



PLANNING FOR the "Red Stocking Review" here in June are Miss Estta Mae Childers, Frank A. Lloyd, Jr., representative of the production company, Miss Harriett Murray, Mrs. Tom McKay, Mrs. Clyde Poole, Mrs. Harold Corbin, and Mrs. J. P. Brady. (Staff Photo)

Major Speed To Address Assembly

Patrol Officer Coming Here For Road-e-o

Franklin Jaycees are now making plans for sponsoring the annual "Teen-Age Road-e-o" at Franklin High School on April 27 with Major C. A. Speed addressing the entire student body prior to the safe driving competition.

Major Speed is head of the safety division of the State Highway Patrol.

Plans now call for the patrol officer to speak at 11 a.m. and the driving events will begin over a special skill course at 3 p.m. in the football stadium.

Chief judge will be Joe Sherrill, of Bryson City, area representative of the N.C. Department of Motor Vehicles.

The top boy and girl drivers will receive \$25 Savings Bonds. All participants will take a written test as well as driving the skill course. Jaycee committeemen working with the road-e-o chairman, Robert W. (Bob) Moore, are Dr. J. L. Hill, Jr., Dr. G. R. McSween, Grady Corbin, Tom Collier, and Earl Adams.

Those donating to the prize fund for the road-e-o include Conley Motor Company, West's Florist, Shorty's Grocery and Feeds, Nantahala Power and Light Company, Macon County Sheriff's Department, Macon Motor Company, Burrell Motor Company, Reece Motor Company, Franklin Tire Shop, Nantahala Oil Company, Bank of Franklin, C. S. Brown Esso Wholesale, and Reid's Esso Servicenter.

E. B. Kelly, Of Dillard, Dies April 10

Funeral services for Earl Byron Kelly, 57, of Dillard, Ga., and Oak Ridge, Tenn., who was well known here, were held Sunday, April 10, at the Dillard Methodist Church, with burial following in the church cemetery.

Mr. Kelly died April 7 at Angel Hospital after an illness of three years.

He was born May 7, 1902 in Dillard, the son of George and Mrs. Fanny Holden Kelly. In 1922 he was married to Miss Margie Carver, of Dillard. He was a member of the Dillard Methodist Church.

Officiating ministers at the funeral were the Revs. Donald Harris and Julian Scott.

Survivors, in addition to the wife, include three sons, Byron, of Dillard, Jack Kelly, of Clinton, Tenn., and Gilbert Kelly, of Oak Ridge, Tenn.; one daughter, Mrs. Ludie Turpin, of Oak Ridge, Tenn.; one brother, Ray Kelly, of Dillard; two sisters, Mrs. Grace Williams and Miss Ruby Nell Kelly, of Dillard; and nine grandchildren.

Bryant Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

Annual W. M. U. Session Slated Next Wednesday

The annual meeting of the Macon W.M.U. will be held at the Iota Baptist Church Wednesday, April 27, beginning at 10 a.m.

Out-of-town speakers will be Fred L. Hawkins, Jr., missionary to Brazil; Miss Katherine Bullard, of Raleigh, state W.M.S. director; and Mrs. Wayne Slaton, of Bryson City, regional W.M.U. president. Members of the Franklin society will present a skit entitled "Doers of the Word."

A covered dish lunch will be served.

Quartet Is Coming Here Next Week

The Blue Ridge Quartet is coming to Franklin Thursday April 28, at 8 p.m., in the high school gymnasium.

This singing group is heard over T.V. from Spartanburg, S. C., every Tuesday night.

Advance tickets may be purchased from any Lions Club member, or at Dryman's or the Western Auto. They are 50 cents for children and a dollar for adults. Tickets at the door will cost 75 cents and \$1.25. Proceeds will be used for Lion's Club activities.

ALL-NIGHT SING

An all-night singing will be held at the East Franklin School Saturday night, April 23, beginning at 8 o'clock. Among the out-of-town singers will be the Kingsman Quartet, of Asheville, the Singing Sheriffs, and others.

ford, of Franklin, Route 1.

April 18: Luther Gibson, of Franklin, Route 5; Bobbie Taylor, of Hayesville; Miss Carolyn Guest, of Franklin, Route 4; Robert Love, of Franklin, Route 1; Miss Carolyn Potts, of Dillsboro; Charles Henderson, of Chapel Hill; David Peck, of Anderson, S. C.

Real Estate Transfers

March 31: John and Edna Swafford to Virgil and May Talent, property in Burningtown township; J. M. and Inda Raby to Thomas and Blanche Carter, 0.48 acres in Franklin township.

April 4: Willie and Margie Wykle to Howard and Louise Hurst, property in Millshoal township.

