

# CHERRYVILLE SCHOOLS TO OPEN, 18TH.

## Scrap Paper Drive Here Sunday Afternoon September Third

Beginning Sunday Afternoon at 2 o'clock

Drive To Be Conducted By American Legion Here; Everyone Asked To Cooperate.

The Waste Paper Drive will get underway here Sunday afternoon beginning at 2 o'clock. The drive will be conducted by members of the American Legion Tryon Post 100, assisted by volunteer workers and the trucks will be furnished by patriotic truck owners.

All card board boxes must be packed and tied into bundles. All newspapers must be folded and tied into bundles, and all old magazines stacked and tied into bundles and all be placed on the sidewalks in front of your home. All scrap paper must be tied up in sacks or into bundles separate from the other.

Rural communities are asked to bundle their paper and bring it to church on Sunday morning and it will be gathered from there. Any one who has paper and will be unable to carry it to church, if they will bring it to the band stand any day suitable to them it will be taken care of.

All business houses will be worked on Friday, September 1st, in order that their paper may be collected as the business establishments will be closed on Sunday.

Paper is badly needed and it is the patriotic duty of all citizens to salvage as much as possible for vital war material. Bundle your paper and have it ready and waiting on the curb, when the truck arrives on Sunday afternoon, September 3rd.

Although the American Legion are large in number, they will need volunteer workers to help load and unload the trucks. Who will volunteer to help? Report to W. C. Howell or J. Benjamin Dellinger, they will be glad to take your name and depend on your services Sunday afternoon.

Scrap paper has been designed as the greatest salvage need in the country today and those who help to provide the paper in this scrap drive are doing their country a great service.

### 2ND. LT. STARNES IS NOW STATIONED MARAUDER BASE

AN EIGHTH AAF COMPOSITE STATION, NORTHERN IRELAND — Second Lieutenant William F. Starnes of Cherryville is now stationed at this (B-26) Marauder base, where he is receiving advanced training under simulated combat conditions. This final phase of training is aimed at perfecting the airman's ship and tactics of the pilot, as applied to conditions peculiar to the European Theatre of Operations. When he leaves here to face "Jerry", he will have mastered the newest air war strategy.

Lt. Starnes is a pilot on one of the famous medium bombers that has played such havoc with German defense. He received his flying training at Lake Charles, La. He arrived in the European Theatre of Operations in July 1944.

Before he enlisted in the AAF in 1943, he was a student at North Carolina State College. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. William F. Starnes, live at Cherryville.

### Pfc. Paul Devine Seriously Wounded

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Devine received a telegram Friday from the War Department, their son Pfc. Paul Devine, stationed in England had been seriously wounded in action in France on August 11th. They also received a letter from their son on the following Monday, asking them not to worry and stated he was getting along OK.

Pfc. Devine entered the service in October and landed in England in May this year. He was with the Infantry in France. He has one brother in service, Pvt. Herman B. Devine in Virginia. Before entering the service he was employed with the Carolina Freight Carriers Corp.

### Killed In France



PVT. WILSON BYERS

Mrs. Wilma Byers of this place recently received a message from the War Department that her husband Pvt. Marshall Wilson Byers was killed in action in France on July 14th. Pvt. Byers was 30 years of age. He held an honorable discharge after four years in service in the U. S. Navy when war was declared and enlisted in an infantry division last January. Before going overseas the latter part of April he was in training at Fort Lewis, Washington; Fort Benning, Ga.; and Fort Jackson, S. C.

In addition to his wife who before marriage was Miss Wilma Shuford, daughter of A. R. Shuford and the late Mrs. Shuford of the Carlton Mill village, is his mother, Mrs. J. C. Byers and the following brothers and sisters: Mrs. E. C. Smith, Mrs. Albert Fox and A. C. Byers, all of Lincolnton.

### Gaston County Tuberculosis Association

The Gaston County Tuberculosis Association is getting set for real functioning. James W. Atkins, of Gastonia is President.

