

Alleghany Schools To Open August 25

Guernsey Sale Plans For July 18 Being Completed

32 Carefully Selected Animals To Be Sold At Auction At Test Farm

Plans are now being completed for the annual promotion sale of purebred-registered guernsey cattle to be held at the State Test Farm at Transou, on Friday July 18.

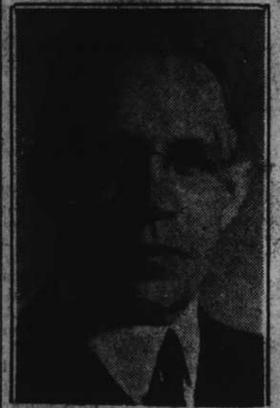
James Wagoner Dies In Hospital

Well Known Alleghany Man Succumbs After Four Week's Illness

Funeral service for James M. Wagoner, 80, who died last Thursday night at the Mount Airy hospital after an illness of four weeks, was held Sunday at two o'clock at the Little River Primitive Baptist church.

Many Horses Are Entered For Show Here, July 18-19

TO SPEAK SAT.



Dr. I. G. Greer, who will speak at the courthouse on Saturday afternoon.

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Sponsored By The Allied Church League; Public Is Invited

Four Girl Scouts From Roaring Gap Have Entered Two Classes

Weather permitting, indications now point to a very successful horse show, scheduled for July 18 and 19 at the Sparta grounds.

The track is in good condition and work is continuing on the barns, Tom Greene, manager of the show, announced.

There are a number of local horses entered as well as several from a distance. Manager Greene announced that four girl scouts from Roaring Gap have entered the pleasure and three-gaited classes.

VFW Members Lay Foundation For Building

Members of the VFW, Bruce Wayne Osborne Post 7034, yesterday began work on the foundation of the new VFW clubhouse.

Rites Held Sat. For Mrs. Todd, 68

Last rites for Mrs. Loney Todd of Glade Valley, 68, were held last Saturday afternoon at 2:30 p. m., at the Crab Creek Primitive Baptist church.

Bowling Alley To Open On July 19

Plans are now to open a bowling alley Saturday, July 19, near Twin Oaks, it was learned this week.

Sparta At Top Of League; Baseball Contest Begins

Baseball fans will have an opportunity to cast their ballots for the nine favorite players on the Sparta team in a contest which is to end July 21, it was announced this week.

Camp Meeting To Begin Sun.

An interdenominational camp meeting, stressing "old fashioned gospel preaching and singing," will begin at the Transou Tabernacle on Highway 88, near Transou, next Sunday, July 13, it was announced this week.

C. Of C. Picnic Planned For Fri.

Members of the Chamber of Commerce are reminded of the meeting to be held tomorrow night at Bluff Park at seven o'clock.

Present And Some Past Tennants Of The White House



A president, former president and three "first ladies" were among the guests of honor at Princeton university bi-centennial convocation. The group shown on the campus lawn were, left to right: Mrs. Harry S. Truman, Mrs. Thomas Preston, (the former Mrs. Grover Cleveland); President Truman; Ex-President Hoover; and Mrs. Woodrow Wilson.

Ministers Of Alleghany Meet; Organize Ass'n

Several Denominations Represented; To Meet Again Here, Monday

Ministers representing five denominations in the county met Monday at the Sparta Baptist church and organized the Ministers Association of Alleghany county.

Plans Discussed For Improvement Of Water System

Plans for improving the water system of Sparta and preventing a water shortage like the one witnessed earlier this year were discussed by Mayor G. Glenn Nichols and members of the town council at the regular meeting, Monday night.

Conference To Be Held Sunday

The quarterly conference for the Laurel Springs Methodist church will be held at the Chestnut Hill church Sunday night at 7:30 p. m. with Dr. J. H. Armbrust, district superintendent, in charge.

Dr. J. H. Armbrust To Preach At Chestnut Hill Methodist Church

Rev. William C. Crammett, pastor, announced this week that the Sunday school at Mount Zion had been reorganized with the following teachers in charge:

Annual Royal, Miles, Brooks Reunion To Be Held July 20

The 14th annual session of the Royal, Miles and Brooks reunion will be held Sunday, July 20, at the newly constructed Liberty Knob church located near the Royal cemetery one mile south of Roaring Gap.

