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N. C. Weekly Roundup

CARRY THAT CARD—All North Carolina men between the ages of 18 and 45 who are subject to classification under the Selective Service Act are notified that after Feb. 1 they will be required to carry classification as well as registration cards at all times. Failure to do so may result in prosecution in the Federal courts, and the responsibility of securing a classification card—which states that the registrant has been placed in 3-A, 1-A, 4-F or whatever it may be—rests with the individual. If for any reason he has not received a classification card, or has lost the one sent him, he should immediately tell his local board.

WARNING—Automobile owners are cautioned this week that much damage may result from the use of anti-freeze solutions containing chloride and other salts. Materials being used in some anti-freeze solutions corrode parts of the auto engine, water pump and radiator. Presence of salt in anti-freezing solution may be tested by placing a few spoonfuls of the compound in an iron skillet or dish (Do not use aluminum) and allowing it to boil slowly on a stove until the liquid has evaporated. A substantial residue of salt provides evidence that the compound is a brine solution which should be removed from the radiator.

OPEN FOR REPAIR—Good news to all farmers in North Carolina is a new amendment of the War Production Board raising the quota for the production of repair parts from farm machinery from 130 percent of the average annual net sales of repair parts during 1940 and 1941 to 160 percent. W.P.B. says the change is the result of its determination that adequate supplies of repair parts be available for farmers in 1943, particularly since the production of new machinery has been drastically curtailed. It is expected that every machine on a farm that can be used to advantage will be repaired and put into good working condition, and to accomplish this, more than ordinary quantities of repair parts are being made available.

NO SANTA CLAUSE TODAY—Any North Carolina employer who pays the 5 percent Victory Tax on behalf of his employees, without deducting it from their pay envelopes, must first obtain priority approval from the War Labor Board, for WLB has ruled that the tax payment by the employer constitutes a wage or salary increase, and thus requires approval under wage and salary stabilization.

NO RIDERS—North Carolina has responded in an extremely satisfactory manner to the ban on pleasure driving, according to the State Office of Price Administration. A survey shows an overall drop of about 35 percent on State highways since the ban went into effect. As a result, depot wagons, buckboards and buggies which haven't seen the light of day since 1915 are now almost becoming a common sight again on country roads and suburban streets.

IT'S GOT TO BE GOOD, OR ELSE!—Any person who buys a new car or truck can rest assured that his purchase is going to be in good running order, for the War Production Board now requires that the vehicle receive special conditioning prior to being turned over to the purchaser for use. In addition, OPA requires the seller to furnish a certificate stating that pre-delivery operations have been performed and also furnish the purchaser with a copy of the check-list showing that the work has been done.

FUNDAMENTAL ASSISTANCE—Farmers who have been somewhat concerned about the restrictions on the sale of rubber boots and rubber work shoes have been given some encouragement by the State OPA which says: "Because their work has to do with supplying food—which is the home front's ammunition—we want the farmers of the State to realize they will be given every consideration by the local War Price and Rationing Boards."

Pvt. Wade McConnell is now stationed at Fort Jackson, S. C.

Point Rationing Explained By The Block Leaders

Miss Gladys Maxwell has been appointed Director of the Citizen's Service Corps which will undertake the work of instructing homes in point rationing and kidred problems resulting from war regulation of food and other commodities. This organization is part of the Civilian Defense, and will be composed largely of wives of the wardens as block leaders. This group will be permanent for the duration, and will serve whenever it is necessary for housewives and others to have information or assistance in regard to rationing and kidred problems. Miss Maxwell states that full plans of the block leaders will be outlined next week.

Classifications Given By Local Board For Selective Service

The Local Board has announced the following classifications of registrants: In I-A: Joseph B. Hoglen, Don Marshall Cabe, Zebulon Wilburn Conley, Jr., J. D. Beasley, Andrew Garland May, John David Leatherwood, James Linton Smith, Claude Wayne Holland, James Wilmer Passmore, R. L. Gregory, Zeb Weaver Lakey, Herman Pernell Sorrells, Frank Baldwin; In II-C: J. D. Dayton; in 4-F, George Robert Rochester and George Clifford Arrant.

