

Leading Livestock and Dairy County in North Carolina. Population: 22,664

ASHE COUNTY IS ...

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Thanksgiving Is Farm Committee **Expected** To Be **.Quietly Observed Elections** Are **Business Houses Are To Close;** To Start Today Quail Season Will Open

Thanksgiving is expected to be quietly observed in the county next Thursday, November 27 with plenty of turkey, with early indications of an unusually good crop of this prize Taanksgiving fowl

Stores as well as most all other business houses are expected to close but most schools will operate as usual, A. B. Hurt, county superintendent said yesterday. He pointed out that several of the schools had planned dinners and other special programs for the day, however.

A number of churches have al-Wednesday, it was announced

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Ashe Students To Give Dramas

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Festival At Jefferson Uriday At 2:00 P. M. To Offer Varied Program

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GIVEN AWARD

Different Dates Chosen For Election Of Community Committeemen

The elections of Agricultural Conservation Community Committeemen and delegates to the county convention will get underway in the county today at Ashland, Warrensville, Grassy Creek, and Crumpler, with others following Saturday and

throughout next week. The elections have been held throughout the county on one day, her tofore, but are being

for cutstanding community

Rocco Cutri Is

Honored Thurs. By Rotary Club Presented Watch For Outstanding Community Ser-

vice By Club Members.

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Lively Bidding At Tobacco Auction Market

\$3.60 a Year Out of County



Lively bidding marks the tobacco auction market in Winston-Salem, Ashe County farmers will have an opportunity to sell their conacco at home this year as the Tri-State Burley Warchouse at Weit Jefferson is taploity being completed.

FuneralOfT.C.

Three Military Funerals Are Mayne Albright Held This Week In County For Returned War Dead

andidate For Governor Visits County ; Sueaks To W Many Attended

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Will Open Xmas **Shopping Season** Here On Nov. 29

Santa Claus Parade To Be Held; Schools Asked To Take Part

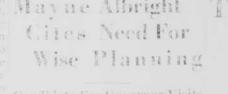
The public is again reminded that the Christmas shopping season will be officially opened here on Saturday, November 29, when local stores will offer a wide selection of merchandise to the buying public.

The Christmas parade, to be led by the West Jefferson Band will start at 2:00 P. M. Here santa Claus will make his official entry in the parade and all schools are asked to enter floats and compete for prizes.

Anyone else desiring to, may enter a Christmas float. Only the schools will compete for the

100 Bushel Club Needs Members

Information Concerning Corn Yield To Be Sent To County Agent



Scout Drive Is Nearing Goal Scores Given

Bank, Fay Drug Condary, Kran Cheese Co., \$10.00 each
Baré-Little employees, \$7.50
Boy Scout Troop 115. Clendale
Springs, Hoyt Wood, Toda Drug
Co., \$5.00 each
Hardin Plumbing and Heating,
\$4.00; E. T. Woodio, \$3.00.
John Wilkins, Jim McLaurin,
Cheese Co., \$100 each
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<l Joe Osborne, \$2.00 eacht Mrs. R. the Lansing court, the girls with E. L. Plummer, Rex Jones, W. ning 24-6 and the boys, 26-19. P. Shoaf, Carl Blevins, Ashe
 Memorial Works, Paul Bowers,
 Leet Vannov, D. H. Walker,
 Lynch Colvard, \$1.00 each.
 The schedule for next week is
 NOVEMBER 25, 1947
 Lansing at West Jefferson

Riverview at Fleetwood

VET'S MONEY COMES HOME IN SEA BAG

Surprising as it may seem. money belonging to a young Ashe county veteran, travelled half around the world in a sea bag and returned to the owner, unmolested.

The money was the property of Edward Ralph Eard, of Idlewild, who served in the Pacific area and was wounded on Okinawa. Young Bard returned home from service two years ago without his sea bag.

Last week, that same sea bag arrived and with it his billfold that he had completely given up hope of ever seeing again. The \$42 he had left in his billfold was neady tucked inside, although Father Time had worked on it considerably. He also had a small amount of Japanese money which was also unmolested.

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For Ball Games

Food Sale Will Be Held Saturday fact

Mrs. H. D. Quessenberry and which North Carolina should TEXT BOOKS CHECKED Mrs. John Reeves, room mothers and, of the fourth grade of West Jef- Mr. Albeight, together with

Mr. & Mrs. Mayne Albright Visit County

M. Anderson, program chairman, introduced the speaker. Special (Continued on Page 5)

Turkey Buying Starts In Ashe

n Ashe county, when a number tion

W. G. Vannoy, one of the latgest buyers in this area, said that be expected to start today, but Taomas of Oklahoma, said Mr. trouble, had no advance information as Truman's 10-point program means Ala.) predicted to newsmen. But to what the prices would be. The turkey crop in the coun-

ty is expected to be unusually chief executive evidently wants highly controversial. good this year and growers are expecting worthwhile returns. "The president, having had ser- he wants his whole program en-

Last year over 9,000 turkeys vice in the senate, certainly should acted. The people, he said, want were sold on the Thanksgiving know he couldn't get enacted protection against inflation, they market for more than \$50,950.00. in both houses measures of this

BY WADE JENKINS Pro

Father Of Mrs.

a lood sale on Saturday morning the Jeffersons and other sections books department of the State in Ma at 10 o'clock at Frazier's Store, of the county. it was announced this week. Exciptone is cordially invited Miss Ruth Tugman was host-ess to the club at her home here anal check of the text books is J. L. Seg and in the absence of the president such through the county. dent, Mrs. J. A. Reeves, Miss

Lenna Gambill presided. Mrs. Ed Truman Asks Price Controls. **Credit Curbs Against Inflation**

he had a battle on his hands, buying Key Republicans and at least. These

"regimentation." he shook his head over price, House Speaker Martin said the rationing and wage controls as

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wed by Mrs. Loia Porter. Serving on the scal sale dounittee are Dr. Robert Hurt, Miss Pulliam, Blanche Pach, Mrs. Robert King and Mrs. Leonard Shepherd. The quota for the county has been set at \$800.00. More details regarding the sale will be announced later.



North Carolina's youngest candidate for governor in the Democratic primary, R. Mayne Albright and Mrs. Albright visited in the county Monday in his trailer field headquarters, "The Challenger." While here they talked with a number of Ashe county people. He spoke to the West Jefferson Woman's Club, Monday night.

Healing Springs at Elkland NOVEMBER 27, 1947

V. - C. at Nathan's Creek