Board of Directors for Cherryville are: Mrs. Russell Boggs, Mrs. D. R. Mauney, Jr., Miss Mary Mosteller and Mrs. Edwin Rudisill.

The sole means of support of the association is the sale of Christmas Seals and Mrs. W. L. Balthis of Gastonia is Treasurer, and Mrs. May C. Nichols, the executive secretary in the office of the association at Room 408 National Bank of Commerce Building, receiving the as-yet-unexpected funds of other seal sales. With these funds, the committees will plan and carry out a program of tuberculosis control for all of Gaston County. They will, of course, work very closely in cooperation with the Health Department and with the doctors in private practice.

### Mrs. J. F. Greer Passes In California

Mrs. Bertha Black has received a message from San Bernardino, California, of the death of her niece, Mrs. J. F. Greer, who is a daughter of Rev. C. F. Wright. The body, accompanied by her husband and two small sons, is being shipped here for burial and is expected to arrive the last of this week.

### Kings Mtn. Benefit Horse Show Monday

Kings Mountain Benefit Horse Show sponsored by the Kings Mountain Lions Club will be held at the New Municipal Stadium in Kings Mountain on Monday, September 4th, Labor Day, beginning at 2:00 o'clock.

### 'Invasion Kid' Now Only Fifteen



He's only 15 but he's doing a man's job. This coast guard "Invasion Kid," Gerald W. Haddon, seaman second class, of Chicago, who has been under fire of battle and is a veteran of 13 landings on the Normandy beach, granted to be the youngest invader in the All forces. He enlisted when he was 14.

### MRS. ELIZABETH HOMESLEY STROUP LAID TO REST FRIDAY AFTERNOON

Mrs. Elizabeth Frances Homesley Stroup was laid to rest last Friday afternoon in the family plot at Mount Zion Baptist Church, under a mound of lovely flowers. Funeral services were conducted at the church at 4:00 o'clock with her pastor, Rev. E. S. Elliott of the First Baptist Church in charge, assisted by Rev. W. G. Cobb, pastor of St. John's Lutheran church.

Pall bearers were: John Homesley, Yates Homesley, Perry London, Preston Long, M. A. Stroup and Ralph Dover.

Flower bearers were neighbors and friends of the family. Mrs. Stroup was born in Cleveland county on May 17, 1855, a daughter of the late Benjamin and Mary Homesley and moved with her parents as a young girl to Gaston county. She was 89 years, 2 months and 7 days of age at the time of her death which occurred on Thursday afternoon about 3 o'clock, following an illness of four weeks, however she had been confined to a rolling chair for the past four years.

Mrs. Stroup was married to J. M. C. Stroup on November 28, 1871 who preceded her to the grave in 1928.

She united with the Mount Zion Baptist church and shortly after the organization of the First Baptist Church she transferred her membership here where she remained a true and faithful member.

A daughter, Mrs. Mollie Long, passed away in June of this year. Surviving are three children, Miss Sallie Stroup, Ben Stroup and John Steve Stroup, all of Cherryville, eight grandchildren, 12 great-grand children, one sister, Miss Texie Homesley and one brother, A. B. Homesley, all of Cherryville.

### MR. GEORGE BEAM PASSED AWAY WED.

Mr. George Beam, 82, died at his home Wednesday about noon, following a heart attack which he suffered on Tuesday about one o'clock while he was up street.

As we go to press the funeral arrangements are incomplete, pending the arrival of near relatives, but will probably be held about 4 o'clock Friday afternoon from the Wesleyan Methodist church with the body lying in state at the church for one hour prior to the service.

He is survived by the following children: Mrs. M. R. Harvey, High Point; W. D. Beam, Burlington; Mrs. J. D. Frye, Cherryville; Mrs. Ed Sclater of Washington, D. C. Also surviving are several grand-children and one brother, Jonas Beam, of Cherryville.

His wife preceded him to the grave about eleven years ago and one daughter, Mrs. Pearl Hoyle also preceded him several years ago.