The following were re-classified: From 4-F to 3-A, George McDonald, colored; from 3-A to IV-H, Charles Alexander Williams; from 4-F to I-A, David Marion Sanders and Berton Arthur Corpene; from II-A to I-A, Morris Edison Gibson; from 3-A to IIA, Roy Wheeler Morton; from I-A to II-A, Claude Siler Waldrop, Dorman Dale Gibson.

The following were rejected at the Induction Station, from the January 8 call, and placed in 4-F: Melvin Alfred Cody, Harold Gordon Woody, Jesse Lyle West, Jr., Johnnie Lawton Talley, John Sanders, Hunter Pritchard Roland, Charlie Bingham, William Stell Baughin, Pulaska Sylvester Castle.

The following were accepted from the January 8 call and are placed in I-C: Charles Otto Arvey, Don Owenby, Joseph Bernard Henson, George Lyman McConnell, Joe Glenn Meadows, William Porter Pierson, Eugene Norman Clappitt, Cecil Poindexter, Euell Cordell Owens, Arnold Lee Passmore, Frank D. Shuler, Oscar James Ledford, Charles Emmett Roper, Robert Lawson Carpenter, Jr., George Lee Guffey, Fred Garland Duvall, Willard Jesse Moody, Frank Alex Gibson, Hayes Eugene Houston, Jess Willard Johnston, Robert Haywood Frazier, J. B. Franklin Anderson, Frank Solesbee, Jack Harvey Head, Harry Jackson Duvall, Arthur Allen Turpin, James Hargrave Parrish, Dock Levi Clark, Jr., Roy Lee Jones, Joe Mashburn, Harry Haworth Hedden, Canary Franks, Warren G. Owenby, Nelson Jones, Julian Bun Kiser, Wayne Reginald Vanhook, Wallace B. Shepherd, Charles Radford Owens, Charlie Wade Roper, Earl Moody once, John L. Angel, Ralph Monroe Henson, Albert Nathan Pennington, Maurice Edward Norton, Carl Herbert Owenby, Arvel William McCall.

Gene Cabe, 9 Succumbs To Long Illness
Gene R. Cabe, nine-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. C. Weaver Cabe, died at his home Sunday morning, January 31. He had been ill for a year with heart trouble. Every thing possible was done to save the life of this beautiful boy. The bereaved family have the sympathy of the entire community. Funeral services were held Tuesday morning, February 2, at 11 o'clock at the Holly Springs Baptist Church. The Rev. Robert W. Williams read the service; he was assisted by the Rev. Dr. J. L. Stokes, II. Burial took place in the church cemetery.

The pall-bearers were H. D. Corbin, Jr., Clarence Corbin, Arthur Cabe, and Robert Cabe. Surviving are the parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Weaver Cabe; four sisters, Bertha, Iris, Shirley, and Alma, who is a member of the WAVES and is stationed in New Orleans; and four brothers, James, Arthur, Earl, and Ernest Cabe. Bryant funeral directors made the funeral arrangements.

GEORGE SLAGLE RITES AT HOME

Franklin Citizen Passes After A Brief Illness

George McPherson Slagle, 73, died at his home at 12:15 o'clock Friday morning, January 29, and final rites were held at the home at 11 o'clock Saturday morning. The Rev. A. Rufus Morgan, rector of St. Agnes Episcopal church, assisted by the Rev. J. L. Stokes II, of the Methodist church, conducted the service. Burial was in the Franklin cemetery. Mr. Slagle was a life-long resident of Macon county, the son of Elam and Amanda Crawford Slagle, and was born at the old family home on Wayah road, one of the oldest and most beautiful farm homes in the county, on April 13, 1869. The place is now occupied by a sister, Miss Slagle. He was a member of the Franklin Presbyterian church.

