

Make Plans For Hallowe'en Fete

Committees For Arrangements Are Named: To Be Held At Sparta Gym

Plans are now being perfected for the annual Hallowe'en carnival to be held at the Sparta high school gymnasium, and committees on arrangements have also been named, it was announced this week.

Committees named are: Master of Ceremonies—J. B. Reed; baby contest for primary and grammar grades—Mrs. Glenn Busic, Mrs. Hazel Tompkins and Mrs. Flora Dutton. Penny board—Miss Mildred Taylor; bingo—Mr. and Mrs. Roy Ellison and Mrs. Ruth J. Choate; fortune teller—Mrs. Ida J. Warren; cake walks—Coke for the prettiest girl and pickles for the ugliest man—Iva Grace Doughton, Mrs. Singletary and Mrs. Lon M. Reeves. Fish pond—Mrs. Guy Walker and Mrs. Ad McMillan; turkey raffle—Mr. Walker and Mr. Ellison; music—Miss Cornett and Mrs. R. Choate. King and queen for high school—Mrs. Kathleen Maxwell; costume parade for school and



LEANIA PREMIER . . . arrived in Sparta, N. C., last week. Premier of Albania, whose portrait recently appeared in the Sparta News, is on her way to the United States and Great Britain.

outside—Mrs. A. V. Choate and Mrs. C. R. Roe. Grab bag—Ivazetta Taylor; door committees—Mrs. Ruth J. Choate, Mrs. Lon M. Reeves and Mrs. Guy Walker. Decorating committees—R. B. Cheek, Mrs. George Duncan, Mrs. Holt Hauser and Miss Mildred Taylor. General planning committee—Mrs. A. V. Choate, chairman;

Library Notes

By CARRIE H. JONES

Do you know that Ernie Pyle's full name was Ernest Taylor Pyle, and that he was born August 3, 1900 on a farm in Indiana? — That ten years after Edgar Allen Poe's untimely death in the streets of Baltimore, a poem was published supposed to have been dictated to a spiritualistic medium by the dead poet, telling how he felt just before death? You will find the poem in the County Library, under the title "Streets of Baltimore." — That John Brown made his raid on Harper's Ferry October 16, 1859? — That Emily Post says "the cards of a young girl after she is fourteen should always have "Miss" before her name, which should be her real name and never a nickname? — That the common belief that a century plant only blooms once in a hundred years is not true. The period of blooming depends on the climate and the soil. — That white specks on fingernails are not "good luck spots" as popularly believed but are imperfections in the nails? — That Louisa M. Alcott, author of "Little Women" started work at fifteen, her first book was published when she was twenty? — That the Bible is a collection of books by different writers? — That "Boxing" is the manly art of hitting an opponent without getting hit? — Who was the "Lady of the Haystack"? Find out at your County Library.

Directory Of The Church Services

SPARTA BAPTIST CHURCH
Rev. F. G. Walker, Pastor
N. D. Fox, Supt.
Sunday School each Sunday, 10.
Church service each Sunday, 11:00.

Young Peoples' Meeting
7:15 each Sunday Evening
Evening Worship Service 8 p. m.
MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. Fred Blevins, Pastor
10:00 a. m.
Church Services:
Mt. Carmel, First Sunday, 11:00 a. m.

Bellview, Second Sunday, 11:00 a. m.
Liberty, Third Sunday, 11:00 a. m.

NEW HOPE
Rev. F. G. Walker, pastor
Sunday School, 1:30 p. m.
Mrs. Paul Swanson, Sunday school superintendent.
Preaching service, 1st. and 3rd. Sundays at 2:30 p. m.

SPARTA METHODIST CHURCH
Rev. W. H. Yokely, Pastor
Schedule of Services for the Methodist Church of Sparta, and the Sparta Circuit:

Sparta Methodist church: Rev. W. H. Yokely, Minister, Mr. C. R. Roe, S. S. Supt., Sunday School each Sunday at 10:00 A. M.; Church Services each 1st and 3rd Sundays at 11:00 A. M. each 2nd and 4th Sundays at 7:30 P. M.

Sparta Circuit: Antioch—1st Sunday at 3:00 P. M.
Cox Chapel—4th Sunday at 11:30 A. M.; 1st Sunday at 7:30 P. M.

Piney Creek—2nd Sunday at 11:30 A. M.; 4th Sunday at 3:00 P. M.
Potato Creek—4th Sunday at 10:00 A. M.; 2nd Sunday at 3:00 P. M.

Shiloh—2nd Sunday at 10:00 A. M.; 3rd Sunday at 7:30 P. M.
Walnut Branch—3rd Sunday at 3:00 P. M.

PRIMITIVE BAPTIST CHURCH
Eld. C. B. Kilby - Eld. A. L. Presnell, Pastors
Church service 3rd Sat. at 2 p. m. and Sun. at 11 a. m. in each month.

WOODRUFF PRIMITIVE BAPTIST CHURCH
Elder Charlie Hall
Church services each second Saturday and Sunday, 11:00 a. m.

