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ROTARY OFFICERS INSTALLED FRIDAY

The Marion Rotary club elevated Pat Davis to president succeeding T. L. Richie, at a meeting held at the Marion Lake Club last Friday evening.

Other officers installed were: 'Charles H. Smith, vice president, Ernest Ross, secretary, and Howard 'T. Hawkins, treasurer.

Macon Williams, of Lenoir, immediate past district governor, conducted the installation ceremony.

The new board of directors is composed of the above officers and T. L. Richie, immediate past president, Gordon Morris and Wilton E. Carter. Rotarians had their ladies as guests at the meeting and Mrs. Macon Williams was a guest of the club. Attendance totaled 56.

Miss Mary Greenlee Attending Education Meetings This Week

Miss Mary M. Greenlee is attendtion meeting in Cleveland, Ohio this Principal's department and as a delegate of the North Carolina Education association.

Miss Greenlee has just returned partments.

Pfc. Byrd Transferred



W. H. Wood has been made Assistant Chief of Police and Ben Hendley Captain of Police, according to announcement this week by Chief of Police D. W. Smith.

Carl Cauthren and Jess Bailey have joined the Police Department and will work with Captain Hendley at night.

RAY SCHOLARE FIELD WORKER AT ST. MATTHEW'S

Ray Scholare of Detroit, first year student at Concordia Seminary, St. of this road. Louis, is spending some time in

direction of Rev. Charles Frenzel, church.

week as North Carolina's representa- tend to the people an invitation to tive of the National Elementary attend church and to send their children to the Vacation Bible School ture said, "I know roads at times gram are incomplete. which begins at St. Matthew's on are impassable. would be de-August 2.

Under the supervision of pastor from a two weeks Work Conference Frenzel, Scholare wrote his first ser- road to Dysartsville is a great conin Elementary Education in the mon for a public service and he United States Office of Education, preached for the first time last Sun- ion."

Washington, D. C. Members of the day in the Lutheran church of Winsconference were members of the ton-Salem. Last Thursday he spoke Departments of Instructional Service to the Junior Walther League about

September he will return to Con-

cordia Seminary to begin his last

The Hensley and McCurry Hosiery

terest of Ted Hensley in the Hensley

McDowell county 4-H club girls AGENTS TUESDAY

vears.

As Corporation



HIGHWAY OFFICIALS OUTLINE PLANS FOR IMPROVING SECONDARY ROADS

commissioner, and H. E. Noell, district engineer, were present at a call meeting of the Marion Merchants association Tuesday evening to discuss the possibility of improving the Dysartsville road. For the past several months the

association has urged improvement

Paul J. Story, local attorney, ad-Marion as a field worker under the dressing the group, said, in part: Church League of McDowell county pastor of St. Matthew's Lutheran ball. Dysartsville should have a July 11, at the First Baptist church,

The field work of Scholare is would mean so much to the people. this week. designed to give him practical ex- Many have moved away from Dyperience in his training for the sartsville. We ask the High- discuss the approaching wine and ing the National Education associa- Lutheran ministry. He is calling at way Commission to give this their beer election. The public is cordially some of the homes in Marion to ex- most earnest consideration."

Roy W. Davis, McDowell county's representative to the State Legislalighted to have the road fixed."

Mayor J. W. Streetman, Jr.: "The cern to every business man in Mar-

S. R. Perkins, president of the Marion Merchants association: "Merchants of Marion will profit of the various states and those per- Concordia Seminary and his studies if this road is fixed and since Marion sons recommended by the State De- for the ministry there. This is the is the county seat, merchants here school at which Dr. Walter A. Maier do not get an even break with road of the Lutheran Hour is professor. to Dysartsville as it is and residents

Scholare's training includes high going to other nearby towns to school and three years of college. In shop."

Max Watson, district highway Beer And Wine To Be Discussed At Mass Meeting

A mass meeting of the Allied "this project is not a political foot- will be held at 3:30 p. m., Sunday, good road in passable condition. It B. F. Pollard, president, announced The purpose of the meeting is to

invited to attend.

Pollard said arrangements for a speaker and other details of the pro-

Home Demonstration **Club Weekly Schedule**

North Marion: Tuesday, July 13, at two o'clock, home of Mrs. A. C. Rader.

White Pine: Tuesday, 7:30 (place to be announced later). Laurel Grove: Wednesday, two

o'clock, home of Mrs. James Crosby. Providence: Thursday, 7:30, home of Mrs. G. W. Miller.

Triplett Injured In Game Monday

Jack Triplett, center fielder for the Marion Marauders, is receiving treatment at the Marion General hospital for head injuries received in a game with Hendersonville Monday.