115 Lambs Sold To Swift And Co.

One-hundred and fifteen lambs were shipped directly to Swift and Company on Tuesday by Alleghany county sheep growers.

Rev. F. G. Walker To Preach Sunday

Rev. F. G. Walker, pastor of the Sparta Baptist church, will preach at the Osborne Memorial Baptist church, Sunday afternoon at 2:00 o'clock.

MT. ZION PLANS MEMORIAL SERVICE

A memorial service will be conducted at Mt. Zion Methodist church on August 2, beginning at 10:00 o'clock.

Plans Are Ready To Start Work On New Building For Sparta Methodist Church

Joe Finney Will Be In Charge Of Construction Work; Castevens, Chairman

Plans are now to begin actual work on the proposed new Sparta Methodist church, C. C. Castevens, chairman of the building committee, announced yesterday.

Mayor Nichols States That Survey Is Being Made For New Well Site

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Bldg. Proposed At Glade Valley

Tentative plans for a proposed gymnasium at Glade Valley high school were discussed by members of the investigating committee at a meeting at Glade Valley high school last Thursday.

Car Wrecks Here On July Fourth

Alleghany had one highway accident reported on July 4 when a 1936 Ford coupe driven by Ross Edwards of Sparta, collided with a car driven by Shaw, of Cherry Lane, near the Shaft Service Station, here.

Edwards Reported By Investigating Officers To Be Driving While Under Influence Of Some Intoxicant When The Accident Occurred

The findings of the committee will be submitted to the board of trustees for approval and for future planning for the proposed building.

Cherry Lane—Betty Jones, Glade Valley—Mrs. Bertrice Gentry; Liberty Knob—Mrs. Nannie W. McCann; Pine Swamp—Mrs. Rachel Thompson and Mrs. (Continued on page 8)

N. C. Teacher Pay To Be Set Today

Raleigh—Schoolteachers of the State will learn today in dollars and cents the amount of salary increase they will receive next school year.

Increase Will Be Determined When State Board Of Education Meets

The board's finance committee which has been studying the budget for several weeks—and particularly the question of a teacher salary schedule—will make its report at the meeting.

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Choice Lambs Numbered 68 and Sold for \$24.50 a Head

Mr. Black pointed out that farmers should fatten their lambs before selling time or else they will lose more than half of their profit since the difference between choice lambs and second grade is almost half.

Name Teachers For Coming Year At Board Meet

Partial List Submitted By Local Committees At Meeting, Monday

Alleghany county schools will open for the 1947-48 term on August 20, Miss Clyde Fields, county superintendent, announced this week following a meeting on Monday of the county board of education.

A partial list of the teachers for the new school term has been approved by the local school committees and was presented to the board at the meeting, Monday.

The teachers and schools are given as follows: Sparta—R. H. Walker, principal, Roy Ellison, Mrs. Eula K. Housler, Miss Minnie Lou Edwards, Mrs. Ida J. Warren, J. B. Read, Mrs. Kathleen Maxwell, Mrs. C. R. Roe, Ralph B. Cheek, Mrs. Flora B. Dutton, Mrs. Hazel Tompkins, Miss Iva Grace Doughton, Mrs. Madge Reeves, Mrs. Ruth J. Choate; Mrs. Rebecca Choate, Mrs. F. G. Walker, Miss Ivyzelle Taylor, Mrs. Sam Miller, Mrs. Zelma Ellison, Mrs. Bessie McMillan, Miss Mildred Taylor, Mrs. H. E. Singleary.

Piney Creek—C. R. Roe, principal, George M. Van Hoy, Mrs. Ella Doughton, Miss Nannie Van Hoy, Ernest C. Minnich, Gladys Robbins, Elmer Waddell, Jean McMillan, Rachel Halsey, Mrs. Blanche Osborne and Mrs. Ruth W. Halsey.

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