

School Field Day

Maintenance school at 10 a. m. at the... to be conducted by... of North Carolina... announcement, Wayne Corpening... means the... of our tractors, many things which tractor can do in... time it is necessary when your tractor is not in proper adjustment... Knowledge... the driver... time and... added that... will cover... of the inter-... fueling and... cooling system... filters and... and operat-... tractor... pertinent... and tractors... used in the dem-... said:... that all drivers... school, as... of daily mainten-... or even years... tractor and can sub-... the frequency of... g On... g Set... morrow... school teach-... Waynesville High... Friday to dis-... of reading and... reading tests... of the Hough-... New York... house, will be the... is a specialist in... now has a popula-... 500,000 persons... size in 1893.

High Dive Foiled



**SURROUNDED** by his paraphernalia, including a parachute, stunt man Robert L. Niles, 22, is shown after San Francisco police foiled his attempted leap from the Golden Gate Bridge. The "death-defying" jump was intended for a thrill sequence of an amateur film. (International)

Brown And Bowen Citizens Elect Program Leaders

Residents of the Brown and Bowen Creek decided Thursday night to change the name of their community to Thickety for the County Community Development Program. K. O. Carswell was elected chairman for the community at the meeting which 62 persons attended at the Oak Grove Church. Mrs. Roy Robinson was elected vice-chairman, Lucille Ford, secretary; the Rev. A. M. Wyatt, treasurer; and H. E. Wright, reporter. The following committees were selected: Survey—George Wright, chairman; Mrs. James Smith, A. J. Trantham, Mrs. Frank Cabe, Sam Robinson, and Mr. Hyatt. Program—Paul Sorrells, chairman; Mrs. Jarrett Williamson, S. B. McCreary, and Mrs. Lloyd Harham. Ways and Means—Jack Harris, chairman; Mrs. Glenn Harris, Jim Higgs, and Fred Trantham.

DEATHS

**LINDA SUE SMITH**  
Linda Sue Smith, nine-month-old daughter of Cpl. Earl Smith, serving with the Army at Pasadena, Calif., died Monday night in a Waynesville hospital after a long illness.

She had been living for the past three months with Mr. and Mrs. Dallas Webb of Canton.

Surviving are the father; the paternal grandparents and the maternal grandmother.

Funeral services were held Wednesday at 2 p. m. at West Canton Baptist Church with the Rev. C. H. Green and the Rev. P. C. Hicks officiating. Burial was in Bon-A-Venture Cemetery.

Wells Funeral Home was in charge.

MISS HESTER L. DAVIS

Funeral services were held this afternoon in the Allen's Creek Baptist Church for Miss Hester Louise Davis, 19, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Max Davis, who died at her home in the Ninevah section Tuesday after a long illness. The Rev. Thomas Erwin and the Rev. C. L. Allen officiated and burial was in Green Hill Cemetery.

Pallbearers were Charles Brady, Charlie Smith, Dan Kelly, Samuel Frady, Harry Crawford, and Harry Mashburn.

Miss Davis was a member of the eleventh grade in the Waynesville Township High School when she became ill. She was also a member of the Allens Creek Baptist Church.

Surviving in addition to the parents are two sisters, Miss Esther Davis and Mrs. Tuelen Kirkpatrick; two brothers, Robert and Roy Davis; and the paternal grandmother, Mrs. Louise Davis, all of Haywood County.

Garrett Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

PORTER HENDERSON

Funeral services were held this afternoon in the Wells Funeral Home at Canton for Porter Henderson, 62, who died Tuesday afternoon at his home in Canton after a long illness. The Rev. D. O. McInnis and the Rev. W. C. Lee officiated and interment was in Bon-A-Venture Cemetery.

Pallbearers were members of the Pigeon River Masonic Lodge 386.

Mr. Henderson was a retired employe of the Champion Paper and Fibre Company where he had served in the electrical department for 30 years. He was a native of Madison County.

