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## PUBLIC LIBRARY FOR MARSHALL AND VICINITY

NOW OPEN AT PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Through the interest of Mrs. C. M. Gage and friends in Baltimore, books of fiction for adults and children have been donated to Marshall for a public library. For the present the books are housed in the entry of Presbyterian Church. The bookcase was made and contributed by Mr. Wade Redmon. It is earnestly hoped that everyone will make use of these books and a special invitation is given to those who live in the country to use the books. The library will be open every Saturday P. M., from two until four. Anyone who has books they would care to contribute to this worthy enterprise will be doing a public spirited thing. Let us hope this is the beginning of a worthwhile public library for Marshall and vicinity.

### A LETTER

We have been requested by Rev. Bob White to publish the following letter from Rev. J. A. Martin to Mr. Kie Lunsford. The letter is as follows:

Marshall, N. C. R-1  
March 9, 1927

Mr. Kie Lunsford:  
Dear Brother:

I just have received your letter and am answering it. You asked me to tell you about that cow I bought of Brother White. My wife and I went up to Bro. White's to see the cow. We went up very early one morning, getting there before he had milked. We went with him and saw him milk the cow. She stood quiet and all right. He had not had her long. We traded for her in a few days and bought his other cow also and brought them home. She did all right for a few milkings, then went to kicking. My folks were afraid of her. The cow knew it. She was a good cow. She kept kicking all along while we kept her, but I did not make him take her back, nor did not attempt to, nor did not ask me as much as ask him to take her back. Nor neither do I consider that he told me any lie about the cow, but he spoke to me about trading me out of her. I made him a price on the cow and in a few days he came with a truck and got the cow. Quite different to what you heard, isn't it? Bro. Lunsford, I have been with Bro. White quite a lot and have been in his home many times in his wife's lifetime. We would have wonderful meetings. Mr. White, his wife and I would all pray and the Lord would wonderfully bless us. I believe the Lord is blessing and using him and I am afraid to speak against him. He has always treated me nicely and I love him. It won't do to believe all you hear these days. He was accused one time at River View Methodist church, near his home. I had preached there. He took up a collection for me. It was a small congregation. He took the hat around, came back, put the money on the stand right in front of me. I watched him count it out on the stand in the presence of all that were there. Amount—\$2.55. He turned and thanked the people for two dollars and fifty-five cents, turned around and put it in my hands in the presence of them all. I recounted it later. It counted out the same, and some of them went off and told that Bob White stole part of my collection. Bro. White may make some mistakes. We all do; don't we? The best thing is to observe the Words of the Master, watch and pray always, lest ye fall into temptation, and in the snares of the devil. I will be at Shoal Hill next 4th Sunday evening, last of this month, and will preach for you all at 3 o'clock, if it is the Lord's will, but I will not bring any cow with me.—Ha Ha.

I hope to see you then. Tell all to be there.  
Your brother in Christ,  
J. A. MARTIN.

### THE T. L. BRAMLETT SALE

The T. L. Bramlett Co. of Mars Hill have secured the services of J. C. Whitmore, an experienced sales manager, who only conducts sales for the largest department stores throughout the country. Mr. Whitmore has had 26 years' experience in general retail business—therefore knows exactly how to feed his customers good values.

### A FALSE REPORT

Flag Pond, Tenn.  
March 25, 1927  
Mr. H. L. Story,  
Editor, News-Record,  
Marshall, N. C.,  
Dear Sir:  
There was some false news printed from Foster in the News-Record March 18, 1927, and it was reported that I wrote it. I certainly did not. It is also a mistake about George Briggs visiting me. I wish that the people would write the truth when they write something to be printed.  
Yours truly,  
PHEBE FENDER.

## MARS HILL

Mr. Edwin Jarvis of California Creek was taken to Asheville Wednesday, where he was operated on for appendicitis. He is getting along very nicely.

Miss Lena Bradley, who has been ill for some time, left Monday for Sanatorium, N. C., where she will take treatment at the State Sanatorium.

