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YOUTH AVERAGES 258 BUSHELS OF IRISH POTATOES PER ACRE

Thomas Lee of Rosman, Realizes 77 Cents an Hour for Work

ROSMAN, Jan. 20.—Thomas Lee of Lake Toxaway, second year vocational agriculture student at Rosman high school, produced 258 bushels of potatoes per acre on his project the past season.

Contrary to general opinion, the new certified seed did well. The potatoes were planted late and missed the late frost of the early spring. The potatoes were planted on wet soil, using plenty of high-grade fertilizer. Thomas is keeping a record of all costs, including land rent, fertilizer, seed and labor, he averaged 77 cents an hour for all his own time.

AUTO LEAVES ROAD; 2 HURT

Frank Morgan and L. L. Winchester in Mishap on Highway 28

Frank Morgan, of Cherryfield, and L. L. Winchester, of Calvert, were badly injured Saturday afternoon about 1 o'clock when the light roadster driven by Mr. Winchester failed to make a curve near Indian creek on highway No. 28 and turned over. The party was en route to Lake Toxaway when the accident occurred.

A passing motor party brought Mr. Morgan to the hospital at Hendersonville, where a most thorough examination was made and X-ray pictures showed that his jawbone was broken and his left arm fractured near the wrist. He was later removed to his home at Cherryfield and is reported as resting comfortably.

Mr. Winchester received severe bruises and is confined to his home. He is a mail carrier from Rosman to Gloucester. R. K. Powell of Rosman is substituting for him.

The only damage done to the car was a broken windshield and a crushed top.

SCHOOL LUNCH PROGRAM OUT

Generous Donations Made to Worthy Work by P-T Association

Announcement is made by Mrs. H. E. Erwin, general chairman in charge of the lunch program for the undernourished school children, that a schedule for the serving of lunches has been made out through the first week in February and will be in effect as follows:

Mon. Jan. 25—Mrs. A. R. Bean, Mrs. G. B. Lynch, Tues. Jan. 26—Mrs. Corolla King, Mrs. J. F. Eshbach, Wed. Jan. 27—Mrs. W. W. Woodley, Mrs. J. S. Mronfield, Thurs. Jan. 28—Mrs. David Ward, Mrs. A. G. Kyle, Fri. Jan. 29—Mrs. J. A. Schacher, Mrs. Harry Perry, Mon. and Tues. Feb. 1—Mrs. A. H. Kizer, Mrs. Willis Brittain, Wed. Thurs. Feb. 2—Mrs. R. H. Morrow

Generous donations to carry on this worthy work have been made by various individuals and firms. The P-T Teachers' association, which is sponsoring the lunch program, furnishes 40 one-half pints of milk each day for the 40 children. The P-T stock furnish free of charge all bread one day; old; Dr. C. L. Newland donated 5 gallons of milk; Mrs. Avery Galloway loaned the use of an oil stove; Mrs. F. P. Sledge donated a kettle for heating water; the Girl Scouts give of their services in washing the dishes each day; the two hardware stores, Farmers' Supply and the Brevard Hardware, each gave dishes and a soup dipper, and many others have given work and money to carry on this worthy work.

The Business Woman's club has agreed to serve lunches to the school on one week.

Mrs. H. E. Erwin makes the request that those wishing to assist in the serving of lunches or to help in any way in this work call her over phone 229.

COLLINS HEADS BOY FARMERS

Outstanding Projects Discussed at Meeting—Other Officers

An interesting and profitable meeting of the Future Farmers of America was held at the Brevard high school building Friday afternoon, at which time several outstanding projects were discussed and acted upon.

Officers of the Brevard chapter were elected as follows: President, John Collins; vice president, Max Wilson; secretary, Merrimon Shuford; treasurer, L. E. Powell; reporter, Eugene Dickson; advisor, Prof. Julian A. Glazener.

