

**Gneiss**

By MRS. F. E. MASHBURN

The Rev. Waldo Mullen, of Blaine, Maine, and the Rev. Sam Ketter, of Pittsburgh, Pa., students of Bob Jones college, opened a daily vacation Bible school at Walnut Creek school house July 7. This week they will do a lot of visiting in the community.

They will begin a revival serv-

**CARD OF THANKS**

We want to thank our neighbors and friends for their many deeds of kindness extended us in the time of our sorrow, especially the hospital staff.

Mrs. and Mrs. Odell Hurst.

ice Saturday night at 8 o'clock. Mr. and Mrs. Baresdorf and small daughter, Gale, have returned to Oak Ridge, Tenn., after visiting relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Hedden and small son, Harlie, and baby, Lillie Jane, have returned from visiting relatives in Haywood and Buncombe counties.

Mr. and Mrs. Ennis Mashburn and two small sons, and Miss Eula Mashburn spent the weekend in this section, visiting relatives.

Miss Bettie Peek has accepted an office position with the Van Raalte company in Franklin.

Calves can best be dehorned when they are young by using caustic on the horn buttons.

**Important Farm Events Set For July And August**

By S. W. MENDENHALL (County Agent)

A number of events important to the farm men, women, boys, and girls of Macon County will be held during July and August. All of them will provide both education and entertainment.

A farm and home tour will be conducted here Wednesday, July 23. On this tour farms and homes where outstanding progress has been made will be visited.

Transportation will be furnished for any one who does not have a way to travel. The tour will leave the Agricultural building promptly at 9:30 a. m. Every one is invited.

The week of July 28 all 4-H club boys and girls will have an opportunity to attend 4-H camp at Swannanoa. 4-H club members who wish to attend this camp should contact the county or home agent immediately in order that camp reservations and transportation may be arranged. Club members will take their food, bed linen and toilet articles. The actual cost will be only \$5, which will cover camp fee, transportation and other expenses such as milk ice and etc. All club members should meet at the Agricultural building not later than 9:30 o'clock Monday Morning, July 28. We will return to Franklin on Saturday, August 2, about noon. All 4-H club boys and girls are urged to register at the county agent's office at the earliest possible date if they expect to go to camp.

The 4-H Short Course will be held at N. C. State college in Raleigh the week of August 18. Two delegates, one boy and one girl have been elected from each club, 24 delegates from Macon County. It is hoped that all delegates will be able to attend this short course, as it will be most valuable to them. The registration fee at State College will be \$10. Transportation will be paid from funds that have been raised by the clubs and by interested citizens. We will leave the Agricultural building Monday morning, August 18, by 7 o'clock and will be back to Franklin late Saturday evening, August 23.

The week of August 25 is Farm and Home week at N. C. state college. This event is for

all farm men and women. Last year a bus was chartered and loaded from this county. It is hoped that there will be a sufficient number this year that the same procedure can be followed.

During the week important persons will be heard, such as General Dwight D. Eisenhower, Miss Dorothy Thompson, Congressman Stephen Pace of Georgia, Thomas J. Pearsall speaker of the N. C. house, T. B. Hutchinson, dean of the School of Agriculture at V. P. I., Dr. L. D. Bayer, director of N. C. Experiment station and Dean of the school of agriculture at N. C. State college, and others. Farm men and women who plan to make this trip should register at the county agent's office as soon as possible in order that reservations and transportation may be arranged.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. (Bill) Byrd have announced the birth of a son, June, 24 at the Clayton Maternity hospital, Clayton, Ga. Mrs. Byrd is the former Miss Edith Cunningham.

The nation's farm flocks laid approximately 6,328,000,000 eggs in April, 1947, which is seven per cent less than in April of last year, but 12 per cent more than the 1936-45 average.

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