

CHERRYVILLE BEHIND IN BOND PURCHASES

Federation Of Music Clubs Here Saturday

Southern District Of N. C. Federation Music Clubs Held At School Auditorium Saturday.

There were some 125 Juniors, Counselors, Executives and friends at the Twentieth Annual Meeting of Junior Music Clubs in Cherryville last Saturday.

PASSES



A. FOX CRAFT

Funeral Services For A. Fox Craft Sunday

Funeral services were conducted Sunday afternoon at 4:15 from Bess' Chapel Church for A. Fox Craft, prominent farmer of the North Brook section who died at his home Saturday morning about 4 o'clock, following a short illness.

Mr. Craft was born March 9, 1860 being 85 years, 8 months and 1 day old. He was a native and life-long resident of Lincoln county. On November 30th, 1882 he was married to Miss Mary Frances Shell, and to this union were born three children. Two of the children preceded him to the grave in infancy.

Following the death of his wife he was married to Mrs. Alice Beam Jenkins on May 5, 1910.

Mr. Craft was the son of the late David and Ann Leonard Craft, he being the last living member of the four children who were the following: Worth W. Craft, Logan Craft, and Mrs. Susan Craft Dellinger all preceding him in death.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Alice Jenkins Craft, one daughter, Mrs. Marvin Howell, one stepdaughter, Mrs. Clay Harrelson both of Cherryville and one adopted son, Calvin Deitz of Lincolnton. Also surviving are six grand children and fourteen great grand children.

3 Anthony Brothers In The Service

Mr. and Mrs. N. L. Anthony have three sons in the service, one home with discharge.

Pfc. Parly F. Anthony has received his discharge and returned home. He landed in the states on October 16th, after serving overseas twenty-six months in the European Theatre of War and three years in the service. He has resumed his work at the Rex Mill in Gastonia.

Pvt. Bill Anthony was overseas eight months in the European Theatre of War. He has been in the service sixteen months and has recently spent a furlough here with his parents. Pvt. Athony reported back to a base in Kentucky.

Alton Anthony the third brother is in the Merchant Marines. He has been in the South Pacific for six months and is expected home for Christmas.

Lutheran Church Buys Carillon Bells

St. John's Lutheran Church, Cherryville, has let contract for set of carillon bells. These bells are to be in honor of the Glory of God and in memory of those of our congregation who made the supreme sacrifice in the war and in honor of those called into the service of our country.

Thanksgiving Service

The Thanksgiving Union Service will be held at the First Baptist Church on Thursday, November 22nd, "Thanksgiving Day," at 10 o'clock in the morning. The Presbyterians will be in charge of the service with Lt. Col. George L. Riddle, delivering the sermon. The public is cordially invited to attend this service.

AMERICAN LEGION ARMISTICE DAY PROGRAM-BANQUET

Tryon Post No. 100, American Legion, had its annual Armistice Day program and banquet on Monday evening, November 12th, at 7 o'clock at the Cherryville School Cafeteria. Approximately 180, including Legionnaires, and their families, service men and women, their families and friends of World War I and World War II, attended this Victory Armistice supper.

Patriotic decorations, including small American flags and red, white and blue crepe paper interspersed with Chrysanthemums and roses were used in the cafeteria.

Mr. W. C. Howell was master of ceremonies. The pledge of allegiance to the American flag was given after which "America" was sung. The Invocation was given by Lieutenant Colonel George L. Riddle. During the banquet, the Cherryville High School Band, under the direction of E. W. Carson, bandmaster, furnished patriotic music.

A delicious dinner, consisting of turkey with all the trimmings, ice cream and cake was prepared and served by the members of the American Legion Auxiliary. Following the dinner Lieutenant Colonel George L. Riddle, who has recently received his discharge, spoke on his experiences while overseas in the European Theatre of War. Mr. J. O. Barrett, of Salisbury, was also a speaker of the evening. Mr. Barrett, who had five sons in the service in World War II, made a patriotic and timely address that was very impressive.

