



More Than 1500 Applications Are Received Here This Week

Plans For French Broad Watershed Are Being Made

Proposed Dams To Control River; Taylor Lists Some Proposals

Plans for a \$2,600,000 watershed program for the upper French Broad River basin are nearing completion, 12th District Congressman Roy A. Taylor announced today.

Rep. Taylor said the U. S. Soil Conservation Service, through its North Carolina office in Raleigh, has mapped tentative plans for the construction of 23 small flood-water dams to provide flood protection to the Henderson-Transylvania Counties area.

The proposed dams will also help to provide flood control along the French Broad River in Buncombe and Madison Counties. The dams will control 106,300 acres of the 217,190 acres in the upper French Broad watershed, said Taylor. Soil Conservation Service planners hope to have sites selected for the floodwater structures by early in 1963, he said.

Plans for the watershed program are being developed in cooperation with the Soil and Water Conservation Districts of Henderson and Transylvania Counties and their county and municipal officials, said Rep. Taylor.

The congressman listed as follows some of the proposals and developments in connection with the watershed program:

1. Forty-five miles of the upper French Broad and 12 miles of tributary channels will receive channel improvement through the removal of trees, logs, snags and debris.
2. Both the Town of Brevard and the DuPont plant located there have expressed interest in the project and hope to utilize water stored in some of the impoundments.

MARSHALL WILL MEET TRYON AT TRYON FRIDAY

The football game between Marshall and Tryon, originally scheduled for Marshall, will be played Friday night at Tryon, it was stated here this week. Kickoff is scheduled for eight o'clock.

A large crowd of local fans are expected to make the trip.

- Sept. 20 — Rosman (there)
 Sept. 28 — Hot Springs (here)
 Oct. 5 — Cane River (here)
 Oct. 19 — Hot Springs (here)
 Oct. 26 — Mars Hill (there)
 Nov. 2 — Clyde (here)

Clyde Edges Battling Hot Springs Team, 19-18 Thurs.

Clyde's Cardinals capitalized on weight and experience to beat an undermanned but inspired Hot Springs team here on the Island last Thursday night, 19-18.

Johnny Moore, fleet Hot Springs back, electrified a crowd of 400 in the first period when he broke off tackle and ran 89 yards for a touchdown in the first period. The extra point attempt failed.

In the second quarter Fred Sharpe passed 17 yards to Johnny Moore for the second Hot Springs TD and again the extra point try failed.

The small Hot Springs forces made it 18-0 a few minutes later when Sharpe passed to Everett Shelton for 18 yards and the third score. Bruce Cantrell recovered a fumble to set the last drive in motion. Again the extra point try failed.

Late in the period Clyde produced its first six points on a 26-yard pass from Walter Leatherwood to David West but the conversion try failed.

BOTH PARTIES SUPPORT THREE AMENDMENTS

At least three of the six proposed amendments to the State Constitution have the endorsement of both the Democratic and Republican parties. The amendments will be submitted to a vote of the people in the Nov. 6 general election.

Both parties support the amendments for court reform, automatic reapportionment of the State House of Representatives and clarifying the order of succession to the governorship and other top elective offices.

The Republican Party also officially supports the proposed amendment to reduce residence requirements for voting for President and Vice President. It opposes the amendment to enable the State Legislature to increase the salaries of state elective officials during their term of office, and takes no position on the amendment providing for uniform statewide classification and exemption of property for taxation.

TILE DRAINS RECOMMENDED FOR WET FIELDS

"I wouldn't have that three acre field back like it was for a thousand dollars", was the remark made by Oscar Boles who lives in the Spill Corn Section. The field to which he referred had previously been spotted with wet places where water was coming to the surface. The operation of machinery had been difficult on this field. In some places it had been almost impossible to get equipment over. Crops in these places would turn yellow and die. Consequently, all labor and fertilizer applied to these places was wasted.

In 1961 Oscar made application to the Soil Conservation District in Madison County for assistance. The technicians working with the District visited Mr. Boles farm and looked over his problem. Tile drains were recommended. Drain lines were staked out and specifications for depth and grade were given as a guide. Some work was done.