April 5: Marie, John, and Shirley Crockett and Nancy and Matthew Mims to Howe Taylor Crockett, property in Cartoogechaye township; Charlie McGaha and wife to J. D. McGaha, property in Cartoogechaye township; Clyde and Janelle Sanders and Bob and Josephine Sanders to Edgar and Marie Smith, property in Franklin township; Robert and Thelma Corpening to Lemuel and Anna Johnston, 2.8 acres in Cartoogechaye township; Margie Faye and Ervin Crane to Carl Chastain, 2 acres in Franklin township.

April 6: Glenn and Ida Mae Gibson to Monty and Dorothy Wood, 4.18 acres in Burningtown township.

April 8: Andrew and Hazel Cope to Troy and Nora Justice, property in Smithbridge township; Wylie and Edith Norton to Alden and Naomi Justice, property in Smithbridge township; Jerry R. and Ann S. Norton to Hazel C. Norton, property in Smithbridge township.

April 11: Margaret B. McGuire to Leonard and Beatrice Codner, property in Smithbridge township; Phillip and Maysel Hazazer to Robert and Barbara Culpepper, property in Smithbridge township.

April 12: J. Walter Reese to Carey L. Reese, property in Highlands township; J. Walter Reese to Wayne Reese, property in Highlands township; J. Walter Reese to Kitty Childs and Eleanor Lewis, property in Highlands township; D. E. and Jessie Keener to Rufus and Edna Ray, property in Franklin township.

Aldermen Okay Water Line For Two Businesses

The Franklin Board of Aldermen met April 12 and voted to allow M. L. Stiles and Harry Womack to hook up a two-inch water line running to Mr. Stiles' new restaurant and Mr. Womack's new motel on US 23-441 east.

A question had arisen as to the size line required. The original plan called for a four inch line, which would be bought by the town when the city limits were extended to take in this property.

Mr. Stiles told the board the four-inch line had proven too costly and that he and Mr. Womack would bear all expenses of the two-inch line if the board would allow them to tap onto the town's water system.

On a motion by Alderman Frank L. Henry, Jr., the board voted to allow the hook-up if Mr. Stiles and Mr. Womack would pay all costs of the line and meters and meter charges, would own the line privately, and would allow no other hook-ups to this line.

The board also voted affirmatively on a motion by Dr. J. W. Kahn specifying that for any future lines running outside the city limits, the parties putting in the lines would have to meet with the board before installation to agree on specifications.

Helvey Joins Coweeta Staff

Junior D. Helvey, a research forester, has recently joined the staff of the Coweeta Hydrologic Laboratory. At Coweeta, Mr. Helvey will carry on work in watershed management research.

A native of Hollywood, West Virginia, he attended Potomac State College and holds a B. S. in forestry from West Virginia University. He served with the U. S. Army for three years as a Morse code operator.

Prior to his transfer to Coweeta, Mr. Helvey was a research forester in the Butte Falls Ranger District, Butte Falls, Ore. He is a member of the Society of American Foresters, Alpha Zeta, and Xi Sigma Pi.

Otto P.-T. A. Sets Installation Tonight

The Otto P.T.A. will meet tonight (Thursday) at 7:30 at the school. A program will be given by several of the parents.

Walter Mason will install the new officers, who are Mrs. Nelson Cane, president; Max Parrish, vice president; Mrs. Bob McGuire, secretary; and Miss Winnie Bates, treasurer.

SATURDAY SING

The public and all singers are invited to attend a singing at the Windy Gap Baptist Church Saturday night, April 23, beginning at 7 o'clock. It is being sponsored by the B.T.U. Class of the young married people of the Windy Gap church.

1960 MARCH of DIMES POSTER GIRL

MARY BETH WAS BORN WITH TWO BIRTH DEFECTS. SHE'S NEVER STOOD UP OR WALKED. HER FUTURE IS UNCERTAIN.

TWO YEAR-OLD MARY BETH PYRON REPRESENTS THE CHILDREN AND ADULTS WHO WILL BENEFIT FROM THE NATIONAL FOUNDATION'S EXPANDED PROGRAM TO FIGHT BIRTH DEFECTS, ARTHRITIS AND POLIO.

HER PARENTS, MR. AND MRS. JAMES T. PYRON OF FLORENCE, ALA., ARE BOTH REGISTERED PHARMACISTS. HE'S A VET OF THE NAVY SUBMARINE SERVICE.

MARY BETH AND HER FOUR-YEAR-OLD ACTIVE, HEALTHY BROTHER, TOMMY, GO FISHING TOGETHER.

