

# TIN CAN DRIVE HERE TUESDAY AFTERNOON

## Poppy Day Saturday In Cherryville

American Legion Auxiliary Sponsors; Girl Scouts Will Assist In Selling The Little Red Poppy.

Poppies in tribute to America's battle dead of two wars will be worn in Cherryville on Saturday, May 29th.

Chairman, Mrs. J. Garland Sherrill, announced that the girl scouts would assist in selling the little red poppy Saturday. Headquarters will be set up at the Old Eagle office next to the Houser Drug Store. All girl scouts and others American Legion Auxiliary members who are helping are requested to be at headquarters at 9 o'clock Saturday morning.

The poppies this year will honor the men who have given their lives, those who fell among the poppies in the present conflict, as well as of France and Belgium 25 years ago, she said. The money contributed for the flowers will be used for the welfare of the victims of both wars and their families.

The Cherryville Unit of the Auxiliary is making extensive preparations for the observance of Poppy Day here. The little red flowers of remembrance will be available to everyone in the city, offered by volunteer workers from the Auxiliary who will be on the streets throughout the day.

The flowers made of crepe paper in replica of the wild Pander poppy, have been ordered from Fayetteville where disabled veterans manufactured them under directions of the Auxiliary. Poppy making has kept the hands of hundreds of these unfortunates usefully employed during the winter and spring, as they pass the long hospital hours and aiding in their rehabilitation.

More Americans than ever before are expected to wear poppies this year as a personal tribute to those who have been killed and to aid the disabled, their families and the families of the dead.

## Raleigh Putnam Talks With First Lady

Mrs. W. B. Putnam has received a letter from her son, Raleigh Putnam, U. S. Navy, telling of his meeting Mrs. Roosevelt on the plane as he returned from a visit home; Raleigh stated Mrs. Roosevelt got on the plane in Washington, D. C., and said they had quite a talk. She was happy to learn that he had served aboard ship with her son, Franklin. She asked quite a few questions about Franklin, the ship, the different battles, etc. It was quite a trip which ended much too soon for Raleigh's enjoyment. He is on the U. S. S. Mayrant now.

## Funeral Rites Held For Sellers Infant Tuesday

Funeral rites for Shirley Ann Sellers, three-months-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Sellers were held Tuesday morning at 11 o'clock at the home with burial in Mary's Grove cemetery.

The child died early Monday morning as a result of suffocation and burns suffered when the mattress of the bed on which she slept with her mother caught on fire. The mother had been smoking and apparently the cigarette ashes ignited the mattress, Coroner Roscoe Lutz said. The mattress never did burst into flames but smoldered, the smoke suffocating the child and burning her severely below the waist.

When Mrs. Sellers awakened about one o'clock, she noticed the smoke, caught up the child and ran into the yard to call her husband who was sleeping at a filing station nearby. The child was dead when she awoke.

Mr. and Mrs. Sellers have three other children, all under six years of age.

## Union Missionary Service

There will be a union missionary service of all the churches of Cherryville Monday night at 8:30 at the First Baptist church May 31st.

At the meeting Mrs. Wade Bostic of Shelby will be the main speaker. Mrs. Bostic has dedicated her life to Missions, being the wife of a returned missionary from China. She will bring an inspirational message that no one will want to miss.

All men, women and young people of the churches of Cherryville are given a special invitation to be at the meeting.

## M. C. NEWTON HAS FREAK IRISH POTATO

Mr. M. C. Newton brought to this office a freak Irish potato which had two small well developed new Irish potatoes growing in an old potato without any roots or tops.

Cherryville women who have served as volunteer workers in the Red Cross Surgical Dressing Room and the number of hours each has worked during the months of March, April and May

## NEW SCHEDULE FOR NEW WOOD AND COAL CO.

The New Wood and Coal Co. announces in today's paper they will be open for business Thursdays and Fridays of each week during the summer months. They will continue to give the same service as before on these two days and ask their patrons to please call on these days.

## CAMP RUDISILL, NEAR CHERRYVILLE PREPARED FOR ITS SUMMER SEASON

Fresh-air camping for children is said to be one of the most important phases of the owner's interests, and has much of his personal attention.

Camp Rudisill is the outgrowth of Rudisill's interest in those who are connected with his mills, and the camp is devoted to the benefit of employees of the mills. Its capacity is reported to be 100 children weekly. It is part of the Rudisill farm near Cherryville.