The organization voted to assist in the community welfare work by donating farm products and canned foods of various kinds, which have been placed in the local supply room. The following members of the club contributed to the welfare work: Lester King, Merrimon Shuford, Bruce Watson, Edward Conley, David Norton, Glenn Shipman, Sidney Henderson, L. E. Powell, James Lewis, James Mills, Jack Wilson, Andrew Boggs, William Gash, Bruce Reid, Clyde McCrary, Edgar Glazener, Charles Dickson, Eugene Dickson, Roy Collins, Roy France, David Ashworth, Van O'Kelley, Max Wilson, Ralph Case, Charles Meace, Hayes Merrill, Fay Holden, Otis Shipman, George Justus.

Other projects to be undertaken by the young farmers include the revolving pig club, whereby pigs raised by club members will eventually turn into one breed. In the accomplishment of this project, the idea is that a business man of the community buy a pig and register it and turn it over to one of the club boys, who in turn breeds a purchased stock of the same breed, giving back to the business man one of the pigs at 6 per cent interest on his money invested in buying the pig. The animal is then turned over to another club boy, who continues the same process of breeding.

Much good is being accomplished by the young agriculture boys in this organization, and a promising future is predicted for them in their various lines of activity.

1931 TAX BOOKS OPEN

Sheriff T. E. Patton has been given the new tax books for the collection of the 1931 county taxes and has them opened now. The 1931 taxes are now due and payable at his office at the courthouse.

PERIL OF 2000 IN FLOODED AREA BECOMES MORE ACUTE

Water Overruns New Levees and Shortage of Boats for Rescue Workers Is Still Being Felt

GREENWOOD, Miss., Jan. 20.—An investigation for the Red Cross left today by motor launch to investigate reports that a thousand persons in Panola county, north of here, are in immediate danger of starving.

The report was received through a roundabout source that the district has been under water for the past month.

JACKSON, Miss., Jan. 20.—Great flood waters continued their devastating sweep over north Mississippi last night, moving inland from new levee breaks and adding to the peril of 2000 persons trapped in the Tippecanoe basin section.

Workers lost ground in both their main stands against onrushing waters yesterday. A gap in the levee 15 miles north of Belzoni, one of the important towns in the district, had widened until it was beyond repair, and the town was at the mercy of the waters.

TWO IN JAIL HERE TO FIGHT EXTRADITION

Verlin and Snipes Held for Detroit Officers on Robbery Charge

Henry Verlin and Oliver Snipes, each about forty years old, are being held here in the county jail following their arrest in Jackson county by Deputy Sheriff T. S. Wood. Word was received Tuesday that officers from Detroit were on their way here to return Verlin and Snipes to Detroit on charge of robbery, but the men state that they will fight extradition.

The two men are being held on a count of "robbery with firearms," in which it is charged that Victor L. Ready of Detroit was robbed of \$35 in money, a white-sold wrist watch and a cameo ring and came a sickle, all being valued at about \$150. The robbery with which the two men were charged occurred October 10, last.

The men were identified by photographs which were sent here. They denied that they were open to any charge when they were arrested by Deputy Sheriff Wood.

They later admitted their identity but did not admit the charge. Deputy Sheriff Wood said, when they were shown photographs of themselves.

Snipes admitted the identity of Verlin, it was stated, saying that Verlin had been going under the alias of Roach.

The two men had been in Jackson county only a few days when they were taken into custody. Conviction of the charge of robbery with firearms carries with it a penalty of life imprisonment in Michigan.

M. E. BISHOP HERE FEB. 14

Muzon to Preach Both Morning and Evening, Announcement

Bishop Edwin D. Muzon, of the Methodist Episcopal church, will fill the pulpit at the Brevard Methodist church on Sunday, February 14. A double treat is in store for the people of Brevard at this time, since the distinguished high priest will preach at both the morning and evening services on that date. It is understood that the evening hour of worship will feature a union service of other churches in the town.

