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SHERMAN TYSON OF MARSHALL DIES

HAD SUFFERED AGONIES FROM BURNS FOR NINE MONTHS

Funeral To Be Thursday Afternoon

Sherman Tyson, age 25, died at his home in Marshall Wednesday morning about nine o'clock. For nine months he had suffered every agony possible for a human being to suffer. Only a skeleton from his waist down, not even covered with skin, the spirit of life remained buoyant and hopeful, and perfectly conscious up to the very hour of death. He was literally burned to death in April, 1934, when the truck which he was driving turned over, catching him in such a way that he could not escape the flames which enveloped the truck. When found, he was thrown by those who found him into a branch of running water. Since then, he spent some time in an Asheville hospital and with different relatives, considerable time being spent with his sister, Mrs. Fred Morrow, later being moved by another sister to rooms over the store of Mr. J. N. West where he died. At the time of his death he was in the care of Mrs. Grace Sorrells and Miss Pauline Tyson, and was having medical attention from Dr. Sams. However, dopes—narcotics—could not be used, except in the mildest forms. His endurance is a marvelous illustration of what appears impossible.

He is survived by his father, Robert Tyson, the father of 13, nine of whom survive as follows: Mrs. Will Moody, Mrs. Tom Thornton, Mrs. Tobe Sherrod, Mrs. Jess Norman, James Tyson, all of Knoxville, and Robert Tyson, Mrs. Fred Morrow, Mrs. Grace Sorrells.

Funeral services are set for 2 o'clock Thursday afternoon, a short service to be held at the home followed by other services and interment at Rector's Chapel, the Rev. Arthur Hensley to officiate. Active pallbearers will be Ernest Anders, Wallace Pegg, Herman Pegg, Fred Morrow, Jimmie Hagan, and Everett Marler.

Honorary pallbearers are Dr. Sams, Ralph Sprinkle, Dedrick Bowman, D. Webb Griffith, Chester Hensley, Craig Rudisill.

The family wishes it said that he made a profession of faith while in the hospital and led a consistent Christian life to the end. The remarkable fortitude manifested in his last days and the spirit of optimism were proofs of his abiding faith.

THE LORD'S ACRE

Program At Marshall Baptist Church Next Wednesday

Next Wednesday evening, Jan. 23, at the Marshall Baptist church a program illustrating the "Lord's Acre" movement will be put on. Stereoptican slides will be used. We understand that this program has been used by the Rev. J. R. Duncan, at two of his churches. It is hoped that the visitor will have a large audience.

PRINCESS THEATRE REOPENS FRIDAY

Under New Management Cushioned Seats Installed

The Princess Theatre in Marshall is to reopen Friday, Jan. 18, at 7:30 P. M. The first show will consist of a feature picture starring Mary Brian and John Darrow in "Monte Carlo Nights"; also selected short subjects. The theatre is under new management, Mr. C. N. Rockett, formerly of the Piedmont Theatre, Spruce Pine, N. C., in charge. Mr. Rockett has installed cushioned seats throughout. He plans to have a show every night, with complete change of program twice a week of the latest pictures possible to obtain. Admission will be at the popular prices of 10c and 20c. Watch the News-Record for further programs and announcements.

SPORTS

MARSHALL BULLDOGS NOSE OUT WALNUT ALL-STARS 12-10

Marshall High Loses Double-Header To Hot Springs

In a high spirited game last Friday night on the Walnut court, the Marshall Bulldogs nosed out a strong Walnut quint 12-10. Very little shooting was done due to the fine guarding of both teams. The Bulldogs took the lead in the first quarter and never lost it. The score at the half was 11-7. The Teague brothers and Dillard played a great defensive game while Ramsey, Bulldog forward, shot most of the points. Reece starred for the losers.

Before this game Hot Springs H. S. took a double-header from Marshall high school. The girls' game was one-sided but the boys' game was closely played. The final score was 22-21.

The line-up:

Bulldogs	Pos.	Walnut A. S.
Ramsey	F	Guthrie
Boone	F	Rector
Storey	C	Ramsey
Teague	G	Reece
Dillard	G	Roberts
Substitutes: Bulldogs—Redmon, E. Teague; Walnut—Ans.		

WALNUT FIVE LICKS MARS HILL CAGERS

Walnut High defeated Mars Hill high on the college floor at Mars Hill Tuesday, 34 to 27. Goldsmith, with eight points, topped the winners in scoring.

