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WAYNESVILLE, N. C., THURSDAY, OCTOBER 21 (One Day Nearer Victory)

\$1.75 In Advance In Haywood and Jackson Counties

Plans Completed For Issuing War Book No. Four Here Next Week

War Book No. 4 Issued Only To Those Who Present Their War Book No. 3.

War Book No. 4 will be issued in Haywood on October 25, 27 and 28th, the local board has decided yesterday.

On Monday and Tuesday of next week there will be no public registration, but books will be issued to high school teachers to individual students for their families.

Applications for Book No. 4 will be distributed the latter part of the week, to the eldest student of each family in high school. These applications are to be filled out and returned to the high school on Monday, 25th, together with War Book No. 3 of each person for whom they wish a War Book No. 4.

On Wednesday and Thursday, October 27 and 28th, there will be general registration for all those who do not have children attending high school. The following places have been designated to issue War Book No. 4 on Wednesday and Thursday, between the hours of 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.:

Court House and the following schools, Crabtree, Fines Creek, Maggie, Rock Hill, Saunook, Allens Creek, Cataloochee and Mt. Sterling.

Under the supervision of the local board, registration will be carried on the same dates in these schools: Bethel, Clyde, Cruso, Cecil and Springhill.

The board pointed out that no number of the family should be included on the application who does not have a War Book No. 3 in hand, as War Book No. 4 will be issued only to those who present War Book No. 3 with their application for War Book No. 4.

Rev. H. G. Hammett to hold revival in Canton Church

The First Baptist church of Canton will hold a revival meeting starting Sunday night and continuing for at least ten days, according to an announcement this week by the pastor, Dr. H. K. Massey.

Rev. H. G. Hammett, pastor of the First Baptist church, Waynesville, and moderator of the Haywood Baptist Association, will be the leading preacher. Mr. Hammett is well known over the county and is recognized as a preacher of outstanding ability in the field of evangelism.

The services will be held each night at 7:30 o'clock. N. C. Carter, choir director of the church, will direct the singing and lead a large chorus choir. The public is cordially invited to all the services.

Dr. A. L. Bramlett elected head history Dept. Brevard College

Dr. A. L. Bramlett, well known Brevard County educator, of the Fines Creek section, has recently been elected head of the history department of Brevard College.

For the past six years Dr. Bramlett has been a member of the faculty of West North Carolina Teachers College. Brevard College is a merger of Rutherford and Weaver Colleges and is operated under the auspices of the Methodist church.

Committees Working On War Fund Drive

Committees for the Haywood County War Fund drive were making last-minute rounds and calls yesterday, in an effort to complete the campaign here, and raise the quota of \$11,600.

Those committees reporting to J. Rocco, treasurer, had made their quotas, and all indications are that with every committee calling on all their prospects that the county quota will be reached.

C. N. Allen, county chairman, has assigned the committees to complete their assignments at the earliest possible moment.

Only two or three committees had reported their work finished yesterday, and the success they met which indicated the citizens of the county were interested and contributing liberally to the campaign.

The Waynesville Bakery on Saturday donated \$75 in donuts to the campaign.

Pin-Up Boy



SEEMINGLY in answer to the rage for pin-up girls that is sweeping the nation, a large group of young ladies from Columbus, Ga., have chosen Sgt. Marco La Bianca, New York, as their pin-up boy. For the record: Marco is 6 ft. 2 in. tall, weighs 185 pounds and has dark brown hair and eyes. Signal Corps photo. (International)

Haywood District Boy Scouts Hold Court Of Honor

A number of awards and promotions were made at the regular Haywood District Court of Honor of the Boy Scouts which was held in the courthouse on Monday evening.

The court was opened by Frank Smith, of Asheville, assistant scout executive of the Daniel Boone Council, who turned the program over to Dr. S. P. Gay, chairman of advancement of the Haywood district.

A motion picture of Scout activities entitled "A Trail to Citizenship," was shown the group attending, which included a number of parents, scoutmasters and members of the sponsoring organizations of the Haywood county troops.

The following awards were made during the evening: promoted to Tenderfoot, Dan Banks, of Canton Troop One; promoted to second class, Jackie Coin and Joe Bill Platt, both of Waynesville Troop Two.

