

ADDITIONAL FRANKLIN SOCIAL ITEMS

U. D. C. TO MEET

The Macon county chapter of the United Daughters of the Confederacy is to meet at 3 o'clock Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. T. J. Johnston on Harrison Avenue. All members are urged to attend.

GARDEN CLUB HAS INTERESTING PROGRAM

The Franklin Garden club held its regular monthly meeting Monday at the home of Mrs. J. S. Conley. January has been called the month for garden inspiration and aspiration and the program for Monday's meeting was planned to arouse a better appreciation of flowers, gardens and nature, and what they have meant as inspiration in art, literature and music.

Mrs. Charles Solms ably discussed the part nature has played as an inspiration in literature, while Miss Margaret McGuire told how most of the masters of music had been influenced by nature. She illustrated her discussion with two vocal solos, "At the Bend of the River," and "Only a Rose," which she sang expressively and beautifully. She also accompanied Miss Edwina Dalrymple, who sang Joyce Kilmer's "Trees."

The club is scheduled to meet next on February 3.

Mrs. R. A. Patton is taking treatment at Mission Hospital, Asheville.

Mrs. Hallie Russell, proprietor of the Hallie Beauty Shop which she recently opened on the second floor of the Ashear Building, announced this week that she would be assisted by Miss Virginia Owens, registered cosmetologist. Miss Owens comes to Franklin from Union Mills, N. C. She has had considerable experience in hair dressing and cosmetology.

Harley Baldwin, who underwent a serious operation at Angel hospital Monday morning, was reported Wednesday to be resting well.

Morris Franks, small son of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Franks, who has been ill with pneumonia at the home of his parents, is reported to be improving.

Ruth Angel, young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Zeb Angel, has pneumonia at their home on Riverview street.

Got the Homesteads



MINNEAPOLIS . . . Ethan Allen (above), the homestead leader who hitch-hiked to Washington and stormed capitol doors last year, will head the caravan of 20 families, 49 adults and 55 children, which starts January 16 for the 640 acre tract awarded as homesteads in Minnesota by the Emergency Relief Ass'n.

Woman Mayor Indicted



WILDWOOD, N. J. . . . Mrs. Doris W. Bradway, (above), mayor here, faces an indictment with her entire board, on three counts. One count charges the use of city gasoline in her private automobile.

BOND QUESTIONS ARE ANSWERED

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of drouth, there is insufficient water for present needs.

9. What probability is there of industrial demand for more water?
A—The Tennessee Valley Associated Cooperatives plan to locate in Franklin a market and cannery which, when operated at full capacity, would use approximately one-third of our present water supply.
10. Does the town now have ample fire protection?
A—No. No part of the town has ample protection, and a large part has no protection through water.
11. Will the proposed system give ample fire protection to the entire town?
A—No. There are a few homes which, due to their isolated location, will be left unprotected.
12. How many homes in Franklin now have fire protection?
A—Approximately 75.
13. How many homes will receive protection under the proposed system?
A—Approximately 228.
14. Will the new water system lower the insurance rates?
A—Yes. In our opinion, rates will be lowered 25 to 50%.
15. How much will the tax rate be raised, if the water bonds are issued?
A—Approximately 40c per \$100 of valuation.
16. How much will tax rates be raised if both the water and sewer bonds are issued?
A—Approximately 47c per \$100 of valuation.
17. Does those persons using town water, who are outside the town, pay the same price for water as those who are in town?
A—No. They pay 75c more per month.
18. Why did the engineers not recommend a gravity system?
A—Because the estimated cost for a gravity system was \$300,000.00 against \$65,000.00 for the proposed pumping system. The nearest protected water shed that will afford an adequate supply is approximately 11 miles distant. The cost of the large main required to carry enough water this distance is prohibitive for a town the size of Franklin.
19. Why did the engineers not recommend the use of water from the Tennessee River?
A—Because the source of the Tennessee is in another state and therefore beyond the control of the North Carolina Health authorities.
20. Why did the engineers recommend Cartoogechaye Creek?
A—Because it is the nearest ample water supply that would be approved by the North Carolina Board of Health.
21. Why did the engineers disapprove another well?
A—Because the chances of striking an ample supply of water are insufficient to warrant the expenditure.
22. Will the operation of the proposed system cost more than that of the present system?
A—Yes, the operation will be slightly more, due largely to the fact that more water will be supplied.
23. Will the money derived from the increase in sale of water equal the difference in cost of operation?
A—In our opinion, and in the opinion of the engineers who have been consulted, it will more than pay for the difference in cost.
24. Is this the system generally used in mountainous and hilly countries?
A—Yes, except where an adequate gravity system can be installed more cheaply. This proposed system is already approved by the United States Government.
25. Will the water be pure?
A—Yes. This system is approved and recommended by the State Board of Health, and is the system used by most of the towns and cities throughout the United States.
26. Does the United States Government have any control over the way the money is spent?
A—Yes, complete control. No contract can be made and no money paid out, until approved by the United States Government.

