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TEN MADISON COUNTY SCHOOLS TO OPEN NEXT MONDAY

With Few Exceptions Faculty Of Each School Given

All the public schools in Madison which have not opened before will open next Monday, August 18. Many of the smaller schools opened in July. Those opening next Monday are given below with the names of the teachers for each school except in a few instances in which the teachers have not been elected:

MARSHALL:

D. M. Robinson, Principal;
Mrs. C. M. Blankenship;
Miss Selwyn McDevitt;
Miss Kathleen Whitted;
Earl Wilkins;
Mrs. Earl Wilkins;
E. O. Burnett;
Miss Mary Bargain;
Mrs. Audrey Redmon;
Mrs. Alma Ferguson;
Miss Bessie Ramsey;
Miss Ada Silver;
Miss Mary Lisenbee;
Miss Louise Webster;
Miss Maggie Ward;
Miss Nina Hunter.

SEMINARY:

Miss Zora Roberts;
Miss Eva Rice.

WALNUT:

O. F. Blankenship;
Mrs. R. H. McClure;
Mrs. Moody Chandler;
Miss Frances McDevitt;
Bill Dockery;
Miss Mamie Whitesides;
Miss Jennie Lee Chandler;
Miss Dorothy Roberts;
Mrs. O. F. Blankenship;
Miss Martha K. Ramsey;
Mrs. Salena Fisher;
Mrs. Minnie Davis.

WHITE ROCK:

J. Winston Cook;
Mrs. Sara Thomas;
Mrs. Mary Franklin;
Miss Jessie Franklin;
Mrs. Belle J. Tweed;
Miss Pansy Chandler.

BEECH GLEN:

Miss E. English;
Miss Constance Fitzgerald;
Eldridge Hill;
Miss Julia Buckner;
Edgar Jarvis;
Mrs. Clyde Brown;
R. L. Sams;
Miss Bonnie Gillis;
Miss Palma Carter;
Mrs. Ralph Anderson.

CALIFORNIA:

V. D. Carter;
Miss Jamie Anderson;
Mrs. Hubert Hawkins.

SPRING CREEK:

J. O. Wells;
N. L. Ponder;
Miss Ollie Morgan;
Miss Nell English;
Miss Nancy Anderson;
Miss Edna Bryan;
Miss Lillian Reeves;
Miss Anna Mae Davis;
Miss Ibbie Ball;
Miss May Cuthbertson.

HOT SPRINGS:

W. M. Farmer;
Miss Elizabeth Lawson;
Romain Meadows;
Miss Louise Williams;
Miss Lita Brooks;
Miss Lula Chandler;
Mrs. Harriett Price;
Miss Marie O'Dell;
Miss Annie May Boone;
Mrs. Dewey Flemmons;
Mrs. Josie T. Bryant.

PAINT ROCK:

Miss Jessie Robinett.

MARS HILL:

Miss Carroll McDevitt;
Mrs. S. O. Trentham;
Mrs. L. W. Robinson;
Miss Margaret Flynn;
Miss Virginia McClure;
Miss Glenna Whitt;
Miss Edna Buckner;
Mrs. Altha Jarvis;
Miss Meda Peck;
Mrs. Fred C. Sams;
Miss Katherine Roberts;
Miss Ruby Edwards;
Miss Bex Ramsey;
Miss Ellen Carter.

The red clover fields of Rockingham county have practically dried up with the clover only three to five inches high, reports Fred S. Walker, farm agent.

WAS THIS YOUNG MAN CRAZY OR JUST MEAN?

A near tragedy took place in a swimming or bathing pool in the waters of Laurel near Foster Creek, last Tuesday night, when a bunch of young women and one boy or young man were in bathing. The girls were sporting on a small log in about eight feet of water, when the young man, who is a good swimmer, upset them all and then stood back and laughed at their struggles to rescue a little 12-year-old girl who could not swim. The others were not very good swimmers, themselves, and it was with difficulty that the little girl was brought up after she had got down and up on twice. The point of this narrative is that the young man, a high school graduate, made no move to help, but actually found it great sport to watch the struggles of the girls in trying to rescue their smaller companion.

