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## Polls Set Up For Tobacco Quota Vote Next Tuesday

### Results To Determine Program For Next Three Years

Polling places for the February 24th referendum on marketing quotas for the next three crops of burley tobacco have been designated by the County Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Office as follows: Community No. 1 (Wards 1, 2, 3 & 4) ASC Office, Marshall; No. 2 (Shelton Laurel, Little Laurel and Spill Corn) White Rock School; No. 3 (Petersburg, Bull Creek) Cory Wallin's Dairy Barn; No. 4 (Middle Fork, Paint Fork) Beech Glen School; No. 5 (California Creek) Novile Hawkins' Service Station; No. 6 (Sandy Mush) Dewey Reeves' Garage; No. 7 (Little Pine Creek) Wiley Robert's Store Building; No. 8 (All Spring Creek) Spring Creek High School; No. 9 (Hot Springs, Shut In and Sleepy Valley) D. G. Church's Store; No. 10 (Revere, Big Laurel) Revere Church Building; No. 11 (Little Creek and Upper Laurel) Ebbs Chapel School; No. 12 (Big Pine Creek) Caldwell's Store; No. 13 (Meadow Fork, Roaring Fork) Willett's Store; No. 14 (Grapevine and East Fork) Peck's Store; No. 15 (Mars Hill Area) City Hall in Mars Hill; and No. 16 (Foster Creek and adjoining area) Olande Cody's store.

The polls will be open from 8 a. m. to 6 p. m. Committee chairman, Novile Hawkins, points out that it is of vital importance that all producers go to the poll designated for their community and cast their ballot according to their convictions on the issues involved in this referendum.

If at least two-thirds of the (Continued To Last Page)

## GLENN WHITLEY ACCEPTS CALL TO HICKORY CHURCH

The Rev. Glenn Whitley, pastor of the Bull Creek Baptist Church, resigned Sunday, Feb. 15 to accept the pastorate of the Oyoma Baptist Church in Hickory.

Having been associated with the Bull Creek church as pastor for approximately four years, he has been a valuable asset to the church and community, and will be greatly missed in that community. Mr. Whitley stated in his resignation: "Where the Lord leads me I will go."

On March 13, Mr. Whitley will graduate from the Baptist Bible Institute at Fruitland.

The Rev. and Mrs. Whitley and three daughters, Karen, Sue and Glinda, will leave in about three weeks for their new home in Hickory, and he will take up his work with the new church on March 22.

## Directors Of Lions Club Met Here On Monday

The directors of the Marshall Lions Club met Monday night at the home of Lion Earl Robinson, President of the club.

Topics and projects discussed included the annual Lion Brown Sale which will be held in the near future. It was decided to order 25 dozen brooms with each member having an opportunity to sell at least a dozen brooms.

The directors also voted to hold the annual Ladies Night dinners on Monday night, March 23, either at the S & W Cafeteria or Valley's Cafeteria in Asheville.

Members present at the meeting were Lion E. G. Frydholm, president; Roy Evers, first vice president; Dean Smith, W. H. King, George Hargett, secretary; and Earl Robinson.

## To Conduct Revival



Rev. Warren Reeves

## REVIVAL WILL BEGIN AT HOT SPRINGS FEB. 22

A revival will begin at the Dorland Memorial Presbyterian Church in Hot Springs on Sunday, February 22, it was announced this week by the Rev. George R. Blue, pastor.

The Rev. Warren Reeves, pastor of the Presbyterian Church at Burnsville, will be the guest minister and will deliver messages nightly at 7:30 o'clock. The public is cordially invited to attend the services.

## RED CROSS QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS GIVEN

Mrs. Cleophas Ward Added To Committee In Marshall

In addition to the names given last week from Hot Springs and Marshall who were named to the committee of the combined Madison-Buncombe County Red Cross Home Service, Mrs. Cleophas Ward was named to the Marshall committee. Mars Hill will be announced later.

Following are some facts given in Question-and-Answer form about American Red Cross services Emergency Leave from the different branches of the Armed Service.

1. Does the Red Cross recommend that leave be granted or denied?

No. The Red Cross makes no (Continued To Last Page)

## YOUTHS ATTACK AGED WIDOW; ROBBERY PLOT

Mrs. Myrtle Shelton, 84, Describes Incident; Youths Arrested

Two Madison County youths are being held in the Madison County jail charged with assault on a female while attempting robbery, Sheriff Ponder said Tuesday.