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SCHOOL PLAN IN MADISON APPROVED

A Madison County school consolidation that brought strong protests, demonstrations and arrests in the community of Walnut was routinely approved by the State Board of Education last Thursday.

Without discussion and without dissent, the board approved action of the Madison County Board of Education in consolidating the Walnut and Marshall schools—with the seventh and eighth grade children from Marshall being taught at Walnut and the Walnut high school children at Marshall.

The state board's approval was contingent upon submission by the Madison board of "a proper program of instruction." The consolidation also was approved for administrative and attendance purposes but not for fiscal purposes.

Board member J. A. Pritchett said the reason for this was that the Madison School District has a bonded debt and the Walnut District has not. Therefore the approval for fiscal purposes could not be effected without a vote of the people.

DRIVERS BOUND TO HIGH COURT

Two of three Madison County school bus drivers charged with carrying concealed weapons were bound over to Superior Court Wednesday by Justice of the Peace Garrett Metcalf. No probable cause was found against the third driver.

The three men were arrested the second day of school during a demonstration at Walnut. Eugene Roberts and Leroy Gosnell, who waived a hearing Wednesday, were carrying pistols when searched at the school, Sheriff E. Y. Ponder said. Rube Gosnell, a deputy sheriff, did not have a pistol on his person, though one was found on his bus. He was freed.

Walnut PTA To Hold First Meeting Next Monday Night

The Walnut Parent-Teacher Association will hold its first meeting of the new school year next Monday night at 7:30 o'clock. The meeting will be held in the school auditorium and all members and prospective members are cordially invited.

Mrs. Wayne Adams is president.

Hearing Saturday For Men Charged With Assault

A hearing is scheduled for Saturday at two o'clock before Justice of the Peace James Gilliam in Hendersonville involving 3 men charged with assault on officials following a football game between Marshall and East Henderson on the West Henderson field recently.

Named in the warrants are Warren Bishop, Albert Bishop and James Hurst. The two Bishops are from Buncombe County and Hurst is said to be from the Laurel section of this county.

GENEROUS GIVING
 Melba, Idaho — Citizens of this town go all out in their efforts to raise funds for the March of Dimes. In their seventh annual polo auction for the Drive, Melba citizens — a total of 293 persons — raised about \$5,500, or better than \$27 per capita.

MRS. FREEMAN HONORED AT DEMO. MEETING

Named "Woman Of The Year" At Meeting Of County WDP Tues.

Mrs. Grace Freeman was named "Woman of the Year" at the September meeting of the Madison County Woman's Democratic Party at the county courthouse Tuesday night. Long active in Democratic circles, Mrs. Freeman was praised for her work for the party in Madison County and lauded as an example for others by Mrs. George B. Shupe, president of the group, who made the presentation of the award.

Mrs. Freeman was presented with a bracelet "as a token of our high esteem for you and your work."

Solicitor Bob Swain of Asheville told the group that under Democratic administrations for the past few years, Madison was moving forward and with such continued leadership, would go still further. He cited the improvements in the (Continued To Last Page)

COMMITTEES ARE NAMED AT LIONS MONDAY

White Cane, Membership Drives Discussed At Rock Cafe

Various members of committees were named by Lion President Ed Niles Monday night at the semi-monthly dinner meeting held here at the Rock Cafe.

Also discussed was the White Cane Drive which will soon get underway and the members also made plans for soliciting new members to the club.

The following committee members were named:
 Attendance and Constitution and By-Laws: Bob Davis, chairman; Delmar Payne, Ralph Barnes.
 Finance, Lions' Information and Membership: Earle Wise, chairman; E. C. Taegue, Earl Robinson.

Program: John Corbett, chairman; Jim Story, Printess England.

Public Relations: Jim Story, chairman; Dean Shields.
 Agriculture, Boys and Girls, Citizenship and Patriotism: Earle Wise, chairman; Harry Silver, Wade Huey.
 Civic Improvement, Community Betterment, Education: Kelley Davis, chairman; Charles Crowe, O. A. Gregory, Ron Wilson.
 Health and Welfare, Sight Conservation and Work for the Blind: Page Brigman, chairman; Charles Davis.

