and Fulton of Atlanta, Ga.

Murphy Boys Are Undefeated In Conference Play

BY IDA BRUMBY
The Murphy High boys racked up three conference cage wins by defeating Hiwassee Dam 68-23; Nantahala 65-41; and Andrews 58-45 last week.

Meanwhile the girls team won over Hiwassee Dam 54-20; and then lost to Nantahala in a heart-breaking 49-48; and lost to Andrews 45-33.

High scoring honors in the Hiwassee Dam game went to Betty Palmer, in the girls game with 32 and to Pearl Johnson with 12 in the boys game.

Betty Palmer with 28 and Pearl Johnson with 17 were again high scorers for the Nantahala Game.

At Andrews Laura Bailey sank 13 points and Johnson 20. Gail Anderson led the Andrews girls with 20 points while Wilma Crisp sank 13 and Carolyn West 12.

Hogsed, Mintz and Laughter all got 12 each for Andrews boys high score.

The fine guards holding fort for Murphy are Kathy Amos, Frances Stiles, Betty Kate Wilson, Mary Lou Cook, Pat Moore and Gladys Painter.

The Bulldogs meet Stecoah at Murphy tomorrow in a double-header starting at 7:30 p. m.

Murphy girls now have a conference record of two wins and three losses and the boys have five wins and no losses.

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VALLEY RIVER GARDEN CLUB

Mrs. W. T. Forsyth will be hostess to members of the Valley River Garden Club at her home on Thursday, Jan. 26 at 3 p. m. Mrs. Forsyth will give a talk on roses and a film will be shown.

Mrs. Loudermilk Dies Here Wed.

Mrs. Annie Loudermilk, 66, died in her home at Murphy at 11 a. m. Wednesday, Jan. 11, after a short illness.

Funeral services were held in Shady Grove Baptist Church near Culberson at 11 a. m. Thursday.

The Rev. Raymond Carroll officiated and burial was in the church cemetery.

Surviving are two daughters, Mrs. Esta Dills of Gastonia and Mrs. Ethel Young of Murphy; two sons, Pearl and Earnest of Murphy; six grandchildren; one sister, Mrs. Gertie Kilpatrick of Culberson; and six brothers, Foley, Wesley and Oregon Helton of Copperhill, Tenn.; and Benn, Gus and Norman Helton of Culberson.

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Murphy's GOC In Need Of Immediate Help

Rites Held For Palmer Baby Sun

Ross Patton Palmer, six-month-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Dillard Ross Palmer of Gastonia died early Saturday morning, Jan. 14 after a brief illness.

Funeral services were held at 2 p. m. Sunday in Friendship Baptist Church at Suit. The Rev. Garnett Craig officiated and burial was in the church cemetery.

Surviving in addition to the parents are three sisters, Sandra Gail, Sharon Kay, and Rose Mary, a twin, all of the home; the maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Postel of Ducktown, Tenn.; and the paternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Palmer of Gastonia, formerly of the Hanging Dog section of Cherokee County, Murphy, Route 3.

Ivie Funeral Home was in charge.

Mrs. Green Dies After Long Illness

Mrs. Serena Sales Green, 87, of Brasstown, died at 3:30 Sunday, Jan. 15, in a Murphy hospital following a long illness.

She broke her hip several months ago and her condition gradually grew worse.

She was the daughter of the late Burton and Amanda Hunter Sales, a pioneer family of Buncombe County. She had lived in Clay County for 65 years.

Funeral services were held Tuesday at 10:30 a. m. in Green Cove Methodist Church. The Rev. Dan F. Stowe officiated and burial was in the family plot in the church cemetery.

Surviving are one daughter, Mrs. Ellen Scroggs of Brasstown; four sons, Neal, Frank and Hammy of Brasstown, and Roy of Marietta, Ga.; 17 grandchildren; 31 great-grandchildren; and three great-great-grandchildren; one sister, Mrs. Jessie Anderson of Brasstown; and six brothers, Horace of Dalton, Ga., Luther and Brant of Ellijay, Ga., Elmer and Lloyd of Brasstown and Homer of Canton.

Townson Funeral Home was in charge.

Mrs. Chadwick Dies In Knoxville

Mrs. Lua Jane Chadwick, 53, of Oak Ridge Rd., Rt. 7, Knoxville, Tenn., died at 2 a. m. Friday, Jan. 13 at Fort Sanders Hospital after a short illness.

She was a member of the Second Methodist Church.

Survivors are the husband, Fred W. Chadwick; three sons, John M. of Maryville, Tenn., James C. of Murphy and Fred W. Jr., of Knoxville, Tenn.; two brothers, Western and Waldo Spence, Ball Ground, Ga.; one sister, Mrs. Daisy Pitman, Renesaw, Ga.; and six grandchildren.

Interment was at Fairview Cemetery, Ball Ground, Ga., Sunday.

Mrs. Chadwick had visited with her son in Murphy a number of times and was widely known here.

Duffy Plant Changes Name

The Duffy Silk Company's plant in the Peachtree community will go under the name of Hemmerich Corp. after a recent change of ownership.

The plant has been acquired by Hemmerich Corp. of Denver, Pa., with Paul Hemmerich, Sr., general manager of the Duffy Silk Co., Buffalo, N. Y., to become affiliated with the new concern as president.

Paul H. Hemmerich, former resident of Murphy, will also be an officer in the corporation.

Employers To Hear New Law Discussed

A representative from the N. C. Employment Security Commission will be in Murphy next week to explain the amended law governing the approximately 10,350 additional N. C. employers to be taxed this year.

The newly covered employers will be those employing four to seven workers, inclusive, except for exempted employment, to be added to the 17,500 employers of eight or more workers, already covered by the law.

Information material explaining more fully this provision of the law and the Unemployment Insurance Program will be mailed to employers of three or more workers based on the list of such employers who make reports to

The citizens of Murphy will have the chance to decide if they want to continue a Ground Observer Corps in the town when a 24 hour watch starts February 1, W. C. Messer, GOC supervisor, said.

The Murphy GOC will join the North Carolina GOC Wednesday, Feb. 1, when the entire state goes on an around-the-clock skywatch. The alert was requested by the United States Air Force.

Messer and H. Bueck, civil defense director, said the Murphy GOC will not be able to join in the 24 hour watch without the help of additional volunteers.

If volunteers do not phone in and offer their help before the alert starts the Murphy GOC will have to be discontinued, Messer and Bueck said.

Anyone wishing to help during the 24-hour alert on February 1 is asked to telephone Messer, Bueck or Ben Ragsdale.

Today Is Last Day For Tobacco Sale At Asheville

Cherokee County farmers who want to sell their tobacco in Asheville should get there today (Thursday), County Agent Paul Nave said.

Nave pointed out that the Asheville tobacco market is having its clean-up and final sale for the 1955-56 season today. The sale was to start at 11 a. m.

Max M. Roberts, president of the market, told Nave that local farmers should take their tobacco to Carolina, Day's or Big Burley warehouses in the morning and get a sale during the day.

No Toll Again On Parkway

Toll charges will not be made on the Blue Ridge Parkway again this year Representative George A. Shuford of Asheville informed the Scout today.

Congressman Shuford said he was informed Monday by Chairman Mike Kirwan (D. Ohio) that his appropriation sub-committee not be charged this year for use of the Blue Ridge Parkway had been accepted by the Department of Interior.

Mr. Shuford said "This is certainly good news for western North Carolina and I rejoice with you over the favorable decision."

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