

New York Clothing Firm Seeks Location In This Area

W. C. T. C. Trustees Elect Paul A. Reid New Head Of Cullowhee College

State Board Of Education Official Will Begin His New Work September 15 Paul A. Reid of Raleigh, controller of the State Board of Education, has been elected president of Western Carolina Teachers' College, Cullowhee, it was announced by E. J. Whitmire of Franklin, chairman of the college board of trustees.

Whitmire said Reid was elected at a meeting of the trustees in Asheville Sunday, but that announcement was held up pending his acceptance of the post. Reid will begin his duties as president with the opening of the fall term of the college. He succeeds H. T. Hunter, who died in October, 1947. Dean William E. Bird has been acting president of the college since Hunter's death. Reid tendered his resignation Saturday night to Lt. Gov. H. P. Taylor of Wadesboro, chairman of the State Board of Education. The resignation is effective on or about September 1.

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Lewis Parris Killed By Train At Addie

Lewis Parris, 33, of the Addie section, was killed instantly at 7:30 p.m. Sunday when he was struck by a Southern Railway Diesel locomotive near the Addie crossing. Sheriff Griffin Middleton said his investigation showed that Parris, a World War II veteran, was lying across the ties with his head on the rail. His head and right leg were crushed. Coroner Howard Dills of Dillsboro termed the death an accident following an inquest. He said there was no evidence to indicate that Parris had been drinking. Surviving are the father, John B. Parris, of Addie; five brothers, the Rev. Robert Parris, Carl, Roy, Ray, and Charlie, all of Addie, and two sisters.

Tucker Brothers Of Erastus Get First Load Of Pullets

Winfred and Jennings Tucker, brothers of the Erastus Community, are the first farmers to receive pullets for the production of hatching eggs. County Agent W. T. Brown announced Monday that a truck load of 1250 10-weeks old pullets arrived from the Gainesville Hatchery Monday afternoon, consigned to the Tucker brothers. Wilfred Tucker got 525 of the pullets, and Jennings 725. The pullets are the famous Nichols New Hampshire Red breed, which is recommended by the Gainesville people. These pullets were placed on range where shelter has been provided until they are six months old and ready for the laying house.

JACKSON - MAGON POULTRYMEN SEEK DISEASE CONTROL

Jackson farm representatives on last Tuesday attended a joint meeting with Macon county representatives on the hatching egg program. At this time the possibility of getting a poultry disease control laboratory set up in this part of the State was discussed. Feed dealers, hatcherymen, agricultural workers and farmers attended the meeting. Jackson county was represented by members of the county poultry committee composed of Winston Cabe, James Giles, J. S. Higdon, Tom Wright, George J. Stewart, T. A. Jackson, Lyman Haskett, Manuel Nicholson, and W. A. Crawford. W. T. Brown, M. L. Snipes and T. F. Cannon represented the Jackson County farm agents office.

John Corbin, Fred Shelton and C. J. Rich, representatives of the vocational agriculture teachers, attended along with other persons interested in the promotion of the hatching egg industry. State Extension Service Poultry Specialist C. F. Parrish and Extension Director, I. O. Schaub, from Raleigh, were present and took part in the discussions.

Jackson County Curb Market Opens At New Location

The officials of the Jackson County Curb Market announce its formal opening August 19 at 8:30 a.m. All farm families (who have their health certificates) are invited to sell their farm produce on the market. The Curb Market is located on the left of the highway going west from Sylva near the Sylva High school grounds. The public is interested in promoting and utilizing local farm products and creating better living for all people in Jackson County.

Sellers and buyers are invited to be present at the Curb Market Friday morning, August 19, at 8:30 o'clock. Officers of the market are: president, Mrs. D. C. Higdon; vice president, Mrs. Lewis Bumgarner, and secretary-treasurers, Mrs. F. M. Williams, Mrs. Frank H. Brown, Sr., and Mrs. Blaine Nicholson.