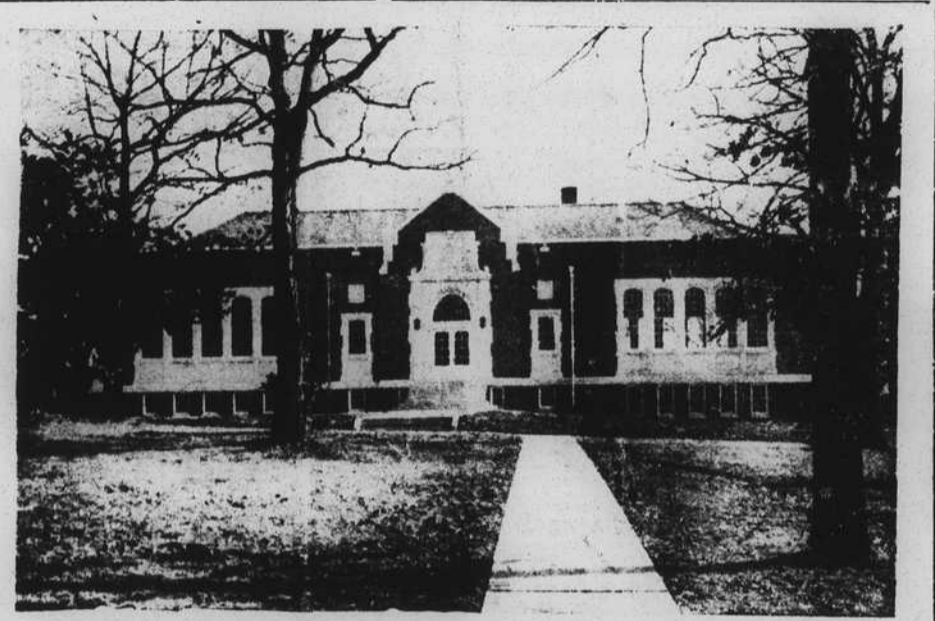
Baseball, tennis, and other games are provided for in the camp. Dancing also has its appointed place. Summer picnics are popular on the grounds, the outdoor oven contributing to the popularity of the camp as an outdoor eating and resting place for employees of the three mills.

Mr. Rudisill's interest in civic opportunities for employees of his mills grew out of his own experiences, he having worked his way up through the years to his present position.

The camp is expected to open about the first of June.

S. M. Butler, last year's president of the Southern Combed Yarn Spinners association is secretary-treasurer of the Rudisill mills and is associated with Mr. Rudisill in their operation.

## RUDISILL LIBRARY DEDICATED



The Carl Augustus Rudisill Library at Lenoir-Rhyne College the college's newest building, was dedicated Wednesday afternoon with the following program beginning at 4:30. Dr. P. E. Monroe, president, presiding.

Following a selection, "Lord of Spirits" by the college a cappella choir, Max R. Steelman presented a portrait of Carl A. Rudisill, of Cherryville for the Alumni association.

The portrait was unveiled by Mrs. T. W. Eorland, of Salisbury, and Lt. Ben R. Rudisill, Naval Air Corps, daughter and son of Mr. Rudisill.

Dr. Monroe accepted the portrait for the college, and Dr. M. L. Stirewalt, of Columbia, S. C., president of the Lenoir-Rhyne board of trustees, gave an address. The choir then sang "Beautiful Savior."

An address on "The Library, the Heart of the College" was made by Dr. R. L. Fritz. Dr. J. L. Morgan, of Salisbury, president of the United Evangelical Lutheran Synod of North Carolina, conducted the dedication. The choir concluded the program by singing "Benediction."

The dedication preceded the college commencement exercises which will formally open on Friday, May 28th.

A number of Cherryville people attended the dedication ceremony and several are planning on attending the commencement exercises.

## Women Who Have Volunteered Their Services In Surgical Dressing Room

- Mrs. R. H. Carroll 4
- Mrs. Orlando Hudson 2
- Mrs. Sallie Kirkpatrick 12 1/2
- Mrs. Melvin Leonhardt 4
- Miss Wilma London 6
- Mrs. Olivia H. Martin 4
- Mrs. E. E. McDowell 3 1/2
- Miss Christine Mauney 6
- Mrs. D. R. Mauney Sr. 8
- Mrs. D. P. McClure 9 1/2
- Mrs. L. C. McDowell 5 1/2
- Mrs. L. W. McGinnis 4
- Mrs. Margaret Mobley 10
- Miss Mary Mosteller 4
- Mrs. Virginia Passage 10
- Mrs. Kenneth Putnam 2
- Mrs. Jack Putnam 2
- Mrs. James Putnam 2
- Mrs. Jessie Randall 4
- Miss Julia Reifro 4
- Mrs. W. B. Rhyne 1 1/2
- Miss Vivian Rhyne 8
- Miss Margie Riddle 4
- Mrs. W. T. Robinson 3
- Mrs. Howard Robinson 5
- Miss Irene Sox 10
- Mrs. Ruth Sherrill 17 1/2
- Mrs. Hugh Sneed 2
- Miss Ruth Simpson 1 1/2
- Miss Katherine Stamey 1 1/2
- Mrs. W. F. Starnes 23 1/2
- Mrs. C. C. Stroupe 2 1/2
- Miss Katherine Stroupe 2
- Mrs. M. A. Stroupe 1 1/2
- Mrs. Steve Stroupe 2
- Miss Wilma Stroupe 5 1/2
- Mrs. Carlyle Summer 5
- Mrs. Lynn Walker 16 1/2
- Miss Kate Whitworth 4
- Mrs. John P. Wilson 8 1/2
- Mrs. Margaret Wilson 3 1/2
- Mrs. F. H. Wolfe 16
- Miss Louise Wyant 8
- Miss Sue Jenks 4
- Miss Betty Sue Bess 4
- Miss Mildred Cotb 4
- Red Cross Supervisors and their hours served
- Mrs. S. M. Butler 10
- Mrs. Howard K. Houser 7 1/2
- Miss Lunez Houser 24
- Mrs. William Houser 23 1/2
- Miss Marie Huss 33 1/2
- Mrs. D. R. Mauney Jr. 23 1/2
- Mrs. Henry Michael 19
- Mrs. J. T. Ramsaur 17 1/2
- Mrs. C. A. Rudisill 21
- Mrs. Edwin Rudisill 20 1/2
- Mrs. Robert Smith 10
- Miss Lavonia Rudisill 25 1/2