According to Sheriff Ponder, Baxter Franklin, 20, of Marshall R-4 and Branchland, West Virginia and a 15-year-old companion, of Marshall RFD 4 were arrested in the Spillcorn section of Madison County early Tuesday morning after bloodhounds had been secured from the Craggy Prison Camp.

Ponder said that the two youths allegedly entered the home of Mrs. Myrtle Shelton, of Marshall RFD 3 about 7:30 o'clock Monday night and ordered the 84-year-old widow of Joe Baxter Shelton to give them her money. Mrs. Shelton, who lives alone, told Sheriff Ponder that when she refused, one of the men grabbed her and choked her. She also said that the boys threatened to kill her. The two youths fled from the house without any money, she said. Sheriff Ponder was notified of the incident and the search for the two youths began.

Franklin is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Pete Franklin.

Ponder said the two youths were being held without bond and are expected to be tried in court here next week.

## Hearing For George Garner Is Set For Thurs., March 12

The hearing on the extradition of George A. Garner to North Carolina was continued from February 12 to March 12, 1959, due to the illness of Garner, it was announced this week.

The hearing was set for Springfield, Illinois. Garner is being sought in connection with the Carson Lawson robbery near Hot Springs in 1955.

## EYE CLINIC IS HELD AT HEALTH CENTER MONDAY

35 persons were examined last Monday at the eye clinic which was held at the Madison County Health Center. The clinic was sponsored by the Marshall Lions Club.

Among those assisting in the clinic were Lionesses Mrs. E. C. Teague and Mrs. Walter Ramsey. Sandwiches were prepared by Lion Page Brigman and Earl Robinson was in charge of transportation.

## 4-H COUNCIL TO MAKE PLANS HERE SATURDAY

The Madison County 4-H Council will meet this Saturday, February 21, at 10:00 o'clock in the French Broad Electric Building in Marshall. Officers of the twenty school 4-H Clubs are members of the council.

Several important items of business will be taken up at this meeting. Candidates for the district offices will be nominated. Madison County had no candidates last year. The group will plan for county-wide observance of National 4-H Club Week. Other new business will include election of a 4-H representative and a county recreation leader.

The attendance contest will continue (Continued To Last Page)

## F. B. Baptists To Meet Saturday At California Creek

Wade Huey, moderator of the French Broad Baptist Association announced this week that an important meeting will be held Saturday night at the California Creek Baptist Church beginning at 7:30 o'clock.

The meeting concerns the Evangelistic Crusade to be held April 12-26.

All church officers in the Association are urged to attend.

## Fowler Shelton Murder Case To Be Tried Here Next Week

## INEXPENSIVE METHOD OF STORING FEED

Few dairy farmers have enough space to store all the silage they need for winter feeding. Ernest Snelson has four permanent type upright silos which have a combined capacity of 240 tons. Two years ago Mr. Snelson decided to push out a trench silo to store additional silage for his 40-cow dairy herd. He selected a well drained spot where the clay soil was hard, but time was so short that he could not build masonry walls. The dirt walls on this trench silo stood up so well that he stored silage a second year, and they are in good condition yet. This 200-ton trench silo has served two years at very little expense. The silage was tractor packed and covered with plastic. In spite of the earth walls, a good quality silage is being fed from this silo.

## Teams Advance To Quarter-Finals In County Tourney

## BURLEY MEETING WELL ATTENDED HERE FRIDAY

Approximately 200 farmers, businessmen, and others interested in the tobacco program gathered at the Courthouse here this past Friday to hear the Burley situation, the issues involved and the forthcoming referendum, and the importance of getting out a large vote on February 24, explained.

Mr. Bart R. Farmer, District Representative of the U. S. Department of Agriculture, was the principal speaker. Other speakers included Harry G. Silver, county extension agent, and Mr. Lamar Lunsford, district representative of Farm Bureau.

## Marshall OES To Meet Monday Night

The Marshall Eastern Star Chapter will hold a regular meeting Monday night, February 23, at 7:30 o'clock in the Masonic Temple.

All members of the Order are invited.

## BURLEY TOBACCO ALLOTMENTS ARE MAILED

Notices of individual farm acreage allotments are now being mailed to operators on farms where burley tobacco was grown during the past 5 years, Ralph W. Ramsey of the ASC office has announced. The notices are sent in advance of the Feb. 24 marketing quota referendum so that farmers will know how the quotas they are voting on would affect their individual farming operations for 1959.

