Seals Committee Went Into Credit Business Today

The Christmas seal committee went into the credit business today. Several weeks ago the committee mailed seals to some 2,500 people. A large number have responded — in fact, 70,685 of the seals have been paid for at one cent each. There were 100,000 seals mailed.

The committee announced today that any person having seals, although not paid for, to go ahead and use them, sending in the money later.

"We have a goal of $1,000 from the sale of these seals, and are anxious to reach the quota," Mrs. R. C. Lane, sales chairman said.

Mrs. Lane added "Go ahead and use the seals, even if your check has not been sent in. Use the seals now, and send in the check anytime soon."

The money should be mailed to A. J. Fancher, Hazelwood. The proceeds are used to fight tuberculosis with three-fourths remaining for the work right here in Haywood.

Miss Mary Cornwell, Haywood Home Demonstration Agent, left today for her home in Trousdale county, Tennessee, to spend the holidays.

Farmers Federation Declares 32nd Annual Dividend At Meeting

The directors of the Farmers Federation declared the 32nd consecutive semi-annual dividend to stockholders in a meeting of the executive committee recently, it was announced by James G. K. McClure, president of the organization.

The Farmers Federation was organized at Fairview in 1920 by six farmers, who hauled the logs and built their first warehouse themselves. It has grown during the past 29 years to cover the 18 Western North Carolina counties, and now has more than 20,000 stockholders. In addition to the 26 warehouses, the organization operates eight Freezer-locker plants.

Members of the executive committee are as follows: Charles W. Davis, Brevard, Cal Cooke, Asheville R.F.D. No. 4, Alec Crowell and Church Crowell, Enka, L. L. Burgin, Horse Shoe, H. A. Osborne, Canton, and Mr. McClure.

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against lights, in the middle of a block, and getting out on his car on the street side.

Pedestrians are to tap on the shoulder every person seen breaking a rule, and ask the question "are you the mystery jay walker?"

The mystery man must be caught by Christmas Eve.

AT THE CHURCHES

Allens Creek Baptist Church

The Rev. Thomas Erwin, Pastor

10 a.m. Sunday School. Lowe Allen, Superintendent.

Following Sunday School a Special Christmas Program by the Junior G. A.'s.

11 a.m. Worship Service—Sermon by the Pastor.

6:30 p.m. B.T.U. with Ray Mashburn, Director.

Special Christmas Program by the Y.W.A.

Midweek prayer meeting 7 o'clock at church Tuesday evening.

Friday night—Teachers meeting.

Hazelwood Baptist Church

The Rev. M. L. Lewis, Pastor

Jarvis Brock, Educational Director.

Sunday School 9:45. Frank Underwood, General Superintendent. Charles Palmer, Associate Superintendent.

Morning Worship 11:00. Message "Three Great Events—Past, Present, Future". Pastor.

Training Union 6:30. Program "The Lost Star" for Worship service, 7:30.

Prayer Meeting, Wednesday evening, 7.

Teacher's meeting, Wednesday evening, 7:45.

Choir rehearsal, Thursday evening, 7.

First Methodist Church

WAYNESVILLE
Corner Haywood and Academy
The Rev. J. E. Yountz, Minister

Church School meets at 9:45 with departments and classes for all ages. Francis Massie, General Superintendent.

Morning Worship 11:00 a.m. Special music by choir. Sermon by pastor: "Another Way". Sunday will be Christmas Day this year. This should be of special significance in that it will bring us to Church on the holiest day of the entire year. Everyone is invited to worship with us at this time.

There will be no evening services on this Sunday evening. It would be appropriate if we had a worship service together with the family on this evening. Material has been prepared by our Board of Missions for that purpose.

Crabtree Baptist Church

Clyde, Route 1
The Rev. M. H. Raby, Pastor

Sunday, December 25, 1949

Sunday School meets at 10 a. m. Mr. Olver Allen, superintendent.

Worship Service at 11 a. m.

B.T.U. meets at 6:30 p. m. Joyal Fergeran, director.

Worship Service at 7:30 p. m.

The Christmas program will be given Saturday, Dec. 24, at 7:30 p. m. Everyone welcome. Please come.

James Osborne of Hiawassee Dam is spending the holidays with relatives in Waynesville and Canton.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Lehnhard of Paducah, Kentucky, arrived Wednesday to spend the Christmas holidays with their daughter, Miss Pearl Lehnhard, and Miss Inez Gregg of the Waynesville Gift Shop.