State Forester Makes Inspection Of County Fire Control System

P. W. Tillman, assistant state forester in charge of fire control was in Sylva on Tuesday and Wednesday making an inspection of forestry work in district nine. Mr. Tillman, whose headquarters are in Raleigh, was working in cooperation with the local forestry office.

Four Injured In Wreck Saturday Are Improving

Four occupants of a car were injured seriously late Saturday when their automobile plunged off U. S. 19-A into the Tuckaseegee River four miles west of Sylva after hitting a bank. The victims were improving, officials of the C. J. Harris Community Hospital said yesterday, although Elwin Wallace Ottwell, 20, of Kansas City, Mo., was still semi-conscious. Ottwell and Albert Dixon Wheeler, 28, of Knoxville, Tenn., were critically hurt. Also in the hospital with serious injuries were Miss Lucille Bowen, 27, of Bulkan, Ky., and Luther Lee Brown, 27, of Rossville, Ga. State Highway Patrolman W. T. Houser said that Ottwell was the driver of the automobile, and that a further investigation would be made when condition of the injured permits additional questioning.

Governor Scott To Speak At W.C.T.C. Monday

Farm And Home Week To Draw Many To Campus Aug. 22 Thru 26 Governor W. Kerr Scott will be the principal speaker at the opening of the Farm and Home Week Program, Monday, August 22, at 7:30 P. M. at Western Carolina Teachers College, Cullowhee. Other speakers on the program opening night are R. W. Shoffner, N. C. State College Agricultural Extension Service, presiding; Acting President W. E. Bird, Western Carolina Teachers College, who will give the address of welcome; Senator James Pope, Director of Tennessee Valley Authority, who will extend greetings from the Tennessee Valley Authority; and Dr. Clyde A. Erwin, State Superintendent of Public Instruction, who will outline the conference program and introduce Governor Scott.

The opening program will be held in Memorial Stadium if it is clear weather. In case of rain it will be held in Hoey Auditorium. This is the first year the Farm and Home program is being held on the college campus and it is equal in scope to the farm and home program held in Raleigh each year, which is on a state-wide level. The program offered at Cullowhee is to serve twelve of the most western counties.

Rev. Warren And Family Injured In Highway Mishap Rev. C. M. Warren, pastor of the Sylva Baptist church, Mrs. Warren and their daughter, Sybil, were painfully injured on last Thursday afternoon when their car was in an accident on Balsam Mountain as they were returning home from Asheville during a heavy rain storm. The accident occurred when a truck stopped suddenly and without warning on a curve to talk with people on the roadside which was followed by another car between the truck and Mr. Warren. The car behind the truck also stopped suddenly causing the Warren car to ram into it.

Mr. Warren received a back injury but was able to fill his pulpit on Sunday morning. Mrs. Warren has been confined to her room with a badly sprained ankle. Sybil received severe cuts and bruises about the mouth when her head struck some portion of the car. Mr. Warren's car was damaged considerably.

WCTC President



PAUL A. REID

Pre-School Clinic Available To All First Graders

The slogan of the pre-school clinic, for children who will enter school this fall, is 'Prevent the preventable, correct the correctable, cure the curable.' But our first step is to detect the detectable. All progress is based on sound information; knowledge is power, provided we use it, say the doctors and nurses of the health department, speaking for the pre-school clinic operated by the health department and Jackson County schools. Both private physicians and the public health department emphasize the importance of seeing that children are prepared to enter school this fall from a physical standpoint, as the physical condition. —Continued on page 12

CANCER DETECTION CLINIC CENTER TO OPEN HERE FRIDAY

Local physicians have announced that everything is in readiness for the opening of the Jackson-Swain Cancer Detection and Control Center at C. J. Harris hospital at 9:15 Friday morning. The clinic is open and free to all persons of the State but only those under 40 years of age will be examined unless they have definite symptoms of cancer. Persons in the over 40 age group can secure the service, also free, of the clinic if they feel that they may have cancer. Dr. Ivan Proctor of the State Board of health will be in Sylva Thursday and Friday to help the examining physicians and to give them all the information on cancer that he can. Dr. R. D. W. Norton, also of the State Board hopes to be here for the opening. Local physicians stated this week that the State Board is vitally interested in the success of the clinic and that it is lending all the aid possible. Although the clinic has been set up for opening on every other Friday it is expected that demand for its services will require opening every Friday. This will be done, if necessary, local directors stated.