Advanced to First Class: Tom Ray and Parker Gay, of Waynesville Troop Two; Awarded merit badges were Billie Ribeson, of Waynesville Troop Two and Joe Morman, of Waynesville Troop 3.

Laverne Rush, of Canton Troop 4, was promoted to Star Scout.

W. R. Francis Spends Several Days With Family

W. R. Francis, former local attorney, now personnel director of the North Carolina Shipbuilding Company, is spending several days with his family who are at the home of Mrs. M. H. Reeves for the winter months.

J. M. Long, Who Has Been Critically Ill, Reported Improved

The condition of J. M. Long, who is a patient in the Norburn Hospital in Asheville, was reported to be much improved late last night. Mr. Long has been critically ill since Monday, the 4th, and was rushed to an Asheville hospital immediately after he was taken ill.

225 Head Of Cattle Sold At Clyde Yards

Sales on the Haywood Mutual Stockyards at Clyde on Thursday totaled 225 head. Average prices were as follows: Calves, \$9.50 to \$15; heifers, \$8.80 to \$11.30; cows, \$5.40 to \$8.70; steers, \$10.30 to \$12.20; and bulls, \$10.

Haywood Given Credit Of Over Million In Bonds

Official Figure From Treasury Department Gives Haywood Credit For \$1,008,722.

Haywood county was given credit by the Treasury Department of investing \$1,008,722 in war bonds during the Third War Loan Drive in September, according to a letter received this week by Charlie Ray, county chairman of sales.

The quota given Haywood for the drive was \$892,000.

The letter to Mr. Ray from C. T. Leinbach, state chairman, stated that on October 14th there were 93 of the 100 counties in North Carolina that met their quota. The state as a whole, went 23 per cent above the quota set by the Treasury Department.

The Haywood committee recently met with the Fines Creek Committee, at the school in that end of the county, and discussed plans for carrying the bond sales campaign on through October, November and December. The Home Demonstration Club of Fines Creek served dinner to the 27 members of the county committee.

Plans were discussed for extending sales into the rural areas during the coming three months.

In the recent campaign, a challenge was made between Canton and Waynesville to sell half the county quota. Canton was congratulated at the meeting, and the Waynesville group will be hosts to a supper meeting either here or in Hazelwood for the November meeting.

Man Killed On Highway, Near Barber Orchard

James Anderson Trull, 55, native of the Cruso section of the county, who had been residing in Waynesville for the past several years, was fatally injured around 6 o'clock Friday afternoon when the wagon on which he was hauling apples, was involved in a collision with a transfer truck on the Balsam highway.

The two trucks owned by the Smith Transfer Company and a bus were involved in the accident, according to the sheriff's department and the state highway patrolmen, who made the investigation.

The two trucks, one behind each other, were headed East just behind the wagon, while the bus was coming toward the West. Willard Rice, of Asheville, was the driver of the first truck, according to the sheriff's department, and Harry Lee Ferguson, of Crabtree, of the second truck.

Witnesses stated that the driver of the first truck, in an effort to keep from hitting the oncoming bus, knocked the wagon into the embankment, and the second truck, in the same way, trying to avoid the bus hit the first truck. The windshield of the bus was shattered by a flying piece of metal from the first truck, knocked loose by the impact of the second truck.

Mr. Trull was thrown to the pavement and sustained injuries causing his death before he reached the hospital. Dr. J. Frank Pate, Haywood county coroner, said Mr. Trull suffered a broken back and internal injuries.

The first truck overturned and was headed West when it came to rest. The highway was blocked for some time before the wreckage was removed from one lane so that traffic could be resumed. Among the motors waiting in line were buses with passengers headed both east and west.

Ferguson is out on \$3,000 bond while Rice made bond at \$1,500. There were no charges made, but the preliminary trial has been set for Oct. 25 before magistrate Wade Noland.

Funeral services were held for Mr. Trull on Sunday afternoon at the home on Daisy Avenue, with the Rev. Kay Allen and Rev. William Sorrells officiating. Burial was in Greenhill cemetery.

