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ed his 52-piece band is "progressing well" and he said he expects to have it ready for an appearance "as soon as possible."

The trouble now, the director explained, is inexperience, rather than a shortage of instruments. Of the 52 members, only five have previous band experience, he said.

"It is going to take a little time," Mr. Orr pointed out, "There is more to the job than just giving them an instrument."

Band members are putting in about three night practice sessions weekly, in addition to the regular daily band period at the high school. Practice sessions are held at Slagle Memorial Building.

The band marched, but did not play, at Franklin's last home game two weeks ago and plans to repeat this tomorrow (Friday) here.

"I can say one thing for certain," the band director commented, "the band members are willing . . . and that's what it

takes to build a band."

The instruments purchased for the band by the Boosters included five baritones, six French horns, five saxophones, and two clarinets. These are being rented to the members by the school and the rental will be used to make repairs and to buy miscellaneous equipment.

A credit arrangement was made by the Boosters in order to obtain the instruments as soon as possible. The money is now being raised through the individual county P. T. A.'s and from other sources. Officials of the Boosters have said it is the aim of the club to put the band on its feet first and then concentrate on helping the elementary schools buy instruments for promising young musicians advancing to high school.

Mr. Orr said the band still needs some very necessary items, including music stands. But, the band members personally plan to raise the money for these, he said.

They will open a shampoo sale as a money-making scheme soon.

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and her husband built soon after their marriage in 1874.

"What about a party next year," she was asked.

"We'll just have to wait and see," was "Aunt Jane's" reply.

Funeral services for Mrs. Bryson, who was born 11 years before the Civil War, were conducted Friday at 2 p. m. at the Salem Methodist Church, of which she was a member. The pastor, the Rev. David Barkley, officiated, assisted by the Rev. Fred Sorrells and the Rev. D. P. Grant. Burial was in the church cemetery.

The daughter of William L. and Mrs. Martha Ann Jennings Deal, Mrs. Bryson, at the age of 23, (March 29, 1874) was married to John T. Bryson, of this county, who died a number of years ago. Together they built their home on Bryson Branch.

"Aunt Jane's" family is large. Seven of her eight sons are still living and she has 40 grandchildren, 73 great-grandchildren, and 15 great-great-grandchildren.

Her sons are William M., Charles B., Sam A., and J. Elbert, all of Cullasaja, George, of Sedro-Woolley, Wash., Joseph T., of Terrebonne, Oreg., and Beulon Bryson, of Ela.

Although she had been blind for some 13 years, "Aunt Jane" took great delight in giving birthday parties — with enough food and desserts to feed a small army — and especially in receiving boxes of stick peppermint candy, which poured into her home in a steady stream along with greeting cards.

"Make sure everyone gets enough to eat," she would say from her chair in front of the fireplace.

Sammy, Vernon, Marion, Bill, and Fred Bryson and Lex Vanhook were pallbearers. Potts Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

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Some interior painting and the lettering of names on the office doors still remains undone at the center. This work is expected to be completed soon with local labor, according to Lake V. Shope, secretary to the Macon Board of County Commissioners.

Early in October, although the center was virtually complete, the move into the building was held up because the interior painting and lettering had not been done. However, last week, although the work still had not been done, the go-ahead was given for the move.

The opening of the new center in no way changes the program of the health department, Mrs. Shope emphasized.

She said the department will continue to carry out a program of "well baby clinics, public sanitation, and immunizations of all kinds."

A general clinic will be held each Tuesday from 9 a. m. to 4:30 p. m., as in the past, and a baby clinic the last Thursday of each month from 9 a. m. to 1 p. m., she said.

Later, the department hopes to obtain an X-ray machine from the state, the nurse disclosed, in order to put more emphasis on a tuberculosis detection program.

The health department opened in the Ashear Building April 23, 1943.

The new center, which was erected on land donated by Dr. Edgar Angel, was financed by the county and the Medical Care Commission, a state agency which assists counties with putting up centers. Macon's share of the cost was roughly \$6,000.

