

**No. 3**

In favor of the motion, Mr. Sorrells and Mr. Smith abstained, the former as chairman, the latter because he was absent from a portion of the meeting in question.

**Asks Reprimand**

Mr. Shatley immediately followed up this motion with another — one calling for a reprimand of Supt. McSwain. The motion:

"I make a motion that this board severely reprimand Mr. Holland G. McSwain, county superintendent of Macon County schools, for insubordination in office."

Supt. McSwain demanded an elaboration of the charge, but

Mr. Shatley declined with, "my motion stands by itself."

At this point, Chairman Sorrells interrupted to declare "it has been the feeling of the board this year . . . that the board hasn't had the right spirit of cooperation from the superintendent." Supt. McSwain may have been entirely honest in his actions, the chairman declared, but "he hasn't carried out the orders (of the board)."

"Cite one instance," the superintendent requested.

"Not now," the chairman answered.

Moments later, however, he told the superintendent, "you ran outside . . . took some of your troubles to the public."

Mr. Shatley again offered his

motion for official reprimand of the superintendent.

Mr. Cabe made the issue more specific by declaring, ". . . you didn't carry out the wishes of the board in Mr. Corbin carrying out duties as elementary principal."

"You went directly in opposition to orders of this board," Mr. Shatley told the superintendent.

Supt. McSwain answered: "If I made a mistake, it was only a mistake of interpretation and was unintentional . . . purely a misunderstanding of the action . . . the use of 'primarily' in Mr. Corbin's assignment does not say he is to be restricted . . ."

"Just admit your guilt like the board has and the issue will be over," Mr. Sorrells suggested.

Mr. Smith pointed out that Mr. Shatley had made the question clear: "Why weren't the orders carried out?" Mr. Smith said the superintendent had tried to explain what the state did in the matter of certifying the principal, but had not made it very clear why the board had not been informed.

Supt. McSwain repeated his "misinterpretation" stand.

And for the third time, Mr. Shatley's reprimand motion failed to get a second.

**Committeemen Present**  
Present at the meeting were district committeemen Edwin Bradley, E. M. Teague, Owen Ammons, and Eugene Crawford. They did not enter into the discussion other than to clarify some matters pertaining to the committee's July recommendations that Mr. Corbin be named district principal No. 2. However, at that time, the school board ignored the recommendation and assigned him to the elementary school with the understanding that he assist the high school principal.

**To Ask Grading Bids**  
In other actions, the school board moved to advertise for bids for grading at Iotla School for an addition. The deadline for receiving bids was set at February 19.

**WATERSHED MEET HELD**

Despite bad weather, between 50 and 60 persons attended a meeting Tuesday night at Otto School to sound out public sentiment on a proposed watershed and flood control project for the Little Tennessee River drainage area.

It was decided at the meeting, which was attended by North Carolina and Georgia soil conservation officials, to project the proposal through communities in the area with each drawing up resolutions expressing the sentiments of the people.

Another meeting is set for February 24 at the Otto School to further study the idea.

E. A. Johnson, forester in charge of Coweeta Hydrologic Laboratory, presided at the meeting.

**BIRTHS**

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph H. Higdon, Jr., of Franklin, Route 5, a son, C. J. Harris Community Hospital, Sylva, January 19. Mrs. Higdon is the former Miss Ann Lyle.

**MACON THEATRE**

NIGHT SHOW 7 AND 9  
SAT. 12 NOON CONTINUOUS  
Sunday Mat. 2:30 — Nite 9:00  
Mrs. Carrie Houston, Mgr.

THURS.-FRI., JAN. 20-21  
"THE CRUEL SEA"  
Jack Hawkins  
Also Color Cartoon

SATURDAY, JAN. 22  
DOUBLE FEATURE  
"RIDERS OF THE PURPLE SAGE"  
Also  
"GORILLA AT LARGE"

In Technicolor  
Also Two Color Cartoons

SUN.-MON., JAN. 23-24  
"NAKED ALIBI"  
Sterling Hayden  
Gloria Grahame  
Also Added News

TUES.-WED., JAN. 25-26  
"FOREVER AMBER"  
In Technicolor  
Linda Darnell-Cornel Wilde  
Also Latest News

**Bank Of Franklin Reelects Leaders**

All officers and directors of the Bank of Franklin have been reelected for another year.

At a stockholders' meeting Wednesday of last week the following men were renamed directors: A. B. Slagle, chairman of the board, T. W. Angel, Jr., H. L. Bryant, H. W. Cabe, John L. Crawford, W. E. Baldwin, Frank B. Duncan, R. S. Jones, Verlon Swafford, and Elmon Teague.

The following day, the directors reelected Mr. Duncan president, Mr. Swafford, vice-president, and Mr. Cabe, cashier.

C. Banks Finger was retained as bank attorney.

In 1954, Mr. Duncan said "the bank did the best business in its history" and that net earnings topped any previous year. However, he declined to give figures for publication.

**Plans Supper At Church Saturday**

A picnic-style supper is planned Saturday at 6:30 p. m. by the W. S. C. S. of the Bethel

Methodist Church in the church basement, it has been announced. There will be no set price on the meal, it was said, but those attending will be invited to contribute whatever amount they wish. Proceeds are for the church.