### 95 YEARS OLD



UNCLE NATH ANTHONY

Uncle Nathan Anthony, Cherryville's oldest and most beloved citizen, will celebrate his 95th birthday anniversary at the home of his niece, Mrs. L. S. Stroupe, with whom he make his home, Saturday, September 2nd. Mr. Anthony is still strong and gets around well. He still makes frequent trips up town. Known as Uncle Nath by every one, his wishes are being carried out with no celebration, but just a quiet day at home.

### CHERRYVILLE RESPONDS TO POLIO

The drive that was carried on in Cherryville during the past two weeks has gone beyond all expectations with the total contributions to date amounting to \$615.13 in cash and contributions of five high chairs for the Polio hospital in Hickory.

All funds have been turned over to Mr. E. V. Moss at the Cherryville National Bank, and one check in the amount of \$582.13 has been remitted together with the five chairs and a balance of \$33.00 that has been collected since the first check was mailed is being held so that any other contributions that may be donated will be added to this and remitted during this week.

During the canvass of the town, there were several that made pledges to pay at a later date and if anyone has not taken care of their pledge, they are urged to do so at the Bank during this week so that all amounts can be submitted by the week-end.

There was no stipulated amount asked for Cherryville but the committee that staged the drive were in hopes that \$500.00 could be raised to send to the hospital. This amount was set as a goal at which to work toward, and with the contributions that have been turned in to date we have reached a figure of 123% of the goal.

Contributions to the Polio Fund:

- Carlton Yarn Mill \$25.00
- Nuway Spinning Co. 25.00
- Howell Mfg. Co. 25.00
- Rhyne-Houser Mfg. Co. 25.00
- Dora Yarn Mill 25.00
- American Legion 25.00
- Lions Club 25.00
- Town of Cherryville 25.00
- Woman's Club 10.00
- Carolina Freight Carriers 25.00
- Farmers Union 25.00
- Employees Rhyne-Houser 72.35
- Lutheran Church 38.55
- First Methodist Church 36.00
- Second Baptist Church 13.00
- Wesleyan Methodist 8.00
- Belk's 5.00
- Cherryville Nat'l. Bank 15.00
- Roses 10.00
- Allen Drug Co. 5.00
- Kester-Groome 3.00
- City Market 2.00
- Houser Grocery 2.00
- Putnam Hardware Co. 20.00
- McGinnis Grocery 10.00
- Galloways Dept. Store 1.00
- Dellinger Jewel Shop 15.00
- Modern Dry Cleaners 1.00
- Coleys Shoe Shop 1.00
- Eakers Dairy 1.00
- Ritz Cafe 2.00
- Eagle Publishing Co. 10.00
- Elite Beauty Shop 4.00
- Beam's Inn 1.00
- Sullivan Motors 10.00
- Homesley Chevrolet Co. 10.00
- Roy & Troy 15.00
- Goldiner's 5.00
- Sanitary Market 15.00

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### Plans Being Completed For Opening Day

Superintendent W. F. Starnes Announces List Of Teachers White And Colored

#### In France



PFC. GEORGE W. FRYE

Pfc. George W. Frye, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jessie David Frye has been in Ireland for the past eight months. He sailed in December, 1943 and has recently been sent to France. Pvt. Frye entered the army October 2, 1941 and received his basic training at Camp Wheeler, Georgia. He wishes his friends to write him. His address is: Pfc. George W. Frye, 34171293, Hq. Co. 3 Bn. 121st Inf. APO 8 c/o Post Master, New York, N. Y.

### Stores Will Continue To Close At Present

James L. Putnam, Jr., president of the Cherryville Merchants Association announced today, by a general agreement with the merchants, the stores would remain closed on Tuesday afternoons for the present.

### Cherryville Horse Show Scheduled For September 26th

The second annual Tri-County Horse Show, including Gaston, Cleveland and Lincoln counties, being sponsored by the Cherryville Club of Lions will be held on Tuesday, September 26th, at the High School Ball Park. The show will start at 1:00 o'clock.

