

FHA Delegates From 15 Counties At Meeting Here

Fifteen Western North Carolina counties were represented at a Farmers Home Administration county committee training meeting held at the courthouse Wednesday.

George Cash, area supervisor, conducted the meeting. Principal speaker was Horace J. Isenhour of Raleigh, state director of the FHA, who gave a brief history of the Farmers Home Demonstration. Three other state FHA officials attended the session and instructed the county committeemen on their duties.

The major role of the county committees, it was explained, is to take action on loan applications made through the agency.

T. T. Turnley is county supervisor for the FHA in Haywood and Transylvania counties.

More than 14,000 farm residents are killed by accidents annually and more than a million injured.



LEW GALLO, a leading Vagabond player at Flat Rock during the 1951 and 1954 summer seasons, will play a role in "Will Success Spoil Rock Hunter" by George Axelrod, the author of "Piffle" and "The Seven-Year Itch," which is slated to open on Broadway in September.

Umstead Park To Be Dedicated On Sunday Afternoon

Sunday, August 28, has been proclaimed by Gov. Hodges and the mayors of Durham and Raleigh as "William B. Umstead State Park Day."

In a joint proclamation, the Governor and Mayors E. J. Evans of Durham and Fred B. Wheeler of Raleigh urged all citizens of the State to observe the day by attending the dedication on that date at 5 p. m. at the park site of the William B. Umstead Park, formerly known as the Crabtree Creek State Park. The park is located about midway between Durham and Raleigh on Highway 70.

The name of the park was changed by the State Board of Conservation and Development to honor the memory of the late Gov. Umstead, who died last November.

Gov. Hodges will make the dedicatory address. The response will be by Mrs. Merle D. Umstead of Durham, widow of the late Governor. Merle Bradley Umstead, daughter and only child of Mr. Umstead, will unveil a marker to the park entrance.

Ratcliffe Cove Community News

The annual meeting of the Haywood Baptist Association was held at the Ratcliffe Cove Baptist Church Tuesday. A record number of 400 were present from 53 churches in the county.

A Youth Revival will begin at the Ratcliffe Cove Baptist Church Monday night at 7:30. Ted Francis, who is now a student at Georgetown College in Kentucky will deliver the message. Along with Mr. Francis will be Mrs. Francis and Rev. and Mrs. Revel Johnson, also of the college, who will furnish the music.

Mr. Francis is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Claude T. Francis of Waynesville.

Mrs. Leslie Moody, Jr. and daughters, Betty and Margaret Ann, of Cherryville, visited with parents of Mrs. Moody, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Palmer this past week.

Mr. and Mrs. T. T. Muse have moved into their new brick home on the Ratcliffe Cove road.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Medford moved into our community this week.

Mr. Roy Meador of Norfolk, Va. visited his wife and children, Tommy and Jennet, this past weekend.

Visiting in our community have been Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Francis of Monroe. Mr. Francis is the son of Mr. C. C. Francis of Ratcliffe Cove.

Dean and Jean Francis, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh L. Francis, spent last week with relatives, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Francis of Monroe.

Jim Ratcliffe, who has been on our sick list for some time, is now in the Haywood County Hospital. His condition is poor.

Cottage prayer meetings will be held in the homes of Mrs. George Linder and Mrs. F. L. Leonard. The meetings will begin at 7:30 o'clock with everyone in our community invited.

southeastern Methodist Assembly, but the grounds will be open to the public through Labor Day.

Leonardo de Vinci drew plans for gliders but never tried them.

Homecoming Set For Oak Grove Sunday Morning

The annual homecoming day services will be held at Oak Grove Church Sunday. The Rev. Frances Lunford, a former pastor, will bring the message at 11 o'clock.

Edgar Mehaffey of the Spring Hill Baptist Church will teach the Sunday school lesson during the opening service for the day. Lunch will be served on the grounds at noon, and the afternoon will be given over to renewing acquaintances and perhaps an informal program of song. All former pastors and members are invited to attend.

Revival services began at the Old Thicket Church of Christ Wednesday evening, with Evangelist Conrad G. Strobbridge of Elk Park, and Joe Bailiff, evangelistic singer, in charge of the meetings. This church has not been used regularly in a number of years, but organized more than 50 years ago, and for some time was an up and going church in the community, but with the loss of leadership, by death and moving from the community, the organization dwindled.

The late Jasper Haynes who resided near the present site of the Salvation Army Citadel, was pastor of the church in the early days, and some of his descendants are interested in re-establishing the organization to make in active church again. It is hoped these series of services will lead to such accomplishment.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Medford and children, Nancy and Bud, and Jackie Joe Keith of Detroit, Mich., spent a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. V. Medford. They were accompanied by Kenny Franks, a friend.

Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Hollifield and daughter, Angella, of Fairbanks, Calif., are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alden Clark, and other relatives in this section.

Youth Activities Week services are proving both interesting and helpful at Rockwood Church this week. The Rev. Kenneth Crouse of Morning Star Charge, is assisting in the services. Other workers are Mrs. Melba Willis, counselor, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hipps, assistant counselors, and teachers of Young People, and Mrs. E. E. Stockton, teacher of the intermediate group.