Triplett and Ray Yow, right fielder, ran together as they tried to catch a fly ball.

SUPERIOR COURT **TO CONVENE HERE MONDAY**

The July term of McDowell County Superior Court will convene here Monday, July 12, with Judge Don K. Moore of Bryson City, presiding.

Juror have been drawn as follows: First Week

Roy McCurry, E. P. Huffman, Frank Edwards, W. Harlie Worley,

Bryant Clark, Weldon F. Bowman, Macon O. Lewis, John F. Davis, W. G. English, R. H. Hensley, Robert E. James, H. A. McGaha, Lee Chapman, J. A. Goins, Grant LeFevre, W. C. Roland, Fred Allison.

M. D. Ledbetter, G. Richard Simmons, E. J. Lowery, Calvin Arrowood, Arnold Effler, Simmie R. Cross, R. A. McCall, W. Herman Vess, Floyd S. Suttles, E. L. Carter, Homer J. Proctor, Worth Cox, Preston Richardson.

Second Week

W. R. Loudermilk, B. E. Upton, L. C. Pace, Walter L. Allison, Howard W. Bradburn, C. Y. Banning, Otis Biddix, Bernard Fender, C. M. Bradley, Clifton Swafford, John C. Padgett, C. M. Jolly, Jonas Burgin,

COUNTY SCHOOL FACULTIES NAMED FOR COMING YEAR

Two new school principals will come to McDowell county at the beginning of the school year, N. F. Steppe, county superintendent announced vesterday.

E. D. Wilson will be principal at North Cove. He is a school man of several years experience. For a number of years he was superintendent of county schools at Yancey. For the past ten years he has been principal of the school at Marshall in Madison county. He is a graduate of Carson Newman college and has done considerable graduate work in other institutions. "Wilson is well known in school circles and the people of North Cove are much pleased to secure a man of his training and qualifications to take charge of the North Cove high school," Steppe said.

W. P. Whitesides comes to Glenwood. He was principal at Nebo for several years ten years ago. Leaving Nebo he was superintendent of the school at Newland for several years. From Newland he went to the large consolidated schools at Bethal in

Haywood county. He is well known in McDowell county and among the school men of the state. He is looked upon as being a man of unusual ability.

> The Glenwood district employs 26 teachers and is the largest area of any school in the county.

Other teachers for the county chools have been elected as follows: Pleasant Gardens School: R. L. Wiggins, principal; Mrs. Pauline D. Wiggins, Mrs. Alma C. McGimsey, Ray W. Murray, Frank Pyatt, R. W. I. E. Burnette, Mrs. I. E. Burnette, Stockton, Richard Davis, Paul Sisk, Miss Lula Hicks, Miss Essie Hemphill, Mrs. Dimples F. Simmons, Mrs. Georgia Corpening, Mrs. Mable Raymond Smith, F. D. Glenn, Haire, Miss Geneva Link, Miss Zel-Richard Noblitt, Willard Seaman, J. ma Atwell, Mrs. Jennie Gill, Miss C. Norman, W. L. Stockton, Leroy Lula D. Sandlin, Robert T. Clark, Miss Grace Baldwin, Mrs. Grace Steppe, Bruce Herrill , Miss Louvenia Presnell. Old Fort School: Harry Swofford, principal; A. K. Moore, R. M. Woodward, Mrs. Truby L. Painter, Miss Maude Searcy, Miss Katherine Lowndes, Miss Mary Burgin, Miss Dorothy Odom, Miss Amy Calhoun, Miss Jennie Henderson, Mrs. Eliza-The American Legion and Legion beth Lindley, Mrs. Wilma Enloe, Auxiliary will have a joint meeting Mrs. Margaret Harris, Mrs. Emily in the community building next Bradley, Mrs. Foydell Hensley, Mrs. Gladys Kanipe, Mrs. Lola Lonon, Helen Thompson, of Glenwood, Mrs. Lula Knupp, Miss Ola Wall, and Bobby Curtis, representatives Mrs. Eula Bowman, Joe Bass, W. J. Dysartsville School: J. E. Allen, principal; Mrs. Mary M. Allen, Mrs. Beth B. Atchley, Mrs. Lona G. Laughridge. Nebo School: Richard Shaw, principal; J. C. Raburn, Thomas W. Stacy. Mrs. Alma Bradley, Mrs. Louise Burnette, Mrs. Maude Branton, Mrs. Bertha Hemphill, Miss Della Tipton, consideration at the regular meet- Miss Addie Lavender, Mrs. Cassie ing of the board of aldermen Tues- P. Ledbetter, Mrs. Fred Greene, Mrs.