Banks To Be Closed Monday And Tuesday

The First National Bank of Waynesville will be closed all day Monday and Tuesday.

All North Carolina banks are observing these two closing dates.

Attention is called to this proclamation issued by Governor Kerr Scott:

"Now, therefore, I W. Kerr Scott, Governor of North Carolina, by and with the advice and consent of the Council of State, under and by virtue of authority of Section 53-77 of the General Statutes of North Carolina, do hereby designate Tuesday, December 27, 1949, as a banking holiday.

"During such period of holiday, all of the ordinary and usual operations and business of all banking corporations, State or National, in this State, shall be suspended, and during such period no banking corporation shall pay out or receive deposits, make loans or discounts, transfer credits, or transact any other banking business whatsoever except such acts as are authorized by the aforesaid law."

Three Hurt As Autos Collide In Canton Monday

Three people were hurt, none believed seriously, Monday afternoon when two cars collided at the intersection of Oak St. and Highway 19-23 in Canton.

Police Sgt. H. C. Moffitt said Sewell Hipps, Sr., 68-year-old paper company foreman, suffered shock and bruises; Miss Judy Davis, 16, of Canton, who was riding in the second car; sustained injuries about the face; and Bobby McClure, 18, also of Canton, driver of the second car, suffered knee abrasions.

All were treated at a local physician's office.

The officer said the accident occurred as the car driven by Hipps, who was riding alone, entered the highway from Oak Street.

The elderly man was thrown out of his auto by the impact.

D. Wayne Queen, 19, of Canton, who was riding with McClure and Miss Davis, escaped injury.

Both cars were badly damaged, police reported.

Hazelwood Group Staging Varied Yule Programs

"Helping Others" is the title of the play to be given Friday night at the Hazelwood Baptist church by the junior department.

Those in charge announced that "Christmas treats" will be given out after the play.

The church will also observe a White Christmas service, with gifts of food and clothing being brought in for needy families.

Sunday evening at 7:30 the annual Christmas cantata, "The Lost Star" will be presented by the choir.

Many members of the congregation will also join the group of carol singers at 7:30 Saturday night on Main Street, and tour the community singing Christmas songs.

Masons To Hold Installation Ceremonies

Waynesville Lodge No. 259, AF and AM, will be host to Pigeon River Lodge 386, Clyde Lodge 453, and Sonoma Lodge 472 in a joint installation at 7:30 P. M. Tuesday for newly-elected officers.

Shirley E. Connatser, district deputy Grand Master, and Joe S. Davis, past master will install the officers-elect.

Brother W. F. Sprinkle of the Waynesville Lodge, L. S. White of the Pigeon River Lodge, G. D. Terrell of the Clyde Lodge and Z. J. Reece of the Sonoma Lodge, will be installed as masters of their respective organization.

Idaho leads all the states in the production of silver.

White Oak [illegible] Program [illegible] Christmas [illegible]

The White Oak [illegible] velopment Program [illegible] day night, Dec. 21, [illegible] plans for a Christ[illegible] which will be given [illegible] The program will [illegible] p. m. with both upper [illegible] White Oak giving [illegible] Santa Claus will also be [illegible] give out the presents [illegible] the children. Everyone [illegible] to come and join in [illegible] The next community [illegible] will be held Jan. 3 to [illegible] for the coming year. [illegible] the community is [illegible] attend.

Saloop is a warm [illegible] from sassafras.

Master Mason Degree To Be Conferred Dec. 29

The Master Mason degree will be conferred the night of December 29 at 7:30 o'clock here.

The West Gate Club of the 41st Masonic District is invited to confer the Second Section.

All visiting Masons are invited to attend.

Personal Mention

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Massie and daughters, Tess and Trudie, will go to Daytona Beach, Florida Saturday to spend Christmas with Mrs. Massie's parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Fuquay. They will also visit Mrs. Massie's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Philip Kester, at Flagler Beach.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Rector and daughters, Ann and Nancy Rector, are leaving today for Morristown, Tennessee to spend Christmas with Mrs. Rector's parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Holtsinger.

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Mr. and Mrs. William I. Long and son, William, Jr., of Raleigh are here to spend Christmas with Mrs. Long's mother and grandmother, Mrs. R. E. Wood and Mrs. John N. Schoolbred. They will leave Monday for a vist to Mr. Long's family in Norfolk, Va.

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Miss Ann Osborne, of Duke University, Durham, will arrive tomorrow to spend Christmas with her mother, Mrs. Robert Osborne.