Manager and Ringmaster, Beck Moehlman of Conover. Last year, the first tri-county horse show proved to be a success and this year it is expected to be even better. Committees have been appointed to make arrangements for the show with more and better entries than before.

### The Rangers Quartett Coming To Baptist

The Rangers Quartette of WBT Charlotte will appear at the First Baptist Church Sunday night at 8:30 o'clock and give a program of sacred hymns. This program is being sponsored by W. Blaine Beam and the American Legion, Tryon Post No. 100. The public is cordially invited.

### Pfc. George Hovis Reported Wounded

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The Cherryville Schools, as previously announced, will open Monday, September 18th at 9:00 A. M. for the reception of pupils. The State Board of Education, however, has made it possible to have two full days of preparation prior to this opening date at which time all teachers and principals will be given an opportunity to make constructive plans for the new year. All teachers will report to the High School Building on Thursday, September 14th at 9:00 A. M. Conferences, meetings, etc. will be held on this and the following day. The following is a complete list of the teachers:

#### HIGH SCHOOL

D. O. Rudisill, Prin., Science.  
Mrs. E. E. McDowell, Math.  
Mrs. Vera B. Hoyle, English.  
Julia S. Renfro, Soc. Sci.  
Mrs. H. R. Harrelson, Latin, Fr.  
Erskine W. Carson, Eng. Band, Phys. Ed.  
Henson Quinn, History, Phys. Ed.

Mary Frances Hord, Commercial.

Katherine Stamey, Home Ec.  
R. C. Sharpe, Agriculture  
**ELEMENTARY NO. 1**  
John L. Beach, 7th grade.  
Sarah Workman, 6th grade.  
Louise Yarrant, 7th grade.  
Lennie Wyant, 6th grade.  
Mrs. Marian Houser, 6th grade.  
Mrs. Maude Carter, 5th grade.  
Altonia Beam, 4th grade.  
Mrs. Hunter Carroll, 3rd grade.  
Mrs. Ruth Sherrill, 1st grade.  
Kate Whitworth, 2nd grade.  
Mrs. Grace B. Crocker, 1st.

#### ELEMENTARY NO. 2

Irene Sox, Prin., 1st grade  
Mary Mosteller, 1st grade.  
Ruth Black, 2nd grade.  
Mrs. Mary H. Doggett, 2nd.  
Mrs. Velma Homesley, 3rd.  
Mrs. Janie C. Hall, 3rd.  
Mrs. Pauline Beam, 4th.  
Janet Hobbs, 4th.  
Mrs. Ruth Porter, 5th.  
Carolyn Allen, 5th.  
Minnie Coleman, Public School Music.

### JOHN CHAVIS, Colored

W. H. Green, Principal.  
W. B. Howell.  
Mrs. Evelyn M. Fleming  
Walter E. Bess  
Edwina Simpson  
H. W. Reid  
Mrs. Nettie M. Wray  
Matilda Hairston  
Mrs. Charlotte Byers  
Mrs. Dorothy M. Smith

### GLENN LEONARD WITH CARLTON OFFICE FORCE

Glenn Leonard, originally from Lincolnton, but who for the past several years has been employed and residing in Charlotte, has become a member of the Carlton Yarn Mills' Office force, succeeding Bob Smith. Mr. and Mrs. Leonard expect to move into our community as soon as they can secure a suitable home. Cherryville welcomes these young people into our midst.

### Hickory Polio Hospital Good One

Dr. Edward A. Piszczek, Head of the Public Health Unit of Cook County, Illinois, and Director of the new Hickory "polio" emergency hospital, spoke in Boone Friday night to a meeting of citizens on the "polio" epidemic in America. Some of the encouraging and interesting things said by Dr. Piszczek were that no cases of "polio" have developed in Watauga County for the past two months; that the hospital at Hickory is able to give as good treatment as can be given in Chicago; that the best protection against "polio" is good, vigorous health; that over a period of years, the epidemic area shifts from one other—that it seems now to be part of the United States to be shifting from North Carolina.