RESIDENCE AT JOE BURNED

Mr. T. A. Moore of Joe, N. C. Loses House and Furniture

The residence of Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Moore, near Joe, N. C., in the Meadow Fork section of Madison county was burned Wednesday of last week. It was the result that a piece of paper put into the stove found its way up the flue and lodged on the moss covered roof. Mr. Moore was out in the field, and when Mrs. Moore found her house on fire, she could not get to it herself, and before she could give the alarm and get help, the flames had gone too far to be extinguished. The house and furniture were valued at something like \$1500 with no insurance. Mr. Carl Stamey, son of Mr. and Mrs. Till Stamey, of that section, was in Marshall Monday soliciting funds with which to help replace the loss. Mr. Moore is said to be an honest, hard-working man and has a family of wife and four children, all but one of whom are small. All that was saved was a talking machine, some quilts, 1 bed, and some clothes. It will be remembered that Mr. Moore was a candidate for county commissioner in the last primary election. He appreciates the help of his neighbors and all those who have in any way contributed to his aid.

REVIVAL AT SEMINARY

A revival started at the Seminary Baptist church Sunday. The regular pastor, Rev. Mr. Blackwell, is away; and in his absence, Rev. Mr. Abrams is supplying as pastor. The supplying pastor is being assisted in the revival by Rev. Mr. Roberts, a student at Mars Hill. The revival will probably continue for a week or ten days.

MRS. T. A. LOYD DEAD

Mrs. T. A. Loyd passed away the 29th of July, the youngest daughter I had. She leaves two sisters and one brother, J. P. Wilburn, Weaverville, N. C., R. 1; Rebecca Crain, Weaverville, N. C., and Elizabeth Lewis, Amelia, R. 2. She was the wife of Jack Loyd, and leaves her husband and eight children to mourn for her. She was laid to rest at Chuck Salem cemetery, the services being conducted by H. S. Horton. I certainly do thank the good people for their kindness.

Written by her father, A. J. Wilburn, Amelia C. H., Va.

Move to Wipe Out "Athlete's" Foot Menace in Cities of United States



ENOUGH tiny parasites to infect every person in the United States with athlete's foot are lurking on the glass plate shown above. They are being examined by a New York bacteriologist. The plate contains billions of *Tinea Trichophyton*, which cause the foot malady, a form of ringworm, and these parasites were cultivated from a single specimen overnight.

Widespread evidence of this disease, which has caused some schools to close and has indicated that an outbreak of it might come to any village or city of the United States, has caused medical men in all parts of the country to study means by which it may be eradicated. Constant use of antiseptic is being urged as a means to aid the fight against this age-old malady which has recently taken a more serious appearance in this country. The photograph was taken in the Pease Laboratories in New York where scientists are constantly studying the disease in an effort to control it.

JOHN LAMB

John Lamb died Saturday, August 2, 1930, at Antioch near Hot Springs. Mr. Lamb was born in Greene county, Tennessee, January 17th, 1862. He was married to Sarah Jane Black May 18th, 1882, to whom were born two sons and three daughters, one son and all the daughters surviving.

Mr. Lamb joined Antioch M. E. Church South when about eighteen years of age and had been a member of this church since.

He was a good citizen, a good church man, growing up in those days when schools were poor he had little chance to secure an education, but was loyal to every good cause, always wanting to know more of the Scriptures.