Surviving are the widow, Mrs. Minnie Henderson; seven daughters, Mrs. N. M. Bright, Mrs. Arthur Wall, Mrs. S. E. Miller, Misses Mary Sue and Judith Ann Henderson all of Canton, Mrs. George Rigby of Richmond, and Mrs. Tracy Carr of Clyde; two sons, Jack Henderson of Richmond and Paul Henderson of Canton; two brothers, C. L. Henderson of Marshall and H. H. Henderson of Pikeville, Ky.; and nine grandchildren.

CLARENCE T. TAYLOR

Clarence Timothy Taylor, nine-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Taylor of Allens' Creek, died Wednesday at the home following a long illness.

Funeral services were held this afternoon at the residence with the Rev. Manuel Wyatt officiating. Burial was in the Buchanan Cemetery.

Surviving in addition to the parents are one sister, Penny Sue Taylor, of the home.

Garrett Funeral Home was in charge.

Pupils To Give Play Tonight

The young actors and actresses of the Crabtree-Iron Duff High School's junior class will present "A Ready-Made Family," at eight o'clock tonight at the school.

The cast of the three-act comedy:

Agnes Martyn, a widow, Lucy James.

Bob, her son, Ralph Elkins.

Marille, her elder daughter, Hilda Best.

Gracie, her youngest child, Dorothy Lee Noland.

Miss Lyda, her sister-in-law, Joan Medford.

Henry Turner, a widower, Bob Leming.

Doris, his daughter, Ann Caldwell.

Sammie, his son, Carroll Smith.

Begonia, the Martyn's colored cook, Sally Kate Bryson.

Nicodemus, the Martyn's colored handy-man, Billy Welch.

The play is directed by Mrs. O. L. Yates, junior sponsor.

Bee Specialist To Be Here Tuesday

County Agent Wayne Corpening reports that W. A. Stephens, N. C. State College extension bee specialist, will spend Tuesday in the county.

He advised anyone needing assistance in regard to bees to contact the county agent's office.

Taxes To Be Continued But Foxes Must Go

ITHACA, N. Y. (UP)—Ithaca Journal readers thought things were just wonderful when they saw a headline: "Plans Formed to Keep



**CHECKMATES** . . . Checks are always spring favorites with the younger set. Here a fine all-wool check by Hockanum is combined with velvet buttons and piping in two charming little double-breasted coats.

Panther Creek Citizens Name Program Officers

Approximately 40 citizens of the Panther Creek community last night launched the organization of their community development program, naming Glenn Fincher as chairman.

Saunook Section Studying Program For Community

A group of citizens set the stage Monday night for organizing the community development program in Saunook community by appointing a five-member information committee.

This committee was named to explain the County's program to other community residents.

A regular organizational meeting was then scheduled for 7:30 p. m. April 12 at the Saunook School.

Orval Cogburn was named chairman of the information committee, and John Spark, Mr. James Garrett, Mr. Jack McCracken and Clifford Styles were selected as the other members.

Assistant County Agent Herb Singletary told the group at the school house of the purpose of the county-wide program. The decision to defer actual organization was made because of the relatively small attendance at this initial session, which was sponsored by the Saunook Parent-Teacher Association.

The delegates also heard John Ford, N. C. State College Extension forester, talk on timber care, and they saw a motion picture on forestry.

Blizzards Prove Cattle Can Really Take It

CHEYENNE, Wyo. (UP)—The terrific blizzards in Wyoming during January and February proved at least one thing—cattle can take a lot before they go down for the final count.

One young calf was found alive after spending 28 days in a snow-drift-locked hole on a ranch near Cheyenne without food or water. The snow formed trap was scarcely big enough for the animal to turn around in.

LAFF-A-DAY



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Cherokee Pageant Bill Is Before Legislature

RALEIGH—The North Carolina House Appropriations Committee was scheduled to act today on a measure providing a \$35,000 appropriation for the proposed annual Cherokee Indian Pageant to start next year.

