

TVA MAY BUILD AUXILIARY DAM

Director Lilienthal To Make Personal Study Of Project

The following story which appeared Sunday in The Asheville Citizen-Times and was written by Walter Brown, Washington correspondent for that paper, is of special importance to the people throughout this section:

"Construction of an auxiliary dam on the Hiwassee river near Murphy became an imminent possibility as TVA Director David E. Lilienthal gave assurances that he would personally launch an immediate investigation of the proposal advanced by citizens of Murphy.

"In a conference with Representative Weaver (D., N. C.) and C. D. Mayfield, president of the Murphy chamber of commerce, the TVA director stated that he hoped to visit Murphy soon and set in motion the wheels vital to the realization of the project.

Will Leave Mud Banks

"Representative Weaver and Mayfield pointed out that the now nearly-completed Hiwassee dam will back water up the river to more than a mile above Murphy. When water is drawn out of the dam, as is anticipated every third year, large and unsightly mud banks will be left along the lake bed all through the Murphy region, they said. It was stressed that this situation would be disastrous to the attractiveness of the region from the tourist point of view.

"The attractiveness of this territory to the tourist is of vital importance to the well-being of Murphy," Weaver told Lilienthal. "Unless some steps are taken to prevent the recurrence of unsightly mud banks every three years, severe economic damage may result."

"Lilienthal assured his callers that the basic purpose of TVA was to aid and develop the region rather than damage it, and that every possible consideration would be given to plans to prevent this from happening.

Would Preserve Scenic Beauty

"Weaver and Mayfield stressed that an auxiliary dam could be built at a site about a mile below Murphy that would hold back the water in the low years and preserve the beauty of the area at very little expense. Lilienthal agreed to take the

proposal up with TVA's engineers at once and expressed a wish to visit Murphy next week to personally survey the region.

"Both Weaver and Mayfield expressed the belief that every effort would be made to forestall any scenic damage to the Murphy area."

Ellijay

By MISS HAZEL AMMONS

Charlie Moore is recovering from a fall he received Thursday.

Mrs. Len Higdon is confined to her bed with influenza.

Walter Bryson and daughter and two sons, of Highlands, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Lesley Young Sunday.

Mrs. Joe Rhineheart, Mrs. Sallie Moore and Mrs. Harley Stewart, of Franklin and Higdonville, visited Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Moore Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Kermit Rogers spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Rogers, of Buck Creek. Mrs. Rogers is very ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Ammons and Mrs. Ammons' mother, Mrs. Fronia Hedden, have moved from Higdonville to Mrs. Sarah Price's place on Ellijay.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Henry visited Mrs. Henry's mother, Mrs. Carl Peck, Sunday.

Abraham Young, of Franklin, is visiting friends and relatives on Ellijay.

Mrs. Fritz Russell, of Cullasaja, spent a week with her mother, Mrs. Len Higdon.

Walter Simpson and his father, from Washington, D. C., were visitors of Francis C. Carey last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Cantrell announce the birth of a daughter, Wanda Leata, on January 18.

Grace Berry is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Berry.

Mrs. L. O. Haskett is somewhat improved after an attack of influenza.

Mrs. Claud Rogers attended the funeral of her father in South Carolina Tuesday.

Sam Coggins, from Erastus, was visiting Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Summer Sunday.

Alex Ammons spent the week-end with Oscar Adams at Mountain Grove.

Mrs. L. T. Sloan is getting along nicely teaching school at Ellijay. She spent the week-end with home folks in Franklin.

Canning Requirements Told By Nutritionist

Thirty-two quarts of vegetables and 24 quarts of fruits should be

canned for each member of the family, says Miss Mary E. Thomas, nutritionist of the State college extension service. She also recommends 10 quarts of canned meats, 10 pounds of dried vegetables, two quarts each of preserves and jam, and one quart of jelly, kraut, pickle and relish for each person on the farm.

"Canning is the simplest and most satisfactory way of maintaining the year-round health of the rural family, and is essential in the economical balancing of the food budget," Miss Thomas declared.

The nutritionist listed the following vegetables, and quantities of each, as a desirable canning budget: Asparagus, 1 quart; string beans, 5 quarts; lima beans, 1 quart; beets, 2 quarts; carrots, 1 quart; corn, 1 quart; soup mixed, 6 quarts; okra, 1 quart; garden peas, 2 quarts; and tomatoes, 12 quarts.

Fruits, and the quantities to be canned for each person, are: apples, 3 quarts; blackberries, 3 quarts; dewberries, 2 quarts; huckleberries, 2 quarts; cherries, 1 quart; grapes, 2 quarts; peaches, 4 quarts; pears, 5 quarts; plums, 2 quarts; and fruit juices, 1 quart.

"If all of the varieties of fruits and vegetables are not available, can more of those that are available," Miss Thomas declared. "To determine the family canning budget, multiply the requirements for each person by the number of persons in the family."

Virginia Vanhook, 6 Passes Friday, Jan. 19

Virginia Vanhook, six-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Vanhook, died at the home of her parents on Franklin Route 2 last Friday night at 8 o'clock, after an illness of two weeks.

Funeral services were held Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock at Clark's Chapel Methodist church. The Rev. Harry S. Williams, pastor, conducted the services and burial was in the church cemetery.

Pallbearers were: Charles A. Rogers, Hal Cabe, Alex Angel and Ulysses Sanders.

Surviving, besides the parents, are two sisters, Margaret and Bessie Lee; two brothers, John M. and Calvin C. Vanhook; one half-brother, Venice Ramey; and two half-sisters, Mrs. Charlie Knight of Highlands, and Mrs. Howard Trusty, of Clayton, Ga., Route 2.

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