The line-ups:

Walnut (30)	Pos.	Mars H. (27)
McDevitt (2)	F	McMahan (7)
Landers (8)	F	T. Higgins (2)
Barnes (7)	G	Jarvis (5)
Goldsmith (8)	G	Willis
Henderson (4)	G	Brown (4)
(4), Johnson (3), Lewis; Mars Hill, Higgins (3), Bradley (1), Carter (3).		

FOSTER CREEK

The Sunday school at the Baptist church is progressing nicely with good attendance. C. M. Farmer, superintendent and Mrs. G. A. Peek, secretary.

Mr. and Mrs. Cas Fender and children were visiting at Mr. Claude Proffitt's Sunday P. M.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Hensley were Sunday P. M. visitors of Mr. and Mrs. V. E. Peek.

Mr. A. A. Capps is improving at this writing, we are glad to say.

Messrs. Glenn Jarvis, Fred Peek, Ervin Peek and C. M. Farmer were in town Saturday.

Miss Ruby Wilde was visiting on Foster Sunday.

Miss Orla Fender was on Foster Sunday.

A night school began on Foster Monday night. Quite a number were enrolled.

Glad to have Misses Frisbee and Anderson with us.

MORE MONEY IS SET ASIDE FOR N. C. HIGHWAYS

Washington Bureau of The Asheville Citizen WASHINGTON, Dec. 28—Apportionment of \$2,938,657 to North Carolina for highway construction in the fiscal year, beginning July 1, was announced today. Secretary of Agriculture Wallace, in making the apportionment, called attention to the possibility of reduction of a state's apportionment through the operation of the provision in the Hayden-Cartwright act relative to the diversion of gasoline taxes and other taxes on motorists.

The act provides that federal aid for a state's highways shall be reduced unless the state uses for highways at least the amount provided by law on June 18, 1934 for that purpose from the state's gasoline and vehicle taxes and other special taxes on motor vehicle owners.

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STATE WIDE FOREST FIRE CONTROL PLAN IS SOUGHT By C. F. Fortner

This is one of three articles prepared by County Warden C. F. Fortner in cooperation with the North Carolina Department of Conservation and Development in the Department's three-point program of objectives which embraces (1) State-wide forest fire control, (2) State Park, game refuge, and public hunting and fishing grounds, (3) Social need for Outdoor Recreation.

STATE-WIDE FOREST FIRE CONTROL

Organized forest fire control was available at the end of the last fiscal year, June 30, 1934, to 10,181,000 acres of the approximately 21,000,000 acres of forest lands in North Carolina. The State is in a position at present to furnish funds for cooperation in this work to only 44 of the 100 counties.

It has been impossible during the current biennium, because of the limitation of funds, for the Department of Conservation and Development to take several counties desiring to establish organizations for the protection of their woodlands against fires into the cooperating system which involves the matching of county appropriations with State and Federal funds.

Provisions for State-wide forest fire control would wipe out the injustice of having to refuse some counties the advantages extended to others. Every county and woodland owner in the State is entitled to the same consideration and services as those in others but such is not possible under the present system.

No cooperating county is adequately protected when its neighbor makes no effort to check the spread of fire into its borders. Under the present system permitting counties to discontinue their appropriations at the end of a 12-month period, the State cooperative organization is placed at a great disadvantage. Success of control measures, even temporarily, permits the undoing, often within a few days, of the efforts of years.

If fires are allowed to sweep over an area out of which they have been kept for years in a day, the entire effect of the long-time efforts is completely lost.

Damages from forest fires during the past decade or more in North Carolina have averaged approximately \$1,000,000 annually. Effective forest fire control measures on a scale even approaching that furnished by the U. S. Forest Service on Federal lands should reduce this loss more than nine-tenths. Fire loss on 6,056,590 acres of protected land in the calendar year, 1933, amounted to only \$324,592 in comparison with \$3,014,884 damages to approximately 1,000,000 acres of unprotected forest land.

North Carolina furnishes from State appropriation only \$2,755 annually during the current biennium for forest fire control, but receives \$50,560 annually from the Federal government for the same purpose. Virginia has appropriated \$20,000 this year for the maintenance of Emergency Conservation Work done by the Civilian Conservation Corps. Florida is providing \$40,000 for this year for forestry work, an increase of \$10,000 over last year in the face of drastic cuts in other appropriations.

