

# Highlands Highlights

MRS. H. G. STORY

## CHURCH NOTES

**Highlands Methodist Church**  
Rev. J. S. Higgins, Pastor  
Horse cove:  
10 a. m.—Preaching.  
Highlands:  
11 a. m.—Preaching.  
Flats:  
2.30 p. m.—Preaching.

**Church of the Incarnation**  
Rev. A. Rufus Morgan, Rector  
10 a. m.—Church school.  
11 a. m.—Holy communion and sermon.

**Highlands Presbyterian Church**  
Rev. H. T. Bridgman, Pastor  
10:15 a. m.—Church school.  
11 a. m.—Worship and sermon.  
7 a. m.—Christian Endeavor.  
8 p. m. (Wednesday)—Prayer Meeting.

**Highlands Baptist Church**  
Rev. J. G. Benfield, Pastor  
10 a. m.—Sunday school.  
11 a. m.—Sermon.  
7 p. m.—B. T. U.  
8 p. m.—Sermon.

## BARAK WRIGHT TO EDIT HIGH SCHOOL PAPER

Barak Wright has been chosen Editor-in-Chief of The Mountain Trail for the 1941-42 school year. This paper is published monthly by Highlands high school students and is entering its fourth successful year.

Others on the staff of the paper this year are Herbert Paul, assistant editor; Malcolm Zoellner, art editor; Eugene Potts, advertising manager; Buddy Thompson, assistant advertising manager; Marion Norton, society editor; Lolita Holt, humor editor; Jessie Potts, circulation manager; Barbara Zoellner and Angela Anderson, local news reporters.

Class reporters are Frances Crunkleton, 8th grade; Maxie Wright, 9th grade; Edna Phillips, 10th grade, and Marie Neely, 11th grade. Faculty adviser this year is Miss Marjorie Ingle, English teacher.

Senior class officers are Barak Wright, president; Eugene Potts, vice-president; Marie Neely, secretary and Malcolm Zoellner, treasurer.

## THE MISSES RAVENEL ENTERTAIN CARD CLUB

The Misses Marguerite and Clare Ravenel entertained a bridge-tea for members of the Wednesday card club and a few other friends at their summer home, "Wolf Ridge" on Sunset Mountain, Wednesday afternoon with four tables in play. Fall flowers were used to decorate the rooms.

In the progressive game Miss Sara Gilder won high score prize and Mrs. Thomas C. Harbison was final winner of the traveling prize.

Mrs. W. H. Cobb presided over the tea service at the lace-covered table, which held as a centerpiece an arrangement of cosmos. Guests coming in for tea were Mrs. John Stephen Sewell, Dr. Jessie Z. Moreland, Mrs. O. F. Summer, Mrs. C. E. Mitchell, Miss Rebecca C. Nall, and Mrs. E. B. Newsom and Mrs. H. T. Bridgman.

## REV. J. G. BENFIELD RESIGNS PASTORATE HERE

Rev. J. G. Benfield tendered his resignation as pastor of Highlands Baptist church at the close of service last Sunday night, the resignation to take effect the last of December. A number of immediate protests were made and the church

is expected to take action on the resignation within the next few weeks.

Mr. Benfield has been pastor of this church since the middle of June, 1938. During this time membership has increased, the pastorium has been finished and the new church building of stone veneer has been erected. Four new members were added to the church Sunday night, two by baptism and two by letter.

## MRS. CHARLES B. QUINN PASSES AT GEORGIA HOME

News has been received here of the death of Mrs. Charles B. Quinn last Thursday at her home in Thomasville, Ga., following a stroke of paralysis. Mrs. Quinn is a stepdaughter of Mrs. J. Z. Gottwals of Highlands.

Mrs. Quinn was born in Hanover, Canada, in 1860, and is survived by two daughters and one son. The son, Charles Quinn, of Miami, is a summer home owner here, and he and Mrs. Quinn have only recently returned to Florida.

Rev. W. F. Beadle has resigned as pastor of the Fairview Methodist church near Asheville to enter the army as first lieutenant in the chaplains' reserve corps, and reported for duty last week with the 2nd infantry in Louisiana. Mr. Beadle was pastor of Highlands Methodist church for several years just prior to his transfer to Fairview.

Mr. and Mrs. John P. Strother have announced the birth of a son, John Burns Strother, at their home in High Point on September 30. Mrs. Strother is the former Miss Annabell Tallent of Franklin, and a sister to Mrs. W. G. Culbertson of Highlands, who has just returned to her home here from a visit with the Strothers in High Point.

Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Nall left last Friday for their usual winter's stay in Carabelle, Fla., after spending the past six months at their home in Shortoff.

Mrs. J. W. Reese, Jr., her two children, Louis and Martha, and her aunt, Mrs. W. S. Davis, spent the past week-end in Asheville with Mr. and Mrs. Furman Merrill, going ever Saturday morning and returning Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. G. W. Maret will return home this weekend from a ten-day visit with her sister, Mrs. L. B. Austin, in Westminster, S. C.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Guenther of Lake Worth, Fla., have purchased a building site at the foot of Whiteside Mountain overlooking Sunrise View, and were guests at Hotel Edwards the past week while completing details of their purchase.