## Merchants To Join In Half-Holiday Drive

Homes Asked To Co-operate In Getting Tin Cans In Proper Shape For Collection.

### In Pennsylvania

PVT. LUTHER W. NEILL, 34595011-AF Undersigned APO 8775 c/o Postmaster New York, N. Y., is a son of Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Neill. He was inducted at Ft. Bragg in December, 1942 and later transferred to Camp Lee, Va., and from there was sent to Greenville, Pa. It has been about four weeks since he was last heard from and all probability he has been shipped.

### In California

PFC. ALVIN BOYD SWEATT, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Sweatt was inducted into the service on November 7, 1942. He was sent to Fort Bragg and later transferred to Burman, California. His address is Pfc. Alvin Boyd Sweatt, B-Battery 66th C. A. (A.A.) Culver City, California.



## First Baptist Church

10:00 A. M. Sunday School. Come along with your boy or girl to Sunday School. I know you can't do a better thing.

10:45 A.M. Special Cradle Roll Day Services. Fathers and mothers come with your babies, and every body in the church auditorium. (Note the time)

7:30 P. M. Training Service. This service is for you. We train in everything else, and if the Lord's work goes forward we must train for it.

8:30 P. M. Union service at the Presbyterian Church. Bro. Bobbly will preach.

Monday evening at 8:30 at the Baptist church there will be held the Union Missionary Service for Men, Women and Young people. Mrs. Bostick, the wife of a returned missionary will speak. Vacation Bible School time is here for boys and girls from four to seventeen years of age. Begins Monday morning at 8:00 o'clock and runs until 11:30 o'clock each morning for two weeks. The workers will meet this Friday P. M. at 3:00 o'clock and the boys and girls are asked to come at 4:00 o'clock this Friday afternoon to register, so we will be ready to go to work on Monday morning and not lose any time. Come and tell your neighbors to come. Plan now to not miss a day. Be on time.

## REVIVAL SERVICES AT PRESBYTERIAN

Revival services will begin Sunday, May 30th, at the First Presbyterian Church with Dr. Coleman O. Groves doing the preaching.

Services will be held daily beginning at 8:15 P. M. The public is cordially invited to attend. Good Gospel singing and Gospel preaching each night.

## ANTISMOKE ORDINANCE

GASTONIA, May 26.—Gastonia's city council met last night enacted an antismoke ordinance which became effective immediately. Its purpose is to abate the dense smoke nuisance by controlling the construction and installation of heating apparatus. The ordinance is patterned largely after Charlotte.

## DAILY VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL AT FIRST METHODIST CHURCH

Daily Vacation Bible School will begin at the First Methodist Church here, next Monday morning, May 31st. Standard courses will be offered all departments beginning with the Beginners and reaching through the Intermediate department. The courses being offered are as follows:

Beginners: Happy Times in our Church—Shields.

Let's Go Out-Of-Doors—Milton.

PRIMARY: Child Life in Bible Times—Taylor.

Bible Homes and Homes Today—Reed.

Juniors: Discovering the Lands of the Bible—Hazelwood.

The Land Where Jesus Lived—Spatt.

Intermediates: O Come Let Us Worship—Stinson.

The Instructors for the Beginners will be:

Mrs. Jimmy Blackwood, Miss Carolyn Beam, Mrs. Grier Beam, Instructors for Primary Department:

Mrs. J. W. George, Mrs. W. F. Starnes, Miss Jackie Black, Miss Eva Bess.

Instructors for Junior Department:

Mrs. Carl Carpenter, Mrs. Hugh Putnam, Miss Edith Hoyle, Instructors for Intermediate department:

Mrs. Hillard R. Harrelson, Mrs. T. A. Carter, Miss Catherine Stamey.

## EVERETTE HARRELSON PROMOTED TO PFC.

Everette V. Harrelson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Harrelson has finished his basic training at Keosauqua, Mississippi. He has been promoted from private to PFC, and sent to New Orleans, La., to enter the Army Air Force Technical Training Command Delegate Training School. Everette will be glad to hear from all his friends at the following address, PFC. Everette V. Harrelson, Class 163 A A F PTC, 15 City Park Ave., New Orleans, La.

## RATIONING OF NEW CARS WASHINGTON, May 26.

The Office of Price Administration today set a quota of 51,000 new passenger automobiles for rationing in June, an increase of 1,000 over May.

In addition OPA established reserves totaling 14,000 to fill demands that may develop in excess of 51,000.