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MEXICO CLUB IN ATLANTA—Members of the Mexico Club of the Franklin High school, pictured above, were photographed atop The Atlanta Constitution building by The Constitution photographer. Made up of members of Mrs. Clinton Johnson's Spanish class, the club attempted to raise enough money for a visit to Mexico, but had to substitute a sight-seeing trip to Atlanta for the hard-worked-for Mexico tour...

Angel, Beale Win In Mayor Races

Potts, Burnette, Hays, Reece, McCarty Named On Highlands Board Burrell, Patton, Whitmire, Cabe, Fagg, and Phillips Named In Record Vote

James O. (Buck) Beale, youthful G. I., was elected mayor of Highlands in Tuesday's four-way race. Mr. Beale, who has been employed by the Highlands Hardware company since his return from service in the armed forces, will succeed Wilton H. Cobb, who was not a candidate for reelection. The six successful candidates among the 14 seeking places on the board of aldermen are: J. E. Potts, J. D. Burnette, W. A. Hays, Joseph W. Reese, Jr., and Sidney McCarty.

Cowee Wins As Field Day Is Held Here

As a climax to Boys and Girls Week, sponsored here last week by the local Rotary and Lions clubs, a field day was held Saturday at the Franklin High school athletic field. Contestants from Cowee piled up the highest number of points, with a total of 79, according to John D. Alsip, who had charge of the events.

LIMIT PRODUCE PEDDLING HERE

Ordinance Provides Stiff Fines; Exception Made For Local Growers

An ordinance limiting peddling in the business section of Franklin was passed by the board of aldermen at its monthly meeting Monday night. The ordinance forbids peddling on Iotla street from Church street to Main, on Phillips street from Main to Palmer, and on Main street from Kelly's Tea room to the post office.

Junior-Senior Banquet To Open School Finals

Van Raalte Firm Delighted With Quality Of Help Baccalaureate Sermon Set For Sunday Night At Theatre

The Junior-Senior banquet, to be held at 7:30 Saturday evening at the Slagle memorial, will be the opening event in the 1947 commencement program of the Franklin High school, which will close with the graduation exercises May 16, when 66 will receive diplomas. The baccalaureate service, at which the Rev. C. E. Parker will deliver the sermon, will be held Sunday night at the Macon Theatre.

Topples From Window, Dies Of Injuries

John M. Morgan, 47, well known farmer and trucker of the Watauga section, died last Thursday in the Wayne County hospital, Detroit, Mich., as the result of a fall from a second story window of an apartment building there on Sunday, April 27.

Do You Remember ...?

50 YEARS AGO THIS WEEK Advertisement carried in The Franklin Press for the week of April 27, 1897: "Leading Paper of Western North Carolina "THE ASHVILLE CITIZEN "The weekly Citizen is the largest and best paper in the State.

Col. Kernan Heads N. C. Catholic Laymen's Group

Col. W. F. Kernan, of Highlands, a member of St. John's parish, Waynesville, was elected state president of the North Carolina Catholic Laymen's association at the first annual convention of the association in Raleigh last Sunday. Col. W. F. Kernan, who recently retired from the army and bought a farm at Highlands, is regarded as a leading writer on military strategy.

Plan Lockers By Fall For School Here

Construction of lockers at the Franklin school, a project of the Parent-Teacher association, will be completed during the summer vacation and ready for the opening of school next fall, Principal George H. Hill reported at Monday night's meeting of the association. The Zickgraf Hardwood Lumber company has agreed to donate part of the lumber, and W. T. Tippett has offered to build the lockers, Mr. Hill said.

Huneycutt Called Away By Brother's Fatal Auto Mishap

The Rev. W. Jackson Huneycutt was called to Lexington Sunday morning on account of the fatal injury of his brother, the Rev. Willis Huneycutt, in an automobile accident near Lexington. The accident occurred about 1:30 o'clock Sunday morning, and Mr. Huneycutt died about 5 o'clock Monday afternoon.

Sheriff's Office, Minus Phone Since 20's, To Have One

A telephone is to be installed in the sheriff's office, the first time that office has had a telephone since the days of the late Sheriff C. L. Ingram. At their monthly meeting Monday, the three members of the board of county commissioners voted to have a phone put in the sheriff's office.

Burrell To Use Store Building Just Completed

The new one-story building adjoining the Burrell Motor company will be operated by that firm, in conjunction with its automobile business, as a store specializing in boats, motors, trailers, home freezer lockers, and tires, W. C. Burrell announced this week. The structure, built of tile and stucco, fronts 40 feet on East Main street and is 85 feet deep. Just completed, it already is in use.

Otter Creek High To Present Play On Thursday Night

The Otter Creek High school, which will close May 16, will present a play, "Meet My Wives", at the school next Thursday evening at 8 o'clock. The Otter Creek school has no graduating class this year. Members of the cast of the play, a farce, include Alba Yonce, Arlessa Waters, Lillian Jacobs, Nell Yonce, Roberta Roper, Edith Willis, Herbert Bateman, Wayne Deweese, Howard Douthit, Dillard Passmore, and Principal Weaver Shope.

Macon Cow Leads All Guernseys In N. C. Butterfat

"Gay Fairfax Patsy", eight-year-old cow on the Nantahala Dairy farm here, led all North Carolina Guernseys in the production of butterfat in March, according to an announcement just received here from the State Department of Agriculture. The announcement was based on the department's compilation of records of tests made by its representatives.

25 YEARS AGO

Workmen have been busy for the past few days painting and decorating the interior of Dr. Smith's Drug store. The store now presents a very attractive appearance with its new coat of white paint on the ceiling and light tinted walls.

10 YEARS AGO

The Macon County students who are attending Western Carolina Teachers college at Cullowhee met April 20 and elected officers for the remainder of this school term. The following officers were elected for the Macon county club: President, Miss Ina Henry; vice-president, Mrs. Ned Teague; secretary-treasurer, Miss Blanche Vinson; reporter, Miss Mattie Brendle; social chairman, Miss Mattie Wilkes; program chairman, Mr. E. G. Crawford; program committee, Carl Moses, Sanford Smith, and Mrs. Herbert Angel.

Atty. Grover C. Davis, of Waynesville, was here the first of this week in the interests of his candidacy for solicitor of the twentieth district.

Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Kinney and young son, George, moved here from Atlanta Tuesday, and are occupying the new Clyde West house on Bidwell street. Mr. Kinney recently was transferred here as forest engineer with the Nantahala National Forest.

MUSIC CLUB TO MEET

The Junior Music club will meet Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock with Edith Plemmons. Parents and interested friends are invited.

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