Mrs. George Cochran of Portland, Ore., arrived last week for an extended visit with her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Edwards at their home on Fifth street.

## Judge Alley Visits Old Friends

Judge Felix E. Alley of Waynesville was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Frank H. Hill in the Horse Cove Valley Sunday. Judge Alley presented Mr. and Mrs. Hill with an autographed copy of his book just off the press, entitled "Random Thoughts and Musings of a Mountaineer."

## North Carolina To Make 'All-Out' Food Report

Dean I. O. Schaub, director of the State College Extension service, who led a group of North Carolina agricultural leaders to the recent Memphis, Tenn., meeting where a "Food for Freedom" campaign for the South was planned, returned home with the statement that "North Carolina will make an 'all-out' effort to produce food and feed for defense and security of the United States."

"Our farmers have been given a definite job to do in this food production plan," Dean Schaub declared, and he added: "I know they will do their job with true patriotism. Secretary of Agriculture Wickard and the other Government leaders have outlined the needs very clearly. The farmers will be paid 85 per cent of parity for the food they produce."

This has nothing to do with allotments, but is a new feature of the war effort. State goals will be broken down into county goals, and these into the individual farm goals.

## N. C. Quota Of Increase

North Carolina has been called upon to increase, in 1942, its milk production by 58 million pounds, which is 4 per cent over 1940, its poultry production by 6,453,000 dozen eggs, 11 per cent increase, its beef by 10,164,000 and other food and feed crops in proportion.

"Every North Carolina farmer must do his part," Dean Schaub declared, "and I'm sure he will, just as he has done in past emergencies."

## Vest Pocket Rations



Lieut. Col. Paul Logan shown with the army's new "vest pocket" ration for parachute troops, now being tested by the quartermaster corps. Three complete meals will be contained in these tiny boxes, each weighing but a few ounces.

## K. B. ZAHNER THEATRE HEAD

### Board Announces Raising Of Building Fund In Near Future

Kesyon B. Zahner, formerly of Atlanta, now of Greenville, S. C., and Highlands, has been elected president of Highlands Community Theatre, the board announces. The group is extremely gratified to have Mr. Zahner accept this position. He and his entire family have been very active in the Community Theatre for some time. He is well acquainted with its aims and developments and is enthusiastic over the possibilities for its future growth.

Mr. Zahner as president will be active head of the building funds campaign, and hopes to raise sufficient additional funds to be able to start the building in the early spring on the lot leased from the baseball grounds trustees.

The season just closed has been a highly successful one for the Community Theatre from all standpoints. It has seen three plays produced, each of increased perfection and technical difficulty. The last play of the season, "Escape Me Never," with eight scene shifts and lighting effects that were new to Highlands, was a particular proof of the work the group is able to do. The professional actors and actresses who donated their time and ability because of their faith in what the Theatre promises, all voiced their conviction that their energies were well spent, and individually expressed their appreciation of the respective audiences they had, and of the generous hospitality of the people of Highlands.

### Next Season's Plans

For next season the Theatre plans again to have a working nucleus of a few persons who will spend the summer in Highlands for the sole purpose of devoting all their time to actors, thus aiding in productions which local talent would not have the time to give. Arthur Little, who has returned to Macon, Ga., for another year as Director of the Little Theatre there, hopes to produce five plays next year, with the assistance of Thomas Fitzpatrick on several of the productions.

The board of the Community Theatre again expresses its appreciation to the many persons in Highlands and elsewhere who contributed to the success of this past season. People have been most generous with their time and financial help, by lending properties for the plays and by working with the group unselfishly and purely for the enjoyment and training they derived. The local tradespeople have given the Theatre special prices on materials for the plays.

The Board is especially grateful to the local Boy Scout Troop for donating the use of the Scout Hut for the season. The Hut provides a place for rehearsals, for meetings, for making scenery and for storage of properties. It was of more assistance than the Board feels its small contribution to the Boy Scouts can possibly express. The Board also is grateful to Mr. O. F. Summer for making the school theatre available to the Community Theatre group as often as he felt justified in changing his movie bookings.

"Did you hear about the fellow who invented a device for looking through walls?"  
"No, I didn't. What does he call it?"  
"A window."

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## Tarheel Farmers Asked To Grow More Barley

"Plant more barley, and less wheat this fall," says the United States Government to North Carolina farmers anxious to cooperate in the "Food for Freedom" campaign which has just been started on a Nation-wide basis.

E. C. Blair, extension agronomist of N. C. State college, reports that North Carolina's 1942 food and feed goals in the emergency program calls for 40,000 acres of barley, and 365,000 acres of wheat. These production goal compare with 20,000 acres of barley, and 489,000 acres of wheat harvested in 1941.

"We are asked," Blair said, "to double our barley acreage, and to cut down on our wheat production 133,000 acres. A further reduction of wheat is asked in 1943."

The agronomist said there is little time to lose in making plans to meet these goals. "Unfortunately," he stated, "the past few weeks have been dry, making it difficult for farmers to prepare their grain land. When the rain does come, do not lose an hour until your small grain is seeded."

