

\$65,000 In War Bonds Sold During Rally Here

Sylva Baptist Welcome New Pastor And Family In First Service Sunday

REV. G. M. WARREN OF COWPENS, S.C. ARRIVES TO BEGIN PASTORATE

A large congregation at the First Baptist church Sunday morning welcomed their new pastor, Rev. G. M. Warren, and family to Sylva. A union service was held at the church Sunday evening at which time the members of the Sylva Methodist church joined their Baptist friends in a further welcome to the Warrens.

Rev. Mr. Warren came to Sylva from Cowpens, S. C., where he was pastor of the First Baptist church of that city. He was a member of Executive Committee of the Broad River Association; Associate Superintendent and Director of teacher training of the Broad River Sunday School Association, and Chairman of the Red Cross War Fund Drive and of the General War Fund Drive for Cowpens.

Mr. Warren has an A.B. degree from Furman University, Greenville, S.C. and Th.M. degree from the Southern Baptist Theological Seminary, Louisville, Ky. He completed a post-graduate seminar in field of Religious Education at the Seminary under Dr. G. S. Dobbins, and taught in the public schools of South Carolina for several years.

Mrs. Warren will assist her husband in his pastoral work. She received her education at the University of South Carolina, and at the Seminary in Louisville. She taught for several years in the public schools in South Carolina. She served as president of the local W. M. S. for several years.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren have one small daughter, Sybil.

DISTRICT AGENT SAYS LARGEST 4-H CLUB CAMP TO BE BUILT

F. R. Farnham, district county agent, said in Asheville Monday that tentative plans have been made for establishing in the mountain section the largest 4-H club camp in North Carolina and one which would serve every section of the state.

The camp project which would be established jointly by the extension service of N. C. State College and the North Carolina department of agriculture, is getting the enthusiastic support of State Commissioner of Agriculture W. Keer Scott and other leaders.

The camp will be located on the new State Test farm in Haywood county.

Ashe And Tatham Are Serving Together In New Guinea Area

Zeb Ashe, son of Mrs. Felix Ashe of the Green's Creek section of Jackson county is now serving in New Guinea as a cook for a non-combat unit. His home is now in Winston-Salem, where his wife, Mrs. Carrie Ashe, resides. In a letter to a sister of Corsey Tatham, also of Green's Creek, Mrs. Ashe wrote that her husband and Corsey Tatham had met on the boat going over. They had been boys together, but this was the first time they had seen each other in eleven years. They are both stationed on the island of New Guinea seeing each other often and enjoying it so much.

TRANSFERRED

Howard Robbins H. A. 2-c, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Robbins has been transferred from Norfolk, Va., to Harvey Point at Hertford, N. C. He is a hospital apprentice, working at present in the dispensary as a doctor's helper.

FIRST BAPTIST PASTOR



REV. G. M. WARREN

DEGREE WORK AND ORPHANS NIGHT IS MASONS PROGRAM

Degree work will be the principal part of the program for the meeting of the Masons of Dillsboro Lodge No. 459 A. F. & A. M. at its meeting Thursday night, July 6, at 8 o'clock. This will also be orphanage night. All members are urged to be present. Visiting Masons will be welcome.

ATTEND HOOPER FUNERAL

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Wilder of London, Ky., J. W. Wilder and Henry Scotts of Akron, Ohio, are visiting in Sylva this week. They came down to attend the funeral of Herschel M. Hooper.

ARIAIL CONFIDENT JACKSON WILL MAKE 5TH WAR BOND QUOTA BEFORE DRIVE ENDS

Ambition To Place Bond Into Hands Of Every Wage Earner

I am greatly pleased with the patriotic response of our people at the rally during the Fifth War Loan Drive.

It is not possible at this time to give complete figures of all sales in Jackson County during the drive but I am safe in saying that Jackson County is well on the way to making its quota and I am confident we will go over the top before the end of the drive on July 8th.

