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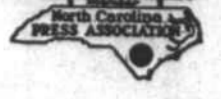
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Murphy To Lose Red Cross Blood Supply

The Murphy unit of the American Red Cross has been notified by the national organization that it is being withdrawn from the blood bank program because of its failure to reach the allocated quota for Red Cross funds.

Murphy has been given until October 1 to raise the \$2000 it is short. After that, the Asheville Regional Blood Center will no longer furnish local hospitals with blood.

There is probably no one in Cherokee County who does not know first hand the importance of blood transfusions in the treatment of sick or injured persons. Everyone knows also that in emergency cases the blood must be available immediately. The delay caused by searching for a donor with the correct type of blood for an injured or sick person may mean the loss of a life.

The Red Cross blood bank program is the only way to assure an adequate supply of blood for such emergencies. Two thousand dollars seems a relatively small price to pay for such a service.

County Ham Project About To Begin

Last year the Murphy Chamber of Commerce, under the direction of County Agent Paul Nave, sponsored a ham project in Cherokee County which gave pigs to FFA youngsters to raise. The pigs were slaughtered last fall and the hams cured. They will be sold at the County fair this year at auction.

Mr. Nave, who feels that ham production in Cherokee County is definitely a potentially profitable project for the farmers, wants to repeat the project this year.

He feels, however, that it should be self-supporting and has worked out a plan whereby pig donors, at \$15 each, are given one of the hams at completion of the cycle.

In this way every citizen who gives \$15 to buy a pig gets a ham worth \$22 to \$23 when it has been cured. Every donor will be guaranteed a ham.

The income of the rural people of this area is the lowest per capita in the nation and anything which promises to raise it is certainly worthy of the support of everyone in the county. Particularly since any betterment of living standards in the rural areas will ultimately affect every individual in the county.

Backward Glance

10 YEARS AGO

June 19, 1947
Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mauney arrived Monday from Washington, Ga. to spend the summer at their home "Imps Nest" here.

Cecelia Justice who has been visiting her cousin, Susie Miller here, left Thursday for her home in Franklin. Susie returned with her for a visit.

Paul Smith and son Herbert and daughter, Anita of Charlotte, were guests Sunday of Mrs. Louise Thompson and Mrs. Arthur Akin.

Mrs. Ben Davis and daughter Bennie Jo, have returned to Charlotte, after several days spent here with Mrs. Davis' sister, Miss

Clara McCombs and Mrs. Julia Wells.

Buel Adams was a business visitor in New York City last week.

Mrs. Dale Lee returned Wednesday from New York City where she has been on a ten days business trip.

J. D. Cobb of Atlanta was the week-end guest of his sister, Mrs. Thomas Spencer and Mr. Spencer at the old Cobb homestead.

Mrs. George Pawell and son of Charlotte are spending some time with her mother Mrs. S. D. Akin. She was accompanied here last week by her husband, who spent a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Forest Teague and children, Billie Jean, Bobby, Kenneth and Harold visited Mr. Teague's brother, Sherdian Teague and Mrs. Teague in Spartanburg, S. C. last week-end. They were accompanied home by their niece, Shirley, who will spend this week with them.

20 YEARS AGO

THURSDAY JUNE 10, 1937
Miss Winifred Townson, student at Young Harris College, is home to spend the summer with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Townson.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Miller and Mr. Morris Miller, spent part of last week in Atlanta.

Mrs. L. M. Ellis, of Andrews, was a visitor in Murphy Saturday. Mr. Arthur Akin spent Sunday in Toptown with Mr. and Mrs. Bruce King.

Mr. Paul Howell who is employed by Kern's Baking Company in Knoxville, spent several days here last week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Howell.

Mrs. Mellicent Miller returned to her home after a two weeks visit in Atlanta.

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Case and Mrs. Bryan Whitfield spent Monday in Atlanta.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Nelson and

On Our Street

By SALLY DAVIDSON

Well dressed matron, adjusting a bright red garter, at just the right place.

Young couple patiently waiting for little girl to paddle water out of a puddle on the side walk.

As peepodent says, "we wonder where the children went, when their happy school days all were spent?"

Colored boy walking along, with dry cleaning bag hanging by hook, in the back strap of overalls.

One Navy tractor moved 10,800,000 cubic feet of snow to clear a sea ice landing strip for planes arriving in the Antarctic from New Zealand last October.