Mr. Slagle was married on October 8, 1909, to Miss Rosadell Holmes of Newnan, Ga. He was always devoted to his home, which is one of the attractive farms on the outskirts of Franklin. He also engaged in the lumber business. For the last few years his health has not been robust, but he was not seriously ill until after suffering from a case of flu since last Thanksgiving, after which he had a heart attack and spent some days in the hospital.

Surviving are his widow and five children: George M., Jr., of Franklin, Miss Alice Slagle of Franklin, Mrs. Claude Bolton, of Modesto, Calif., Mrs. Thomas A. Fagg, of Franklin, and John R. Slagle, of Nantahala; three grandchildren; one brother, Thomas M., of Franklin, Rt. 1, and one sister, Miss Anne Slagle.

Mrs. Jane P. Justice 92, Dies On Tesenta

Mrs. Jane P. Justice, 92, a resident of Macon County for many years died at the home or her son, Vance Justice, in the Tesenta section of the county, Friday morning at 8 o'clock.

Mrs. Justice, a great grandmother, had been ill for several months. Two weeks ago she fell and fractured her hip.

She was the widow of Samuel H. Justice, a confederate veteran, who died 18 years ago. Mrs. Justice was a member of the Tesenta Baptist church.

Funeral services were held at the Tesenta, Methodist church Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock. The Rev. John Baty of Highlands officiated; burial was in the church cemetery.

Surviving are four children: Vance and Horace, of Tesenta, Mrs. Lelia Lewis of Wallhalla, S. C., and Mrs. Montgomery Russell, of Highlands. Mrs. Justice leaves seven grandchildren, eight great-grandchildren, and three great-great-grandchildren.

The pallbearers were C. S. Cabe, Lloyd Justice, Oscar Carpenter, Lynn Stiwinter, Everette Patterson, and Mann Norton.

POLIO DRIVE NOT COMPLETE

Chairman Shope Reports Quota Of \$348.00

Lake V. Shope, chairman of the Infantile Paralysis Fund for Macon county, reports that he is gratified by the interest and response of citizens, and that the county quota of \$348.00 is in sight when all reports and collections come in.

Already receipts from Franklin total \$201.50, and Highland's final report as announced by Mrs. J. E. Massey, chairman, amounts to \$108.48.

Some of the rural chairman are yet to be heard from, and the Rotary club and others in town, Mr. Thorpe reports. J. J. Mann is assisting Mr. Shope.

The bunco party given at the Agriculture building last Saturday night, of which Mrs. Carl P. Cabe was chairman, netted \$20.70.

The business firms of Franklin contributed through the page advertisement in the Press, which netted around \$88. March-of-Dimes tags sold on the street by Caroline Leach and Caroline Long brought in the sum of \$33.70. The final report will be made next week.

Men In Service



Cadet John Lyle Palmer, who has been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James A. Palmer of Franklin, has returned to Santa Ana Air Base, Calif., to resume training in pre-flight school as a bombardier. After completion of training he will receive his commission in the Army Air Corps. Cadet Palmer enlisted December, 1941, and after five months training at the Ohio Institute of Aeronautics, he was sent to Fairbanks, Alaska, as a member of a repair squadron until recently called to commence his training as an Air Cadet.

ANGEL BROTHERS ARE ARMY INSTRUCTORS

SEYMORE JOHNSON FIELD, N. C., Feb. 1.—Herbert B. Angel and Ralph V. Angel, both sons of Mrs. A. A. Angel, Franklin, N. C., have recently been appointed junior instructors in the airplane mechanics school here, Brigadier General Walter J. Reed, commanding general of Seymour Johnson Field, has announced.

Hiring civilian instructors for the Technical School here enables skilled enlisted men now serving as instructors to apply for combat duty in grown crews of the Army Air Forces, General Reed said.

Technical experience in airplane mechanics is not essential, General Reed pointed out. Herbert was manager of a monument company, and Ralph was a teacher before appointment.

Pvt. Huel Sanders, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Sanders is now stationed at Fort Jackson, S. C. He volunteered for service November, 1942.

David Griggs of the U.S.N. is now waiting orders to sail after completing a six-weeks course in Richmond, Va.