The Mothers Club met with Mrs. I. N. Carr Monday afternoon with the president, Mrs. B. A. Fleetwood, in charge. After the devotional, which was led by Mrs. A. C. Hamby, and a short business session, Mrs. Edna R. Harris, corresponding secretary of the W. M. U. of North Carolina, spoke on "The Mother's Opportunity." Mrs. Carr, assisted by her sister-in-law, Mrs. Byrd, served hot chocolate and cake to the following members: Mrs. B. A. Fleetwood, Mrs. Frank Gibbs, Mrs. Sam Angel, Mrs. E. R. Harris, Mrs. J. W. Huff, Mrs. James Anderson, Mrs. Ned Anderson, Mrs. E. C. Coates, Mrs. A. C. Hamby, Mrs. Zade Sprinkle, Mrs. P. Hartzell, Mrs. E. F. Baker, Mrs. Lawrence Roberts and Mrs. Frank Clark. The Club will meet with Mrs. Huff at her home on the Marshall road in April.

Miss Lizzie Jarvis, who has been teaching for several months at Lake Toxaway, has returned to her home here.

Miss Gladys Johnson of Burnsville spent the week-end with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. W. N. Johnson.

Miss Fay Briggs of California Creek spent Saturday and Sunday with friends here.

Miss Amanda Allen, a student at Tusculum College, is spending the spring holidays with her brother, Mr. Bob Allen, of the high school faculty.

Mr. Grover Robinson of Kenshaw, S. C., a former student at the College, spent the week-end here with friends.

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Mr. and Mrs. John W. Huff and children visited Mrs. Huff's parents in Greenville, S. C., last week.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Edward Poole, a son, one before her marriage.

Miss Florence Bryan, Miss Pearl Tweed of the high school faculty, spent Friday in Marshall.

Mrs. B. M. Ellis taught for her that day.

Miss Cleota Davis has returned from Marion where she visited her sister, Mrs. Ray, for some time.

Dr. A. C. Hamby has returned from Newton, having been in a meeting there this week.

## LAW ABOUT FISHING NOW IN FORCE

### FISHING FOR SPORT REQUIRES LICENSE

The last session of the Legislature of North Carolina passed a law requiring people who fish for sport, using casting rods and reels or other modern equipment, to pay \$1.00 modern license or \$2.00 for State license and each one indulging in the sport must wear a button. The complete law is now in the hands of the Clerk of Court and if you wish to do any fishing in the streams of North Carolina, you would better see the Clerk and find out whether it applies to you or not. Otherwise our law enforcement officers may arrest you.

## MARS HILL HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS ENTERTAINED BY SPONSOR

Miss Pauline Sprinkle, sponsor of the '27 class of Mars Hill High School, lead a nice entertainment for 55 "happy Seniors" Saturday night. This party was given at the High School building and everything was beautifully decorated in the class colors, pink and white.

The gay afternoon started with games and various contests. Those who won in the different contests were: Misses Geneva Lee Phillips, Texa Hunter, Gladys Anderson, Laura Navy, and Messrs. Willard Robinson, Robert Sams and Richard Anderson.

Everything was enjoyed by everyone present. The games that were played were "Beast, Bird or Fish," "Coffee Pot," and "Proverbs." A great deal of fun and laughter was gained thru these plays. After these games were over, Miss Eva Enaley sang, "I Love You Truly" accompanied by the piano by Miss Fay Briggs. After this, refreshments were served in white plates with pink napkins. Pink and white were cream and pink and white cake helped to make up the delightful combination. After this Miss Jamie Anderson, president of the class, gave a lecture

of appreciation to the Sponsor, and the two other assistant helpers, Miss Ethel English (Principal), and Miss Geneva Lee Phillips (Eng. teacher).

## REGIONAL BAPTIST FELLOWSHIP MEETING TO BE HELD WITH FIRST CHURCH HENDERSONVILLE, N. C.

Every pastor, deacon, leader in W. M. U., Sunday School and B. Y. P. U. work of the French Broad and New Found Associations should attend the fellowship meeting to be held with the First Baptist Church at Hendersonville, Friday, April 15. This meeting promises to be one of the greatest ever held in this section of the State. It will mean much to our Associations if each church will see that a representative goes with their pastor. Many things will be discussed that every Baptist should know.

