

### BIG BRANCH

NEAR MARS HILL

On Wednesday of last week Mrs. Ernest Thomas started working at the plant at Weaverville. She seems to like the work very much. Mr. and Mrs. Zeb Thomas are taking care of her children while she is working.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ball and their two small sons were visiting on the Branch on Sunday of this week. [We were glad to have the Ball family visit with us.

Mr. J. C. Moss reports having a nice time in Washington with the other Mars Hill High School students.

Mrs. Tom Baird and Mrs. Burns Baird went to Asheville on Sunday of this week to see little Billy Goforth, who has been in the hospital for a few days. Billy is at home now, getting along nicely.

We are glad to see Mr. J. E. Buckner building a modern Grade A dairy barn. We are always glad to see any improvements in our community.

We are glad to learn that Mrs. L. C. Smith, who has been sick, is so much better now.

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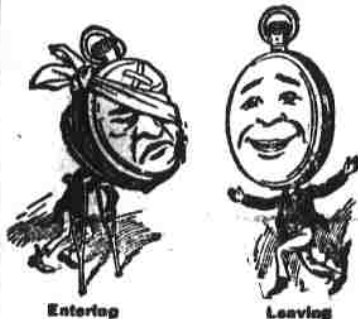
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### Poultry Plant

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group of proposed plans for an impounding dam which would supply the amount of water required for such a plant provided the voters passed a proposed bond issue for the dam. Mr. Silver expressed confidence that the available labor could easily be obtained with an experienced manager and personnel for the plant.

The matter of cost was discussed and it was estimated that a modern plant, properly constructed and equipped, would cost in the neighborhood of \$250,000 with operating capital of perhaps \$200,000. "A half-million dollars sounds like a tremendous undertaking but if the people of Madison County are interested enough in getting a plant of this type, it can be done," Mr. Silver stated.

Mr. Kelley presented a proposed floor plan for such a building which was studied by those present. A site for the plant was not mentioned but further study of plans was initiated. It was decided that a committee be appointed to secure data figures and other information to be presented to interested citizens at a later date.

C. E. Mashburn was elected chairman of this committee with Knox Frigman, D. M. Robinson, Roy Pweed and Harry Silver to assist him.

The Madison County Promotion Council was represented by Mr. Mashburn and A. V. Graves, who expressed the interest of the Council in the project.

### Water Important To Tobacco Beds

Don't let lack of water result in lack of tobacco plants in your plant bed. Plant beds usually germinate within two weeks after seeding. If the soil is dry and crusty it is difficult for the plants to force their way through the hard crust and the fertilizer tends to concentrate near the surface of the soil causing injury from burning and lowered germination. By the addition of 280 to 560 gallons of water on a 100 X 9 ft. bed injury from dry weather can be prevented and a good stand of healthy plants should result. Remember 280 gallons of water on a 100 X 9 ft. bed is equivalent to about one-half inch of water.

Care should be taken to be sure water is from a clean source and doesn't contain run off water from diseased tobacco fields.

### Singing Convention

The Spring Creek Singing Convention will meet with the Meadow Fork Baptist Church Sunday afternoon, April 1, at 2:00 o'clock.

The public and all singers are cordially invited to attend and participate in the program.

O. M. FISH

### BULL CASTRATION DEMONSTRATION IN COUNTY APRIL 5

Beef cattle farmers have a lot to do in order for their operation to be carried on in a successful manner, states Harry G. Silver, county agent. Cattle should be pastured, winter fed, kept free of external and internal parasites, doctored, culled, selected from the better breeding stock and quite a number of other details should be kept up with. The above mentioned jobs are generally taken care of on time. The two jobs that most farmers leave until the twelfth hour are dehorning and castrating. Most people dislike the sight of blood and these jobs, as they are generally done, involve blood.

Mr. A. V. Allen, Extension service Animal Husbandry Specialist, will be in Madison County on Thursday, April 5, to demonstrate the proper method of knife castration. Bull calves can be castrated with a knife with very little loss of blood. Mr. Allen will demonstrate this method on the farm of L. W. Ammons Thursday, April 5 at 9:30 a. m. Any farmer who may be interested is invited to attend.

### MAIL CARRIER SAVES 2

Houston, Tex.—On his mail route recently, Thomas Autzen, postman made two special deliveries above the call of regular duty. He spotted a burning duplex on his route and Autzen, 41, entered the burning building to carry Pamela Rebecca Cloud, 3, and her sister, Phyllis Key Cloud, 2, to safety. C. J. Wiles, 40, a bus mechanic, rescued their brother, Johnnie Franklin Cloud, 5. Their father was at work and their mother had taken three other children to school when the fire occurred.