Best Athlete at 40



TORONTO . . . Harold Webster (above), 40 year old Canadian marathon runner and winner at the 1934 British Empire games, has been voted Canada's outstanding athlete of 1934 by a nation-wide poll of sport writers.

Anne Gould Elopes



NEW YORK . . . Anne Gould, great granddaughter of Jay Gould, founder of a great American fortune, eloped at 4 A.M. with Frank A. Meador an actor and native of Texas, to be married at Harrison, N. Y.

27. Did the Government approve enough money to do the job?
A—Yes, the Government approved \$9,000.00 more than the engineers' estimate.
28. What will become of the money that is not used?
A—It must be applied to pay interest and retire bonds.
29. Will local labor be used?
A—Yes, preference must be given to ex-service men and to laborers within the town.
30. What will be the wage scale?
A—The wage scale will be fixed by the United States Government. A quotation from the contract with the Government, recently received from Washington, reads as follows: "All employees directly employed on this work shall be paid just and reasonable wages, which shall be compensation sufficient to provide, for the hours of labor as limited, standard of living in decency and comfort. Such wages shall in no event be less than the minimum hourly wage rates for skilled and unskilled labor prescribed by the Administrator for the zone or zones in which the work is to be done."
31. Must a person register to be qualified to vote?
A—Yes, a new registration has been called and no one can vote who does not register at this time.
32. When does the registration close?
A—Saturday, January 12th. George Carpenter is the Registrar and can register a person at any time from now until 6 P. M., Saturday.
33. When is the election?
A—January 22, 1935.
(Signed)
R. D. SISK,
Mayor, Town of Franklin.
J. H. FOUTS
W. B. MCGUIRE
J. B. PENDERGRASS,
Aldermen, Town of Franklin.

Mrs. Caroline Hoffman, of New York, 103, is said to be the oldest person to vote in the last presidential election.

CHURCH

Announcements

FRANKLIN BAPTIST
Rev. Eugene R. Eller, Pastor
(Sunday, Jan. 13)
9:45 a. m.—Sunday school. Classes for all ages.
11:00 a. m.—Worship with sermon by the pastor. Subject, "The Beatitudes." Matt. 5:1-12.
6:30 p. m.—Baptist Training Union, with unions for all ages.
7:30 p. m.—Worship with message by Mrs. E. R. Eller.
(Wednesday, Jan. 16)
7:30 p. m.—Prayer meeting, with special program by Senior B. Y. P. U. with Miss Virginia Cunningham in charge. Subject, "The Meaning of My Church Membership." The public is most cordially invited.
(Friday, Jan. 18)
7:30 p. m.—Meeting of Sunday school teachers and officers.

EPISCOPAL

Rev. Frank Bloxham, Rector
St. Agnes, Franklin
(Sunday, Jan. 13)
11 a. m.—Morning prayer and sermon by the rector.
7:30 p. m.—Y. P. S. L.
(Wednesday, Jan. 16)
7:30 p. m.—Bible class and choir practice.
Incarnation, Highlands
(Sunday, Jan. 13)
11 a. m.—Church school.
3 p. m.—Bible class.
4 p. m.—Evening prayer and sermon by the rector.

Funeral Held for William S. Slagle, 73

Funeral services for William S. Slagle, 73, were conducted at 2 o'clock Thursday afternoon of last week at Carson's Chapel by the Rev. C. C. Herbert, Jr., pastor of the Franklin Methodist church, and the Rev. Eugene R. Eller, pastor of the First Baptist church of Franklin.

Mr. Slagle died in the hospital late Wednesday afternoon, January 2, of ulcers of the stomach. He was apparently well Wednesday morning and went about his work as usual. Becoming suddenly ill, he was taken to the hospital for treatment.