Pvt. William L. Shope, son of Mr. and Mrs. Z. V. Shope is now stationed at Camp Tyson, Tenn.

Cpl. Wade T. Deitz is spending a ten-day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Deitz, of West's Mill. He is stationed at Fort Benning, Ga.

Pvt. Grady M. Holland and Pvt. Dewey W. Holland, brothers, are stationed at Fort Benning, Ga. They are sons of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Holland of Gneiss. They also have a son, Cpl. Charlie R. Holland, somewhere overseas.

Emory Mashburn of the School of the Air, located in Albuquerque, New Mexico, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Mashburn, at Gneiss.

Cpl. William S. Johnson, of the Headquarters Squadron, stationed at Santa Maria, Calif., spent four days last week at home with his mother, Mrs. J. W. C. Johnson. The remaining ten days of his two weeks furlough was spent on the trip across the continent and return. Cpl. Johnson is a partner in The Franklin Press and was business manager prior to enlistment in the Army Air Corps in June, 1941.

The family of Sgt. Ray Moffitt who is overseas in the Pacific area, have received a letter from him written on Christmas Day, reporting that he was well and happy, and is hoping to be home before another Christmas. This is his third year in the U. S. Marines.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Henry of Ellijay have two sons in service. John C. Henry, stationed in Ireland, and Walter Lee, stationed in Africa.

Red Cross War Fund Drive Will Begin March First

Men Leave For Induction Thursday Morning

Below is a list of the selectees and volunteers who left Thursday morning for induction:

The volunteers are: Silas Jenkins, Robert Greer Skates, Michael John Zemba, Glen Thomas Smith, Warren Grover Eller, William Harvey Hastings, William Fred Courtney, Robert Lee Williams, Arvil Joe Simons, Allen Jones Green, Carl E. Dowdle, and James Boston.

The selectees are: Clint Herman Wilson, L. M. Johnson, Henry Arthur Cleveland, Buren Van Owenby, T. C. Rogers, Robert Leo Sanders, Toliver Barnett Wilson, Onley Weaver Webb, Thomas Willard Crisp, George Mack Bingham, John Harvey Roper, Carey Leon Reese, Henry Percy Webb, R. L. Scott, Atlas Nelson Wilson, Carol Emmett Pendergrass.

Jacob Carl Mason, Alvin Augusta Younce, William J. B. Collier, Lawrence Berlin Welch, John Harvey Swofford, Carol Cameron Mason, Tearl France Ashe, Zeb Vance Lakey, John Harvey McConnell, Jr., Warren Edison Hedden, Samuel Eugene Tallent, Joseph L. Keener, Ted Verce Cabe, Charlie Mathis, John Denver Gregory, Charlie Frank Mashburn, Lenex Tom Webb.

Harve Lee Brown, Burl Wayne Ray, Robert Paul Ray, James Byron Foster, Walter Raleigh Dowell, Mack Owen Sanders, James Forest Johnson, Thomas Kinsland Samuel Luther Snyder, Lyle Alonzo Tilson, Jacob Astor Waters, William Leon Sellers, Herman William Norton, George William Roper.

Rufus Collier, Willard Nelson Carver, John Henry Burch, D. L. Rowland, Raymond Willis Wood, Howard Theodore Brendle, Frank Burnette Watts, John Henry Wood, and Johnnie Clyde Reeves. The following selectees from other boards are being sent by the local board here: Rex Duvall, Gastonia; Horace Alvin Davis, Bayboro; Thomas Ray McConnell, Winter Haven, Fla.

The Franklin Garden Club will present each man with a gift prior to leaving.

Square Dance Sponsored By Fire Dept Next Friday Night

The Franklin Fire Department will give a square dance in the Leach building, in the vacant store next to The Tavern, on Friday evening, beginning at 8 o'clock. There will be good string band music, and a good time is promised to all.

This promises to be one of the most enjoyable entertainments of the winter. When the Fire Department boys put on a party, it is always a success. Proceeds will be used, as usual, for the improvement of the local fire fighting equipment. The firemen and junior firemen give their services through their organizations of volunteers, and not only answer calls to extinguish fires but serve in many ways in promoting fire prevention.