REG. BAPTIST CHURCHES
Little River Ass'n
Big Springs, 2nd. Sat. and Sun.
Double Spring, 1st Sat. and Sun.
Jandmark, 4th Sat. & Sun.

Laurel Glen, 1st Sat. and Sun.
Mountain View, 3rd Sat. and Sun.
Mt. Arat, 4th Sat. and Sun.
Mt. Olivet, 1st Sat. and Sun.
New Bethel, 3rd Sat. and Sun.
New Salem, 2nd Sat. and Sun.

UNION BAPTIST CHURCHES
Cherry Lane, 4th Sat. and Sun.
Glade Creek, 1st Sat. and Sun.
Liberty, 2nd Sat. and Sun.
Mount Union, 1st Sat. and Sun.

Pleasant Grove, 3rd Sat. and Sun.
Saddle Mt., 3rd Sat. and Sun.
Whitehead, 2nd Sat. and Sun.
Welcome Home 4th Sat. and Sun.
Pleasant Home, 2nd Sat. and Sun.
Meadow Creek, 1st Sat. and Sun.

LAUREL SPRINGS BAPTIST CHURCH
Rev. Kenneth Snyder, Pastor
Van Miller, Supt.
Sunday School each Sunday, at 10:00 a. m. Church service 1st and 3rd Saturday 8:00 p. m. 1st and 3rd Sunday morning at 11:00 a. m.

OSBORNE MEMORIAL BAPTIST CHURCH
Turkey Knob
Rev. E. B. Barton, Minister
Church service 1st Sat. night 8:00 p. m. and Sunday, 11:00 a. m. and 3rd Sat. night, 8:00 p. m.

Named to Head March of Dimes



Ralph McDonald

For its sixth consecutive year, North Carolina's March of Dimes will be headed in 1948 by Ralph McDonald, of Winston-Salem, educator and civic and political figure.

His appointment was announced today by Basil O'Connor, president of the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis. The 1948 March of Dimes, to be held from Jan. 15-30, will mark the tenth anniversary of the National Foundation, established by President Franklin D. Roosevelt to "lead, direct and unify" the fight against infantile paralysis. The Foundation is supported solely by the March of Dimes each January.

Mr. McDonald is associate director of the extension division of the University of North Carolina, and has organized educational activity of the university across the state through broadcasts and public forums. He has organized the Liberal Arts College Movement, and the Commission for the Defense of Democracy Through Education. He is a former member of the North Carolina House of Representatives.

In announcing that Mr. McDonald again had accepted the March of Dimes chairmanship, Mr. O'Connor revealed that since 1943 infantile paralysis has taken a tragic toll, with more than 72,000 Americans having been stricken.

"Thousands," he warned, "continue to face a long fight for recovery. This summer, fortunately, we had a 'breathing spell' as polio incidence nationally did not approach the awful total of 1946.

"The cost of the 1946 epidemic alone will run to some \$30,000,000, without taking into account the large sums necessary to care for those stricken this summer. We do not know what 1948 may bring, but we must be prepared."

Pleasant Home, 3rd Sat. and Sun.
Prather's Creek, 2nd Sat. & Sun.
Roaring Gap, 1st Sat. and Sun.
Saddle Mountain, 4th Sat. & Sun.
South Fork, 4th Sat. & Sun.

CHERRY LANE BAPTIST CHURCH
Rev. Kenneth Snyder, Pastor
Van Miller, Supt.
Sunday School each Sunday, at 10:00 a. m. Church service 1st and 3rd Saturday 8:00 p. m. 1st and 3rd Sunday morning at 11:00 a. m.

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TO RENT — TO FIND

PIANO—Slightly used Spinnet Piano! Only \$325.00. The above mentioned piano looks about like new and is only 38 inches high, in beautiful mahogany finish. The above price includes \$15.00 bench to match. We have, at all times, large stock of thoroughly reconstructed and guaranteed upright pianos. Prices begin at \$95.00. Garwood Piano Co. Next door to Midway Pontiac Motor Co. Wilkesboro, N. C. Midway between the Wilkesboros.
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WANTED — We want all the nice White Pine Cones we can get. Write to us, or call for prices and instructions. We are buying in Boone every week day, and will be buying every Saturday in Eller's Produce House, at North Wilkesboro. We will also pick up cones. Wilcox Drug Company, Phone No. 201, P. O. Box 319, Boone, N. C.
10-2-5tc

SLIP COVERS and DRAPERIES made to Order. Trimz, Imperial and United Wall Paper. Pittsburgh paint—Gifts . . . Toys on sale at THE GALAX DECORATING SHOP, E. Center St., Galax, Va.
3-6-1k

WANTED—RADIOS to repair, all makes. We have a complete stock of parts to fit any make or model. We will do your work while you wait. W. L. Porter & Co. Furniture, Galax, Va. 10-2-3tc

BATTERIES—Get a new battery before you have to push your car these cold mornings. Atlas, Firestone, Delco and Montgomery Ward. Prices to meet competition. Call Gwyn Porter's at Galax, Va.
10-2-3tc

