

More Go To NYA Training Center And More Needed

Last week the following youths entered the NYA training center at Asheville: Tommy Bates and Robert Williams of Franklin, and Paul Z. Taylor of Ellijay.

A number of boys and girls are planning to leave Franklin on the 12:45 bus Monday, December 26. Others who would like to leave them or later should contact Mrs. Margaret Ordway "anywhere on Main street between 10 a. m. and 4 p. m. on Saturday, December 26." Need for trainees still is urgent; even men in 1-A are accepted. Any girl, recently married to a draftee and whose husband is gone "for the duration", can apply for training, according to Mrs. Ordway, recruiting officer. Bus fare to Asheville is the only expense. The National Youth Administration provides board, training, medical care if sick, work clothes, and \$10.80 pocket money per month. The courses last two to four months and when successfully completed youths enter war industry at standard rate of pay. The age limits are 16 to 25 years.

Parents of boys and girls within this age limit are urged to realize this chance for their children to learn a trade and to serve their country in a useful way in war industries. There must be trained workers and parents should not keep their children from this opportunity.

Kyle

By MRS. DOSHIE HANEY

Frank Baldwin, Arnold Duvall, Ford Duvall and Frank Solesbee, who have been working in Florida, returned home to spend the Christmas holidays.

Willard Johnson of Iota spend the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Haney.

Bud Hix, who has been seriously ill, is reported to be better. Dwight Waters is building a new house on his farm near Kyle.

George Pendergrass and Harvey Haney were in Franklin on business Saturday.

Harrison Hix and son Willard of Charleston, W. Va., are visiting his father, W. N. Hix.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Haney made a business trip to Andrews Friday.

Miss Odell Clark of Aquone was visiting in Kyle Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arch Dills spent the weekend with Mrs. Dills' parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Haney.

Warren Eller and L. D. Yonce who have been taking a course in welding at NYA training center Wilmington, returned home last week.

Last Rites Held For Mrs. Sallie Lewis

Funeral services for Mrs. Sallie Conley Lewis, 89, were held at the home on the Murphy road on last Saturday afternoon. The Rev. Dr. J. L. Stokes, II, pastor of the Franklin Methodist church, officiated, assisted by the Rev. A. Rufus Morgan, rector of the St. Agnes Episcopal church. Interment was in the Franklin cemetery.

Mrs. Lewis died at her home on Friday night.

A daughter of the late Joseph and Lisa Gibbs Conley, she was born in the Cartoogechaye section of the county and had lived in Macon county all her life. She was married to David Lewis, who preceded her in death about eight years ago. She was a member of the Franklin Presbyterian church and was familiarly known to her many friends as "Aunt Sallie."

The pallbearers included Henry Waldrup, A. B. Slagle, Earl Cabe, Roy Womack, Nelson Waldrup and Frank Leach.

Surviving are three children, Grover Lewis and Miss Lena Lewis, both of Franklin, and David L. Lewis, of Baltimore, Md. Six grandchildren and six great-grandchildren also survive.

Jim Mason made a business trip to Murphy Saturday. He was accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Garlin Morgan and two sons, Neal and Mitchell.

Summary

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was \$1.25, and the average reduction since then has been slightly more than 25 cents per \$100. The average county has a per capita indebtedness of \$34. For purposes of taxation, property is listed at about 75 per cent of its actual value.

Macon county's tax rate has been \$1.30 for the last five years, which provides for debt service and all expenses.

The heavy influx of industry in the past few years is tending to increase the total amount of taxable property, with consequent prospects for further tax reduction.

In some counties, taxes are collected by the sheriff, but in others special county tax collection offices do the work.

(Data from the North Carolina Local Government Commission and the Revenue Bureau. Published by the North Carolina Department of Conservation & Development.)

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Tellico By CHRISTINE DEHART

The Rev. C. C. Welch of Burningtown, filled his regular appointment at the Tellico Baptist church Saturday evening and Sunday.

