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LOCALS DROP 2 GAMES SUNDAY

Asheville All-Stars Win Double-Header From Franklin Team

The Franklin Tigers lost both games of a double-header to the Asheville All-Stars Sunday on the local diamond.

The first game was featured by the heavy hitting of the visitors, and errors in base running by the locals. The score was 14 to 4. Manley, in the box for Franklin, was not in his best form, due to an illness from which he had not entirely recovered, and did not get his usual number of strikeouts.

In the second game the Tigers played much better ball. Doug Nichols pitched a splendid game and was given fine support. The game was very close, the score being 7 to 6 in favor of the visitors.

The home field cannot be used again for two weeks on account of the finishing work which the WPA force plans to do, and Franklin will go to Hazelwood for a game next Sunday afternoon. No game has been scheduled for the following Sunday but one will probably be arranged.

Federation Declares Dividend Of 3 Per Cent

ASHEVILLE, June 14.—A three per cent semi-annual dividend on the common and preferred stock of the Farmers Federation was declared Tuesday by the executive committee of the farm cooperative meeting in the office of James G. K. McClure, president, in Asheville.

More than 3,800 stockholders of record June 20 will share in the dividend, the eleventh consecutive semi-annual declaration made by the federation since it resumed dividend payments in 1934.

Dividends on common shares will be paid in cash through the cooperative's 18 warehouses and payments on preferred shares will be made by checks mailed to stockholders.

Notice To Subscribers

Due to the many changes being made in our mailing list each week, some errors may occur, and subscribers are asked to check addresses and expiration dates and report any mistakes at once.

Cliffside Lake

Recreation Area Nearing Completion

Beautiful Cliffside Lake is rapidly developing into the most attractive recreation area on the entire Nantahala National Forest. As one structure after another is rapidly completed, visitors are struck with the beauty of the rustic buildings.

The elaborate cookhouse built of logs and native stone, which has been completed for some time, is finding considerable use at this early date. Picnic parties may be found there most any day in the week and all who visit praise the development highly.

The beautiful outdoor amphitheater, with a seating capacity of over 300 people, is already in readiness for the opening celebration to be held on July 22 at which time prominent speakers from North Carolina and South Carolina will be present. It is in the amphitheater that the fiddlers' contest will be held.

Plans for the celebration are progressing rapidly and it is anticipated the entire development will be complete before the date of the celebration.

Macon Boy On Cover Of Federation News

Harvey Swanson, Macon county boy of the Cartoochay section, is the subject of the boy-and-dog picture on the cover of the Farmers Federation News for the June issue.

The editor of the News, Blackburn W. Johnson, caught this fine pose with his camera while Harvey and his shepherd dog were resting in a fence corner after herding cows from one field to another a few weeks ago. Making his home with a relative, John Roane, one of the county's leading farmers, Harvey is a 4-H Club member, especially interested in raising good beef cattle, and his friends are glad to see him decorating the Federation magazine's front cover.

Sugarfork Cemetery Cleaned Off Tuesday

In response to the request published in The Press last week, a number of people from Oak Grove, Pine Grove, Sugarfork and other places met at the Sugarfork Baptist cemetery Tuesday and did a thorough job of cleaning off the grounds which are now in splendid condition.

\$15 And \$10 Derby Prize Offer To Close Saturday

Peggy Dunbar, Franklin, Soared To Top Position On This Week's Honor Roll

Honor And Glory, \$200 And Loving Cup Waiting Winner At The End Of Race On July 8; Hard Work Will Win

WORK FROM NOW UNTIL END TO DECIDE WINNER

Despite challenges from other babies in the Derby, Peggy Dunbar, Franklin, managed to gain top position on this week's Honor Roll. Joe Parker Rhinehart, Franklin, was second, and Raymond Cleveland, Highlands, third. Several other babies gave these a mighty close race and it was necessary to do hair-line figuring to determine the leader. More babies pictures are published today and the complete Honor Roll will be found in the Baby Derby page.

No matter what you have been earning heretofore, you can make \$50 a week throughout the remaining weeks of the Baby Derby. You can win the prize you most desire if you will put in the proper effort at the proper time or during this week and next week when coupons and subscriptions are worth more "miles." You can win the \$15 or \$10 special prize offered for this week's work if you will hustle for business between now and Saturday night at NINE o'clock!

No one else is going to fix the value of your time. As a candidate in this race you are in business for yourself, according to the way you figure, plan and work. Each candidate is the appraiser of the value of her time. It rests entirely with you if you make your time worth many dollars an hour or just a few cents. The pay will be in the form of the prize or commission you win at the close of the Baby Derby. And the prize you win will be decided according to the number of "miles" you earn. Are you asking your friends to ASK FOR BABY COUPONS FROM THE COOPERATING MERCHANTS? Are you asking for NEW OR RENEWAL SUBSCRIPTIONS TO THE FRANKLIN PRESS?

