Leatherman

By ELSIE HURST

Miss Eula Hurst visited her sister, Mrs. Theodore Elmore Friday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Omer Elmore were in Franklin Saturday on business. J. C. Hurst, who has been ill for the past week is reported to be somewhat improved

Mrs. Nobia Alexander and son, Cecil, of Savannah, Ga., visited Mrs. Alexander's brother, Buel Mason, Sunday.

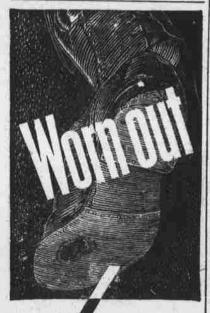
Mr. and Mrs. Carey Shepard, Palmer Shepard and Bedford Laming, of Canton, visited Mr. Clyde and family last weekend.

Mrs. Nannie Allen of West's Mill, spent Saturday night with High School's newspaper, will her daughter, Mrs. Doyl Painter. Miss Irene Hurst visited Miss Lorena Dalton last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Iradell Hurst and small sons, Lynden and Fred, visited Mrs. Hurfst's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lowe Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Elmore

Sunday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Flowers

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Franklin High **School News**

On Tuesday of last week, a group of high school and elementary students met to make plans for a school band which they hope to organize here. Mr. Finley led the group in its discussion and expressed the opinion that this high school could have such a band if it chose to do so. It was decided that Mr. Finley should contact an instructor to get further details. We are all hoping that the idea will be successful for we believe that a band is needed at our school.

The Mountain Echo, Franklin make its second appearance this week. The staff is looking forsubscription price having been low ered, the paper will reach more people than in former years.
4-H Club girls and FFA boys

of our high school have returned visited at Mr. Harley Skyards after visiting the State Fair at Raleigh. The boys brought back many blue ribbons which they had won and are justifiably proud.

Routine is the watchword here at FHS as after five weeks of school we have settled down to poultry. "If we do that, we will the job of doing what we are here to do-learning!

The Junior Class is now engaged from which they are to derive annually. It each of the farms withprofits for the treasury. These are out a cow in 1939 had only one in to be used later to pay for the 1942, the State's milk production Junior-Senior Banquet, an event for which the Juniors and Seniors wait impatiently all year. The increase our milk production in class is also making plans for the Hallowe'en Carnival which it will sponsor on Saturday, November 1.

Farmers Must Not Be Liability In Defense

"A farmer who is forced to spend money for milk, pork, poulthe National Defense program," says Dean I. O. Schaub, director of the N. C. State college extension service. "Every ounce of dairy, poultry and other such products is needed to feed defense forces in Army camps and industrial centers, and our friends who are resisting aggression in Europe," he declared.

Dean Schaub pointed out that the Farm Census showed that, in 1939, there were no cows on 98,204 of North Carolina's 280,000 farms; no hogs on 86,604 farms; and no chickens on 33,154 farms.

"That means," he asserted, "that about one-third of our farmers were buying milk and hog meat, and about one-sixth were buying eggs, or else they were doing without these essential health foods. Either situation is bad.

"For instance, if they were buying canned milk they were reducing the supply available for export to Great Britain. If they and their children were doing without milk, they were undernourished and no nation achieves total strength un-

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ward to a successful year. The Siler Slagle, son of Mr. asd Mrs. Cahl Slagle is pictured above as a member of the N. C. State college Stock judging team which is place d second in the national event held at Chicago.

The Extension director says that North Carolina can make its biggest contribution to the "Food for Freedom" campaign by seeing that every farm has at least one cow, some pigs, and a farm flock of more than meet our goals of increased production sought in 1942. The average cow in North Card in securing magazine subscriptions lina produces 3,900 pounds of milk would be increased about 383 million pounds. We are only asked to 1942 about 81 million pounds over 1939."

Otter Creek By THE SCHOOL

Our school takes great interest in reading the Franklin Press but try and other products he could we feel that it would be more comproduce at home is a liability in plete with a few items from our school and community.

We have the best enrollment this year in the history of the school. There are two hundred and twentyfive enrolled this term.

sponsored by the P. T. A.

and Mrs. Lee McMahan.

Baptist church has recently been this work. Mr. Jack Carpenter, teacher in

the Otter Creek school, is drilling a string band made of high school students are participating: Jewell Owenby, Jean Owenby, Wilson, Reno Wilson, Trammel, and Daniel Mashburn. Mr. Edward Day suffered the

loss of his car by fire recently. The Mountain Boys will appear at the Otter Creek auditorium Io-Mr. Fate Owenly was in a wreck ting ready to sow wheat.

near Happy Top Saturday p. m. He escaped with slight injuries. several prominent members of the Saturday night and Sunday. The Smiling Rangers of Station Franklin Moose Lodge spoke at Mr. and Mrs. Pierson Smith,

less all of its citizens are well WWNC appeared here October 16, Kyle one night last week in a membership drive. As a result Mr. A large picture of our president Odell Hall and one or two other was purchased by the school this candidates were initiated on Thursday night past.

Thursday the P. T. A. was re J. L. McMahan of the U. S. organized and the following officers Army is visiting his parents, Mr. elected: President, Mrs. Clint May vice-president, Mrs. Fleta Mason We are glad to report that Mrs. secretary, Mrs. Lallie Wilson; treas-Jim Grant of tre Kyle section, who urer, C. D. Moses; program comhas been seriously ill, is improving mittees: community. Clint May, The road from the main govern- Mrs. Nora May, Mrs. Bertie Ayers, ment highway to the Briartown Wieman Ayers, and Mrs. Anna Boone; school: C. D. Moses, R. N. graveled. We greatly appreciate Moses, Mrs. Fleat Moss, Lenora Boone, and Lucille Owenby.

The school possesses two live wire literary societies. The Double Eagles, of which Arnold Wilson is and elementary boys. The following president, and Virgil Caldwell, secretary. Their rivals, the Busy Bee. Wilson, Ralph Cochran, Newell society, headed by Lucille Owenby Arnold as president and Eloise Morgan, Wayne secretary.

Tellico

The farmers of this section are vember 1, sponsored by the P.T.A. busy gathering corn and are get-

The Rev. J. S. Stansberry of Almond, filled his regular appoint-Mr. Mooreland of Asheville, and ment at the Tellico Baptist church

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Smith of Rock Hill, S. C., spent the weekend with Mrs. Smith's father.

Miss Hazel Ramsey who has been working at Monroe are spending several days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Ramsey

Rev. and Mrs. T. D. Denny and daughter, Patsey, and Mr. and Mrs. Weaver Cochran of Briartown visited Mr. and Mrs. Vance DeHart Sunday. They were accompanied by Miss Bedell DeHart who will spend several days with her sister, Mrs. Weaver Cochran.

Mr. and Mrs. Beuran Pruitt and daughter, Mrs. George Parrish and daughter visited Mr. and Mrs. James Ramsey Sunday.

Mrs. Wint DeHart and children, Dorothy and Lewis, are spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Guffey in Frank-

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Howard of Franklin visited Mrs. Howard's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Ramsey, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sanford Smith of Higdonville spent Sunday with Mr. Smith's father, Mr. Joseph Smith. Sam Collins of Swain county was in this section on business Friday. Mrs. Jim Holifield of Andrews visited relatives and friends in this section recently.

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