U. S. Marines were in China as far back as 1854, when they were sent there to protect the lives of foreigners, including Americans there.

son, Billie, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Christopher.

Mrs. R. V. Wells and daughter Martha Nell Wells have gone to Durham where they will attend the graduation of Mr. Edwin Brown from Duke University. Mr. Brown is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Z. Y. Brown of Asheville and is the grandson of Mrs. Wells.

Mr. J. N. Hill who has been attending the Atlanta Southern Dental College in Atlanta, has returned home to spend the summer months with his parents, Dr. and Mrs. J. N. Hill.

Mrs. W. H. Griffiths left Monday for Chattanooga where she will visit Mrs. J. W. Blevins.

30 YEARS AGO

FRIDAY JUNE 10, 1927

Mrs. Porter Meroney of Knoxville is spending a few days in Murphy.

Mr. Burt Savage of Bingham College is home for the summer months.

William Thompson is visiting relatives in Copperhill.

Mr. George Ellis was a business visitor in Asheville this week.

Miss Martha Nell Wells is visiting her sister, Mrs. Z. Y. Brown in Asheville.

Mr. C. W. Bailey and Mrs. W. C. Gathings made a business trip to Robbinsville Wednesday.

Mrs. J. L. Parks and son, Arvil, of Ellijay, Ga., were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Neil Davidson.

Miss Opal Anderson of Hayesville was the guest last week of Mrs. L. E. Bayless.

Miss Martha Mayfield of Albany, Ga., is spending the summer with her grandmother, Mrs. Elizabeth Mayfield.

Mrs. Charles Z. Candler of Sylva is spending this week with Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Candler.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Adams of Maryville, Tenn., spent the week-end with their parents, Dr. and Mrs. N. B. Adams.

WORDS OF LIFE

By Robert A. Potter, Pastor
Murphy Presbyterian Church

SALVATION TO SUPREME FRIENDSHIP

Psalm 62: 5, 6.—For God alone my soul waits He only is . . . my salvation. (RSV)

Salvation through Jesus Christ is from the guilt and power of sin, and the fear it produces. Such salvation is to a life of meaning and service, as we saw in this column last week. Finally, such salvation is to a matchless friendship with God's Son, Jesus Christ, and to fellowship with those that are His. It is redemption to the most glorious of comradeships, that with the Master of Men; and companionship in the Church, the body of Christ.

This fellowship of Christians to which we are saved is at deeper levels than any other comradeship. Last Sunday was Pentecost, the anniversary of the outpouring of the Holy Spirit, which sent the Christian Church on its way of witness and victory. The primary and enduring result of the coming of the Spirit at Pentecost, according to C. A. Anderson Scott, was the koinonia, the community, or fellowship. Salvation is from solitary self-seeking, or lesser companionships, into this fellowship enriched by the Divine.

How such companionship is needed. We must have it in order that we rightly meet the issues of life: its temptations, sorrows, joys, perplexities. A writer tells somewhere of the loneliness of a student who won honors at a school but had no family to rejoice with him in his attainment. Another tells of one who experienced the help of the Christian fellowship in time of need. Sent to prison for a crime, he was met at the railway station on his release by fellow-members of the church. They graciously received him anew and helped him into a useful orbit of living. Never did the one so befriended—and he later became an outstanding citizen—forget the love and concern the Christian community had rendered.

One of the most beautiful features of a living corporate religion, Evelyn Underhill has said, is that that "within it ordinary people . . . help each other to be a little more supernatural than each would have been alone."

But supremely salvation is to communion with the Saviour Himself, to one's being a friend—as was said of Abraham—of God. Christian fellowship, as all things human, is defective. But there is no mark nor stain on the friendship that Christ offers. It has all the every-dayness and hominess of other friendships, but with completion and perfection He alone can provide. "Warm, sweet, tender

even yet," as Whittier said, "A present help is He."

A human companionship, and quite vivid. Speaking of the closeness of Jesus, William Borden could say to his friends, "He is more real to me than any of you." Our salvation can be to such a vivid friendship as that also.