Any one of the babies entered in the race could climb "up there" to the first position on the next Honor Roll by the proper application to business. Candidates, you cannot rest on what has been done

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Typhoid Clinics

Being Held In County By Health Department

Typhoid clinics are now being conducted in Macon county by the health department according to the following schedule:

June 16, 23 (Fridays).
Clarks Chapel schoolhouse, 8:45 a. m.
Saunders' Store, 9:30 a. m.
Otto store at postoffice, 10 a. m.
Franklin Health Department 2 p. m.
July 7, 14, 21, (Fridays).
Chapel colored school, 8:45 a. m.
Slagle school, 9:30 a. m.
Waldrop mill, 10 a. m.
Rainbow Springs, store at postoffice, 10:30 a. m.
July 11, 18, 25 and August 1, (on Tuesdays).
Cullasaja store at postoffice, 9 a. m.
Gneiss store at post office, 9:30 a. m.
Goldmine school, 10 a. m.
Highlands school (first grade room), 1:15 p. m.
Sealy postoffice at store, 2:15 p. m.

Flanagan To Direct Young People's Meet

The Rev. J. A. Flanagan, pastor of the local Presbyterian church, leaves on Monday morning for Montreat, where he will serve as director of the Young People's Conference of Asheville Presbytery. Accompanying him will be Nat Macon and Gus Leach, Jr., who will attend the Intermediate Conference being conducted at the same time.

Singers To Meet At Burningtown, June 18

The third Sunday afternoon singing of the Northern Division of the Macon County Singing convention will meet with the Burningtown Baptist church beginning at 1 p. m., on June 18, it is announced by Theron A. Slagle, president.

All choirs, quartets, duets, soloists and all interested in singing are invited to attend.

TENANT LOANS WILL BE MADE

County Supervisor Now Ready To Receive Applications

Tenant farmers in Macon county, hoping to buy farms for next year under the tenant purchase program of the farm security administration, may place their application now for loans, said William G. Davis, county supervisor, whose office is located in the new agricultural building in Franklin.

It is anticipated that a limited number of loans to buy and improve farms will be made to hard working farm tenants and farm laborers of outstanding ability who are approved by the county tenant purchase committee, and who are able to find good family-sized farms at reasonable prices, Mr. Davis said. The loans will be limited in accordance with money appropriated by congress, he said.

Further information about the tenant-purchase program may be secured from Mr. Davis' office, or from any member of the county committee. Members of the committee are: Albert L. Ramsey, Franklin Route 3; Ed B. Byrd, Stiles, and Walter C. Taylor of Franklin Route 4.

Mr. Davis said that eight loans to buy farms already have been approved in Macon county and some of these families have already moved to their new farms.

Azaleas In Bloom On Wayah Bald

This week-end or the next will be the ideal time to drive to Wayah Bald and see the azalea in bloom, announces Forest Supervisor Charles Melichar. Several inquiries already have been received from distant cities asking when the flowers will be at their best, showing that the fame of the azaleas on Wayah Bald is spreading. At the lower elevations the azaleas are in full bloom now and you can easily pick out the yellow variety, the orange, and the flame colored ones. At the highest elevations the white azalea is just budding and another 10 days of warm weather should open the buds.

The amount of azalea seen from the road is increasing due to the public's thoughtfulness and regard for the state law which prohibits picking flowers within 100 yards of the road.

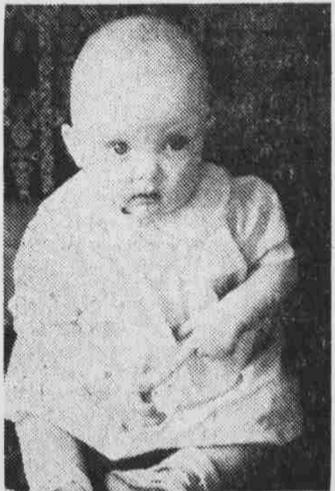
FIVE MORE ENTRANTS IN THE POPULAR "BABY DERBY" RACE



—Photo by Crisp Studio

HOWARD PAUL BURCH
Franklin Route 2

It's lots of fun being the Baby Derby Editor; you meet swell young folks like Howard, the 18 months old son of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Burch, and the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. O. G. Brown, Franklin Route 2, and Mr. and Mrs. I. F. Burch Hayesville Route 3. He has blue eyes, blonde hair and weighs 28 pounds.



—Photo by Crisp Studio

PATSY LOUISE LITTLETON
Highlands

Watch this little lady, for she promises to make a big success in her race for top honors in the Baby Derby. Patsy is the seven months old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Littleton, and the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Gregory, Gneiss. She has blue eyes, blonde hair and weighs 18 pounds.



—Photo by Crisp Studio

BETTY JEAN ALLEN
West's Mill

This little brown-eyed girl wins the heart of every one. Betty is the 16 months old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Allen, West's Mill, and the granddaughter of Mrs. J. L. Smith, Cullowhee. She has brown hair and weighs 30 pounds, and is number 15 on this week's Honor Roll. Watch her race.



—Photo by Crisp Studio

CATHERINE JAYNE BRYSON
Cullasaja

Catherine is new on this week's Honor Roll and is number 16. She is the eight months old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Bryson, and the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bowers, Clayton, Ga., and Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Bryson, Cullasaja. She has blue eyes, auburn hair and doesn't like to give her weight.



—Photo by Crisp Studio

HUGH LOUIN BLAINE
Franklin Route 1

Another youngster who is going up the ladder on the Honor Roll. He is seventh this week. Hugh is the 20 months old son of Mr. and Mrs. Ted Blaine, Franklin Route 1, and the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Cabe, Dillard, Ga. Route 1, and Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Blaine, Franklin Route 1. Watch this lad's race.