We are glad to report that Robert Ramsey, who has a fractured leg, caused by a fall, is somewhat improved.

Pvt. Ferd DeHart, son of Mr. and Mrs. John DeHart, is stationed at Camp Walters, Texas.

We are glad to report that Vance DeHart who is ill, is slowly improving.

Pvt. Gordon Cook is stationed in Petersburg, Va. He is the son

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of Mrs. Martha Cook of this section. Mr. and Mrs. Sanford Smith, of Cullasaja, visited Mr. Smith's father, Joseph Smith, Sunday.

Pvt. Creed DeHart, son of Mr. and Mrs. Vance DeHart, is stationed at Camp Crowder, Mo.

Homer Passmore of Nantahala, was in this section on business recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Thad Stockton of Franklin, have moved into this section recently.

Mrs. Maude Mason has received news that her daughter, Stella, was married to Nelson Lakey of High Point and Oak Grove. Mr. and Mrs. Lakey are making their home Miss Beddell DeHart is spending

At The Theatre

The movies will get a big break this Christmas when the recreation of the public is limited on account of gas and transportation.

The Macon Theatre offers an attractive program every day next week. "Seven Sweethearts" is a tuneful romance with bright new faces in a Dutch tulip festival in America. The reviewer's rating of this picture is "Excellent."

"White Cargo" is a screen version of a noted play which was a Broadway hit, with Hedy Lamarr as jungle temptress, with Walter Pidgeon and Frank Morgan in the supporting cast. Rating: Good.

"Across The Pacific", New Year's show, a Warner Bros. melodrama with a punch where a court marshalled U. S. Captain of Artillery finds a colorful career outwitting the Japanese. Reviewer's rating: Excellent.

The Owl Show pictures tough youngsters in a comedy role in playful conflicts with the law, with the right ending.

Miller Angel, 8 Victim Of Laryngitis

Miller Russell Angel, only child of Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Angel, aged eight years, one month and 13 days, died at the home on Wednesday, December 23, at 5 a. m. after a week's illness. The case was diagnosed as laryngitis.

Funeral services were held Thursday afternoon at the Bethel church at 3 o'clock, the Rev. Philip Green officiating, and interment was in the church cemetery.

The little child is survived by its parents and grandmother, Mrs. Martary McConnell, and a number of uncles and aunts.

ing several days with her sister, Mrs. Weaver Cochran in Briartown.

Mrs. J. J. Holifield of Andrews, is spending sometime in this section, visiting relatives and friends.

Mrs. Freeman Hasting and son, Gene, of Franklin, were in this section on business recently.

A MERRY CHRISTMAS AND HAPPY NEW YEAR TO OUR PATRONS AND FRIENDS We Will be Open December 26th Henry D. West



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Clinic Notes

Arthur Sprinkles, employee of Zickgraf Hardwood Co, is a patient here suffering with a severe injury of foot.

Robert Ramsey of Tellico is under treatment of an infection of the leg.

Mrs. John Cabe of Stiles is under treatment for apoplexy.

Hurrell Brown of Buck Creek underwent a major operation this week.

Thomas Jennings of Cullasaja is under treatment.

Everett Garrett of Hiawassee underwent an amputation of his hand last week.

Mrs. Grace Rogers of Otto has

recovered from a major operation. George Talley of Highlands, is under treatment at the Clinic.

Pierson Sanders of Franklin is a patient at Angel Clinic. He suffered an accident Tuesday morning which resulted in partial amputation of the foot.

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Advertisement for 'SEVEN SWEETHEARTS' featuring a collage of actors and the text 'IT'S A SWEETHEART OF A PICTURE! Seven Times The Romance... Seven Times The Fun... Seven Times The Song Thrills!'

Advertisement for 'WHITE CARGO' featuring Hedy Lamarr and Walter Pidgeon, with the text 'The world-famed stage hit comes to the screen!'

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