



MISS KATHERINE ANNE BALLARD and Howard McDonald Wilson will be married Jan. 23. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Ballard of Weaverville, who announce the engagement, and he is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Wilson of Alexander.

—Cut Courtesy Asheville Citizen-Times

SIGN-UP PERIOD IN COUNTY ACP JANUARY 5-20

The Madison County Agricultural Conservation Program for 1959 will be started on January 5 according to announcement made this week by Noville Hawkins, chairman of the county ASC committee. This period January 5 through January 20 has been set as the initial sign up period. Mr. Hawkins described this sign up period as the time in which farmers may file their request at the ASC office for Government cost-sharing on farm practices which they need to perform on their farms during the Spring of 1959. He further pointed out the fact that requests filed during this initial sign up period would carry priority over requests filed at a later date. The practices on which cost-sharing will be made under next year's ACP are practically the same as those carried in the 1958 program and the part of the cost shared by the Government per practice unit will be unchanged for 1959. The chairman said that all farmers within the county who have a need for any of the approved county practices should do some careful farm planning during the next three weeks and file their request for help on the most urgently needed practices sometime between the period of January 5 and January 20. Farmers will be informed by mail concerning the new program within the near future.

A GOOD REASON

Nampo, Idaho — When flames destroyed an empty theater recently, anxious firemen really worked with a will to halt the blaze. The reason? The flames could have spread to the building next door — the fire station.

Mrs. Jess Helton Passes Tuesday At Walnut; Rites Friday

Mrs. Jess Helton, 45, passed away at her home at Walnut Tuesday evening, January 5, 1959, at 11:40, after a lengthy illness. Funeral services will be held Friday at 2:00 p. m., at the home, with the Rev. R. H. Ballard and the Rev. Walter Wilson officiating. Burial will be in the family cemetery. Friends of the family will serve as pallbearers. Mrs. Helton is survived by the husband; a daughter, Mrs. Albert Freeman of Marshall RFD 1; two sons, Otto and Ralph Helton of the home; the parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Wardrup of Walnut; one brother, Clyde Wardrup, of Charlotte; and one grandchild. The body will be at the home until the funeral hour. Bowman-Rector Funeral Home is in charge.

BOUNCING EGGS?

Milwaukee — Eggs that bounce when dropped? They are in the office, housewives, according to C. Del Robbins, an official of a major food firm. According to Mrs. Robbins bouncing eggs that will not crack are being developed by feeding hens antibiotics to toughen the shells.

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SOCIAL SECURITY INFORMATION

This is the third in a series of articles by George F. Leinwall, of the Asheville district office of the Social Security Administration, and field representative for Madison County, on farmers and so-

Table with 4 columns: Gross farm income, Net farm earnings, Regular method, Optional Method. Rows show income brackets from Under \$400 to Over \$1,800.

A sharecropper or tenant farmer is reminded not to include the landowner's share of the crop in filing his gross farm earnings and the landowner should not include the tenant's share of the crop.

security credit as a farm employee, if he earns at least \$150 for farm work in the year, or if he works for the employer on at least 20 different days in the year. A farm employee earns one quarter of coverage for each \$100 in covered cash wages paid to him in a year, but no individual may

These methods apply on a year to year basis, and farmers may change from one method or reporting to an alternate method, at will.

The table below shows the regular and optional methods of reporting farm earnings for taxable years ending on or after December 31, 1956:

WITH LESS LABOR A BETTER JOB

Securing dependable labor when it is needed at a price a farmer can afford to pay is a big problem. This problem has brought about changes on mountainous Madison County farms.

Farm building plans put out by agricultural engineers during recent years have kept two ideas foremost in their designs: 1. Labor savings and, 2. Low construction cost.

Madison farmers are now using these plans for milking parlors, lounge barns, hay feeder barns, and silos. Mr. O. G. Ramsey, as an example, milks his cows while they stand on a platform, feeds them silage from a ground level silo, they eat their hay from a pole type hay feeder barn and lounge in a pole type

WHO KNOWS?

- 1. Complete this quotation: "Wide is the gate, and broad is the way, that..."
2. For what did Sir Galahad seek?
3. What did Jason seek?
4. On what body of water is Odessa situated?
5. Valparaiso is a seaport in what South American Country?
6. Can you name the founder of the Salvation Army?
7. What was the name of the

- 8. To what nationality did he belong.
9. What is the height of this mountain?
10. What is the capitol of Minnesota?

Answers To Above

- 1. Leadeth to destruction.
2. The Holy Grail.
3. The Golden Fleece.
4. The Black Sea.
5. Chile.
6. William Booth.
7. Maurice Herzog.
8. French.
9. 26,503 ft.
10. St. Paul.

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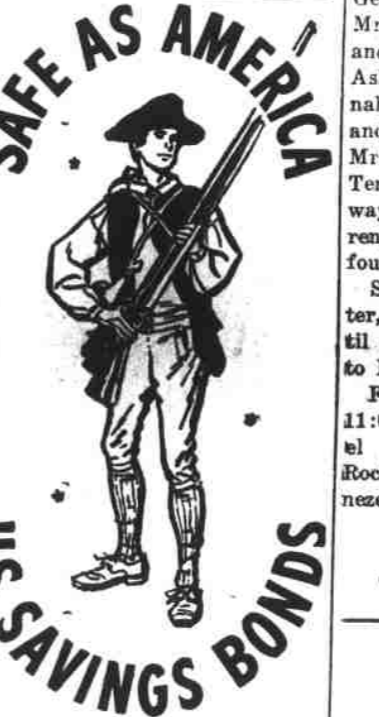


loungeing barn. No second-story hay loft, no climbing a silo, and no stooping to milk for the Ramsey's. The best part of this operation is reduced labor requirements, and it cost less than the old conventional style.