The speakers are the very best, Dr. A. C. Hamby, Dr. S. H. Templeman and A. M. Huggins. All three of these men are great and will give great messages for us. Be sure that you make your plans to go. Only eighteen miles from Asheville. The First Church at Hendersonville will furnish dinner for all who will attend. Make your plans to go and help make this a great day for the Baptists and their program. Don't forget the date and place, April 15th, Hendersonville, N. C., from 10 A. M. to 3 P. M. We are hoping that our Associations will have many who will attend.

## HOME COMING DAY AT JUPITER

Sunday, May 29th, is Home-Coming Day at Jupiter Baptist church, and we are anxiously looking forward to the coming of that day, expecting a great occasion wherein hearts are drawn close together in Christian fellowship. We want every former member of the church to be present and invite your friends to come with you. Begin to write letters NOW and make arrangements to meet your old friends here on that day. We are becoming to realize more and more that we are just a family of God's children, sharing alike the benefits of His kingdom. You may be assured of a great program, which is as follows:

- 10:00 A. M. Sunday School, everyone invited to take a part.
- 11:00 A. M. Worship. Message brought by Rev. J. B. Eller, Pastor First Baptist church, Statesville, N. C.
- 12:00 Noon. Dinner on the grounds.
- 1:15 P. M. Congregational singing. Bring your selection.
- 1:45 P. M. Welcome Address by Rev. J. M. Pickens Pastor Grape Vine and White Oak churches—Alexander, N. C., R. F. D. No. 2.
- 2:00 P. M. Response by L. S. Roberts, Mars Hill, N. C.
- 2:15 P. M. Special Music.
- 2:30 P. M. The relation of the S. S. to the Community—by Dr. J. H. Hutchins, Marshall, N. C.
- 2:45 P. M. Special Music.
- 3:00 P. M. The teacher in the rural S. S.—by Lawyer Don C. Young, Asheville, N. C.
- 3:15 P. M. Special Music.
- 3:30 P. M. "Keep the Home Fires Burning"—by Mrs. L. S. Roberts, Mars Hill, N. C.
- 3:45 P. M. Song, "Blest Be the Tie That Binds".
- Benediction.

The following committees have been appointed to take care of every phase of the day's activities. If you have any suggestion, make it to the proper committee. The first named will act as chairman of his or her respective committee. Program Committee—Messrs. C. M. Crowder and W. B. Roberts, Mesdames C. M. Crowder, L. G. Randall and Miss Malinda Howell. Fellowship Committee—Messrs. E. A. Roberts, and J. M. Pickens, Mesdames J. F. Cleverger and W. B. Roberts. Refreshment Committee—Messrs. W. W. Crowder, H. G. McLean and Clyde DeBruhl. Decoration Committee—Mesdames W. W. Crowder, E. A. Roberts, H. G. McLean and Emma Shepherd. Don't forget the date, May 29th., and the place, Jupiter Baptist church. E. F. BAKER, Pastor.

## CLEAN-UP WEEK SLOGAN: MAKE BACK YARDS LOOK LIKE FRONT YARDS

When the first breath of spring comes we feel the urge to go out and plant something. But cleaning-up comes before planting and beautifying.

NOW is the time to clean up all waste and rubbish, in basements, attics, closets, yards, barns, streets, alleys and sheds.

Let all good housekeepers have thorough cleaning of houses and premises, front and back yards.

Health, safety from fire, and beauty of surroundings all demand that the winter's accumulation of waste, rubbish, and dirt be cleaned up and removed.

## BILLS PASSED BY REPRESENTATIVE McDEVITT

Copies of Bills passed in the last General Assembly by Representative McDevitt. Others will appear weekly until they are all printed in full in this newspaper.

H. R. 127.  
S. S. 119.

An Act to Provide for the Election of the Chief of Police for the Town of Marshall, Madison County. The General Assembly of North Carolina do enact:

Section 1. That at the next regular municipal election to be held in the town of Marshall, Madison County, and biennially thereafter, there shall be elected by the qualified voters of said town of Marshall a chief of police, to serve for a term of two years, or until his successor is elected and qualified; and the salary of said chief of police shall not be less than the sum of one hundred dollars per month, which is the present salary of said chief of police.

Section 2. That all laws and chapters of laws in conflict with the provisions of this act are hereby repealed.

Section 3. That this act shall be in force from and after its ratification.

In the General Assembly read three times and ratified, this 5th day of February, 1927.