Surviving are the widow, Mrs. Dollie Jane Trull; five daughters, Mrs. Fannie Jane Curtis, Mrs. Gertrude London, Mrs. Martha Mathis, and Miss Sara Elizabeth Trull, of Waynesville; and Mrs. Annie D. Hill, of Portsmouth, Va.; two sons, Frank James and William Trull, both of Waynesville; four brothers, George and Richard Trull, of Waynesville, Charlie, of South Carolina, and Tom, of Pigeon; three sisters, Mrs. Marie Inman, of Waynesville, Mrs. Hester Savage, of Waynesville, and Mrs. Nora Messer, of Madison county.

Mr. Trull had been employed at various times for a period of six years by the Barber Orchards, and at the time of the accident was hauling a load of apples from the orchard to the packing house.

Wins Scholarship



CARMELO HOLLINGSWORTH, student in Waynesville high school, won in a state-wide essay contest recently, and will receive a tuition scholarship to either State or Clemson Colleges and \$100 in cash.

Hollingsworth Is Winner In State-Wide Essay Contest

Local Boy Gets Choice Of Tuition Scholarship To State Or Clemson and \$100.

Carmel Hollingsworth won first prize in a state-wide essay contest, and will be awarded a one-year tuition scholarship to either North Carolina State or Clemson College, and \$100 in cash.

The announcement was made this week by M. G. Mann, general manager of the North Carolina Cotton Growers Cooperative, Farmers Cooperative Exchange, sponsor of the annual contest which has been conducted for the past 16 years.

During the 16 years, more than 65,000 North Carolina high school boys have submitted essays on subjects pertaining to methods of bringing about a better day for agriculture in the Carolinas.

Writing on the 1943 subject, "Farm Organizations in the Post War World," Hollingsworth said: "During this war we may expect the law of the survival of the fittest to come into full play. Farmers must organize cooperatively if a better day for agriculture is to be brought about. Farmers as individuals cannot fight the necessary battles to assure agriculture a rightful place in world affairs."

Hollingsworth urged farmers to organize cooperatively in their purchasing and marketing, claiming that "farmers can never attain any substantial prosperity as long as they sell the products of their farms at wholesale prices and then purchase their supplies that go into livestock and crop production at retail prices—only a cooperative organization can meet this situation."

Large Crowds At Baptist Mission Week Sessions

Attendance is increasing each night at the Week of Missions School being staged at the First Baptist Church, with Rev. L. Bun Olive, return a missionary from China in charge.

Classes are taught the primaries, juniors, intermediates, young people and adults. Each evening at 8:30, Rev. Mr. Olive gives some of his experiences in China and Japan. He was a prisoner of the Japanese for some time, and after his many years in that field, has a clear insight on the situation in the Far East, and its bearing on the western world.

He has held his audiences spell-bound each evening, for the 45-minute period. Tentative plans are for him to occupy the pulpit for both services Sunday.

During the period that Rev. Mr. Olive is giving his experiences, the children are shown movies of the mission work in foreign lands.

Sgt. Sawyer Gets A German Plane From His Bomber

Waynesville Man Is Waist Gunner On Fortress, Stationed Somewhere In England.

Staff Sergeant William D. Sawyer, 21, waist gunner on the Eighth Air Force Flying Fortress "Teck Supply" has been officially credited with shooting down an enemy fighter during a bombing mission on Nazi Europe.

This is the first German ship he has accounted for.

Sergeant Sawyer is stationed somewhere in England, according to the official notice of this achievement sent to The Mountaineer by his commanding officer.

Before entering the Army in October, 1941, Sgt. Sawyer was a service station attendant for the Shell Oil Co., in Waynesville. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Elbert T. Sawyer, of Waynesville.

21 Pre-Pearl Harbor Papas Leave In October

Sixty-six men left here yesterday morning by bus at 7:30 under the selective service system in the October call for men from the Waynesville area. They reported to Camp Croft for physical examinations.

Paul J. Dupree was named leader of the group, with James Newton Brendle, Neil Robert Pressley, and Samuel Avery Potts as assistant leaders.

There were fifteen volunteers in the group and twenty-one pre-Pearl Harbor fathers. Sixteen of the men had been transferred from other draft boards.

Those accepted for service in the army will have 21 days at home before taking up active duties; those in the navy seven days, and those in the U. S. Marines will have their choice of 7, 14 or 21 days at home.