Mr. Slagle is survived by two sisters, Mrs. Dock Sellers, of Cartoogechaye, and Mrs. Rufus Hall, of Etna; four brothers, George Slagle, of Cartoogechaye, James Slagle, who lives in California, Jesse and Ed Slagle, of Washington; a niece, Miss Reba Slagle, and a nephew, J. E. Perry, of Franklin. Pallbearers at the funeral were W. T. Moore, J. B. Pendergrass, Tom Leach, George Bulgin, George Mashburn and R. L. Hall.

Gneiss

Miss Myrtle Vinson, teacher at Walnut Creek, is on the sick list this week. Mrs. F. E. Mashburn is substituting.

Claud and Garland Jones spent the week-end at Higdonville.

C. N. Jones has had government men out from Franklin looking over the Burgin place. Quite a number of places in the Walnut Creek district have already been purchased by the federal government to become part of the Nantahala National Forest.

QUARTERING ACTS

In 1765 Parliament passed an act compelling the colonies to provide the garrisons in America with fire, candles, vinegar, salt, bedding, cooking utensils, and liquor. It was the first act requiring the colonies to tax themselves for imperial objects. In 1774 an act was passed legalizing the quartering of troops in the town of Boston. Both acts were most distasteful to the colonists.

Classified Advertisements

FOR RENT—Furnace-heated six-room house in East Franklin.—MRS. E. R. KINNEBREW, BOX 1085, ATHENS, GA. J10-2tp-J17

New Kidneys

If you could trade your neglected, tired and lacy kidneys for new ones, you would automatically get rid of Night Rising, Nervousness, Dizziness, Rheumatism, Burning, Itching and Acidity. To correct functional kidney disorders, try the guaranteed Doctor's special prescription called CYSTEX (Siss-tex). Must fix you up in 8 days or money back. At all drug stores.

Highlands Highlights

EDITED BY MRS. T. C. HARBISON

RECENT BRIDE SHOWERED

Mrs. Sam Henry, recent bride, was honored with a miscellaneous shower given at the home of Mrs. George Wilson last Friday afternoon. A number of friends and relatives called during the afternoon and left their numerous useful and pretty gifts for the bride. Cake, sandwiches and cocoa were served during the shower.

HONOR ROLL

Following is the honor roll of the Highlands school for the fourth month:

- 1st grade—Betty Edwards, Barbara Zoellner, Edwin Shockley Morris Calloway.
- 3rd grade—Marie Houston, Edna Phillips, Elizabeth McCall, Carrie Chastain.
- 4th grade—Jessie Potts, Barak Wright.
- 5th grade—Imogene McKinney, Felicia Edwards.
- 6th Grade—Mozelle Bryson, Margie Waller.
- 7th grade—Marveta Reese, Peggy Thompson.
- High school—Bernice Rice, Mary Keener, Corinne Paul, Sarah Thompson, Bertie Jenkins, Carolyn Potts.

Miss Betsy Potts and Miss Oeola Everett returned to Cullowhee Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. J. E. Rideout arrived in Highlands Friday after having spent about two weeks with relatives in Mississippi.

Mrs. Bense Neely is home again after an extended visit with her daughter, Mrs. Sidney McCarty, in Greensboro. Mr. and Mrs. McCarty and Sidney, Jr., accompanied Mrs. Neely for a few days visit.

Harry Hall, of Raleigh, was visiting relatives here during New Years.

T. G. Harbison has returned to the University of North Carolina

Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Douglas left Monday for their winter home in West Palm Beach.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Davis left for Crescent City, Fla., last Wednesday. They were accompanied by Claud Calloway.

Ed Reese, of Sylva, was visiting his sister, Mrs. Carl Zoellner, here Sunday.

West's Mill

Miss Pollie Allen, of Bryson City, spent the past week here visiting relatives and friends.

T. S. Rickman, who has been ill with rheumatism for some time, is improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Wiggins and Mr. and Mrs. Neville Wiggins, of Bryson City, were visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Matlock Sunday.

Earle Bryson is ill with pneumonia.

V. A. Browning, of Bryson City, was visiting in this community last Saturday.

Mrs. A. L. McClean, who has been ill, is reported to be improving.

Mr. and Mrs. John Matlock and Allen Brown, of Marietta, Ga., came up Sunday for a visit with Mr. Matlock's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Matlock.

Horace Bryson and Fred Bryson are confined to their rooms with influenza.

SATURDAY EVENING POST

As founded by Franklin, the periodical now known as the Saturday Evening Post, was entitled: "The Pennsylvania Gazette." The name was changed in 1821 to avoid confusion because at that time there were six other papers in Philadelphia using the word Gazette in their titles.