Bishop Muzon comes to Brevard upon invitation of the pastor, Rev. J. H. West, and Supt. J. F. Winton, of Brevard Institute. The bishop will be accompanied by Superintendent Winton to deliver the Institute's commencement address, but after finding this date would conflict with another important engagement, arrangements were made whereby the noted divine would fill the Brevard pulpit on the second Sunday in February. A cordial invitation is extended by the pastor for the general public to attend both services on this date.

At Greenwood, the other scene of a desperate battle at levee water, overrun the north and east sections of town and many residents were forced to flee expensive homes.

More than 200 convicts have been aiding citizens in their work of strengthening levees at Greenwood. The two cities have a population of 15,000.

Flight of 2000 persons marooned in the Tippecanoe basin grew more serious as there was still a shortage of boats for rescue work. The isolated persons clung to high spots of ground, trees and houseposts, most of them without food or shelter.

BROWN ASKS HIGHER RATES OF POSTAGE

Increase Suggested as Scheme to Aid U. S. Treasury

WASHINGTON, Jan. 20.—Postmaster General Brown today recommended to the house ways and means committee that first class postal rates be increased from two to three cents. It is estimated that such an increase would bring an additional \$100,000,000 in postal revenues to relieve the hard-pressed treasury which had appropriated \$135,000,000 this fiscal year to meet the postal deficit. Brown followed the postal secretary, James A. Adams, of Yale university, who testified that the Canadian system of a flat sales tax on all manufactured goods was absolutely practicable in this country and would raise a large amount of revenue.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 20.—The house judiciary subcommittee investigating charges against Circuit Judge John J. Parker, of Charlotte, N. C., and Elliott Northcutt, Huntington, W. Va., wasted today not to press the inquiry. Charges were said to have been filed by Mary Spears, of Baltimore.

Value of School Lunch Stressed

By MRS. PAT KIMZEY (Written for Parent-Teacher Association)

From the standpoint of health, the school lunch is no more important than any other meal in the day, but it is more difficult to provide the right foods for this meal and to serve it in a wholesome setting. It may be inconvenient to prepare and carry a lunch box, but if the trouble it takes spells HEALTH, it is worth while.

A luncheon box should be inviting enough to tempt the most fickle appetite of growing child, and ample enough to satisfy the huge appetite of growing boys. If the lunch really satisfies, there will be less craving for sweets which are the cause of many illnesses.

Do not try to have too many kinds of foods in one lunch—including too many foods in one lunch makes it difficult to have a variety from day to day.

SANDWICHES Sandwiches, the staple article for the lunch box:

Use good bread; day-old is best and may be bought cheaper. Vary size and shape for variety. Sandwich fillings should be mildly seasoned.

Shredded lettuce or cabbage with dressing (brown bread). Chopped eggs, on buttered bread.

Cheddar cheese and jelly. Cheese moistened with cream. Peanut butter moistened with orange juice.

Coconut, chopped dates, prunes, nuts, orange juice. Tomato, lettuce and mayonnaise. Cold meat or meat loaf sliced thin.

FRUITS Without fruit, preferably a juicy one, a lunch would be monotonous.

An orange, apple, or ripe banana is easy to carry. Cooked fruit may be carried in a covered jelly glass.

SWEETS Cookies are made to order for the lunch box.

Simple sweets are the best—gingerbread, wafers, zwieback, dried fruits, baked custards. Do not encourage the use of too much candy.

BEVERAGES Milk may be brought in thermos (Continued on page three)

Early Opening Of Yarn Mill Is Foreseen

ELECTION IS IN LONG'S FAVOR

Louisiana Governor-Senator Apparently Wins for Successor

Announcement by W. C. Bobo, Manager, Expected Soon

EXTRACT PLANT TO REOPEN ON MONDAY

Early resumption of two Transylvania county industries which will increase the payrolls in the county immediately to approximately 200 more people and which hold promise of further gains in employment as business conditions warrant, was indicated here Wednesday.