L. T. Ponder has just completed a new grade A dairy outlay which includes platform milking parlor equipped with pipe-line milkers, pole type lounge and hay feeder barn. He will be able to save at least 30 minutes a day on labor requirements.

James Ramsey of Lower California Creek is experiencing a good feeling every day by letting his cows feed themselves silage from his new bunker silo. "It sure beats climbing that silo twice a day, says James, and the silage is just as good as that of Dad's upright silo."

Any farmer planning a barn, silo, or other farm building is urged to visit the county agent's office and look over the building plans. There is no charge for the plans available. Why not save money and time by using a good building plan.



SAFE AS AMERICA U.S. SAVINGS BONDS



Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Harold Taylor

—Cut courtesy Citizen-Times

Miss Peggy Snelson Becomes Bride Of Gerald H. Taylor

Eliza Henderson, Former Resident Of County, Dies In S. C.

Mrs. Eliza Emmaline Henderson, 93, of Rock Hill, S. C., and formerly of Madison County, died at the home of a daughter, Mrs. George Gentry of Rock Hill, Sunday morning, January 4, 1959. Surviving in addition to Mrs. Gentry, are two other daughters, Mrs. Robert Thomas of Walnut, Tenn., and a brother, Will Trendway of Marshall; 34 grandchildren, 54 great-grandchildren, and four great-great-grandchildren. She had resided with a daughter, Mrs. Thomas, of Walnut, until six years ago when she moved to Rock Hill. Funeral services were held at 11:00 a. m., Tuesday in the chapel of Bass' Funeral Home in Rock Hill. Burial was in Ebenezer Cemetery.

Weaverville — Miss Peggy Jeanne Snelson and Gerald Harold Taylor exchanged wedding vows Sunday at 6 p. m. in the home of the Rev. Grady Sheppard in Weaverville. The bride, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Snelson of Edgemoor Avenue, Asheville, wore a royal blue dress matching hat and black accessories. She was attended by her aunt, Mrs. Charles B. Waldrop of Leicester. She was attired in a beige crepe dress with beige and white accessories. Charles B. Waldrop, her uncle, served as best man. An informal reception followed in the home of the bride's parents with Mrs. Waldrop, Mrs. Frank Rice, and Mrs. Dan Page assisting in serving. The couple left for a wedding trip to Jacksonville, Fla. Mrs. Taylor is a graduate of Leicester High School and Blanton's Business College. Mr. Taylor, a graduate of Lee H. Edwards High School and East Carolina College is serving in the U. S. Marine Corps.

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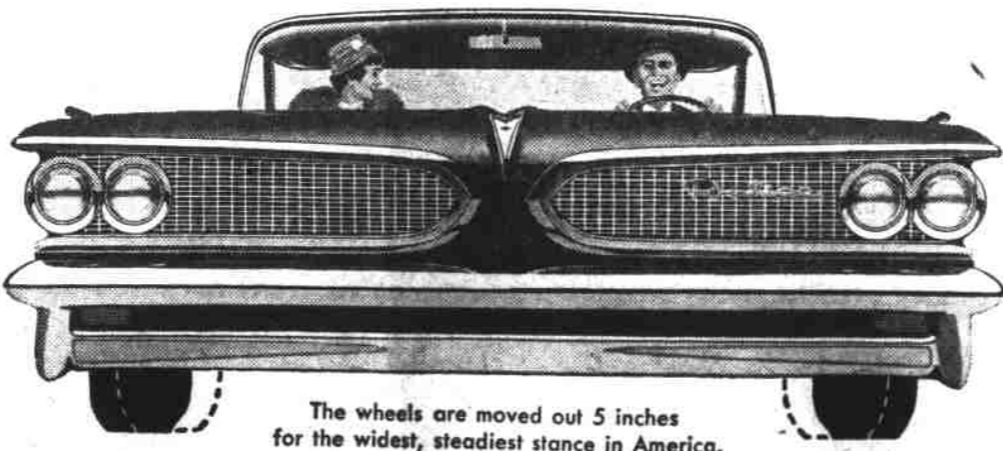
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Allanstand News

MRS. BIRCHARD SHELTON, Correspondent

(Too Late for Last Week) All farmers on Little Laurel are getting tobacco ready for the opening sales after Christmas as they had a most welcome rain Sunday and Monday. Among those on the sick list with colds are Brenda and Terry Cook, granddaughters of Mr. and Mrs. Birchard Shelton. A freezing rain last Saturday morning brought ice on the roads and trucks and cars were off the road everywhere. Traffic was held up all morning. One truck from Kentucky, loaded with race horses, slid off in front of the Birchard Shelton home. Neither the driver nor the horses were hurt — only frightened. They were still more frightened when along came a car and slid right into them; then a large truckload of coal slid into them — still no one was hurt. Fred and Jack Shelton helped them get on their way again. The race horses were valued at one hundred thousand dollars.

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