



BRYSON CITY TO MEET FRANKLIN HIGH FEB. 10

Bryson City will come to visit Franklin High's basketball court Friday night, February 10. This is the second time these rival teams have met. Franklin and Bryson City have always been bitter enemies in basketball and football. A capacity crowd is expected to see these evenly-matched teams play. Franklin should have a small advantage over their rivals because of the strange court. With Tyler and Teems back as forwards, the girls will probably make up for the defeat that was given them at Bryson City. The starting lineup for the girls will probably be: Teem and Tyler, F; Henderson, C; Barnard, Fouts and Justice, G.

The boys line up is Leatherman, C; Culver and Penland, G; Wilkie and Fouts, F.

PADGETT GIVES FINE TALK TO SCHOOL

The high school had the privilege of hearing Dr. Padgett of the state board of health in chapel hour Monday. His subject was "Syphilis and Gonorrhea." He expressed the importance of the extermination of these diseases and gave the death toll that they take each year. Dr. Padgett stated that these diseases occur chiefly in youths between the ages of 14 and 30. His talk was very much appreciated by the entire school.

FRANKLIN HIGH SCHOOL TO PLAY HIGDONVILLE

Franklin high school plays the Higdonville all-stars Wednesday night, February 8, in a twin bill at the school auditorium. This marks the second meeting of these teams. Previously, the Higdonville boys defeated the Franklin boys, but the Franklin girls shellacked the Higdonville girls. Higdonville has suffered but one defeat out of seven games. This will prove a much better game than the outlook shows. The lineup has been shifted for Franklin and at the beginning of the game will probably read: Leatherman, C; Culver and Setser, G; Cunningham and Wilkie, F. The girls lineup will be Tyler and Teems, F; Penland, C; Barnard, Fouts and Tice, G.

THE SECOND GRADE

Ann Wright brings Children's Activities Magazine for our reading table each month. Elizabeth Ann Phillips brings Child Life Magazine. Mildred Dalton and Nancy Calloway brings us Play-Nancy Calloway bring us Play-these magazines.

Grady Greene who is president of our Book Club has been absent for two weeks. He is taking Pasteur treatment. We miss him very much and hope he will be back with us soon. We want to warn all girls and boys to beware of strange dogs!

MRS. SMART'S FIFTH GRADE

Mr. Wells made an interesting talk on the growth of the United States since 1803. We enjoyed it very much and would like for him to come in again at his convenience. We like history and like to hear different ones express their views on history.

PICTURE PRESENTED TO FIRST GRADE

A beautiful painting of George Washington was recently presented to the first grade by Betty Jean Wilhide. Through the discussion of this picture we have learned many interesting things about our first president.

SENIORS MAKE PLANS FOR BUNCO PARTY

Plans are being made for a Bunco party to be given by the senior class Saturday, February 18, at 7:30 p. m. in the high school auditorium. Many valuable and useful prizes have been donated by the merchants of Franklin and by numerous individuals. As this is a very popular and interesting game, the seniors expect to have many players.

Admission will be 25 cents.

THIRD GRADE NEWS

We have started reading in our new book, "Good Habits." The stories are about good health habits. Everyone in the class is keeping a health chart for this month. There are many interesting pictures in our new book.

MISS JAMISON'S FOURTH GRADE

The pupils in Miss Jamison's fourth grade are studying several new things. We are studying the famous people born in February. Different members of the class are

bringing in stories, articles, and pictures about them.

Several attractive health posters have been made to illustrate different health rules.

We are trying to improve our oral and written language. Making up stories, telling them to the class, and writing them down have been interesting and helpful.

MRS. BARRINGTON'S PUPILS TOOK CURRENT EVENT TEST

The Current Event Class in Mrs. Barrington's section of the sixth grade took the mid-term Current Event Test sent out by the American Press. One pupil scored 96, three made above 90, 18 above 76, the lowest score was 64.

Ninety-three per cent of the class subscribed for The Current Event Magazine and one period each week is given to study and discussion of current problems.