The Wesleyan Service Guild held the regular meeting Thurs-

MILLER, SHARPE AND JOYCE REUNION

The annual Miller, Sharpe and Joyce Reunion will be held at the Ridgeway Baptist Church in Buncombe County on the first Sunday in September. The committee in charge has planned an interesting program for the afternoon and all friends and relatives are invited to bring a picnic basket and attend.

NOTICE FARM TOUR FOLK

The pictures made in Kansas City have arrived, and can be had by seeing W. C. Medford at The Mountaineer office. We prefer not to mail them, since they are too large.

MEMBER AIA

Frank P. Riggs, Waynesville certified public accountant, has been elected a member of the American Institute of Accountants, national professional society of CPAs.

Mr. Riggs conducts an independent public accounting practice in Waynesville.

day evening in the home of Mrs. John Nations. Mrs. David Burch was in charge of the program, and Mrs. Charles Jacobs, Jr., the business meetings. Plans were completed for a benefit supper at the church Saturday night of this week.

Miss Brenda Henson, a member of the Children's Home family at Winston Salem, who is sponsored by the Guild and spent a two weeks' vacation with members, was a guest. She was presented a piece of luggage by the group.

Following the meeting, colored slides of interesting scenes in Korea and Japan were shown by Mrs. H. E. Wright, Jr., who was enrolled as a member of the Guild.

Mr. and Mrs. Allan Pittard and children of Duluth, Ga., spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. V. Medford.

Airman 2-c Richard Cannon is spending a 30-day leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dock Cannon, before reporting to Las Vegas, Nev.

Miss Jewel Williamson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jarrett Williamson, is among the 41 graduates who will receive their diplomas at Watts Hospital in Durham during exercises next week.

Cpl. Max G. Robinson of Parris Island, S. C., visited his mother, Mrs. Mary Robinson, and other relatives during the weekend.

N. Canton Baptist Church To Have Homecoming Day

The annual homecoming day services and picnic have been set for Saturday, August 27 at the North Canton Baptist Church.

All former pastors and members are invited to return for this occasion as well as church members and the general public.

The Rev. P. C. Hicks, a former pastor, will be the speaker at the 11 a. m. service.

Group singing will be held in the afternoon following a picnic dinner served on the grounds.

Grogan Reunion Will Be Held At Camp Hope

The Grogan Family will hold a reunion at Camp Hope, Sunday, August 28.

A picnic lunch will be served at 1 p. m. and the afternoon's program will feature singing.

All relatives and friends are invited.

Plott Cemetery To Be Decorated On Sunday

Decoration of Plott Cemetery on the Balsam Road will be held Sunday afternoon, with a service beginning at 2 o'clock.

The public is invited to attend the service and see the improvements which have been made in the cemetery.

Sing Set Sunday At Antioch Church

A sing will be held at 2 p. m. Sunday at the Antioch Baptist Church in Iron Duff.

Plans are to stage a sing at the Antioch church every fourth Sunday of the month.

All singers are invited to attend.

Mrs. Coin Breaks Arm

Mrs. Jacque McCracken Coin, 602 North Main St., suffered a broken arm when she fell from the porch of a guest house at the Salvation Army Citadel near Max Patch Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Coin fell after turning her ankle.

MASONS TO MEET MONDAY

Waynesville Lodge 259 will confer the third degree at a meeting at the Masonic Hall at 7:30 p. m. Monday, it has been announced.

Fraday Home Fire Loss Put At \$5,000

Loss in the fire which destroyed the five-room home of Bill Fraday on Daisy Ave., at 4 p. m. Saturday has been estimated at \$5,000.

Firemen said the flames were beyond control when they arrived on the scene.

Cause of the blaze was undetermined.

Field Day

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ferent rates of manure and fertilizer on test sections of tobacco; Mr. Bennett, who talked on various analyses of fertilizers; Mr. Nau, who outlined the growth characteristics of 12 varieties of burley; S. N. Hawks of State College, who explained methods of sucker control—both manual and chemical—and the effects of topping, and Forney Todd, also of State College, who exhibited pieces of equipment for treating plant beds and tobacco in the field for protection against insects and diseases.

Lake Program

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tor of The Christian Home, Nashville, Tenn.; Dr. Sam West of Emory University, Atlanta, Ga.; Dr. Mason Crum of Duke University; Dr. J. T. Greene of Boston University; Dr. Dale Hagler of Sarasota, Fla.; Miss Mary Calhoun of Nashville; Mrs. Lewis Head of Coral Gables, Fla.; Mrs. Ted Woodson of Jeffersontown, Ky.; Mrs. J. T. Greene of Reading, Mass.; the Rev. Jesse H. Lanning of Plymouth, N.C.; the Rev. Eugene Peacock of Mobile, Ala.; the Rev. Rollin Gibbs of Charlotte; the Rev. Cecil Myers of Atlanta, and the Rev. M. C. Wilkerson of Blacksburg, Va.

The Family Life Conference will end the summer program of the

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