Offices for the public health nurse, district health officer, sanitarian, and clerk and treatment rooms make up most of the building. A room to house the future X-ray machine also is included.

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tank in order to provide adequate fire protection for the proposed new Burlington Mills plant, which will go up just outside the city limits on US 23-441.

To Sell Property
Also slated for immediate sale is the town-owned property and fire house at the intersection of Iotla and Church Streets. This will be sold as a packaged deal December 8 at public auction. However, the town plans to keep possession until July 1 in the event there is some delay in building the municipal building.

Restricted Parking
Parking was authorized only on the east side of Derby Street, which runs between East Main and Palmer, in view of several complaints that the street is too narrow to permit safe parking on both sides.

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Miss Ruth Current, state home agent, also is scheduled to discuss the program during the morning along with Dr. C. B. Ratchford, assistant director.

Prior to lunch at 12:15, M. S. Williams, who is in charge of farm management with the service, will show demonstration farm slides.

After lunch, Miss Nell Kennett, district home agent, will lead off the second half of the meeting with an outline of the afternoon program.

County Agent T. H. Fagg and Mrs. Florence S. Sherrill, county home agent, are scheduled to lead a discussion on the problems and opportunities in the county.

As a closing feature, R. W. Shoffner, assistant director of the service, will summarize the day's planning.

The three agents for the program — two men and a woman — already have been hired for the job. They are John Wrinn, Mrs. Margaret D. Smith, and Robert McNeill. Mr. Wrinn and Mrs. Smith have been here for several weeks. Mr. McNeill reported here with his family from Ashe County over the week-end.

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to draw more than 100 entries from the western counties, will be held Tuesday and the sale Wednesday. In past years, the annual event has been staged on Wednesday and Thursday.

A number of local businessmen are expected to be at the pavilion to cheer on the locals and to buy the choice beef calves.

Those entering animals this year include Bobby Teague, Clark Sheffield, Bobby Downs, Frank Nolen, Grover Sheffield, Floyd Kimsey, Bill Fouts, Charles Long, Elizabeth Ann Ammons, John Tippet, Lamar Houston, Bruce Houston, Frank Killian, Johnny Killian, J. L. Henry, Charles Gregory, Wayne Gregory, John Taylor, Jack Taylor, Buddy Taylor, Guy Fouts, Pat Setser, Ted Kirkland, Richard Setser, Kenneth Carpenter, Leo McIntyre, Dale Morgan, Tommy Hunter, Wayne Sheffield, Larry Ferguson, and Ronald Harper.

The calves will be hauled to the show by George Gibson, B. V. McCoy, Burrell Motor Company, Inc., also has agreed to loan a truck for the job.

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A. Shuford, was well out in front on the basis of incomplete returns. With eight of 12 precincts reporting, Macon gave Mr. Shuford 3,446 votes to 2,125 for Republican Charles W. Cunningham.

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For state offices, Democrats also were leading, both here and over the rest of the state. In the state treasurer race, incumbent Edwin Gill has 3,365 in Macon with 10 of 12 precincts reporting, to 2,129 for Rex Morton, Republican. With the same number of precincts in, Charles F. Gold, incumbent insurance commissioner, had 3,359, to 2,127 for Fred G. Frick, Republican. Democrat M. V. Barnhill, with 3,348 Macon votes, was well ahead of Republican Buford T. Henderson, 2,140, for the post of chief justice of the Supreme Court.

Other Superior Court judges had no opposition on the ticket.

An official tally of the Macon vote, by precincts, will appear in next week's issue of The Press.

Winter Gets Foot In Door

After several unsuccessful attempts in recent weeks, Old Man Winter finally got his foot in Macon's front door this week.

First, he cut the night temperatures — Saturday, 32 degrees in Franklin and 26 in Highlands — and then Tuesday he blasted the county with a blowing snow and chilly wind. The snow stuck in the higher elevations and some ice was reported on the highways. Then yesterday (Wednesday) morning, there was little doubt that winter had arrived. The mercury hit a low of 9 in Franklin, 12 in Highlands (with snow), and 7 at Coweeta.

