

Work Being Pushed On Rocky Branch Baptist Church



Shown here are a group of workmen putting up the rock walls on the \$10,000 Rocky Branch Baptist church on Allen's Creek. Much of the labor is being contributed, and present plans are to complete the 40 by 62 foot building within the next forty days. Shown left to right, Jake Davis, F. R. Kirkpatrick, Fred Smith, Harry Hembree, Pless Kirkpatrick, Will Jordan, Leonard Smith, Max Davis, Tommy Kirkpatrick and Guy Davis. Newton Davis, in charge of construction, and Abe Davis, are not shown in the picture. (A Mountaineer Photograph by Wallace Marley.)

Fashion Show Is Presented

"Join the Parade," was the theme of the fashion show presented by the Future Homemakers of America, April 17th. Phyllis Jean Rogers introduced each group of costumes and acted as announcer. The 8th grade girls sang several humorous songs at the beginning and at the end of the show.

The show was divided into four parts: the street costumes, the sports costumes, the party dresses, and the school clothes. Respective winners in each group were: Dolores York, Patsy Kinsland, Carolyn Medford and Janet Deaver. Gifts were presented to each winner by Miss Shumolis. Honorable mention was given to Winfred Burdette, Joyce Ann West, Vera Farmer, Hilda Parks, Betty Clark and Catherine Johnson.

Judges for the show were: Mrs. Mary Emma Trull, Miss Boone and Miss Boyd. One of the winners in the show

Bethel PTA Ends Successful Year

Bethel P.T.A. ends the year 1945-46 successfully. The officers serving for the year were Mrs. Clifton Terrell, president; Mrs. R. G. Chason, 1st vice president; Mrs. I. A. McLaughlin, 2nd vice president; Mrs. Ina H. Duvall, secretary; Mrs. W. P. Whitesides, treasurer.

Some expenditures of the P.T.A. for school improvement are as follows: \$104.62. Cannery; \$198.77 paid on motion picture machine; \$21.00 Dogwood trees used in Arbor Day program. The officers elected for the coming year, 1946-47, are as follows: Mrs. R. G. Chason, president; Mrs. Clifton Terrell, 1st vice president; Miss Rozelle Shumolis, 2nd vice president; Mrs. Ina H. Duvall, secretary; and Mrs. W. P. Whitesides, treasurer.

will model her costume in the State Fashion Show in Raleigh May 4th.

May Day Program Held At Bethel

The annual May Day program was held at the Bethel School recently, with much interest being shown by the students and patrons of the school.

Miss Jones, "My Welcome Song" first grade. Miss Jervis, Rhythm Band, first grade. Miss Sellers, Miss Medford—"Spring Time Gardens," second grade. Mrs. Duvall, Mrs. Rogers—"Dance of the Flowers and the Farmers Dance," third grade. Miss Boone, Mrs. McLain—"The Flowers Awakening," fourth grade. Miss McElhannon—"Garland Dance," fifth grade. Mrs. Able, Mrs. Shepherd—May Pole Dance, sixth grade. Mr. Jervis, Mrs. Shipman—"Spring Time Festival," seventh grade.

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LOGICAL SELECTION

Now that the elective system in colleges is being battered around, someone has recalled the anecdote Stephen Leacock used to tell about the system at its extreme. He had met a student in an American college and had asked him what he was to study next semester.

"Turkish, music and architecture," said the student. "I take it," said Leacock, "that you expect to be a choirmaster in a Turkish mosque."

"No," said the student. "Those courses come at 9, 10 and 11 o'clock."

Unsteady Craft

Dr. Tehyi Hsieh, Chinese scholar and one-time resident of Boston, was one day conversing with a native of Aberdeen on the subject of his favorite diversion—boating.

"Boat?" inquired the Scot, "how do your Chinese canoes compare with Scotch canoes?" "Oh," replied the genial Hsieh, "they are pretty much alike. But," he added, with a sly grin, "the Chinese canoes give a little trouble—they tip."

Like Mother, Like Daughter

Little Doris was being reprimanded by her mother for a continued course of misconduct.

"Don't you know, Doris," she said, "that if you keep on doing so many naughty things your children will be naughty, too?" "Oh, mother," returned the youngster, "now you've given yourself away!"

Double Feature?

Manager of Movie Theatre—What's the idea? You only took the job of usher a few minutes ago. New Boy—Yeah, I'm sorry but I've seen the picture.

RIGHT



Harry—What brings a man the greatest comfort in time of trial? Jerry—Acquittal.

Sad Scene

Actor—Did you notice how the audience wept during my death scene? Actress—Yeah. They must have realized you were only acting.

Happy Home

Hubby—What did you say last night when I came home, dear? Wife—Nothing. Hubby—I know that. But how did you express it this time?

Excuse Me!

Nit—You poked me in the eye with your umbrella! Wit—Sorry but I did not. This umbrella belongs to a friend of mine.

And Seldom

Harry—Your wife seems like a woman of rare intelligence. Jerry—Yeah, that's a delicate way of saying she shows practically no sense.

Give Her an Inch

Small Girl—Mother wants a tape measure. Clerk—How long does she want it? Small Girl—For keeps, I think.

MAID PROBLEM



Lady of the House—Hilda, did you sweep behind the door. Hilda—Yes, ma'am, I swept everything behind the door.

No Proof

Judge—And your age? Prisoner—Twenty. Judge—I doubt if you can prove that statement. Prisoner—The county house that had the record of my birth burned down in 1910 so you'll find it hard to prove the contrary.

Bright Future

Jim—Now that you are 30 and out of the army, what do you expect to be in five years? Slim—Thirty-five!

Brushed Rayon

Garments of brushed rayon will remain soft and fluffy a long time if washed carefully by hand, not crowded into a washer.

State Milk Man On Visit Here

Jack V. Whitaker, manager of the North Carolina Milk Producers Federation Co-operative, of Raleigh was here this week on official business for the association. Mr. Whitaker discussed current trends in milk production with numerous producers while visiting in Haywood.

Charlotte Will Serve In Clearing War Dead

Atlanta, Charlotte, and Memphis will be distributing depots for clearance of bodies of war dead returned to the United States for burial within the seven states of the Fourth Service Command. A guard of honor will accompany each body from the distributing depot to place of burial.

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