The 1959 National marketing quota of 492 million pounds, converted to acres, results in 309,919 acres available for allotment to growers in 1959. This compares with 309,625 acres available for allotment in 1958. The 1959 National marketing quota of 492 million pounds was converted to acres on the basis of average yields during the 5 years, 1954-58.

Growers voting in the referendum may approve or disapprove marketing quotas for the 1959, 1960, and 1961 crops of burley tobacco. All growers who produced or were considered as having engaged in the production of burley tobacco in 1958 are eligible to vote on quotas for the next three crops.

If at least two-thirds of the growers voting in the referendum approve, quotas and allotments will be in effect on the 1959, 1960 and 1961 burley crops. Penalties for producing excess tobacco will also be in effect, and price support will be available to growers who comply with their allotments. If marketing quotas are not approved, then, for marketing purposes during the 1959-60 marketing year, there will be no quotas (Continued to Last Page)

## Marshall FFA Boys Receive Pigs From FFA Pig Chain

Two boys from the Marshall FFA received a purebred Yorkshire pig from a recently started FFA pig chain.

These boys are Colon Bishop of Marshall RFD 2 and Walter Brant of Marshall RFD 5. These boys are to raise these pigs into brood sows and give one pig from their first litter back to the FFA for another boy to start with the following year.

This program is to improve breeding hogs in this area. This program was made possible by the BEA of Marshall.

## Laurel-Marshall Girls, Hot Springs-Mars Hill Boys Class Tonight

The 1959 Madison County basketball tourney is in full swing with the favorites managing to advance without a major upset through Wednesday's games.

In the Junior Varsity bracket, the Walnut girls meet the Marshall girls at 6 o'clock tonight, and the Hot Springs-Mars Hill JV game slated at 7 o'clock.

In the Girls' Varsity bracket, Marshall, victors over Spring Creek, meet the Laurel girls, who drew a bye in the opening round.

The boys' game tonight pits Hot Springs, winners over Marshall, against the Mars Hill Wildcats, who drew a bye in the opening round.

Below are box scores of games played Tuesday and Wednesday nights:

**TUESDAY NIGHT JAYVEE GIRLS**  
Hot Springs (17) F — Padgett, Woody 13, Shipley 2, McCall 2; G — Lamb, Roberts, Moore.  
Marshall (23) F — Woodard 3, Frisby 19, Goforth 1, Clark; G — Crow, Burleson, Worley, McElroy, Shelton, Sawyer, Rice.  
Halftime: 12-7, Marshall.

**JAYVEE BOYS**  
Laurel (8) — Gentry, G. Cutshaw 4, Ramsey 4, Thomas, Walen, Davis, Cutshaw, Gonnell.  
Marshall (34) — Webb 4, Mosser 2, Hensley 11, Bell 6, Martin 9, McLean 2, White, Webb, Freeman.  
Halftime: 20-3, Marshall.

**VARSITY GIRLS**  
Walnut (56) F — D. Johnson 30, E. Johnson 9, H. Lunsford 13, Lunsford 1, Pennington 4; G — Pennington, Chandler, Shanderson, Randall, Thomas, Rice, Gonnell.  
Hot Springs (58) F — Tolley 16, Crisp 12, Holt 2; G — Farber, Burgin, Ramsey, Reeves, Lamb, Moore.  
Halftime: 27-12, Walnut.

**VARSITY BOYS**  
Laurel (41) Thomas 4, Boles 10, Ramsey 3, Gentry 15, Wallin 3, Dwyer 1.  
Spring Creek (58) Clark 15, Gardner 8, Gunter 2, Allen 10, Waldrop 2, Jimmy Roberts 2.  
Halftime: 21-17, Laurel.  
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## A&P TO MOVE TO NEW LOCATION NEXT TUESDAY

The Formal Opening of the new A&P Super Market will be next Tuesday, February 24; it was announced this week.

The new store is located between the Service Motor Sales, Inc., and Chandler's Hardware on Main Street here.

"We cordially invite you to visit our new and modern quarters," Joe Eads, manager, said.

The official announcement of the opening can be found in an advertisement on Page Seven of this issue.

## A GOOD WAY TO DIG A DITCH

The best kind of a man-made ditch generally is low lying and subject to drainage problems. Surface water runoff from adjacent hillsides, from springs and other natural sources that tend to fill a ditch with water. A ditch or trench that makes the drainage system more efficient with less water in the ditch. It is a good way to dig a ditch.



A somewhat out-of-focus photograph of a woodland of Lumbardy poplars? Or is it a series of closely spaced, young poplars? Or could it be a row of alagolites? A hedge? More on... Then turn to Page Eight.