There is no more important or useful community group than the men who make up Franklin's fire fighting force, and they deserve the wholehearted support of all.

FINAL REPORT BOOK DRIVE

Committee Pleased With 336 Books For The Service Men

J. E. S. Thorpe, chairman of the Victory Book campaign in Macon county, reports that 336 books and 368 magazines were received during the past two weeks for the men in the armed forces. The quality of the gifts is good, Mr. Thorpe reports, and he is pleased with the prompt response made. Miss Lassic Kelly assisted Mr. Thorpe. Young people brought 40 books to the Macon theatre last Sunday afternoon. This number includes the books collected by the Lion's Club. Grover Jamison was chairman of the club.

The committee expresses appreciation to all who contributed to this appeal. It is expected that

Rev. A. R. Morgan, Chm. Will Announce Workers Next Week

With the opening date set for March 1, the Red Cross War Fund drive will start this year with every citizen vividly conscious of the desperate job the Red Cross is doing for our own sons all over the world. This will be the inspiration of the Red Cross workers here as well as in every other county in the United States. For this drive is being put on simultaneously throughout the United States to meet growing war needs.

The Rev. A. Rufus Morgan, county chairman of the drive, will announce committees and workers next week. Mrs. T. W. Angel, Jr., who has accepted the chairmanship of window displays, has already begun to plan these in co-operation with the merchants.

Plans are to have every store in town feature the Red Cross and its worldwide program during the week of the drive, says Mrs. Angel. She reports that the merchants are seizing the opportunity with enthusiasm to help the raising of Red Cross funds in this way. Those having large windows will feature full displays, while posters will be used in other places of business. Mrs. Angel will be glad to assist in planning these displays.

Mrs. Charles Melichar, chapter publicity chairman, will have charge of publicity for the drive. ers will be outlined next week.

Boy Scout Week To Be Observed By Local Troop

Benny McGlamery, chairman of the local Boy Scout troop has announced that Boy Scout week will be observed in Franklin during the week of February 14. Mr. McGlamery, Dr. J. L. Stokes and Jesse Conley, attended a meeting of the Smoky Mountain district at Sylva Wednesday night, where plans were made for the annual adult membership drive. Mr. Conley is finance chairman for the district, and Dr. Stokes is finance chairman of the local drive. At this time funds are raised for the Daniel Boone council and for local needs.

Full plans for the observance of Boy Scout Week will be made by the committee next week.

Jasper C. West Passes On Watauga

Jasper Clingman West died Monday at the age of 87; he was a resident of the Watauga section of the county. Mr. West had been a semi-invalid for several years.

A native of Swain county, he had lived in Macon county since he was a boy. He was a farmer, and he was twice married. His first wife was Miss Addie Sellers and the second, Miss Ella Pickens.

Funeral services were held at the Cowee Baptist church Wednesday morning, Feb. 3, at 11 o'clock. Rev. J. C. Benfield officiated; he was assisted by the Rev. Philip L. Green. The burial service was held in the church cemetery.

Pall-bearers were Claude Sanders, Frank Jones, and Dillard Holbrooks.

Surviving are the widow; three children, Mrs. Charlie Grindstaff of Murphy, Jess West of Hinton, Ore., and Kathleen West of Franklin.

J. E. Potts and Sons were in charge of funeral arrangements.

WAAC Leader Here Thursday

Lieut. Adeline Sears of the Women's Auxiliary Army Corps is expected to be in Franklin at WAAC headquarters at Roy Cunningham's store on Thursday afternoon from 1:30 to 3:30 o'clock. Mr. Cunningham states that considerable interest has been shown since the information booth about the WAACS has been set up in his store.

Mr. and Mrs. Jule Tallent of Franklin, received word that their son, Sgt. R. L. Tallent has landed safely overseas.

The books will be taken to the headquarters for Western North Carolina in Asheville at the Asheville Citizens-Times building.