To Vienna, Austria

TULLN - Vienna, Austria. - Pri- year of college followed by three vate First Class Morrison E. Byrd, years of theological training. son of Mrs. Flora B. Byrd, Route 4, Marion, has recently been trans- Two Mills Merge ferred to Tulln Air Base, Vienna, Austria.

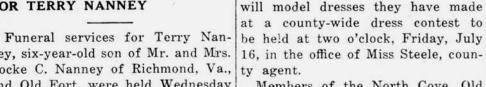
Tulln Air Base is the Austrian terminal of the European Air Transport Service, the organization which Mills have merged and will now be is providing aerial transportation for operated as the Consolidated Hosiery all U. S. occupation forces in the Mill, Inc. Charter of incorporation European Theater.

Pfc. Byrd graduated from Pleas- to announcement by the owners, ant Gardens High School in 1947, Guy Hensley and Howard McCurry. the year in which he entered service. His army job (Air Force) is in the weather service where he works as Hosiery Mill prior to the merger. a Weather Observer. Prior to his arrival in Europe in May of 1948, County-Wide Dress Pfc. Byrd was stationed at Robbins

FUNERAL RITES FOR TERRY NANNEY

Field, Georgia.

ney, six-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. 16, in the office of Miss Steele, coun-Locke C. Nanney of Richmond, Va., ty agent. and Old Fort, were held Wednesday church cemetery.



Contest Next Week

Members of the North Cove, Old morning at Cherry Springs Baptist Fort and Pleasant Gardens clubs will church near here. Burial was in the be required to turn in record books for the year at this meeting.

HOME DEMONSTRATION CLUBS HOLD SPRING FEDERATION

Mrs. J. W. McCurry was elevated Postal Receipts to the office of president of the County Council succeeding Mrs. J. H. Barnes at the annual Spring Federation of Home Demonstration clubs held here Friday night. Mrs. during the past year.

elevated to vice president and Mrs. Marion Wilkerson, of the White Pine ing June 30 the total of \$11,143 beginning at the school bus route dren. club, was elected secretary.

The dinner meeting was held in 158.33. the office of Miss Jean Steele, county members of the Laurel Grove club as hostesses.

Mrs. Walter Pike, of Hendersonville, who represented the Home Demonstration clubs of 19 western North Carolina counties at the Triennial Conference of the Associated Country Women of the World in Amsterdam, Holland, last fall, war devastated countries of Europe.

Show An Increase

tion but as yet have not been ap-Postal receipts from January 1 to proved. June 30 rose to \$22,215.83, topping McCurry served as vice president last year's figure by \$2,219.58 for the street through Forest Park avethe same period, according to a renue near the Yancey street Baptist Mrs. Guy Lonon, secretary, was port by Postmaster John Finley. church be graveled; a position to ex-For the three months quarter end-

exceeded the 1947 total by \$2,-

During the past month the Postal Rutherford county line, and to imhome demonstration club agent, with Savings department issued certifi- prove the road to the Hogan resicates amounting to \$49,425 and dence were approved and referred cashed certificates totaling \$38,282, to the state highway commission.

making an increase of \$11,143. Bond sales for the month of June Mrs. Guy Lonon otaled \$4,762.50. **Named Delegate**

CANNERY TO OPEN

Mrs. Guy Lonon has been named The Pleasant Gardens cannery a delegate from McDowell county presented technicolor movie slides of will open at 7:30 a. m. Friday, July to the Farm and Home week meet-Holland and other European coun- 9, and will be open every Tuesday ing to be held at N. C. State College, tries. These pictures illustrated Mrs. and Friday at the same hour until Raleigh, August 30-September 3, Pike's lecture on the condition of further notice, it is announced this Miss Jean Steele, home demonstraweek. tion agent, has announced.

Bethlehem: Thursday, two o'clock, A resident of Dysartsville: "It is lodge hall. very important that the road be fixed. School buses could not get over

the road for a period of three weeks." two o'clock, home of Mrs. Arthur Another resident of Dysartsville, who has resided in the community

for 17 years: "Schools close one to six weeks each winter with the exception of probably one or two during this 17 years on account of impassable roads."

Dysartsville resident: "Roads are was received this week, according so bad at times that even during sickness and death there is no way (Continued from first page) Guy Hensley purchased the in-

S. L. Homewood was re-elected

county farm agent of McDowell

county and Carl Whitesides was re-

elected assistant county agent at the

regular meeting of the board of

county commissioners here Tuesday.