Berlson Hensley Is Arrested For Still Operation

Duplicates from the U. S. Marshall's office in Asheville arrested Berlson Hensley, 32, of the Shelton Laurel section of Madison County last week-end.

Hensley, sentenced to 15 months suspended for two years on payment of a \$250 fine after trial last November in Asheville on a charge of operating an illicit still. He is being held without privilege of bond in Buncombe County jail after probable cause was found for another still-operating charge after a raid three weeks ago.

DOGONE DOGWOOD BLOOMS TWICE AT ODUS CHANDLERS

Believe it or not, Odus Chandler of Marshall RFD 4, came in the office here Saturday morning with several blooms of dogwood. Now this wouldn't seem too strange in the spring of the year but when he showed me blooming dogwood in September it was hard to believe.

Odus, who has always been a close friend and a fine citizen, isn't the kind of a person who goes around bragging about himself but he was quite proud about the dogwood which has bloomed twice at his home. He says he and his wife are both very fond of flowers of all kind and enjoys raising them.

The blooms he brought in were of white dogwood with a little bit of "Chandler pink" on a few of the blooms.

REFERENDUM ON DEDUCTIONS FOR WOOL, LAMBS

On September 7, 1962 ballots were mailed out to all known sheep producers in Madison County in order to determine whether they are in favor of or against continuing the agreement of deductions from wool payments made under the wool incentive program for use in sales promotion and advertising purposes.

Emory Robinson, Chairman of the County ASC Committee, said that Section 708 of the National Wool Act of 1954 authorizes the Secretary of Agriculture to enter into agreements for the conduct of advertising and sales promotion programs for the industry's products and the financing of such programs by deductions from the payments to the producers under the Act. It provides a method for which producers finance the promotion of lamb and wool. The new agreement is similar to the agreements made and approved in March of 1955 and October of 1959 under which deductions have been made from the producers payments for the first seven years of the Wool Payment Program of the work of the American Sheep Producers Council.

If accepted by two-thirds of the producers voting in the referendum (Continued To Page Four)

Mrs. Williams To Speak At GOP Rally Sept. 22

The top woman in the GOP will be the main speaker at the 11th Congressional District Republican Rally-Dinner in Asheville Saturday, September 22nd, at 7:00 p. m. in the Battery Park Hotel.

She is Mrs. Clare B. Williams of St. Petersburg, Florida, assistant chairman of the Republican Party. Non-politically, she is active in the National Federation of Business and Professional Women's Clubs and Daughters of the American Revolution.

A 6:00 p.m. reception at the Battery Park will precede the dinner.

Announcement of the rally dinner was made jointly by Garrett Bailey of Burnsville, 11th Congressional District Republican Chairman, and Robert Brown of Asheville, GOP candidate for Congress from the 11th district.

District Chairman Bailey urged all Republicans from the 11th District's fourteen counties, particularly county chairman, vice chairmen, precinct chairmen and precinct workers, to attend the rally-dinner.

Clayton Harmon will be arrangements chairman for the rally-dinner. Tickets (\$5.00 each) may be gotten from him, from the various county chairmen and co-chairmen, or from the Buncombe County Republican Headquarters at Westgate (Telephone 254-0801).

Will Take Applications Saturday; More Needed

MHS PLACED ON PROBATION FOR INCIDENT AUG. 31

Outsiders Assault Officials; Justice Of Verdict Is Questioned

Marshall High School has been placed on probation for one year by the Western North Carolina Officials Association as a result of an incident growing out of a football game Friday night, August 31, against East Henderson.

In addition, East Henderson has been ordered to furnish adequate police protection at all homes for the remainder of the season.

The incident occurred after the game, which was played at the West Henderson field since the East field is still under construction.

Two game officials — umpire Louis Joyner and head linesman Ed Harrill — were attacked after the game by some disgruntled fans after Marshall lost, 26-14.

