#### Walter Murphy, N. C. Lawmaker, Dies At Home

Walter (Pete) Murphy, 75, veteran North Carolina legislator died on last Saturday, January 12, at his home in Salisbury, after an extended illness. Long prominent as a leader in Democratic politics in North Carolina, Mr. Murphy had a record of many years service in the legislature, He was twice speaker of the house.

Mr. Murphy was born Oct. 27, 1872, and was the youngest of ten children. His condition had been pronounced critical by his physician for sometime. He had been confined to his bed since July 4, 1945. Funeral services were conducted in Salisbury on Sunday aft-

He had long been interested in politics, football, and the University of North Carolina. He had served in some capacity in the North Carolina General Assembly for the past 20 years, often as the representative from Rowan county He invariably occupied seat number 13 in the house. Earlier in his career he contested Robert Doughton for a seat in Congress unsuccessfully.

His interest in football began during his student days at the University when he was "center on the UNC wonder team of 1892. He was at one time coach at Washington & Lee University and was reputed to have seen over 700 football games-believed to have been a national record

While at the University he was private secretary to President Wilson, founded the Carolina Daily General Assembly year after year Tar Heel, now a student daily for greater appropriations for high- nouga, of which he is president. newspaper, and Psi Chapter of er education in North Carolina Sigma Nu fraternity. Later he He was a known champion of good agreement, which authorized the founded the University Alumni Re- education for Negroes, good roads splitting up of the German naval view, became president of the and adequate care of the under- units among the Big Three powers. ed the degree of Lld., by the Uni- State Negro colleges were named He led the fight in the in his honor.

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#### **DEATHS**

Funeral services were conducted Friday morning at 10 o'clock at Elizabeth Chapel Methodist church, in the Rateliff Cove section for Mrs. Dora Elizabeth Rateliff, 82, who died at the home of her daughpley, retired Methodist minister of Lake Janaluska, assisted Rev. C. R. Ross, paster of the Chapel, officiated . Burial was in Green Hill cemetery.

Mrs. Rateliff was before her marriage to the late Will Rateliff, Miss Dora Elizabeth McElroy, native of Haywood county

Serving as pallbearers were: Carl Jones, Heary Garner, Will Rateliff, mili Rateliff, John Bean and Joe

Surviving are her daughter, with hum she made her home; one son Mark W. Rateliff, of Denver, Colo., four sisters, Mrs. Augusta Edwards, Welch and Mrs. Lula Felmet, all of Waynesville, RFD No. 1; four grandchildren and three greaterandchildren.

Garrett Funeral Home was in harge of the arrangements.

#### CLAUD HARDIN

Funeral services were conducted Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at he Woodland Baptist church for home near Clyde on Wednesday morning. Rev. Manuel Wyatt and this vale of tears and enter upon he Rev. H. E. Benfield officiated. Burial was in the Bon-A-Venture

Mr. Hardin was the son of the late Samuel and Adeline Hardin of there is home and on the other Haywood county

Surviving are the widow; three sons, Joe S, and W. M. of Clyde; Ed in the U.S. Army, stationed Augusta, Ga; two brothers, Ruus and John of the Bethel section: hree sisters, Mrs. Augusta Radloff, of Asheville, Mrs. H. L. Newsome the Bethel section, and Mrs. Virgil Sorrells, of Fairview,

The Wells Funeral Home of Canon was in charge of the arrange

#### MRS, AMANDA WRIGHT

Funeral services were conducted on Sunday afternoon at 3 p. m. at the home of her son, Billy Wright, in the Allen's Creek section for Mrs. Amanda Wright, 69. widow of the late J. P. Wright who died at 2 a. m. Saturday at the nome of her son in that section. Rev. C. L. Allen officiated, Burial was in the Rocky Branch ceme-

Surviving are two sons, Billy and Columbus Wright, both of Waynesilie. RFD No. 1, five daughters, Mrs. Sallie Early, Mrs. Dora Doss end Mrs. Fannie Wright all of ligh Point; Mrs. Dollie Woody, of Croom, Md., and Miss Lillian Wright, of Charlotte; one brother John Smith, of Dacusville, S. C. l large number of grandchildren und ten great grandchildren

Garrett Funeral Home was in harge of the arrangements.

#### MRS. INDIA A. SHULER

Funeral services were conducted 10 o'clock a. m. Tuesday at the Barbersville Baptist church for Mrs. India Adams Shuler, 62, wife of A. B. Shuler, who died suddenly at her home here at 7:30 p. m. Sunday, Rev. Jarvis Underwood officiated. Burial was in the new Ulman cemetery near Bryson

Surviving are her husband; three ons, Fred Shuler, of Bryson City Lawrence Bryson, of Waynesville and Verlin Shuler of McCall, S. C. one daughter, Mrs. B. J. Avers, of aurinburg, S. C.; one sister, Mrs. E. Gibson, of Gastonia, and our grandchildren. Garrett Funeral Home is

#### harge of the arrangements JACKIE SUE MINTZ

Funeral services were conducted londay at the home of the parents. Mr. and Mrs. Jack Mintz, in Hazelwood for their infant daughter. Jackie Sue Mintz, who died at the ome on Sunday. Burial was in he Bethel cemetery.

Surviving are the parents, three prothers, Neal, Grady and Marvin; wo sisters, Ruby and Valda Jean all at home.

Crawford Funeral Home was in charge of the arrangements.