MARSHALL P. T. A. NAMES COMMITTEES ON LEGISLATION

At the regular meeting of the Marshall Parent-Teacher association Tuesday afternoon in the auditorium of the Marshall school J. W. Wible, teacher of vocational agriculture in the school, gave a report of the work being done by his classes of boys. As a majority of the boys in the high school will eventually become farmers they should be taught how to become good farmers, he said.

Mrs. O. S. Dillard was appointed chairman of a committee to canvass homes for recipes to fill the community cook book being compiled by the parent-teacher group. Others on the committee are: Mrs. A. J. Ramsey, Mrs. F. A. Dodson, and Miss Lucille Hunt.

A legislative committee, appointed to look after the interests of the

The Legislature is now in session at Raleigh. That forestry may progress in North Carolina it is going to be necessary that certain legislative measures be introduced in the legislature and we hope such measures will become laws.

We do not want elaborate laws nor do we want to offer proposed measures that will be objectionable through increased taxes. Two courses are open, either of which will stabilize the work. The first is State-wide fire control, and the second is a five or ten year co-operation agreement.

State-wide fire control would enable us to put into effect a long time fire control plan and remove the uncertainty now existing under the present law. It would stabilize forestry and thereby make the future secure for the wood-using industries.

ANNUAL MEETING ASHEVILLE P. C. A. JANUARY 29th

The annual meeting of the Asheville Production Credit Association serving the counties of Buncombe, Henderson, Haywood, Madison and Transylvania will be held on Jan. 29th at the Court House in Asheville, N. C., it is announced by R. V. Morrow, secretary of the association.

Not only are all of the farmers borrowers from the association, the holders of Class B stock expected to be present, but Mr. Morrow said recently that a most cordial invitation was also extended to all other farmers in the territory served by the association and that it was hoped that large numbers would accept the invitation.

"Every member of the association," said Mr. Morrow, "is urged to bring one or more non-members with him as it is our desire that every farmer in this section shall acquaint himself with the credit service which our organization has to offer."

"Directors of the association for the ensuing year will be elected at this meeting. Every member of the association is entitled to cast one vote, regardless of the number of shares he owns, and it is to his interest to vote for men of the highest integrity and business acumen."

"At the meeting a complete report of the year's operations of the association will be submitted. The Production Credit Corporation of Columbia will be represented at the meeting by Mr. Ernest Graham, President, who will outline the setup of the Farm Credit Administration of the third district, the method of control and operation of the production credit associations and will give an explanation of the association's operating statement from organization through December 31, 1934."

CITIZENS BANK OFFICERS REORGANIZE

E. R. Tweed Re-elected President.

Mr. E. R. Tweed, prominent merchant of Marshall, was re-elected president of the Citizens Bank of Marshall and Hot Springs at a recent

meeting of the officers of the bank. Mr. J. B. McDevitt was elected vice president; Mr. A. W. Whitehurst, cashier at Marshall, Mr. Warren T. Davis, cashier at Hot Springs, and Miss Stella Carver, assistant cashier at Marshall. Mr. Roy L. Gudegar succeeded Mr. Craig L. Rudisill as chairman of the board of directors. Others on the board are Mr. Rudisill, Mr. R. A. Edwards, Mrs. Myrtle Mashburn, Mr. R. R. Ramsey, Mr. E. R. Tweed, and Mr. A. W. Whitehurst.

SAM SWANN KILLS HIMSELF Madison Farmer Commits Suicide In Asheville

Sam Swann, 25-year-old farmer of the Middle Fork section, Madison County, shot himself in the left chest at the home of his sister, Mrs. Burgin Honeycutt, at Woodfin, Wednesday morning at 9 o'clock, and died within 10 minutes.

Ed Swann, an uncle, told the officers that the young farmer had threatened to take his life.

SPRING CREEK HIGH SCHOOL

(Too late for last week)

Spring Creek Defeats Hot Springs. Spring Creek high school's Wilcat basketball team added two more victories to their score last Friday night when they defeated the Hot Springs high school teams on the latter's court, the girls winning by a total of 22-8, and the boys nosing out their opponents by a bare margin of 12-11.

During the Christmas holidays the boys' team lost Oliver Suttles, regular guard, who launched out on the sea of matrimony.

The Hot Springs game saw Hugh Burnett Ferguson, last year's first-team forward, back in the line-up for the first time this year, but in Suttles' position as guard. Ferguson was in the hospital during the Thanksgiving season and was ill a part of the Christmas holiday season. The Spring Creek boys have been handicapped from the beginning of the season but have thus far made a good showing, having lost only one county game this season. The girls, having lost four of last year's first team, are still managing to hold their record and have not lost to anyone this season.