With the reorganization of the Pisgah Mills, of which W. C. Bobo, under the new ownership, has become manager, active manufacturing of yarns again is promised in the declaration of Mr. Bobo that "he expected to be ready to make an announcement with regard to the reopening in a few days." The American Wool and Cotton Reporter, trade journal of that industry, in its recent issue states:

"In the reorganization of the Pisgah Mills, formerly Sapphire Mills at Brevard, W. C. Bobo will become president and treasurer and general manager. E. E. Beer, vice-president, and G. F. Williams, secretary and assistant treasurer. It is stated that Mr. Bobo will move to Brevard at an early date and arrange for reopening of the plant."

Simultaneously, J. S. Silverstein said that the extract plant at Roseau Mill resumed operations Monday morning. At that point, about 55 men will begin work the first day. Mr. Silverstein told a representative of the Transylvania Times he added that if business warrants it, the plant will continue to operate indefinitely and will add a number of men to its payroll. This establishment has been closed for some time and its resumption means much to the people in Rosman and the surrounding section. It will give work to people who have not had continuous employment in industry for some time.

SIGNS OF EARLY REVIVAL OF TRADE

Mr. Bobo, who has been in Brevard for some time looking to the reorganization of the Pisgah Mills business, came here from Anderson, S. C., where he had been engaged in the same line for the past two years. Previously he has been with the Jackson Mills at Greenville, S. C., for the past 17 years as general manager. His associates in the new concern are both of Greenville.

Mr. Bobo stated yesterday that buying in the yarn business had been on the "hand to mouth" basis for the past two years, but that in November and December, an output of about 12,000 pounds per week, giving employment to about 125 persons.

Mr. Bobo anticipates moving his family here from their present home in the early summer. He said he would be joined by them as soon as the children finish their present term of school.

Kiwians Hear 'Y' Executive

Featuring the regular meeting of the Kiwanis club, held Thursday at noon at the England home, was a talk by Dr. John M. Holmes, general secretary of the Greenville Y. M. C. A. The address was of most interesting and informative.

Dr. Holmes telling of the Y. M. C. A. camp operated each summer in November and December, and distributing literature relative to its activities.

Other out of town guests at Thursday's meeting included I. M. Glenn, secretary of the Greenville Chamber of Commerce, and two well-known Boy Scout executives, Herbert Stucky, general executive of the Boy Scouts, Atlanta, Ga., and A. W. Allen, regional executive of the Western North Carolina Boy Scouts, Asheville.

The Kiwanis meeting, presided over by the president, Rev. R. L. Alexander, was a well-attended and enthusiastic gathering of members and guests.

COUNTY-WIDE FARM SURVEY IS UNDERWAY

Data Will Be Basis on Which to Plan 5-10 Year Program

Preparatory to the 5-10 year organized farm program, the mass meeting to be held here at the courthouse Saturday afternoon, January 30, to lay facts and figures of Transylvania county's production and needs in the farming industry before the people of the county at large, a survey of conditions to be presented got underway this week.

The survey is being carried on by the members of the advisory committee who are working with Julian A. Glazener, as chairman of the project in the county, and in line with an announcement made recently by Mr. Glazener, the members of the class in vocational agriculture, in their capacity as members of the local unit of Future Farmers of America, are assisting this work in the several districts in the county where they live.

A house to house survey is being made throughout the county with its basis a questionnaire which Mr. Glazener mailed out last week. The compilation of data from these questionnaires will show the precise amount of all products shipped into the county that could be provided at home; the amount of farm products during the past 12 months; the amount of livestock and poultry now held in the county, and the preference of individual farmers with regard to the growing of money crops, and the strains of corn, potatoes and rye grown, among other things.

The advisory committee, of which the chairmanship is held by Jerry Jerome, will take a portion of this data for the basis on which established markets will be sought for the products of the county to be produced under the 5-10 farm plan.