He was buried on Sunday morning, August 3rd, 1930, in the Antioch cemetery. The burial services were conducted by his pastor, the Rev. R. H. Caudill, assisted by Rev. Mr. Bruce Doyle of the Presbyterian church, who had known him for twenty years. The pallbearers were: Euna Lawson, Roy Carver, Cecil Lawson, Clarence Lawson, Claud Lawson, Loyd Price; and the flower girls: Octavia Lawson, Ina Lawson, Ethel Harkleroad, Edith Lawson, Carrie Lee Lawson, Lucile Lawson. His passing leaves a gap again among our older folks here, many of whom have gone in the last few years. But the sorrow of this man's departure was tempered by the thought of his relief for he suffered miserably for weeks before his going.

MAY CONTROL FLEAS BY PROPER METHODS

Best conditions for fleas to breed in greatest number are found in such places as under a porch. Here the parasites breed in the soil or dust which contains some vegetable or animal matter yet is protected from the sun, rain and wind and gets a certain amount of moisture.

"We have had more than the usual number of complaints about heavy infestations of fleas in dwellings this past few weeks, says C. H. Brannon, extension entomologist at State College. "Animals and poultry should be prevented from going under the porch, and the vegetable and organic matter usually found in such places should be carefully cleaned out. When this is done the area should be sprayed with creosote oil and the ground where the immature fleas are developing should be thoroughly covered with salt and wet down."

Mr. Brannon says most infestations in dwelling houses are caused by pet animals allowed in the cellar or basement or permitted to lounge and sleep under the porch. The fleas breed rapidly in the dust and will quickly infest a house when the pets are permitted to come in after having used the infested area.

Such house infestations may be controlled by keeping out the animals and applying gasoline to the floors. The rugs should be removed and the floors thoroughly scrubbed first, says Mr. Brannon. Applying

102 YEAR OLD MADISON WOMAN TO CELEBRATE HER BIRTHDAY

J. B. Farrington of Star Route, Pittsboro, Chatham County, had the five highest producing cows in the Alamance-Chatham Herd Improvement Association in June.

BIRTHDAY DINNER

The children of Mrs. L. J. Crowe of Marshall, honored her with a birthday dinner at her home about one-half mile from Marshall, Sunday, celebrating her 59th birthday. Dinner was spread on a large table under a large apple tree on the front lawn. Some very fine singing was enjoyed in the afternoon by a well known quartette.

Only part of the children were able to attend. Among those present, which included a few invited friends outside the immediate family, were Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Keyes and family, of Enkai; Mr. and Mrs. Alton Egan and family, of Rollins; Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hehn and daughter; Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Crowe and family; Mr. Frank Crowe and son; Mr. Everett Crowe, Mr. Wayne Crowe, Miss Addie Crowe, Mr. L. J. Crowe, Mrs. J. J. Redmon and Mr. Coleman Caldwell, all of Marshall.

Mrs. Frank Dockery Making Preparations For The Event; Plans To Play Hostess

Just 102 years young, Mrs. Frank Dockery, who was born in Buncombe county September 17, 1828, is very busy nowadays as she hurries about her neat little farm home in the Little Pine mountains of Madison county.

Mrs. Dockery has plans, lots of them, and there are numerous tasks to be performed in order that she may enjoy all the more the role of hostess she wants to play when the neighbors and many relatives gather to celebrate her 102nd birthday one month from next Sunday. And she is leaving none of these tasks to others.

To the celebration, many children grandchildren and other relatives of the gray haired pioneer woman will gather to offer congratulations and to express their gratitude for her generous hospitality and kindness among them. The party will not be so exclusive as to include only relatives and many friends will be invited. Everybody in the community knows Mrs. Dockery and regardless of how old they are, she can remember when almost every man and woman about her were babies or barefoot boys and girls.

Lives on Farm

Her fertile farm of 100 acres of mountain lands will be resorted to when the menu for the birthday dinner is planned. Since during the Civil War when meal and corn were ground into bread between slowly revolving mortars and all grain was threshed with flails by hand, the farm, according to Mrs. Dockery, has provided generously. Plenty of grain, vegetables and fruits in abundance are grown at home.