### MARS HILL

Mrs. Chas Powers, of Jacksonville, Fla., who came up on Tuesday of last week for the funeral of Mrs. Joe Hall, remained for a visit with her sister, Mrs. Horace Hall, and Mr. Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. McClure, of the Bolivia school near Wilmington, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Tolley, and other relatives in this section while attending the teachers convention last week in Asheville.

Mr. and Mrs. V. E. Wood, accompanied by their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Wood, and little son, of Johnson City, Tenn., left last Saturday for a week's vacation in Florida.

Mrs. E. C. Coates and her sister, Miss Alma Freeman, are also on a vacation trip to Florida this week.

Misses Frances Snelson and Mildred Bingham have gone for a visit to Miss Bingham's relatives in Maryland and then on to New York.

Mrs. Judy Bridgers is visiting relatives in Charlotte this week, and Miss Doris Edwards has gone to her home in Selma for the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Henderson and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Cox made a trip to Birmingham, Ala., over the weekend for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Albert Wall.

Mrs. Roy Wall will spend this weekend with her daughter, Mrs. Frank Fulk and family in Salisbury.

Mr. and Mrs. John McLeod attended a family reunion and birthday celebration for her mother last Saturday in Greenville, S. C.

Several students are expected home this weekend for Easter holidays.

Sante Fe, N. M. — After taking a second look at a check offered by a woman, a salesgirl called police. The woman, held by police on suspicion of trying to pass a worthless check, had signed the check: "Mrs. U. R. Stuck."

### 4,552 PUPILS IN MADISON

The total school enrollment in Madison County for the 1955-56 school term is 4552. Of this number, 1059 pupils are enrolled in the high schools and 3493 pupils are in elementary school.

There are 6 union schools in Madison County covering grades one through twelve, and two separate elementary schools including grades 1 through 8. In addition, there is a one teacher Negro elementary school with 24 pupils in grades 1 through 6. Negro pupils in grades 7 through 12 are transported to Asheville City Schools on a tuition basis. All eight of the white schools are accredited by the N. C. Department of Public Instruction, and the Negro school is too small to be considered for accreditation.

These schools are staffed by a total of 160 teachers, including 4 vocational agriculture and 2 vocational Home Economics teachers. Principals of five of the six union schools hold the Master's degree and the sixth holds a Principal's Certificate with more than 30 years of experience. A substantial number of classroom teachers also hold the Master's degree.

A new lunchroom and classroom addition has recently been completed at Laurel School, utilizing a combination of county capital outlay funds and funds from the 1953 state school bond issue.

Under construction at the present time and due for completion in the next two or three months is a spacious modern gymnasium and vocational building at Marshall School. This project was financed by a combination of county capital outlay funds and state school bond money, plus a \$30,000.00 school district bond issue.

### BALL CITY

A good crowd attended church at Ball City Sunday evening. The Rev. D. D. Russell delivered a wonderful message.

Mrs. Doshia Donaldson and children, Sue, Jim and Furman, made a trip to Georgia Friday to visit her sister and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Avery Allen and children were visiting his sister, Mrs. Fred Brown, of Fines Creek Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Fish and family were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Pearson Ferguson Sunday morning.

Those visiting Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Moore through the weekend were Kenneth and Mudeen Crump of Hickory, Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Fish and boys, Mr. Grady Coward, Mrs. Doshia Donaldson and family, Mr. and Mrs. Lonas Murdock and sons Paul and Lonas Jr., of Bakersville and Mr. and Mrs. Junior Moore.

Charles and Dean Coward spent Monday night with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Suttles of Meadow Fork.

Mr. Pearson Ferguson is on the sick list at this writing. We hope he will soon be well.

Mr. and Mrs. Junior Moore and son were visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dock Surratt, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Medford Burgess and Rev. and Mrs. D. D. Russell took dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Moore Monday. Mrs. Moore is on the sick list at this writing. We wish for her a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Fisher of Clyde visited Mrs. Rachel Coward Sunday.

Mrs. Doshia Donaldson was visiting Mr. and Mrs. Jones Plemmons Sunday afternoon. Mrs. Plemmons has been on the sick list for several days but is now improving. We hope she will soon be completely well.

Sue Donaldson spent Sunday night with Shelba Jean Moore.

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