Among other items that the committee wants to bring to the attention of the county is data in his office bearing on the last agricultural census. This shows the following livestock in the county for the years 1930 and 1920, the classification of the stock, the first year and the second year mentioned following in order:

Horses, 332, 600.
Mules, 235, 376.
Cattle, 2,652, 4,378.
Milk cows, 1,121, 1,274.
Hogs, 1,311, 4,066.
Chickens, 13,595, 22,875.

Mr. Glazener points to the fact that there are three-fourths the factory jobs in the county now than there were ten years ago, and that the fact that people who could raise pork are paying out money for it.

There are practically half the number of beef cattle in the county at this time, compared with ten years ago.

The meeting preparatory to the survey of the 5-10 year general meeting likely to be held here at the mass gathering of January 30, was held at the home of Mrs. Bates Patton at Davidson River, last Saturday afternoon, and important steps in the organization were taken at that time. These were in the selection of J. F. Jerome as vice-chairman, J. F. Corbitt as secretary of the Women's Auxiliary, and the election of Mrs. Sam McCullough as vice-chairman, and Mrs. Clara Williams as secretary of the Women's Auxiliary. Mrs. Patton having been named as chairman of the women's department of this work.

The woman's auxiliary, which with the aid of the school system is making the survey, bespeaks the co-operation of all the people toward making this basic work in the 5-10 farm plan a success in Transylvania county.

Hart Operating Cleaning Plant

W. F. Hart is devoting his entire time to the management of the Spick and Span Cleaners, which is being operated with a skilled personnel and good equipment. He states, following his relinquishment of the immediate control of the Brevard Battery company, Mr. Hart, who was owner and manager of the battery company, has not sold that plant, but has leased the equipment to Freeman Hayes, who is operating in the name of the Brevard Motor company, the same store carrying on a general auto repair and supply business.



O. K. ALLEN

NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 20.—Nomination of O. K. Allen, choice of Governor Huey P. Long, senator-elect from Louisiana, was announced on the face of incomplete unofficial returns which poured in here today in the Democratic headquarters following yesterday's primary.

Most of the election day disturbances occurred in south Louisiana parishes. Twice the police used clubs to break up fights in New Orleans, which resulted in the arrest of two election workers on charges of disturbing the peace.

A citizen of Barataria, in Jefferson parish reported to Attorney General Percy Saint late yesterday that voters in his precinct were made to pass before a shotgun guard on their way to voting booths. The citizen reported all voters were warned to vote right, or else.

Attorney General Saint immediately sent an assistant into the district to investigate.

A few hours earlier feeling flared into a gun battle at Hammond, La., 89 miles north of New Orleans, which left one man dead and two wounded. The fights started when the men quarreled over the merits of two candidates for governor.

Elmer Dunningham, 32, former convict, was killed, and Milton Bates, 35, and Kitchen Bridges, 22, were wounded in the shooting which climaxed the political argument. Bridges, suffering with a minor flesh wound, was arrested.

Bates was brought to a New Orleans hospital where doctor reported his condition critical.

Fair skies beamed over the state for the primary election, held for the purpose of nominating a governor, lieutenant-governor and a new state legislature. Election judges from city and rural precincts alike reported heavy voting and estimated the total may reach 325,000, with New Orleans contributing approximately 95,000 toward the amount.

The issue at stake was whether Governor Huey P. Long would be able to turn over affairs of the state to a governor selected by him when he leaves to take his seat in the United States senate, a post he was elected to fill last March but which has not yet seen his presence.

Long supported the administration ticket headed by O. K. Allen, present highway commissioner.

POLICE CHIEF NOT WELL

Chief of Police B. H. Freeman is still on the job, though he is quite unwell by the weather, and feeling hardly able to be at his duties.

Arden Galloway In Hospital After Mishap in Woods

Arden Galloway, resident of Glazener, and who works on the Mills River operation of the Carr Lumber company, is in the Patton Memorial hospital at Hendersonville, where he was taken Tuesday morning when he suffered a broken arm and thigh when a tree fell on him.

How the accident happened was not learned. He was rushed to the hospital at Hendersonville in the Kilpatrick ambulance.