Girls' line-up: Spring Cr. (22) Pos. Hot Spgs. (8) Ebbs (12) F Grubbs (4) L. Plimmans F Harmon (4) Meadows (8) C O'Dell Lewis CG Fowler Packett G Collins Caldwell G Paris Substitutes: Spring Creek—Duckett (2), Woody and Ferguson.

Boys' line-up: Spring Cr. (12) Pos. Hot Spgs. (11) J. Price (4) F Ramsey (3) Clark (6) F Graham (8) H. Price C Justice Kirkpatrick (2) G O'Dell Ferguson G Treadway Substitutes: Spring Creek—Woody and Ebbs.

Officials: Runyon (Hot Springs); and Davis (Spring Creek).

HOME AGENT'S SCHEDULE

SCHEDULE FOR NEXT WEEK

Monday, Jan. 21—Anderson Branch women
Wednesday, Jan. 23—Bull Creek girls and women
Thursday, Jan. 24—Hurricane women
Friday, Jan. 25—Alleghany women.

RICKMAN DAVIS TAKES PART IN PLAY

Rickman Davis, who is a member of the senior class at Tusculum College, Greeneville, Tenn., took the part of Will Scarlett, a leading speaking part in the operetta, ROBIN HOOD, INCORPORATED, which was recently given by the combined Glee Clubs of Tusculum College, under the direction of Professor Frank H. Barnhart. This operetta, with music by Allen Benedict, is set in the 12th century, during the reign of Richard the Lion-Heart, King of England. The scenes are laid in Sherwood Forest and in the courtyard in the Royal Palace of Westminster. The stage sets were designed and constructed by members of the classes in Dramatic Arts. The operetta is one of the biggest annual events on the college calendar.

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FRED SPRINKLE'S HOUSE BURNS

Residence Completely Destroyed Monday But Contents Saved

The residence of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Sprinkle of Marshall was completely destroyed by fire Monday evening. The alarm was sounded about six o'clock, and the fire department responded only to find that no hydrant was near enough for use. Before the fire fighting equipment arrived the flames had gained such headway that it was impossible to save the house. However, the household and kitchen furniture was practically all saved by the timely assistance of neighbors and friends. The fire was said to have originated in the kitchen and had gained almost uncontrollable headway when discovered. It occurred at the time of day when people were just ready to leave their businesses downtown and in a short time practically everybody in town had gone to the fire. When it was seen that the building could not be saved, efforts were then concentrated on saving the garage and the residence and garage of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Rudisill next door, water from garden hose being used. The loss is said to have been mostly covered by insurance.

HOT SPRINGS

Mrs. C. G. Parris and daughter spent last Monday in Asheville.

Mrs. Dave Melton, who has been real sick the past few weeks, is a little improved.

Mrs. S. J. Johnson of Greeneville, Tenn., and Mrs. Chas. Burgin were shopping in Asheville last Wednesday.

Mrs. Owen Brooks and Miss daughters are able to be up again after having had flu.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Bill Parris a son.

The Ladies Missionary Society met Tuesday, Jan. 8th, at the home of Mrs. Glenn Brooks with Mrs. Brooks and Mrs. J. W. Morris as joint hostesses. After the business hour a social hour was enjoyed by all present. Salad, nuts and coffee were served by the hostesses.

Mr. Stamey was a business visitor in Marshall, N. C.

Mrs. Jack Heilman has returned home after visiting her mother, Mrs. McInturf in Greeneville, Tenn.

Mrs. Conley spent the week-end in Knoxville, Tenn., with relatives.

Mrs. Tweed had as her week-end guests her parents, a brother and sister of near Lexington, N. C. Mr. F. Smith and Mr. Phil Brown of Burnsville, N. C., spent the week-end here with friends and relatives. Little Jane Patty also spent the week-end here with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Poe Eskridge spent a few days in Rutherfordton, N. C., with relatives.

Mrs. Ebbs is in the Asheville hospital and her daughter, Mrs. Parker, is also in Asheville with her mother.

ERROR CORRECTED

In the account of the funeral of Mr. H. Holland last week, the name of the officiating minister was given as the Rev. M. H. Shelton. This should have been given as the Rev. J. L. Hyde of Walnut.

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