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Following members are teachers of Macon county secured:

Nantahala

Mrs. Frank Phillips, Mrs. B. B. McGuire, Dr. B. B. McGuire, Miss Edith Rhodes, Mrs. Harvey Yonce, L. H. Champion, Mrs. Thomas M. Slagle, Amanda Slagle, Mrs. Elsie Womack Franks.

Betty's Creek

L. L. Long, Miss Willie Burrell, Miss Edith Long.

Water, Light, Heat, Raise Living Standards

Raleigh, N. C. Dec.—The greatest savers of time and energy for the farm housewife of North Carolina would be the establishment of running water, electric light current and heating systems in the farm homes of the state. "If we could place just these three things in every home in North Carolina, we would see the standard of living rise so fast, it would be difficult to catch its skirts as it passed by," says Mrs. Jane S. McKimmon, assistant director of extension at State college. "These are the greatest time-savers that could be bestowed on the housewife. Work is reduced tremendously when there is water in the house. No useless trotting to pump or hydrant and back again dozens of times daily and no extra steps in disposing of waste water." Thirty-three per cent of 40,000 country women recently reported that they had water piped to their kitchens and 47 per cent stated that they had it on the back porch. This is the average for the whole country, states Mrs. McKimmon, while North Carolina does not do so well. Out of 518 farm homes in this state, where an inventory was made, only one-third had a supply of water available at

the house and less than one-fifth of the 518 had water piped into the kitchen and a sink installed. The record of farm lighting plants is better, she states. Nearly all of the 518 homes had such plants and the state is up to the average in this respect but each rural home should have this power.

When it comes to heating plants most country homes are heated by wood-burning fireplaces or stoves. Few homes have furnaces. Less than two per cent of the homes in the small villages are so equipped. The furnace saves much labor and gives a more uniform heat over the whole house. It also helps to keep down sickness.

North Skeenah Locals

We are having very cold weather in this section. It might have been on account of the double wedding we had in this section Sunday. Mr. Johnnie Farmer and Miss Lillian Ledford, a daughter of Mr. Miller Ledford, were married and Ira Ledford was married to Miss Nellie Shope, the daughter of Mr. Ed Shope.

Mr. Harley Mann moved from Major Harris' farm to Mr. Jesse Sanders' farm in this section the past week.

Mr. Juan Hasting and James Farmer made a business trip to Seneca, S. C. the past week and reported some bad roads, but everything prosperous in that section.

Mr. Charlie Nichols and Ledger Parker, of Near the Delico Filling Station, were in this section the past week on business.

Rev. Lester Ledford filled his regular appointment here Saturday and Sunday.

Messrs Carl Tallent and Ray Sanders were in this community Sunday. Mr. Robert Carpenter made a business trip to Franklin Saturday.

Miss Bertha Carpenter spent Sunday with her parents. Claude Kimzey spent Saturday night on Cartoogechay with kinsfolk.

Mr. J. C. Sanders was the guest of Mr. Robert Carpenter Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Zettie Stamey was a new visitor in this section Sunday.

Mr. Freeman Hasting was visiting his father, Mr. J. W. Hasting, Sunday.

Mrs. Sam Stockton and daughter have been ill for several days. Dr. Williams has been giving medical aid.

Miss Leobelle Bradley, a teacher of North Skeenah school, spent the week end at Oak Grove with home folks.

Misses Mae and Nell Shope were shopping in Franklin Saturday.

Press Want Ads turn the trick.

Briartown News

Mr. Ferman Wishon, of Gastonia, is visiting friends and relatives in this community.

Mr. Will Shields and son, Don, passed through this section last week.

We are glad to report that Miss Bonnie Wikle is improving rapidly after having an operation for appendicitis.

Misses Helen and Mayme Moses have returned to their home at Ellijay after teaching schools in this vicinity.

Mr. Carl Wikle, of Lynch, Ky., is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Wikle.