Jackson County's quota of \$264,000 has been broken down by allocation of quotas to each of the fifteen townships in the county. A complete record is kept of all bond sales in each township and a complete tabulation and report of sales made in each township will be published in the near future.

It is my ambition to place a bond of some denomination in the hand of every person in Jackson County who has any income or available funds at all and that every township in our county will make its quota and go over the top before the end of the drive on July 8th.

The Fifth War Loan Drive officially closes on Saturday, July 8th, for sale of all types of bonds except for individual Series E Bonds. All Series Bonds bought during the month of July will be counted in the Fifth War Loan Drive.

Some townships in the county have just about made their quotas while some are still considerably below their quotas. I sincerely hope that each township will make its quota and go over the top by Saturday, July 8th. We are still behind on the sale of E Bonds and it is urged that the sale of E Bonds be pushed with renewed vigor during this, the last week of the drive.

A complete report of sale in each township will be published in next week's paper.

INJURIES RECEIVED IN FALL ARE FATAL FOR HERSCHEL M. HOOPER Former Resident of County, Had Lived In Akron For 26 Years

Herschel M. Hooper, 60, son of Mrs. Annie Wike Hooper and the late Charles Lambert Hooper, died Thursday, June 6, at City Hospital, Akron, Ohio. Death resulted from a fall received a few days before.

Mr. Hooper is a native of Jackson, being born at Tuckaseegee June 5, 1884, but had lived in Akron for the past twenty-six years, where he was employed by the Good Year Tire and Rubber Co.

On Saturday evening funeral services were held at Longs Funeral Home in Akron, conducted by Rev. Myers Cough, pastor of the First Baptist church of Akron.

The body was then brought on Monday to the home of his brother, Dr. D. D. Hooper and Mrs. Hooper in Sylva.

At this time funeral arrangements are incomplete awaiting the arrival of his son Lt. (jg) John L. Hooper, who is traveling by plane from the South Pacific area.

Mr. Hooper is survived by his wife, Bertha Ensley Hooper, one son, Lt. (jg.) John L. Hooper, of the U.S.N.R. stationed somewhere in the South Pacific, his mother, Mrs. Annie Hooper, of Tuckaseegee, and three brothers, Dr. D. N. Hooper and Fred L. Hooper, of Sylva, and J. J. Hooper and Monroe Hooper, of Tuckaseegee.

PRESBYTERIAN SERVICE NEXT SUNDAY

Rev. G. Coleman Luck will preach at the Presbyterian service to be held in the Episcopal church building next Sunday afternoon, July 9, at 8 o'clock. The public is cordially invited to attend. Rev. Mr. Luck is pastor of the M. H. Memorial Presbyterian Church, Marietta, Okla. He and Mr. Luck are visiting relatives in Sylva.

First Jackson County Invasion Casualty



ROBERT T. GARRISON

The first telegram received at the Sylva office telling of a casualty of a Jackson county boy in the present European invasion reached here last Friday, when Mrs. Robert T. Garrison received a message stating that her husband, Pvt. Robert T. Garrison, had been slightly wounded on June 8th, the first day of the invasion.

The message said she would be advised as to his condition as other information was received. Pvt. Garrison is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Garrison of Sylva. He has been in service since September, 1940, having trained and served at Ft. McClellan, Ala., Camp Shelby, Miss., Fort Benning, Ga., and Camp Dix, N. Y. He took his overseas training at Johnson City, Fla. before sailing last February for duty with an Infantry unit.

BIRTH OF SON ANNOUNCED

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Anders, of Tuckaseegee, announce the birth of a son, Orville, on June 23.

MISSING IN ACTION



PFC. HERMAN F. BAILEY Mrs. T. C. Cannon received the following message Wednesday afternoon from the Adjutant General:

"The Secretary of War desires me to express his deep regret that your son, Pfc. Herman F. Bailey has been reported missing in action since June six in France. If further details or other information are received you will be notified."

