

Future Farmers Elect Officers

The Smoky Mountains National Park Chapter Future Farmers of America at their bi-monthly meeting recently elected the following officers:

President, Davis Galloway; vice president, Joe Calhoun; secretary, Harold Francis; treasurer, Wilge Harold Francis; treasurer, Willie Menafey, (second term) executive committee, Lenard Leatherwood, Robert Underwood, and Billie Boyd; reporter, Jack Rabb.

A program of work is partly set up, but the paramount undertaking just now is the fathers and sons banquet to be held Thursday evening, October 16th. A prominent state official will be the main speaker and other prominent state officials have accepted invitations. Announcement of the speaker will be made later. This year's banquet bids fair to surpass the one last year.

Over sixty boys are enrolled in the course this year, including thirty freshmen. Initiation of the new members to the degree of Greenland will take place in the near future.

An innovation for the department this year is a news sheet, to be gotten out every two weeks. The "paper" is designed to give timely, interesting and worthwhile information and will be distributed through the pupils in high school.

No Trespassing notice for sale at the Mountaineer office.

4-H Club Member Reviews Course Taken In Camp

During the first week of September there was a camp held at Greystone near High Point, for the purpose of promoting the idea of Wild Life and Soil Conservation.

In this camp we learned that there are many things that are friends to man. Some that I did not know were friends to man.

The first of these friends, we may consider are the birds. They are a help to the farmer in many ways. They eat many insects during the year. If it were not for the birds the farmer's crops would be completely destroyed. Many hawks have to suffer for what the others do. There is only one specie of hawks which is harmful to the farmer. This specie is the Darter. There are two of these Darters, the Sharp Shank and Cooper hawks. They do almost as much good as they do harm. Other hawks pick up rats and mice which are very destructive to the farmer.

The second helpers are the snakes. There are more snakes that are helpful to the farmer than are harmful. The snakes catch insects, frogs, and rats. A person can easily recognize the poisonous snakes by the round pupa in his eye. A non poisonous snake should never be killed.

There are some useful insects such as the honey bee. There are insects which feed upon insects which do harm to the farmer's crops. All in-

COMMITTEE SAYS N. C. SUPREME COURT IS OVERWORKED

A committee of eight members reported last week that work of the five members of the North Carolina Supreme Court has increased 100 per cent since 1889 and that each member now writes an average of 106 opinions a year, which according to the report, is more than should be expected of five men. The committee favors the proposed amendment to the constitution to add two new members to the court.

sects are classed into two groups, those that suck for food, and those that secure food by chewing.

We find that another very important friend of man is the tree. It gives us shelter, food, paper, and clothing. If it were not for the trees we could not live.

If all of these things that I have just mentioned are so much help to man we must care and protect them.

The best ways that I learned at camp to care and protect our farmers are as follows: First, terracing, by means of terracing you can hold the water and keep it from washing the soil away. Second, strip cropping, this is planting different crops in one field, some close growing crops. Third, by rotation of crops. Another way we can hold our land is by means of reforestation. We can keep young timber growing in place of the old; this helps to hold the water back. I found out at camp by protecting our lands and forests we also protect our wild life.

By LINWOOD McELROY, Clyde 4-H Club Member.

Society Beauty to Wed Actor



Henry Fonda



Mrs. George T. Brokaw

Names of a prominent New York society leader and a young Hollywood actor, are linked romantically in news from Paris following the announcement of an engagement between Mrs. George T. Brokaw and Henry Fonda. Mrs. Brokaw, the former Frances Seymour, and the romantic screen actor are shown above.

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Night Football Be Played Fr

(Special to The Mountaineer.)

The Canton Black Bears will open their 1936 football schedule with Black Mountain Friday night in the first game of night football ever played in this section. The Canton field has been equipped with floodlights and a record crowd is expected to witness this game. The game will get under way at 7:30.

This will be the first appearance of a Canton team coached by C. C. Poindexter. He coached at Waynesville high three years and a large turnout of Waynesville fans are expected down to see him present his first edition of the Black Bears.

Coach Poindexter faces a difficult task rebuilding the Canton line as practically all last year's linemen graduated. Most of the fifty candidates working out daily under the watchful eye of Coach Poindexter are light and inexperienced.

The Canton schedule follows:

September 25 (night) Black Mountain, at Canton.

October 2 (night) Bryson City, at Canton.

October 9 (night) Swannanoa, at Canton.

October 16, Mars Hill, there.

October 23, (night) Biltmore, at Canton.

October 30, Christ School, there.

November 6, Hendersonville, at Canton.

November 13, Marshall, there.

November 20, Waynesville, there.

Thanksgiving (pending) here.

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