Both were elected for terms of two

Homewood has served in this ca-

pacity in McDowell for the past eight

years and has been assisted by

Miss Jean Steele, home demonstra-

tion agent for the past nine years,

was re-elected for a term of one

year. Miss Ruby Lea Kaiser has been

appointed assistant home demonstra-

Budgets for the schools and other

departments were given considera-

A road petition requesting that

and running in the direction of P.

Whitesides for the past year.

tion agent for the county.

COMMISSIONERS

REELECT COUNTY

Greenlee: Friday, 7:30, at the Hut with Mrs. Harlan Young as hostess. Turkey Cove: Monday, July 19,

Buacom. Nebo: Tuesday, two o'clock, in pasement of the Methodist church. Cherry Springs: Wednesday, two 'clock, community building. Glenwood: Thursday, two o'clock,

odge hall. Pleasant Gardens: Thursday, 7:30, home of Mrs. W. L. Thompson. Dysartsville: Friday, two o'clock,

home of Mrs. H. J. Buchanan. Chapel Hill: Tuesday, July 27, two o'clock, club house. North Cove: Wednesday, two

o'clock, at the school. Old Fort: Thursday, two o'clock, community building.

Rites Wednesday For Mrs. Poteat

Funeral services for Mrs. Stella Hill Poteat, 49, of Dysartsville, who died Monday after a long illness,

Jesse B. Poteat; three sons, Calvin, John and Clarence Poteat, all of Dysartsville; seven daughters, Misses Sarah M., Joyce and Jennie Rea Poteat, Mrs. Raymond Patton, Mrs. Carmie Kaiser, Mrs. James Anderson and Mrs. Loye Crawley, all of Dysartsville; the father and step- Here This Week mother, Mr. and Mrs. C. Lee Hill of Marion, Route 2; a brother, A Frank

Hill of Marion, Route 2. three sis-City, Mrs. Cleree Busbin of Clinchfield and Mrs. J. M. Poteat of Martend Brackettstown road one mile ion, Route 1, and eight grandchil-

COURT OF HONOR

B. Smalley's residence near the The McDowell County Boy Scout Methodist Hut, it is announced.

> corn will be demonstrated at a meeting to be held in the office of Miss Jean Steele, county agent, at two through savings and loan associao'clock, Friday, July 9.

A record-breaking amount of elec-

tems financed by REA loans in the with \$107,000,000 in the 1946 first fiscal year ended June 30.

Willard Whitson, Jim Brown, Garland H. Gilliam.

Payne, G. A. Brooks, H. L. Watson.



Tuesday evening.

from this county to Boys' State and Kay. Girls' state, will have part on the program.



A petition by citizens requesting a water line running on the street

by the Hudgins high school to the boundary line of the town was referred to the street committee for day night.

PRECAUTIONS TO PREVENT POSSIBLE SPREAD OF POLIO

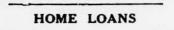
Burnettes Arrive

Mr. and Mrs. I. E. Burnette, who of the spread of polio after comwill be members of the faculty of pleting a refresher course in the ters, Mrs. Fate Austin of Forest Pleasant Gardens school next fall, diagnosis and treatment of polio at arrived here this week.

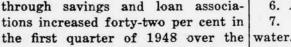
Mr. and Mrs. Burnette and their daughter will reside in the residence owned by Ernest Dysart on Highway 70 about two miles west of the

Pleasant Gardens school. Burnette is a native of Mars Hill, away, chance of exposure is greater Court of Honor will meet at 7:30 N. C. He attended Mars Hill Junior if you travel.

agriculture education from the Unicersity of Tennessee. He served in the Army Air Corps for 26 months.



Loans for home construction drops.



8. Avoid insult to mouth, nose and same period of 1947. The figure tric energy was bought by rural sys- reached \$234,000,000, as compared throat.

quarter.

(Continued on last page)

Dr. D. David Garvin, District Health Officer of Orange county, drew up a list of precautionary measures against the possible prevention

Knickerbocker Hospital in New York.

The list of precautions follows: 1. Avoid unnecessary contacts with groups and crowds, especially indoors.

2. There is no advantage in going

3. Continue your normal activities. 4. Treat every fever not readily explained as poliomylitis and go to bed.

5. Don't take medicine for protection. Do not use gargles or nose

6. Avoid fatigue.

7. Avoid use of contaminated water.

9. Kill flies.

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o'clock, Friday night, July 9, in the college and received his degree in FREEZING DEMONSTRATION Methods of freezing peaches and

The Rev. R. N. Williams, pastor,

were held at the East Marion Pentacostal Holiness church at 3 p. m., Wednesday. officiated and burial followed in Hoover cemetery. She is survived by the husband,