**TEAMS BEAT HIGHLANDS**

Franklin, barely squeezed past Highlands in the ends of a twin-bill last Friday night, with the girls fighting off a come-back to win 35 to 33 and the boys taking their game 38 to 33.

**Baptist Groups Slate Supper; Spivey Speaker**

A joint covered dish supper meeting of the Women's Missionary Union and the Brotherhood of the First Baptist Church is scheduled for Tuesday night at 7 o'clock in the social hall of the new annex.

Guest speaker will be S. L. Spivey, of Raleigh, secretary of state missions for the Southern

Baptist Association. A number of guests have been invited, including Brotherhood members and their wives from other churches, according to Harry C. Corbin, president.

**MRS. HALL,**

Mrs. Josie McCoy Hall, 85, a native of this county, died January 9 in the Brasstown section of Clay County where she had lived for a number of years. She had been ill for some time.

Funeral services were conducted January 11 at the Brasstown Baptist Church, of which she was a member. Burial was in the church cemetery.

**BAILEY DIES**

Golman Alexander Bailey, 55-year-old construction superintendent and native of this county, died Saturday at his home in

Highlands Park, Mich., after a short illness.

He had been living in Michigan for some 30 years.

Funeral services for Mr. Bailey were conducted yesterday (Wednesday) at 2 p.m. at the Holy Springs Baptist Church by the Rev. Arvil Swafford and the Rev. M. W. Chapman. Burial was in the church cemetery.

**PASTOR DIES**

The Rev. William Cloyd Pipes, 63, former Baptist pastor in this county, died Saturday in a Winston-Salem hospital following a brief illness.

Mr. Pipes served the Holy Springs church from 1944 to 1949.

Funeral services were conducted Monday at 2 p.m. at the Peachtree Memorial Baptist Church in Murphy by the Rev. G. E. Scruggs, the Rev. Lester Stowe, and the Rev. Edgar Willix. Burial was in the church cemetery.

**PRICED RIGHT USED CARS**

- 1953 Ford Tudor  
Clean. One owner.
- 1953 Ford Convertible  
Extra clean. Equipped with radio, heater, overdrive, white wall tires.
- 1951 Plymouth Fordor
- 1949 Ford Tudor  
Clean. One owner.
- 1949 Pontiac Fordor
- 1947 Kaiser Fordor
- 1946 Ford Tudor

**TRUCKS**

- 1953 Ford Pickup
- 1950 Dodge Pickup

**CONLEY MOTOR COMPANY**



Phone 69 Franklin, N. C.

**MASON'S Week-End Specials**

- 1 Regular Can Phillips  
Tomato Soup . . . . . 10c
- 2 Large Cans  
Evaporated Milk . . . . . 25c
- 2 Lbs.  
Dried Beans . . . . . 25c
- 8 Lb. Pall  
Lard . . . . . \$1.49
- 1 Lb. Boneless  
Stew Beef . . . . . 43c
- 1 Lb. \* \* \*  
Cube Steak . . . . . 49c
- 1 Bag  
Shorts . . . . . \$3.25
- 1 Bag 16 2/3%  
Dairy Feed . . . . . \$3.45
- 80 Rods 4 Point  
Barbed Wire . . . . . \$7.95
- 1 Ton  
Block Coal . . . . . \$16.00

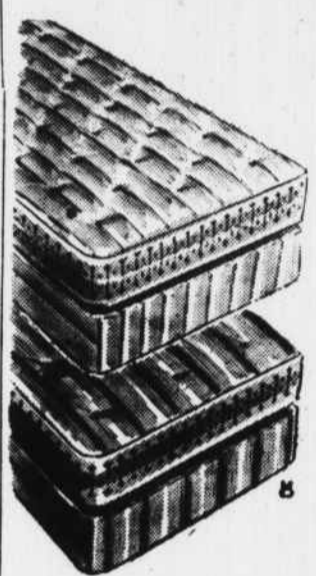
(Delivered)

\* \* \*

2 Lbs. Sugar Free with purchase of \$5.00 or more of groceries or meats.

**MASON'S Food Market**

PHONE 9 WE DELIVER



1/3 of Your Life  
  
You spend 1/3 of your Life in bed!  
  
You owe it to yourself to spend it in Comfort . . .

**Innerspring MATTRESSES**

\$29.50 to \$79.50

**SOSSAMON FURNITURE CO.**  
PHONE 67 Franklin, N. C.

**THE ENCHANTED SILHOUETTE . . .**

accents the full flare of this raglan sleeved duster in Navy rayon faille. Sub-Teen sizes 8 to 14.

**The Children's Shop**

an original **KETTI** SUB-TEEN

**You can always tell an OLDSMOBILE**

Easy to see why Oldsmobile is such a standout! It's the only car on the road with that daring, distinctive "flying color" flair.

**Most distinctive car of all for '55 plus the most dynamic performance, too—"ROCKET" 202!**

You hear it often these days—"There goes a new Olds." And no wonder. First of all, you can't miss the smart "flying color" flair that's turning heads everywhere. It's so daringly new that only Oldsmobile could fashion it. And of course there's the one, the only, the Oldsmobile "Rocket"—202 high-compression horsepower ready to respond instantly to your every command! Come in! Try an exciting "Rocket" Ride at our showroom now!

**SEE YOUR NEAREST OLDSMOBILE DEALER**

**BURRELL MOTOR COMPANY, Inc.**  
PHONE 123 FRANKLIN, N. C.