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Miss Betsy Siler, who has a position with the Welfare Department in Jacksonville, Fla., will arrive tomorrow to spend Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Siler.

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Jack M. Coin, Radioman 3rd Class, who is stationed at the Naval Amphibious Base, Little Creek, Virginia, has arrived to spend the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Coin.

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Mr. and Mrs. Archie MacFadyen of San Antonio, Texas, are expected tonight to spend the holiday season with the former's mother, Mrs. Jennie MacFadyen.

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Lt. Hilary Crawford, Jr., who is stationed at Fort Benning, Georgia, will spend Christmas with his grandmother, Mrs. W. T. Crawford.

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Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence McElroy of Newport News, Virginia are guests of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Lampkin.

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Miss Lois Massie arrived Tuesday from Daytona Beach to spend Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Massie.

Mrs. Thrower Back At Hospital

Mrs. Paul Thrower, who has been suffering from injuries received in a fall several months ago, has returned to Mission Hospital in Asheville for treatment.

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Mr. and Mrs. Orin Coin and young son, Orin, Jr., of Cullowhee are here to spend Christmas with Mr. Coin's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Coin.

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John Luther of Beloit, Kansas will arrive this week end to spend the holiday season with his mother, Mrs. Hilda Luther.

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Miss Lucille Cathey of Greensboro and her brother, Frank Cathey of Butler, N. J., will arrive Saturday to spend the holiday week end with their mother, Mrs. Thad A. Cathey, in Clyde.

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Mr. and Mrs. Frank McDowell and son of Greensboro are expected to spend the Christmas week end with Mr. McDowell's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim McDowell, in Clyde.

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★ NYLON UNIFORMS
★ NYLON BLOUSES
FOAM RUBBER PILLOWS

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★ BELTS
★ HANDKERCHIEFS
★ PAJAMAS
★ JEWELRY
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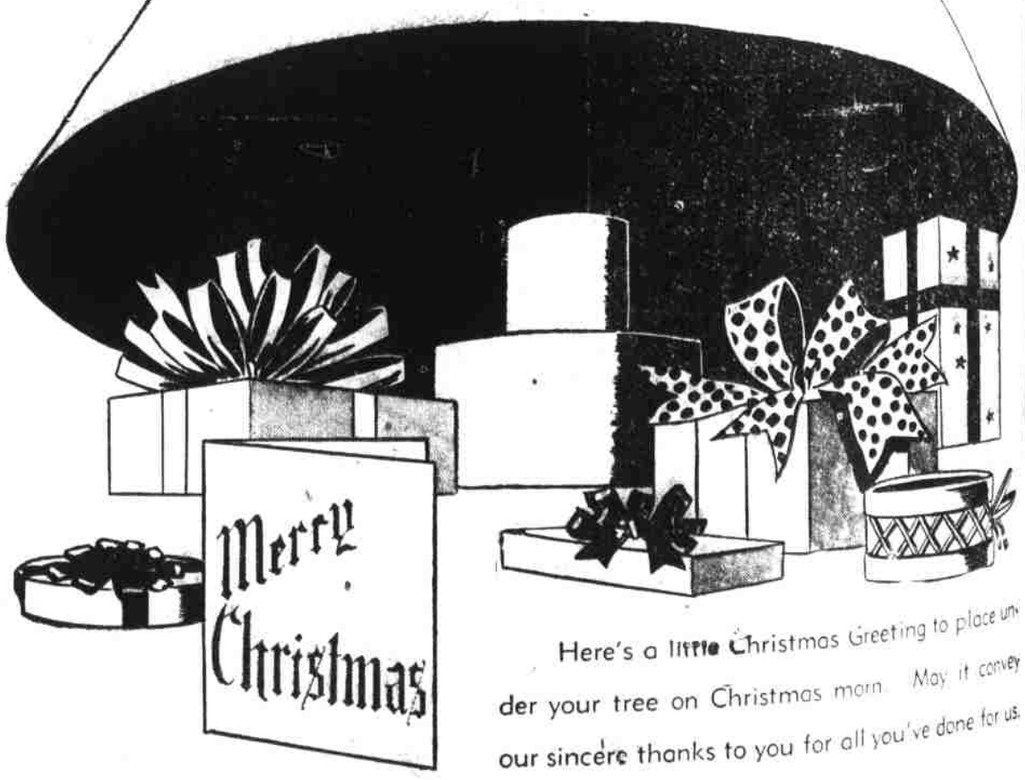
UNDER YOUR TREE on Christmas Morn



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