Pfc. Bailey is the son of Mrs. Mayne B. Cannon of Sylva and Frank F. Bailey of Chattanooga, Tenn. He was inducted into the service in December, 1942 and volunteered for paratroop duty. He took his training at Camp Toccoa, Fort Benning and Camp Mackall, as a member of the 51st Parachute Division. He was also a qualified demolitionist.

He was a graduate of Sylva High School and attended Western Carolina Teachers College. Before entering the service he was employed at the Naval Research Laboratory in Washington, D. C.

Mrs. Cannon had another son who also belonged to the paratroopers and died while training at Fort Benning a few hours after he had made his fifth jump which qualified him for his wings, which were later given to his mother. Mrs. Cannon received the following citation from the President of the United States recently for her son Frank: "In grateful memory of Pvt. Frank F. Bailey, Jr., who died in the service of his country at Station Hospital Fort Benning, Ga., October 9, 1942. He stands in the unbroken line of patriots who have dared to die that freedom might live and grow and increase its blessings. Freedom lives and through it he lives in a way that humbles the undertakings of most men." Signed Franklin D. Roosevelt.

JARRETT IS ABLE TO VISIT PARENTS AT DILLSBORO HOME

Mrs. Robert P. Jarrett, who was seriously injured in an automobile wreck last September in Atlanta, and who remained in a critical condition for several months, has recovered sufficiently to be able to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Jarrett at Jarrett Springs Hotel in Dillsboro. Mr. and Mrs. Jarrett will arrive this week to spend the month of July with their parents at Dillsboro.

FARMERS FEDERATION TO HOLD WAR RALLY AND BOND SELLING PICNIC JULY 22

The Farmers Federation War Rally Picnic in Jackson County will be held at Sylva on Saturday, July 22.

Announcement of the picnic was made this week by James G. K. McClure, president of the Farmers Federation, who announced that the county agent, a Farm Security Administration representative, and those in charge of War Bond sales in the county will be invited to participate in the celebration.

While the sale of bonds and the all-out production of food for victory will be stressed throughout the day, there will be plenty of fun and entertainment, Mr. McClure said. All quartets and choirs and individual musicians are invited to sing or play during the day. Pender Rector and the Farmers Federation String Band will be present.

Each family is invited to bring a picnic dinner. The usual watermelons and lemonade will be furnished free

WOUNDED SOLDIERS AND MILITARY BAND FROM MOORE GENERAL HOSPITAL PARTICIPATE

40,000 Pounds Of Crimson Clover Seed Received In Jackson County

Mr. D. C. Higdon, Chairman of the Jackson County AAA Program has announced that 40,000 pounds of crimson clover seed has been made available for farmers of Jackson County through the AAA Farm Program. Any farmer who has signed the Farm Plan Work Sheet with the AAA Program and has not taken up all of his allowance may receive this material by applying at the AAA Office.

DEWEY AND BRICKER HEAD G.O.P. TICKET

Governor Thomas E. Dewey, of New York, is the Republican's 1944 nominee for President by a crescentic first-ballot vote of 1,056 to 1. The lone vote against Dewey was cast for General MacArthur by Grant Ritter, Wisconsin Dairy farmer.

Nominee Dewey began at once to map a national campaign, manifestly concentrating its early fire on the "tired, quarrelsome, one-man" government of the New Deal.

The broad outlines of the appeal which Mr. Dewey — and his vice-presidential running mate, Gov. John W. Bricker, of Ohio — intend to make to the nation in the coming months stand out clearly in the wake of an acceptance speech, set a tone of calm confidence, put youth over age, and pledge to the American people and to America's allies prosecution of the war with every resource and full association in building the peace.

BEE STING FATAL TO CHEROKEE WOMAN, MAN ALSO VICTIM

Funeral services were held Saturday afternoon at Birdtown cemetery for Mrs. Hildred Enloe, 35, a resident of the Cherokee Indian Reservation, who died Thursday as a result of having been stung by bees.