Volunteers in the group included: Roy Pate Sherrill, James Newton Brendle, Neil Robert Pressley, James Robert Wright, Paul Jones Dupree, William Crayton Norris, Kirk Glenn Welch, Lewis Alvin Kirkpatrick, Aldeen Hamilton Hall, Jr., George Douglas Plommons, Thomas Burl Pannell, Clyde Alvin Hooper, and Oliver Hugh Shelton, Jr.

Others leaving were: Marvin Yarborough, Fred Brown, Dillard Haney, Ernest Trantham, Loyd R. Messer, Gilmer Cagle, William Claude Hill, Ed Nichols, Raymond Henderson Ketter, Albert Price, Truman Newton Cutshaw, Jacob Dillard Moose, Samuel Avery Potts, Ralph Charles Sisk, Woodrow Wilson Downs, Elbert Brannon Ray.

Howell William Freeman, Joseph Hugh Gossett, Mont Harrison Wright, William Hosea Cook, William Handy Messer, Milas Newton Rathbone, Earl Bradley, Jessie Eckles Pressley, Paul E. Burgess, Jesse James Jordan, James Owens, Jr., David Kermit Collier, Frank McElroy, Jr., Joseph Lafayette Kirkpatrick, David Alney Putnam, Luther Balf, Ralph Swann Hendrix, Carl Hannah, Coy Rat Gunter, Emanuel Jackson Owens and Joseph Jackson Sanford.

Transferred from other boards were: Thomas Burl Pannell, Sylva; Thomas Bragg Higdon, Sylva; William Donald Miller, Marion; Crawford Carl McMahan, Newport News; Robert Joseph Brown, Newport News; Clyde Alvin Hooper, Sylva; Ernest Smith, Newport News; Roy Allen Rhinehart, Sylva; William Luther Black, Newport News.

Raymond McDonald Greene, Newport News; Woodrow Samuel Burns, Hendersonville; Thurman Donnie Monley, Anderson, Alfred Payne, Radford, Va.; James Carlos Mills, Towson, Md.; and Oris Arnold Sizemore, Montgomery, Ala.

Mr. and Mrs. Hiram McCracken have as their guest Joseph Willits, of Wilmington.

Big Vote Expected In Burley Referendum, In County Saturday

Faster Than Sound



LIEUT. ROBERT H. KNAPP, Army flier of Norwich, N. Y., is credited by intelligence officers with having flown at the rate of 840 miles an hour, the fastest speed ever reached by man and faster than the speed of sound. Lt. Knapp made his record in a sky battle over Emden, Germany, when his controls froze and he dove vertically 23,000 feet. (International)

Three Questions On Ballots; About 1,300 Eligible To Vote In County.

There are about 1,300 eligible voters in Haywood county for the burley referendum which will be held Saturday. A large vote is expected by the AAA county committee. The polls will open at 7 and close at 5.

The referendum will decide if marketing quotas shall be in effect for the 1944-46 crops, 1944 alone, or not at all.

The referendum Saturday will be in accordance with a Joint Resolution approved by Congress on July 7 which provided for proclamation of quotas on burley and flue-cured tobacco for the marketing year 1944-45. Quotas will not be in effect, however, unless approved by at least two thirds of all eligible producers voting in a national referendum. Flue-cured growers approved quotas for a period of three years by a majority of 7 to 1 in a referendum held on July 24.

If quotas are approved, acreage allotments for individual farms will be increased in 1944 by 20 per cent of parity. If quotas are not approved, no restrictions will be placed on the number of growers or the amount of tobacco which may be marketed, and no price supports or loans can be made available under existing legislation.

T. Weaver Cathey, member of the State AAA Committee, said: "This referendum will give tobacco growers, themselves, an opportunity to decide whether marketing quotas will be in effect for the coming year and the following two years," he declared. "Any person — land owner, tenant, or sharecropper—who has an interest in the 1943 burley crop is eligible to vote, but no person may vote more than once regardless of the extent of his operations."

Marketing quotas on burley tobacco now in effect were voted by growers in a referendum in 1940. Quotas have been in effect on Burley tobacco each year since 1938, with the exception of the 1939 crop.

"Any person, landowner, tenant or sharecropper, who has an interest in the 1943 burley tobacco crop is eligible to vote in the referendum, but no person, corporation, or other legal entity is eligible to vote more than one time, regardless of the number of crops of tobacco he may have an interest in," Mr. Boyd said. "Persons who believe they are eligible to cast a ballot, but who are not listed on the register of eligible voters, should cast their ballot at their nearest polling place. These ballots will be challenged, and if it is determined the voters were eligible, the ballots will be counted."