NEW MOTORS—We have in stock and can install within 24 hours. Notice—Ford, Chevrolet, Dodge, Desota, Chrysler, Plymouth and Buick motors, also GMC trucks. Call Porter Auto Sales, Oldtown St., Galax, Va.
10-2-3tc

TIRES — Agent for famous Riverside tires. Catalogue price plus express. Gwyn Porter's Esso Station, Galax, Va.
10-2-3tc

EXECUTORS NOTICE TO CREDITORS
As Executor of the undersigned W. G. Harris, Deceased, I hereby notify all persons having claims against the estate to file the same within twelve months from this date, or this notice will be plead in bar of payment.
This 11th day of October, 1947.
RHEA HARRIS, Executor
Of W. G. Harris, Deceased,
10-16-47

HOSIERY BARGAINS — Anklets, 11 pairs for \$1.00, regular 25c value. For infants, girls or ladies. Cuff tops, assorted colors, Ladies' Hose, 4 pairs for \$1.00. 39c value. Choice of semi-sheer seamless rayon, or full-seam service weight cotton. Fall shades. Men's Cotton Sox, 8 pairs for \$1.00. 25c value. Medium wt., long style or short elastic top. Assorted colors. Birdseye Diapers, \$2.95 per dozen. First Quality, 27 x 27 hemmed, in sanitary sealed package. Men's Dress Sox, 5 pairs for \$1.00. 35c value. Fine rayon, long style or short elastic top. Assorted colors. Hosiery are slight imperfects. Please state sizes wanted. Satisfaction guaranteed! No C. O. D.'s. We pay parcel post. Southern Sales Company, P. O. Box 2029, Dept. 63-K, Knoxville, Tennessee. 9-25-6tc

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USED CARS—We have a complete line of good and bad used cars. We buy and sell them quick. Several late model trucks, also one new Ford ton pickup. Will sell or trade on terms. Call Gwyn Porter, Motors, Galax, Va. 10-2-3tc

FOR SALE—2 1/2 pound covers, also 150 New Hampshire and Barred Rock pullets. F. G. Harris, Glade Valley, N. C. 10-9-2tp

WANTED—Boys and girls for beauty culture training. New classes starting. G. I. approved. North Wilkesboro School of Beauty Culture, North Wilkesboro, N. C. 10-2-tkc

TIRE CHAINS—Just received, shipment of tire chains, any size for trucks or cars. Gwyn Porter's Esso Station, Galax, Va. 10-2-3tc

Boilers, Saw Mills, Wood Working and Road Building Machinery, Well Drilling Machinery, Gasoline Engines, etc. R. P. Johnson, Wytheville, Va. 10-2-3tc

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POWER UNITS—Buick industrial power units, clutch, governors and protected against weather and thieves. Built to do heavy sawmill work at very low cost. Call Porter Auto Sales, Galax, Va. 10-2-3tc

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20 Gage Aluminum Roofing, \$8.10, Square

Asphalt Shingles 210 lb. wt. \$6.75 square

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Sparta, N. C.

Civil Service Position Open

The Board of Civil Service Examiners for the Atomic Energy Commission has announced an open competitive unasssembled examination for the following positions: Chemist, Chemical Engineer, Safety Engineer, Insurance Claims Examiner, Chief Power System Dispatcher, Chief Substation Operator, Meter & Relay Technician, Power System Dispatcher, Senior Electrician (Substation), Substation Operator, Powerline Patrolman, Electrician Lineman, Assistant Substation Operator, Junior Electrician (Substation), Mechanic Helper.

Salaries range from .89c per hour to \$8179.50 per annum. Applications from qualified competitors in this community are invited. Persons appointed from those examinations will be employed by the Atomic Energy Commission at Oak Ridge, Tenn. Full information may be obtained from Eugene Higgins, Secretary of the Board of Civil Service Examiners at the local post office.

Mrs. Ruth J. Choate, Mrs. Guy Walker, Mrs. Lon M. Reeves, Mrs. Ulus Irwin, J. B. Reed and Mrs. Holt Hauser. Refreshments—Mrs. Ulus Irwin and Mrs. Holt Hauser.

Since approximately 10 million animals will be at work in harness in 1948, keeping the necks and shoulders of workstock in perfect condition is of practical importance.

Auction Sale

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 25, 1947
10:00 O'CLOCK
Located 7 miles West of Sparta on Piney Creek Highway WILL SELL
Approximately 150 acres of land, known as the William R. (Buster) Anderson farm.
Four room dwelling house with electricity and land is well watered.
Terms made known, 1/2 down, on day of sale and remainder in six months. Can be cut into small tracts to suit purchaser.
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SPARTA, N. C.

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YOUR FATHER HAD A WEAKNESS FOR AUCTIONS TOO, BUT I BROKE HIM OF IT
OH, I'M BREAKING AD OF IT, TOO, BUT GRADUALLY I DON'T WANT TO BREAK HIS SPIRIT.
I'VE MADE HIM PROMISE AT LEAST NOT TO BUY USELESS JUNK, AND GRADUALLY I'LL SET MY FOOT—
EVENING, LADIES.
—DOWN—!

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