Yesterday, the committeemen heard Western North Carolina spokesmen argue in favor of the state-aid bill.

Cherokee Historical Association President Harry Buchanan of Hendersonville, told the appropriations group that such an event would bring to the area a "tremendous amount" of tourist business that is now being lost by the lack of such a pageant.

After the first event is held in 1950, he explained, the performances would support themselves. He told the committee that the funds were necessary only to set up the 1950 pageant.

Directing his comment to the legislators from the eastern part of the state, Senator L. B. Nichols of Cherokee, pointed out that the \$7,500,000 bond issue bill for state ports was passed without a dissenting vote. He added the easterners' support is being asked for only \$35,000 for Western North Carolina.

Jack Sloan Made Chairman Of West Pigeon Program

Citizens of the West Pigeon Community Monday night elected Jack Sloan as chairman of their Community Development Program.

They named Jack P. McCracken, vice-chairman; Mrs. Florence Garner, secretary; Clyde Collins, treasurer; and Mrs. Clyde Collins, reporter.

The elections followed a discussion on the value of cooperation in community development, by Dr. C. N. Clark, and a movie depicting the value of fertilizing pastureland.

The delegates decided to hold their next meeting at 7:30 p. m., April 18 at Bethel School.

All residents of the West Pigeon section are urged to attend.

Assistant County Agent Herb Singletary, prior to the elections, told the audience at the Panther Creek Baptist church of the purposes of the county's program, and later reported that interest in the Panther Creek community was encouragingly high.

Mrs. Gertrude Fulbright was elected vice-chairman; Mrs. Glenn Fincher, secretary; Johnny Kirkpatrick, treasurer; and Lloyd Messer, reporter.

A survey committee was set up, with Johnny Fincher as chairman, and Mrs. D. D. Russell, Miss Hazel Green, Mrs. Ida Messer, Marvin Arrington, Miss Doris Ann Rathbone, Shorty Arrington, Cauley Justier, Way Arrington, Miss Mary Jane Clark, Weaver Parkins, Joyce Clark and Miss Bobby Arrington the other members.

Movies on community organization and corn production preceded the elections.

Weather-Birds

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Wonderful new sandals... new side and toe buckle straps... perforated and plain... in a host of bright new summer colors.

RAY'S Shoe Department

Farmers Urged To Get Proper Seed Plates Now

"Don't wait until planting day to obtain the proper seed plates for your corn planter — do it now!" urges Dr. R. P. Moore, director in charge of the North Carolina Crop Improvement Association at State College.

Corn hybrids, Dr. Moore explains, are sold by grades which may require special seed plates. Since good stands are needed to make high yields, attention must be given to the selection of the proper size plates.

Many farmers rework the cells of either old or new plates in order to get an accurate seed drop. The important point is to make sure that the largest kernels of corn can be planted without difficulty. If this is done, the smaller kernels will cause no trouble, especially in well-graded lots of corn.

Most manufacturers of corn planters are willing to help farmers select the proper plates, says Dr. Moore. However, he adds, farmers must be willing to help themselves. They must realize that luck is neither a good farming partner nor a substitute for the proper plates.

BIRTH ANNOUNCEMENT

A baby girl was born March 23, 1949, to Mrs. A. W. Howell, wife of Albert Wilson Howell, chief metallurgist, USN, of Route 2, at the Naval Hospital, Corpus Christi, Texas. The baby has been named Marguerite Wilson.

The baby's father is serving aboard the Naval Air Station, Corpus Christi, Texas.

Only 30 adult bloodhounds are reported left in England.

LOST—German Chow, black female, six months old puppy. Answers to name San Sue. \$10.00 reward. Mrs. Neil Pressley, Firestone Store, Waynesville or Dr. Westmoreland, Canton. A 7

FOR SALE—Three year old male white and black pony. One 10 year old female black and white pony. Alzie Hatchiff, Hatchiff Cove. A 7-11

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