Mr. Boyd stated that the county committee wishes to stress the point that with marketing quotas the production of burley tobacco can be held within the territory now raising this crop. Without quotas tobacco can be successfully

Commissioners Draw Jury For November Court

The county board of commissioners at their meeting on Monday drew the jury for the November term of Superior court, which will convene here on the 22nd of the month.

Drawn to serve the first week were: Robert Hogen, Waynesville; W. C. Reece, Beaverdam; J. B. Swayngim, Waynesville; Oscar L. Brown, Beaverdam; Arthur Robinson, Clyde; Roy Massie, East Fork; J. D. Duckett, White Oak; D. Gaston Smathers, Beaverdam; C. Matney, Beaverdam; A. Cordell, Beaverdam.

James Gaddis, Waynesville; Hayden Rogers, Fines Creek; J. B. James, Crabtree; Frank Davis, Beaverdam; Spauldin Underwood, Waynesville; J. E. Bryson, Waynesville; Jess W. Jenkins, White Oak; Dick J. Moody, Jonathan Creek; Frank McHaffey, Ivy Hill; Ben Sutton, Waynesville; Ben Wells, Pigeon; Harley Bryson, Iron Duff; Dave Farmer, Pigeon; Jarvis Chambers, Iron Duff.

Drawn for the second week: Elmer O. Horne, Beaverdam; Wess Pless, East Fork; Harley A. Williams, Beaverdam; Henry Francis, Waynesville; Hub S. Rogers, Cecil; W. R. Blanton, Waynesville; S. C. Wood, Beaverdam; J. T. Condon, White Oak.

Marvin K. Smathers, Beaverdam; Joe Russell, Ivy Hill; Roy McCracken, Clyde; R. M. Fisher, Fines Creek; Hugh Terrell, Clyde; Hubert Gaddy, Waynesville; John Day Cathey, Pigeon; Claud McCracken, Crabtree; Ernest Medford, Iron Duff; J. L. Walker, Crabtree.

Walter Crawford, who holds a state position with headquarters in Raleigh, is spending several days here with his family.

Appointment Of Davis On Education Board Approved By State

Approval of the appointment of W. V. Davis, of Clyde, as a member of the Haywood County Board of Education was made during the week by the State Board of Education. Mr. Davis succeeds the late J. B. Best as a member of the board.

Registered Herefords Will Be Sold Saturday At Clyde Auction Sale

Much interest is being shown in the auction sale of 72 head of registered Herefords which will be staged at the Clyde stockyards on Saturday, Oct. 23, starting at one o'clock.

The 72 head of top grade animals have been brought to this section by the Haywood Hereford Breeders Association. In the lot of animals, are 46 choice females and 26 quality bulls.

The sale will be conducted by Earl Gartin, one of the best auctioneers of purebred cattle in the nation.

Well known Haywood breeders have been to outstanding Hereford herds and selected some outstanding

animals for the sale. Among the well known blood lines of cattle which will be offered for sale on Saturday, includes: W. H. R. Breeding, Laurie Domino, Don Blanchard 54th, W. H. R. Carlos Domino 31st.

Several calves of Laurie Domino, famous Hereford bull which was bought by several Haywood breeders several years ago, will be included in the sale, it was said.

Last fall a similar sale was held, and buyers from several states were present and bought cattle.

All indications are that a large number of buyers will be present Saturday for the auction. The cattle have been here for several days.

Want Ads Bring Quick Results

Definite proof that Want Ads in The Mountaineer get results, was evidenced by three users of this column this week, as they reported quick action.

Hugh Jolly advertised a portable typewriter. It was sold within three hours after the paper was published, and calls continued to pour in for several days. "It beat all for results," he said.

Brading Gas Company lost a pair of trucks from the gas truck. The finder saw the Want Ad and in a short time, Brading Gas Company had the trucks back.

Mrs. Brown rented her garage apartment with a Want Ad. She had used this means of keeping her apartment rented for a long time. The rates on Want Ads are 25 words for 25c—a minimum of 25c per issue.