Such friendship colors and enriches all phases of one's life, gives an abiding fragrance. "Me too thy nobleness has taught To master my despair; The fountains of my hidden life Are through Thy friendship fair." Enriches now—and extends on through all life's buffetings, sorrows, changes. On out into eternity, looming endlessly. Through every bit of it: saved—to be forever with

Chick Placements In State Drop 1.1% During Year

Placements of broiler chicks with North Carolina growers during the week ended June 1 totaled 2,214,000. This is 9,000 chicks below placements during the previous week and 25,000 chicks or 1.1 percent less than placements of 2,239,000 during the comparable week last year. The 2,172,000 chicks hatched is 15,000 below the previous week and 1.8 percent below hatchings of 2,211,000 chicks a year ago.

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Eggs set during the week at 3,018,900 is 1.3 percent below the previous week, but 1.4 percent above the 2,976,000 eggs set during the comparable week last year.

LOST YOUR KEYS!

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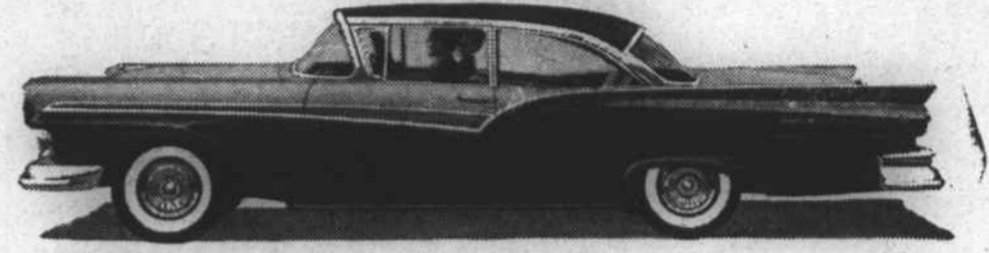
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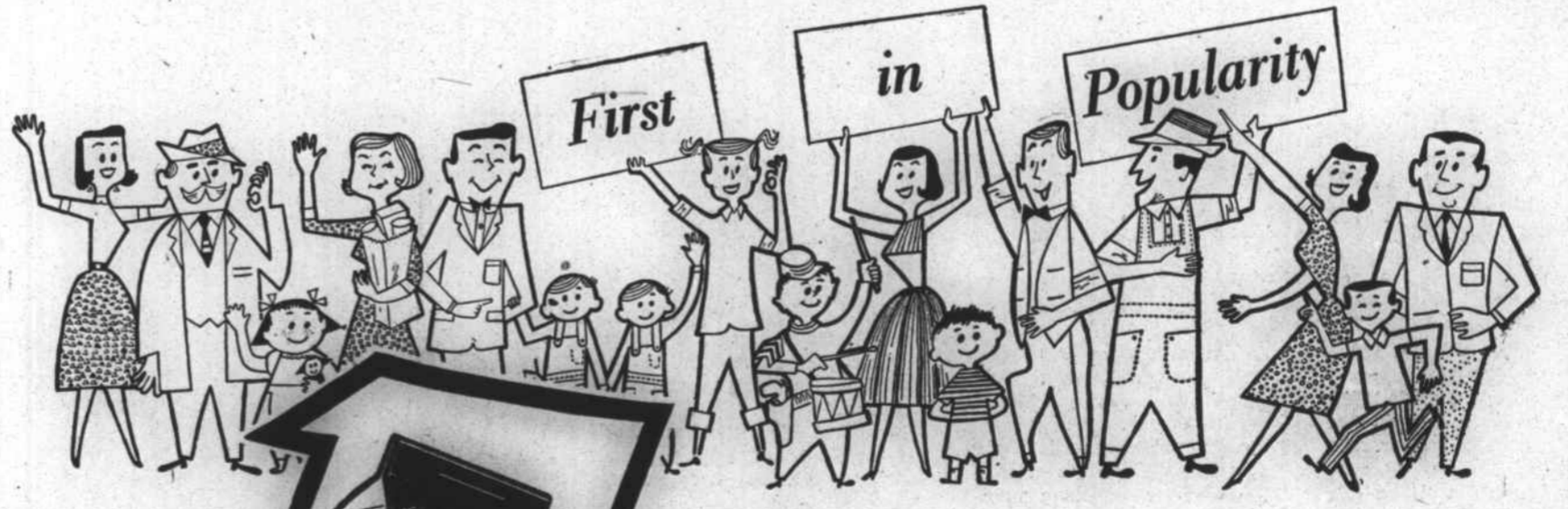
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