In 1938, more than 6,000,000 fishing licenses were issued to American sportsmen.

T. F. Railroad Shows Deficit For 1938

According to the report of operations for 1938 recently issued by the receiver for the Tallulah Falls railway, receipts were \$105,825.95, while operating expenses, including taxes of \$6,936.41 and hire of equipment, \$4,491.51, amounted to \$115,898.83, leaving a deficit of \$10,172.88.

GOING PLACES

American farms are now being electrified at the rate of 200,000 a year, a far more rapid acceleration than was recorded in all the years prior to the depression. Nearly a million and a half farm homes are now using electricity.

The Country Gentleman, founded in 1831, is the Nation's oldest agricultural magazine.

Mrs. Roosevelt, wife of the President, last week revealed that she had never had a beauty shop "facial" in her whole life.

DEADLINE

Growers of spring wheat who want to insure their 1939 harvests under the "all-risk" wheat crop insurance program must have their applications on file in county AAA offices by March 1.

A LETTER from HOME

A Welcome GIFT to the Former Resident

IN THIS NEWSPAPER

IT'S A HIT! The NEW Firestone CHAMPION TIRE

Because IT'S THE ONLY TIRE MADE WITH THE NEW SAFETY-LOCK CORD BODY and GEAR-GRIP TREAD

CAR OWNERS everywhere are acclaiming the extra blowout protection and non-skid safety of the new Firestone Champion Tire. And automobile manufacturers, knowing its outstanding performance, have adopted it for their new 1939 models. On every hand you hear, "It's the most effective tire we have ever had on wet pavement and in mud and snow!" It's the hit of 1939!

The Firestone Champion Tire is a completely new achievement in safety engineering and the result of a new and revolutionary means of locking greater safety into the cord body of a tire. This is accomplished first, by the use of a new type of tire cord called "Safety-Lock," in which the cotton fibers are more compactly interwoven to give greater strength. And then the fibers in each individual cord, the cords in each ply and the plies themselves are all securely locked together by a new and advanced Firestone process of Gum-Dipping, which provides amazingly greater strength — and greater strength means greater safety.

The new Safety-Lock cord construction gives the added strength that makes possible the use of the new thicker, tougher, deeper Firestone Gear-Grip Tread, which provides remarkably longer non-skid mileage. This sensational new tread is called "Gear-Grip" because of its unique design which has more than three thousand sharp-edged angles that grip the road with a sure-footed hold to protect against skidding and to assure a safe stop.

Come in today and equip your car with a set of new Firestone Champion Tires, the only tires made that are safety proved on the speedway for your protection on the highway.



AB JENKINS
World's Safest Driver
Ab Jenkins, holder of 87 world records for safety, speed and endurance, who has driven more than a million and a half miles on Firestone Gum-Dipped Tires without an accident, says, "On the speedway or on the highway, I insist upon the extra safety of Firestone Gum-Dipped Tires on my cars."

Listen to The Voice of Firestone with Richard Crooks, Margaret Speaks and Alfred Wallenstein, Monday evenings over Nationwide N. B. C. Red Network.
Listen to The Firestone Voice of the Farm—Everett Mitchell interviews a Champion Farmer each week during noon hour. See local paper for station and time.

Firestone CHAMPION		Firestone HIGH SPEED		Firestone CONVOY	
5.25-17.....\$13.95	6.00-18.....\$16.50	5.25-17..\$11.10	6.00-18..\$14.85	4.50-21...\$8.10	5.50-16..\$10.45
5.50-16..... 13.90	6.25-16..... 17.55	5.50-16. 12.50	6.25-16. 15.80	4.75-19... 8.35	5.50-17. 10.50
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6.00-16..... 15.70	7.00-15..... 20.40	6.00-16. 14.15	7.00-15. 18.20	5.25-17... 9.25	6.25-16. 13.15
6.00-17..... 16.15	7.00-16..... 21.00	6.00-17. 14.55	7.00-16. 18.90	5.25-18... 9.65	6.50-16. 14.50

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