GALAX

THEATRE HIGHLANDS

FRI.-SAT., NOV. 5-6
DOUBLE FEATURE
Tim Holt In
"TARGET"

Plus
Abbot & Costello
In
"AFRICA SCREAMS"

MON.-TUES., NOV. 8-9
James Mason-Janet Leigh
Debra Paget-Robert Wagner
In
"PRINCE VALIANT"

In CinemaScope and Technicolor

BOY KILLED BY FALLING RIFLE SHOT

Alvin Vinson, 3, Succumbs Saturday In Local Hospital

Alvin Vinson, three-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Steve Vinson, of Franklin, died at 11:20 p. m. Saturday at Angel Hospital of a .22 rifle bullet wound in the head.

It is reported the child, playing in the kitchen, was struck by the bullet when a loaded rifle fell from the wall in an adjoining room and fired from impact. The bullet penetrated the wall. The tragic accident occurred about 5:15 p. m.

Funeral services were conducted Monday at the Tesentee church.

An out-of-town funeral home was in charge.

Franklin Drive-In Theatre

Week Days — Starts at 7
One Show Sundays 9 o'clock
ALEX ARNOLD, Mgr.
All Children Under 12 Free

THURS.-FRI., NOV. 4-5

"WINGS OF THE HAWK"
In Technicolor
Van Heflin-Julia Adams

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 6

BIG DOUBLE FEATURE
"CAPTIVE OF BILLY THE KID"
Allan "Rocky" Lane
Also
"THE CLOUDED YELLOW"

Jean Simmons-Trevor Howard

SUN.-MON., NOV. 7-8

"CHAMP FOR A DAY"
Alex Nicol-Audrey Totter

TUES.-WED., NOV. 9-10

"CITY BENEATH THE SEA"
In Technicolor
Robert Ryan-Anthony Quinn

CARD OF THANKS

For all the many deeds of kindness and expressions of sympathy shown us in the loss of our husband, father, and brother we sincerely thank you.

The Smart Family.

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We wish to express our sincere appreciation for the kindness and sympathy shown us by the many friends of our son and brother, Charles Setser, at the time of his death.

The Family.

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With deepest appreciation we wish to thank our friends for their numerous expressions of kindness shown us during the illness and at the death of our dear mother and grandmother, Mrs. J. R. Ray. Also for the many beautiful floral offerings.

The Family.

MACON THEATRE

NIGHT SHOW 7 AND 9
SAT. 12 NOON CONTINUOUS
Sunday Mat. 2:30 — Nite 9:00

THURS.-FRI., NOV. 4-5

"APACHE"
In Technicolor
Burt Lancaster-Jean Peters
Also Color Cartoon

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 6

DOUBLE FEATURE
"JESSE JAMES"
Vs.
"THE DALTONS"
Also

"THE IRON GLOVE"
Robert Stack
Also Two Color Cartoons

SUN.-MON., NOV. 7-8

"THE SIEGE AT RED RIVER"
In Technicolor
Van Johnson-Joanne Dru
Also Added News
Color Cartoon

TUES.-WED., NOV. 9-10

"DON'T BOTHER TO KNOCK"
Marilyn Monroe
Also Added News

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Gifts That He Will Like!

Use our Lay-Away Plan, shop early while selections are good.

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SUGAR 5 Lbs. ----- 48¢

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BEANS Any Kind, 2 Lbs. ----- 25¢

2 Cans No. 2½ PEACHES ----- 49¢

MEATS

Pennant BACON Lb. ----- 55¢

CUBE STEAK Lb. ----- 45¢

PORK BRAINS Lb. ----- 25¢

FEEDS

CORN MEAL 25 Lbs. ----- \$1.15

100 Lbs. CRUSHED FEED With Molasses ----- \$2.25

SHORTS In Prints ----- \$3.00

MASON'S Food Market

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This plan will enable you to pay as you work. Come in and let us explain this plan to you in detail.

We certainly have the good Used Cars and Trucks for you to select from, and by using the new finance plan we have adopted you can buy that good Used Car or Truck without putting a cramp on you or your pocket-book.

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