The WNCOA, a member of the state officials organization, has given Marshall the choice of (1) either playing all its games on the road or (2) playing all its home games on Saturday to start not later than 2 p. m. In addition, an adequate number of policemen plus a State Highway patrolman are to be on hand for each game played at Marshall.

Marshall was scheduled to play Tryon last Friday night at Marshall but the game has been switched to this Friday at Tryon since both teams have open dates.

The WNCOA met earlier this week to hear a report from the officials. They contacted Simon Terrell, supervisor of Officials for the North Carolina High School Athletic Association, and he informed the group to take whatever measures were necessary.

L. J. (Hap) Perry, executive (Continued To Page Four)

Hellman Well Pleased With Caliber Of Applicants Thus Far

More than 1500 men and women turned in their applications here Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday and more are expected today (Thursday) in answer to an appeal from the employer of a large dress manufacturing company which plans to locate in Marshall. Although the transaction is only in the stage of negotiations, it is generally thought that with the splendid turnout of applicants seeking employment the new plant will become a reality here.

Mr. Hellman and members of the Employment Security Commission who have been busy at the gymnasium this week are pleased with the number of applicants and also the caliber of applicants but expressed an urgent desire to have approximately 1000 more fill out applications.

HERE SATURDAY

In order to get more applicants, it was announced today that members of the Employment Security Commission, with the aid of local citizens, will be at the gymnasium this Saturday from 9 a. m. to 3 p. m., so that those who have not had an opportunity to fill out applications may do so Saturday.

It was also explained that no tests will be given Saturday, as has been done during the week, but that filling out applications would be handled by competent aides.

No applications will be accepted here Friday, it was stated.

Lending great assistance here this week have been Hugh Cashion, of Raleigh, an official with the State Employment Security Commission; Phillip Penland and Mr. Beacher, of the Asheville office of ESC; John Oliver, of Raleigh, official of the Conservation and Development Commission; the numerous local citizens who have volunteered their services.

Special thanks is also given to the Marshall school authorities who have made it possible to use the gymnasium and two classrooms. The Marshall Baptist Church has furnished additional tables which have been used and different firms and organizations have loaned equipment and furnished soft drinks, coffee, sandwiches, etc. The Marshall Chamber of Commerce is also fitting Mr. Hellman while he is here.

"The cooperation has been splendid and the vast labor pool is indicative of future progress and development in this area," one of the officials said.

DOG BITES BOY, 2

North Hollywood, Cal — While hanging out clothes in her backyard, Mrs. Norma Pollock heard screams. Rushing to the front yard, she found her two-year-old son, Nicky, bleeding and two dogs being chased away by a woman. It took nearly 100 stitches to close the gashes in the child's head. The dogs were captured and held in quarantine.

White Cane Drive To Get Underway Here Next Week

The state-wide date for the White Cane Drive has been set for September 16 through September 30, 1962. This Drive is sponsored by the more than 14,000 Lions in North Carolina. It presents the greatest challenge and opportunity for service in the field of Work for the Blind and Visually Handicapped to the Lions and friends of the blind in North Carolina.

The North Carolina State Association for the Blind is a Lions project. It was organized by Lions in 1934 as a non-profit, statewide organization and is supported by Lions through this one annual fund raising project, The White Cane Drive, each September.

In 1961, through the tremendous efforts of the Lions and Lionsesses and the generous response of the citizens of North Carolina, the North Carolina State Association was able to greatly expand its Prevention of Blindness

program. The North Carolina State Association is the only organization in the state so structured as to enable it to sponsor an extensive state-wide prevention program. Since 50% of blindness is preventable, prevention of blindness is a critical area in services for the blind.

The North Carolina State Association had been making annual grants to the North Carolina Eye Bank for some years. In the 1961 August Board Meeting, it was decided to include funds for the Eye Bank in the annual White Cane Drive. The Eye Bank is an integral part of the year-all Prevention of Blindness program sponsored by the Association in its efforts to reduce 50% of blindness in North Carolina.

The Association's fund-raising efforts to any blind and visually impaired person in this area is a need (Continued To Last Page)