Blair said that barley should be seeded as soon as possible in the mountain area.

## THRIFTY

Frank Meacham, Fulton Bradley and Turner Brothers of Jackson will use a total of 18 purebred gilts in "thrifty" pig demonstrations this fall.

## LEGAL ADVERTISING

### ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

Having qualified as administrator of DUNDINAH L. SELLERS, deceased, late of Macon county, N. C., this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned on or before the 5th day of September, 1942, or this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate settlement.

This 5th day of September, 1941.  
LESTER L. ARNOLD,  
Administrator

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### EXECUTOR'S NOTICE

Having qualified as executor of

## ALL MADE IN ONE DAY



Passed by Censor.

It was Canada that supplied most of the mechanized transport used by General Wavell in his famous North Africa drives against the Italians in Libya and Ethiopia. It is Canada that is making much of the mechanized transport being massed in the British Isles to ward off invasion, and under the Hyde Park Agreement, such vehicles may be part of the supplies which Canada will send to the United States as

exchange for war commodities Canada needs and in order to allow the great motor industries of the United States to concentrate their energies on other things. Already the motor industry of the Dominion has produced more than 120,000 mechanical transport vehicles of various types and the picture shows just part of the output of a single day at one of these Canadian factories.

W. R. Jones, deceased, late of Macon county, N. C., this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned on or before the 22nd day of September, 1942, or this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate settlement.

This 22 day of September, 1941.  
ALEX JONES, Executor  
S25-6tp-O30

### EXECUTORS' NOTICE

Having qualified as Executors of CHAS. A. FULTON, deceased, late of Macon county, N. C., this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned on or before the 20th day of September, 1942, or this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery. All

persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate settlement.

This 20th day of September, 1941.  
LEONARD HORN &  
T. T. HENDERSON,  
Executors.

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### ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

Having qualified as administrator of DAISY M. SHAW, deceased, late of Macon county, N. C., this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned on or before the 29th day of September, 1942, or this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate settlement.

This 29th day of September, 1941.  
HENRY W. SLOAN,  
Administrator

O2-6tp-N6

## REPORT OF CONDITION OF The Bank of Franklin

Of Franklin, in the State of North Carolina, at the Close of Business on September 24, 1941

ASSETS	
1. Loans and discounts (including \$..... overdrafts)	\$170,211.21
2. United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed	18,501.00
3. Obligations of States and political subdivisions	46,209.24
4. Cash, balances with other banks, including reserve balances, and cash items in process of collection	290,844.49
5. Bank premises owned \$28,935.05, furniture and fixtures \$1,325.80	30,260.85
(Bank premises owned are subject to no liens not assumed by bank)	
6. Real estate owned other than bank premises	1.00
7. Other assets	1,018.02
12. TOTAL ASSETS	\$557,045.81
LIABILITIES	
13. Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	\$382,679.86
14. Time deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	402.38
15. Deposits of United States Government (including postal savings)	1,027.82
16. Deposits of States and political subdivisions	94,538.94
17. Other deposits (certified and officers' checks, etc.)	4,004.34
19. TOTAL DEPOSITS	\$482,713.34
23. Other liabilities	3,582.00
24. TOTAL LIABILITIES (not including subordinated obligations shown below)	\$486,295.34
CAPITAL ACCOUNT	
25. Capital*	\$25,000.00
26. Surplus	35,000.00
27. Undivided profits	9,750.47
28. Reserve (and retirement account for preferred capital)	1,000.00
29. TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	\$70,750.47
30. TOTAL LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	\$557,045.81

\*This bank's capital consists of \$..... of capital notes and debentures; first preferred stock with total par value of \$..... total retrievable value \$.....; second preferred stock with total par value of \$..... total retrievable value \$.....; and common stock with total par value of \$25,000.00.

## MEMORANDA

31. Pledged assets (and securities loaned) (book value):	
(a) U. S. Government obligations, direct and guaranteed, pledged to secure deposits and other liabilities	\$14,000.00
(b) Other assets pledged to secure deposits and other liabilities (including notes and bills rediscounted and securities sold under repurchase agreement)	41,000.00
(c) TOTAL	\$55,000.00
32. Secured and preferred liabilities:	
(a) Deposits secured by pledged assets pursuant to requirements of law	55,000.00
(d) Deposits preferred under provisions of law but not secured by pledge of assets	1,027.82
(e) TOTAL	\$56,027.82
34. (a) On date of report the required legal reserve against deposits of this bank was	\$72,944.20
(b) Assets reported above which were eligible as legal reserve amounted to	290,844.49

I, H. W. Cabe, Cashier, of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, and that it fully and correctly represents the true state of the several matters herein contained and set forth, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Correct.—Attest:  
H. W. CABE, Cashier  
W. A. ROGERS, Director  
R. S. JONES, Director  
GROVER JAMISON, Director

State of North Carolina,  
County of Macon  
Sworn to and subscribed before me this 7th day of October, 1941, and I hereby certify that I am not an officer or director of this bank.  
My commission expires March 9, 1942.

RACHEL SLAGLE, Notary Public

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