J. ELMER LONG,  
President of the Senate.  
R. T. FOUNTAIN,  
Speaker of House of Representatives.  
Examined and found correct:  
THOS. CREEKMORE For Committee

W. N. EVERETT, Secretary of State of the State of North Carolina, do hereby certify the foregoing and attached (one sheet) to be a true copy from the records of this office.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal.

Done in office at Raleigh, this 8th day of March in the year of our Lord 1927.

W. N. EVERETT,  
Secretary of State.

## HELLO, FOLKS

This is Station L-A-S, announcing a combination sale of Home-Made Candies and Hand Work THURSDAY, APRIL 14th. One door west of E. R. Tweed's. LADIES AID SOCIETY of M. E. Church COME ONE, COME ALL

## MR. C. A. CLARK DEAD

Mr. C. A. Clark, well known resident of Madison County, died at his home near Walnut, about ten o'clock Thursday, April 7th.

This news comes to us as we are going to press. A fuller account will be given later. Funeral will be held Sunday at 2 o'clock at Walnut, conducted by the French Broad Lodge 292, A. F. & A. M.

## UNSAFE TO EAT UNCOOKED PORK

The danger of eating raw pork in any form is repeated by the United States Department of Agriculture, though frequently similar warnings have already been issued. Without reflecting in the least on the high quality of well-cooked and well-cured pork and pork products as food, department officials reiterate the danger of the painful and frequently fatal disease, trichinosis, that is invited by the eating of raw pork.

Trichinosis is caused by a parasite of microscopic size that sometimes occur in the flesh of swine. This

## RURAL POLICE STAGE RAID THAT REVEALS UNIQUE STORAGE PLACE; PERFECT FOR HOUSING POTATOES

minute parasite is not very harmful to swine, and even when present in large numbers may have no visible effect on the health or thriftiness of the animals. According to report reaching the department, trichinosis is usually due to eating uncooked or improperly cooked sausage, and this sausage is usually homemade, especially in rural districts, or made on a small scale in meat shops. One farm woman was made dangerously ill in a recent outbreak by infection from the mere tasting of sausage during its preparation, a not uncommon occurrence. In the same outbreak several students who had eaten the raw sausage contracted trichinosis, death occurring in one case.

The disease somewhat resembles typhoid fever, with which it is often confused. Federal officials who have endeavored to warn the public against the dangerous practice of consuming pork not thoroughly cooked say the deliberate consumption of raw pork or pork products may be equivalent to suicide. The warning can scarcely be made strong enough. Federally inspected meats that are intended to be eaten raw are prepared in a safe manner and the proper Federal stamp is assurance of such inspection. But there is great danger from trichinosis in uninspected pork products intended for consumption without cooking. In all cases this rule should be followed with regard to pork: Always cook it well.

### SOME GOOD POEMS

We have on hand several poems that were written by the Junior English Class of the Hot Springs High School and which are really good. 2 of the poems follow and others will be published as we can spare the space for them.

### IF—ON CAESAR

Dorothy Ramsey

If you can get your Caesar lesson every day  
And read it in the very best way;  
If you can answer any question asked of you,  
Be the constructions many or few;  
If you can do it without hesitation,  
And pass each and every examination  
If you can translate anything,  
Even to the Lord's Prayer;  
If you can read it like English,  
Anytime or anywhere;  
If you do not need some notes,  
Never yearn for a key,  
If you thoroughly understand  
Anything you hear or see;  
If you do it all perfectly,  
Are never in the wrong,  
Then you'd better say your prayers;  
You're too smart to live long.

### SMILES AND FROWNS

Nell Church

In the midst of toil and strife  
There is pleasure to be found;  
And to get the most from life,  
Wear a smile and not a frown.

In our study of hygiene,  
Of the muscles in the face,  
It is easy to be seen,  
That frowns leave the deeper trace.

Frowns bring clouds,  
And smiles the sun,  
"Smiles," say the crowds,  
"Are much more fun."

## DEDICATION EXERCISE

## Marshall Hi School

The new Marshall High School will be dedicated with appropriate exercises, Friday, April 15th, at 8:00 o'clock.

Hon. A. T. Allen, State Superintendent of Public Instruction, will be the principal speaker.

Everybody is cordially invited to these exercises.

Remember the Date, April 15th  
8:00 o'clock.