#### GEORGE W. TAYLOR

Funeral services will be conduct ed at 2 o'clock on Friday after noon at the Oak Grove Baptist church in the Thickety section for George W. Taylor, 72, retired emoloyee of the Champion Paper and Fibre Company of Canton, who died suddenly at 5 o'clock Wednesday morning. Rev. Mr. Hall will officiate. Burial will be in

the church cemetery Mr. Taylor was a native of Haywood county and was employed for many years by the Champion Paper

and Fibre Company. Surviving are his widow, the former Miss Maggie Christopher; two sons, Hubert Taylor of Canton and Hugh Taylor of Canton. R.F.D. No. 1; two daughters, Miss Bonnie Taylor and Miss Esse Mae Taylor, of Canton; two sisters, Mrs. Nan Taylor, of Gastonia and Mrs. Maggie Green of Candler; one brother, Eldon Taylor, of Canton and six grandchildren.

Garrett funeral home will be charge of the arrangements.

#### M. R. Williamson Points Out Value Of Contentment

Members of the Hazelwood Boosters club were told by Rev. Returns To States M. R. Williamson last Thursday During Storm night, that "contentment" was one of the greatest things in life.

"We are a restless and disconter, Mrs. Rateliff Medford on Asia men in service are clamating at Fort Bragg was a passenger on Wednesday 1:05 p. m., at her home to get home, while here at home the H.M.S. Begum, escort carrier, in Ratchiff Cove. Rev. J. E. Sam- the constant struggle for the things which took such a beating from "Many of those with bat, continues. jobs are dissatisfied with the wages they receive or with the hours, or with both, and thousands are out on strike. The kidnaper is on the loose again, and crimes of all kinds seem to be on the increase."

"The divorce courts of our land are besieged with people who have Day. become dissatisfied with wife or husband and want to be free so that they can have the chance of making a worse mistake.

to the war and I don't think the atomic bomb had anything to do Mrs. Margaret Garner, Mrs. Alice with it. It's just human nature feelings which should be controlled.

there is a state of happiness in which men ought to live. Happiness is the normal condition of life—anything less is abnormal: 1 don't believe that we are to spend all our days in a constant state of Yand Hardin, 56, who died at his the vain hope that in the sweet by and by we will be removed from a new life where all is perfect bliss. Surely I believe that for the Christian such a time will come for across the turbulent waters shore there is peace and quiet.

"But for the present we are concerned with conditions today We would like to have a little peace now-we would like to be able to enjoy if possible the world in which we live-in other words I believe we would like to be happy

"If there is such a thing as contentment we would like to know how to obtain it. If it is necessary to have contented cows before we can have carnation milk it seems to me that we must have contented people before the milk of human kindness begins to flow freely.

Rev. Mr. Williamson pointed out seven things which make for contentment:

- 1. Good health. Honest toil.
- Economic security.
- 4. Cultivation of the right friends. Wholesome recreation.
- Belief in God. 7. Cultivation of a sense

#### Central. P.T.A. To Meet Tuesday

The Central Elementary school parent teachers association vill neet Tuesday night at 7:30, for the irst meeting of 1946.

Several features of music department of the school and a full program will be held. followed by refreshments in the chool lunch room.

As an added attraction, door prizes will be offered, and the grade having the largest number of parents present will get the usual half-day holiday.

#### LAFF-A-DAY



"They celebrate their anniversary every year by re-enacting their elopement - time has wrought a little change, however!"

HAYWOOD COUNTY IN THE SUPERIOR COURT GERTRUDE FUGATE

NORTH CAROLINA

#### BEN FUGATE, JR NOTICE OF SUMMONS BY PUBLICATION

The defendant, Ben Fugate, Jr., will take notice that an action entitled as above has been commenced in the Superior Court of Haywood County, North Carolina, o obtain an absolute divorce on the grounds of two years separation, and that said defendant will further take notice that he is required to appear at the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court within twenty days after January 10, 1946, and answer or demur to the complaint filed in said action, or the plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in said com-

This 10th day of Jan., 1946. C. H. LEATHERWOOD, Clerk Superior Court. W. R. FRANCIS. Attorney for Plaintiff 1491-Jan. 17-24-31-Feb. 7.

Private First Class Guy Chambers, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. K. tented people," he said, as he Chambers of the Allen's Creek secpointed out that in Europe and tion, who was recently discharged we were denied during the war natur eas if she had been in com-

Aboard the Begum, a British ship were 477 U.S. army officers and enlisted men who sailed from England on December 13, expecting to arrive home in time for Christmas, but later only hoped to reach their homes by New Year's

The ship ran into a terrific storm and was quite a wreck when she pulled into the Norfolk Navy varids. The forward section of her "Now I don't attribute all this 430 foot flight deck was buckled and had spent most of the last ceek flapping freely in 40 and 50 mile gales. Life boats and rafts asserting itself and giving vent to were battered into uselessness and lover ends of radio antennas and ther communication lines dragged "Now contrasted to the condition in the water from the ship's sides. which is evident on every hand Below decks, almost everything, passengers included, was in shamble

Sleeping quarters were soggy, after being flooded and drained, the ship's inventory of chinaware was far short of par, office furnirestlessness and discontent with ture was ready for salvage and many of the ship's sections contained cracks in the welding through which daylight and some imes water streamed.

The Begum was launched from Cacoma, Wash., in the mid-summer in 1943, commissioned the U. S. S. Bolinas. She was later turned over to the Royal British navy under "Lend-Lease" and recommissioned. She has been turned back to the U.S. navy and the British crew have returned to Eng-

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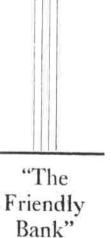


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