Mrs. Enloe, stung about the head, face and arms while working with her bees, died shortly after returning to the house. Her husband, who was injured last week when his team of horses became frightened and ran away, had just returned home from an Asheville hospital when the bees attacked his wife.

The second bee sting victim was William David Ross, 67, a Yancey county farmer, died Saturday at noon at his home in the Pensacola section about two hours after being stung severely by numbers of bees.

2nd Lt. W. R. Enloe is here from Aberdeen, Md., spending several days with his parents.

Little Moody Girls Are First Bond Purchasers Honoring Lt. Nedlick

Joan and Doris Moody, ages 9 and 12 years, respectively, were the first bond purchasers at the big bond sale rally held here Friday afternoon. The sum of \$65,000.00 in war bonds were sold during the rally, P. A. Aerial, chairman of the Jackson County War Finance Committee, stated Monday.

The War Bond Sales Rally was sponsored by Mr. Aerial and his staff, and the William E. Dillard American Legion Post No. 104. This team has been most successful in putting over the county's previous bond quotas. Mr. John Corbin is commander of the American Legion Post and takes an active interest in the work of the Legion.

The Bond Rally parade began promptly at 4 o'clock at the west end of Main street, moved up Main and around the depot to the Community House. Taking part in the parade were: Members of the American Legion, Moore General Hospital military band, County War Bond Committee chairman and staff, Fire trucks, and boy scouts and girl scouts.

On arrival at the Community House the band assembled in front and below the speaker's stand and opened the program with playing the National Anthem. Seated on the speaker's stand were officers and enlisted men from Moore General Hospital; Mr. Aerial, Mrs. Dan K. Moore, chairman of the Woman's Division of the county committee, Hugh Monteith, co-chairman, and members and officers of the Legion post.

Mr. Monteith introduced Mr. Aerial who told the large crowd the purpose of the rally and that Jackson county's 5th War Bond quota was \$264,000.00 in actual cash, not the face value of the bonds at maturity. "Our Jackson county boys are fighting today on all the battle fronts of the world; they are depending on us at home to supply them with the necessary supplies and equipment which they must have to win the victory. These men face death or injury every hour; they are doing this willingly for the sake of a free America. You are asked to buy War Bonds and more War Bonds. This is as little as you can do for them. So, the purpose of this rally today is to stimulate sales of War Bonds in Jackson county."

Mr. Aerial then introduced Lt. Marvin L. Golden of West Virginia, who presided during the remainder of the program. Lt. Golden introduced the next speaker, Lt. Ralph Nedlick, of Bellville, Kansas, a veteran of 14 months overseas, with combat service in North Africa, Tunisia and Sicily. Lt. Nedlick urged his hearers to BUY WAR BONDS, STAY ON THE JOB in war production plants. He related the experience of several soldiers in the earlier days of the fight-

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Frank Coggins, 88, Of Cullowhee, Dies At Home Of Daughter

Cullowhee.—Frank Coggins, 88, died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. J. R. Stephens, at Cullowhee, June 14, following an illness of several weeks.

Funeral services were held Friday morning, June 16, at 11 o'clock at the Speedwell Baptist Church. The Rev. S. S. Fox of Speedwell and Rev. David Wilson of Salem, S. C., officiating. Burial was in the Speedwell cemetery. He was a member of the Baptist church.

He is survived by eight children: N. F. Coggins of Cumming, Ga.; P. L. Coggins of Cullowhee; T. M. Coggins of Tuckaseegee; David Coggins of Speedwell; Mrs. Claud Wilkes of Willets; Mrs. Frank Bryson of Salem, S. C.; Mrs. J. K. Stephens of Cullowhee; and two sisters, Mrs. Mary Wilkes and Mrs. Elizzia Cabe.

UNITED DAUGHTERS

The B. H. Cathey Chapter, United Daughters of the Confederacy will meet Thursday evening at 8 o'clock with Mrs. Felix Picklesimer at her home.