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legislative points, including a bill he co-authored at the last session to eliminate the 12th grade in school and have instead a longer school year of 200 days, instead of the required 180 days.

This bill was defeated in the house, but a substitute measure provided for a study commission to probe the issues and report back to the General Assembly. Mr. Ross is serving as a member of that commission.

The speaker frankly admitted he didn't "know if that is the solution, but it is one avenue that needs exploring."

He also raised the question of using the semester system in Tar Heel schools, instead of quarters, as "another unexplored avenue."

Not Economical

On the subject of the 180-day school year, as compared with 365 working days in each year, Mr. Ross said from "the standpoint of business it is not an economical situation."

Although he said the addition of the 12th grade in North Carolina was politically, not professionally inspired, he said he could pick no quarrel with the idea that an extra year adds maturity to students.

However, if the 12th grade could be eliminated and teachers could teach 10 months (200 days) instead of nine, it would be more economical to the state and teachers would receive an average of \$400 more in their annual salary for the extra month, easing some of the financial burden placed upon them.

Only Acceptable

In '61, the appropriations bill passed by the General Assembly will "satisfy no one... it will be acceptable, but a compromise between what they would like to do and what they can do," Mr. Ross declared.

He challenged his audience to consider two questions: (1) Are we getting the most for our money? (2) Are we getting the most out of our facilities?

Prior to the supper meeting at which Mr. Ross spoke, the school officials held special forums at Franklin High School and discussed current problems in their particular fields.

The meal was served in the high school cafeteria by the lunchroom staff.

Post Office Contract Let

The Franklin U. S. Post Office will get a new composition roof and asphalt tile floors this spring.

Contracts for the improvements have been let by the Atlanta Regional Office of General Services Administration.

Stroup Sheet Metal Works, of Asheville, placed low bid on the job with \$3,185.00. The estimated time for completion of the job is 60 days.

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They left there in 1956 and Mr. Cox opened an accounting office here.

A veteran of Army Air Corps duty in World War II (1941-45), Mr. Cox is a graduate of Western Military Academy in Alton, Ill., and he attended the University of Southern California, George Pepperdine College, and Sawyers University of Los Angeles.

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services you and I give will, in the final estimate, determine the kind and type of schools you will have... a school reflects the character of its community."

Discusses Points

Introduced by District President Erwin Patton, of Franklin, Mr. Ross also discussed some

PLEASE PAY

Your 1959 town taxes are long past due. If not soon paid the law will require us to list your name among the delinquents. Please pay your town tax before the 1st of May.

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Livestock HEALTH HINTS

Prepared by American Veterinarian for Animal Health

Farmers have received a new warning about the hog cholera situation this spring.

Cholera seems to be on the march again. New and severe outbreaks occurred in many states, over wide areas, last year. And now, with the spring season for cholera practically here, we have real cause for concern, unless swine raisers take steps to have their herds protected against the disease.



THE SICK

Angel Hospital

April 13: Miss Thelma Joann, of Clayton; Lawson McKinley Trantham, of Andrews, Route 1; Elihu Parker, of Hayesville, Route 2.

April 15: Mrs. Ray Edwards, of Dillard; Rickey Lee Wood, of Dillard, Route 1; Robert Wayne Taylor, of Franklin, Route 4; Mrs. Aven Talent, of Franklin, Route 5; Mrs. Glenn Harrison Talent, of Franklin.

April 17: Mrs. Thomas I. Miller, of Franklin; Dennis Edwin Setser, of Franklin, Route 2; Mrs. Willard E. Ledford, of Franklin.

April 18: Mrs. Daniel Jack Smith, of Lakemont, Ga.; Miss Evelyn Sue Sheppard, of Franklin.

April 19: Mrs. Roy Joel Hyder, of Bryson City; Mrs. David Lawton Cabe, of Otto; Margaret Lynn Parrish, of Franklin, Route 2.

DISCHARGED: April 12: Mrs. John Frank Shope, of Franklin, Route 2; David Lee Trammell, of Nantahala; Terry Nell Waldrop, of Franklin, Route 1.

April 13: Mrs. William A. ThuricConnell, of Franklin, Route 5; Mrs. John Rufus Elders, of Franklin, Route 4; Mrs. Ray Edwards, of Dillard.

April 14: John Clinton Smith, of Franklin, Route 2; Mrs. James Arthur Potts, of Highlands.

April 15: Miss Betty Wall, of Clayton; Miss Barbara Jean Brabson, of Dillard, Route 1; Janice Sallie Moore, of Franklin, Route 5.

April 16: Rickey Lee Wood, of Dillard, Route 1; Mrs. Claude Walter Evans, of Franklin, Route 2.

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