Mrs. Dockery is the mother of seven children and has been married twice. Before her first marriage to John Lunsford, she was Miss Sarah Haynie. Her second marriage was to Frank Dockery, who died ten years ago.

Happy and cheerful, Mrs. Dockery lives a quiet life with her children at the farm home which is seven miles from the nearest town, Marshall, and twenty-seven miles from Asheville. A devoted Christian, she is pointed out by many friends and neighbors as a true example of a kind and efficient wife and mother. The fact that she is one of the oldest residents of North Carolina does seem of passing importance to her. Her long life she attributes to her Maker and to the fact that since she was a little girl almost all her time has been spent in the country.

Mrs. Dockery is not the only person in Madison county who is past 100 years in age. Uncle Allen Buckner, Confederate soldier and picturesque farmer, living beyond Mars Hill, will celebrate his 103rd anniversary October 8.

The ages of both have been substantiated by family and county records. Mr. Buckner is one of the oldest Confederate veterans in the state.—The Asheville Citizen.

STOCK RAISERS IN MARSHALL

Hear Address by Specialists and Organize

Mr. C. G. Filler, specialist in Live Stock marketing, addressed a goodly number of stock raisers from various sections of Madison County Monday afternoon at the courthouse. He discussed the beef situation in Madison County, the purpose of which discussion is to find a market for such stock as it is necessary to put on the market. It seems that the Virginia markets are at the present time closed to the cattle of our section, and an effort is being made to find buyers in the eastern part of North Carolina. The committee appointed to report on the situation is composed of the following:

R. R. Ramsey, Chairman;
Jeter Ramsey, Vice-Chairman;
J. B. McDevitt, Treasurer;
Earle Brintnall, Secretary;
H. H. Rainey;
Ed English;
Clyde Brown;
Chapel Tweed;
Jake Buckner;
John Cassada;
W. G. Buckner.

These men were appointed before the meeting adjourned, and after adjournment, the committee met and elected its officers as above named. The committee is to ascertain as nearly as possible how many cattle, both butcher and stocker, are available. Every person who has stock for sale should see some member of the committee, or the County Agent. By butcher is meant cattle now ready to be butchered, and by stocker is meant cattle not now in condition to butcher, but expected to be in the near future.

derris powder to pet animals and washing them in a weak solution of saponified creosote or kerosene emulsion will destroy the fleas upon them. The skin of cats is tender and the dips or washes used must be milder than for dogs, he says.

BIRTH ANNOUNCEMENT

Mr. and Mrs. Fleet Reeves, of Walnut, announce the arrival of a daughter, Lora Jean, on August 10, 1930.

RED HILL BAPTIZING

The baptizing of the remaining candidates at the Red Hill Free Will Baptist church will take place the third Sunday in August. The pastor, Rev. J. A. Martin, wishes us to say that the public is invited.

SINGING SUNDAY FINEST YET

Large Attendance and Splendid Voices at Mars Hill

Mr. Lee F. Tweed, who is especially fond of good singing and who is one of the greatest boosters of Singing Conventions, tells us that the singing convention at the high school auditorium at Mars Hill last Sunday afternoon, was the finest yet. The attendance was large, the auditorium being filled to capacity, and present were singers from Yancey, Buncombe, Henderson, and Madison counties. The singing continued from about two o'clock until 4:30. The next convention will be held the second Sunday in September at the Forks of Ivy church and everybody is invited to attend.

PLAY TONIGHT ONLY

Advertised For Two Nights, But Will Be Only One

The play, "See You Later," which has been advertised to be staged in Marshall two evenings, Tuesday and Wednesday, Aug. 12 and 13, will be given TONIGHT ONLY, August 12. This play is by local talent and is said to be quite entertaining. We are giving in this issue the cast of characters. This play is put on for the benefit of the local chapter of the Order of Eastern Stars, and it is hoped the returns will be quite satisfactory. Be sure to see and hear it tonight—Tuesday, Aug. 12.