BLOODSHED BOXSCORE ON N. C. HIGHWAYS Killed August 9 through August 12 — 4 Injured August 9 through August 12 — 46 Killed through August 12 this year — 465 Killed through August 12, 1948 — 397 Injured through August 12 this year — 5,409 Injured through August 12, 1948 — 4,308 BOSSAMON'S In Sylva

Stephens And Hodges Released Under Bond

Don Stephens and George Hodges, arrested August 1st on warrants charging attempted rape of female under 16 years of age, were arranged before Justice James A. Turpin Tuesday afternoon at which time the State's witnesses failed to appear. The men waived trial and were released under \$2,000 bond each to appear at the October term of Jackson criminal court.

The men had appeared before Justice Turpin on Saturday for a hearing when State's witnesses failed to appear. Justice Turpin returned them to jail and ordered Sheriff Middleton to seek the witnesses if to be found in the State and have them on hand for the trial Tuesday. The Sheriff was unsuccessful in his effort to locate the witnesses.

The attempted rape, as charged in the warrants, is said to have taken place Sunday night, July 31.

Hatching Egg Program Gaining Wide Interest

Full-Time Flock Supervisor Now On Job To Help Farmers Get Started The hatching egg program is being discussed by farm men and women from Whittier to Cashiers and from Balsam to Gay. It is not only being discussed but in most communities preparation is being made for getting chickens. A large number of houses are in process of construction. In some instances old buildings are being remodeled. In most of the new buildings locust posts are used in the walls, and aluminum roofing is being used on a number of the buildings.

Farmers are being encouraged by the flock supervisor, Charles McMillan, to build range shelters that can be moved from place to place where the pullets can get plenty of green feed. Sufficient range shelter for 500 pullets can be made in about two days by the average farmer. The farmer can then get his pullets, and he will have three to four months to complete his laying house. "Raising pullets on range is not only cheaper but a better hen can be produced by this plan", stated McMillan.

Anyone wanting information on constructing range shelters should contact either the vocational agriculture teachers or the county agent's office. Alvin Sutton Dies Of Heart Attack At Home In Winston-Salem Word was received here yesterday in the early evening of the sudden death of Mr. Alvin Sutton who passed away at his home in Winston-Salem about six o'clock in the evening. Mr. Sutton had just returned from playing golf. He complained of feeling badly and lay down on the bed where he died within a few minutes. He is survived by his widow; his mother, Mrs. G. W. Sutton, and two sisters, Mrs. Charley Campbell and Miss Hattie Hilda Sutton of Sylva; and one brother, Richard Sutton of Knoxville, Tenn. Funeral arrangements had not been made at the time The Herald went to press.

Dorothy Williams Is Hurt In Fall Tuesday

Miss Dorothy Williams is in C. J. Harris hospital receiving treatment after being hurt Tuesday when she fell accidentally on the steps of the R. L. Glenn residence. She had visited the Glenns and fell on the cement steps. She was taken to the hospital and treated for a broken wrist and a broken nose.

Survey Is Underway To Determine If Skilled Labor Is Available Here

FARM TOUR PLANS COMPLETED, TO BE HELD AUGUST 24

W. T. Brown, chairman of the committee on arrangements for the County Pasture and Home Improvement tour, has announced that plans have been completed for this event which will take place next Wednesday afternoon, August 24. Chairman Brown stated that those representing the various counties attending the Farm and Home Week course at Cullowhee next week will meet in front of the training school at 1:30 to join the local people on the tour. Places to be visited include the Forest Hill, Frank Brown, and D. C. Higdon farms where pastures that will support an animal unit per acre may be seen. Home improvements that may be made in our farm homes will also be seen. The committee in charge of the tour is composed of Mr. Brown, Fred Shelton, M. L. Snipes, and Miss Mary Johnston.