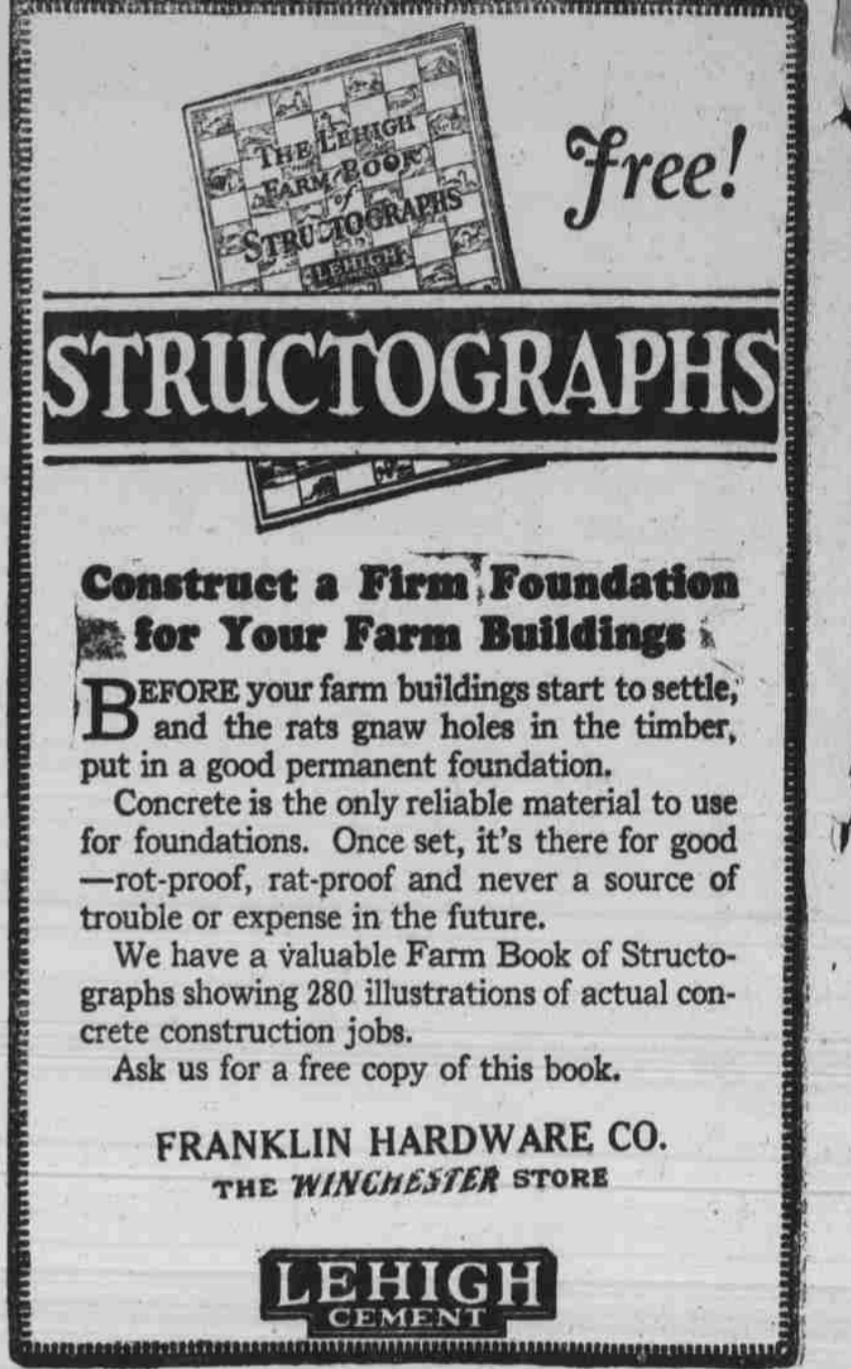
Mr. Joseph Morgan has returned to Kentucky after spending a few days at Briartown.

We are sorry to report that Mrs. Jane May had the misfortune, last week, of getting her arm broken.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Talent, of Rich Mountain, spent a few days in this section last week. Mrs. Talent was formerly Miss Lucy Morgan.

Press Want Ads Bring Results

Radio Tickets at Smith's Drug Store are all out. The Clock will start Thursday Morning.



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CHRISTMAS GREETINGS

To the people of Macon County and to our customers from without the county and to those beyond the State line, we thank you for making the past year the best in our history and we sincerely wish for you and yours during the Yuletide and coming year "Peace and Good Will toward all men" and all the Joys and Prosperity attendant thereon.

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