Survey For Adequate Labor Being Made By Sylva Organizations

The Jackson County Chamber of Commerce was notified last week that a large reputable New York manufacturer of boys clothing is seeking a suitable location in this area and was asked to make a survey immediately to determine the availability of 500 women and girls with experience in operating sewing machines. President Roscoe Poteet and his board of directors started this survey and have mailed out coupons for prospective employees to fill out and return to the Chamber of Commerce office. Information from the firm officials stated that if the proper kind of labor is available they will send a representative here to look over what Sylva has to offer. It was said that this firm plans to move South, whether it be Sylva or some place in this Southern area. The main factors which will determine the selection of a place is the necessary women with experience in using sewing machines and the attitude of the citizens of the place they choose. It is understood that they are not asking that land or building be given them but they do insist that the organizations and individual citizens show a spirit of cooperation in helping find what they want. They, of course, will not locate in a community where they feel that they are being held up in price on a location. There are too many places ready to help them locate for this to happen, neither are they expecting the town to give them anything. The Chamber of Commerce officials and Sylva individuals are ready to go the limit in an effort to help this firm find what it desires in its new location. A coupon will be found in this issue of The Herald which women wishing this type of work can clip, fill in, and bring or mail to the Chamber of Commerce office in Sylva. This should be done immediately as the information is wanted at once.

Asheville Garden Club Gives Invitation To Judge African Violets

The Men's Garden Club, sponsors of the annual Flower Show in Asheville, has invited Mrs. W. Q. Grigg of Sylva to be a judge for the african violet division of the show to be held in Asheville on August 25 and 26. She was notified of her invitation by Loyd Putnam Lindsey, president of the club. The judging will take place at 11 a.m., August 25, and the judges will be entertained for lunch by the club.

Cope Announces County-Wide Teachers Meeting

Supt. W. Vernon Cope has announced a county-wide meeting of teachers of Jackson county at the Sylva Elementary School auditorium for Tuesday, August 23, at 1:30 p.m. All teachers of the county are expected to be present for the meeting.

30 States Represented In Workshop At Cullowhee

Over 80 people from 30 different States and fifty-five Educational Institutions of the Nation have registered for the Smoky Mountain Workshop of the National Association of Student Training which opened at Western Carolina Teachers College on Monday, according to Miss Cordelia Camp, Director of the Training School at the college. The workshop will continue through August 26. Consultants for the workshop include Dr. Florence Stratemeyer, Teachers College, Columbia University; Dr. Margaret Lindsey, State Teachers College, Terre Haute, Ind.; Dr. Allen D. Patterson, State Teachers College, Lock Haven, Pa.; Dr. Robert Moon, Fla. State University, Tallahassee, and Dr. E. M. Tarruther, State Teachers College, Terre Haute. Dr. Camilla Lowe, associate professor of education at the University of Wisconsin, is director. Staff members are as follows:

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Dr. Erwin H. Sasman, Willimantic Teachers College, Conn.; Dr. Walter DeKork, Central College, Pella, Iowa; Dr. Mary F. Gates, Michigan State Normal College, Ypsilante, Mich.; and David C. McMurphy, University of Ky., Lexington, workshop secretary. Purposes of the workshop are to enable members of national committees of the association to study various problems, to provide direct experience in workshop techniques and to provide an opportunity for a cooperative study by local and inter-state groups of problems related to professional and laboratory experiences. Those attending will meet in groups, according to their interest, each morning in the Student Union Building for discussion of their problems. Afternoons will be given over to planned trips through the mountains of this area. Evening entertainment has been provided.