Others making short talks were Commander W. Blaine Beam; Mayor E. V. Moss; I. P. Long; Ben R. Rudisill and J. T. Allen; Miss Helen Mauney, president of the American Legion Auxiliary, made a few short remarks.

Mr. Howell, the toastmaster, recognized different groups by asking them to stand as follows: All soldiers present in uniform, all soldiers of World War II, all mothers of World War II; and then all the sweethearts of World War II, to which there was no response.

At last he asked the veterans of World War I to stand. When the Gold Star mothers were asked to stand there were only two present, who were Mrs. Belle Mauney and Mrs. N. A. Wright.

Mrs. Belle Mauney, a Gold Star mother of World War I and Mrs. N. A. Wright, a Gold Star Mother of World War II, were each presented a gift from the American Legion Auxiliary. Mrs. L. L. Sumner, a member of the Auxiliary, presented the gifts and made impressive remarks expressing the appreciation of the Gold Star Mothers.

The veterans of World War I and veterans of World War II, and soldiers still in uniform participated in a cake walk. W. Blaine Beam won the delicious cake which was baked and given by Mrs. Belle Mauney, Gold Star Mother, who bakes a cake each year for this occasion.

Commander W. Blaine Beam wishes to thank all those who helped to make this banquet a success. He wishes to thank especially the members of the American Legion Auxiliary for the fine turkey dinner which was served and Mrs. Belle Mauney for the delicious cake which was used for the cake-walk. Mr. Beam is also grateful for the interest being manifested in the American Legion by the young veterans of World War II and greatly appreciated their presence at the banquet.

Sgt. Homer Smith Home With Discharge

Sgt. Homer Smith arrived home Thursday with his discharge. Sgt. Smith received his discharge from Fort Bragg after arriving in the states on November 4th, from overseas. He spent two years and two months in the European Theatre of War and was in the service three years and fourteen days. Sgt. Smith is the son of Mrs. John A. Smith and the late Mr. Smith. After January 1st, he will assume his duties with the Lance Packing Company in High Point where he was employed before entering the service.

Wesleyan Methodist Church

Rev. Sterl Phinney, a returned Missionary from South America, will speak at the Wesleyan Methodist church Tuesday, November 20th, at 7:00 P. M.

The public is cordially invited to attend this service. R. L. PHILLIPS, Pastor

Picture of a One-Man Bond Drive



IN ACTION.—Harry B. Smith, sports editor emeritus of a San Francisco newspaper, shown in action in his one-man War Bond campaign in the 7th loan when he sold \$5,933,793—one-ninth of all War Bonds purchased in that city in that period. He is positive he will do as well in the Victory Loan.

Subscriptions And Renewals To Eagle

Subscriptions and renewals to the Eagle this week include the following:

C. B. Homesley, Mrs. Martin L. Rudisill, Frank Putnam, Miss Jane Allen Butler, H. W. Dixon, Stowe Carpenter, Mrs. W. R. Crocker, James Homesley, L. A. Cabiniss, D. A. Dellinger, Ambros Hendrick, Harvey Heavener, Cary Kendrick, J. E. Dellinger, Clyde Martin, Olin L. Mauney, Miss Ettie Dellinger, J. T. Queen, Mrs. Lora Sorrell, Jeanette Kisei, Faye Whitesides, J. Sid Carpenter, Sgt. J. C. Dellinger, Ed George, R. B. Randall, Pearly F. Anthony, Lucy Blackwood, J. W. Blackwelder, J. A. Self, Fred S. Smith, W. A. Hoover, E. W. Naylor, L. J. Mauney, Myrtle Carpenter, Mrs. Charles Morrison, S. E. Kendrick, C. F. Robinson, Mrs. J. D. Campbell, Susan Conner, I. J. Lee, W. C. Hicks, J. Carl Beam, Mrs. W. B. Putnam, Mrs. John A. Smith, Arthur Carpenter, T. A. Carter, Miss Velma Beam, E. M. Hardin, David S. Neill, P. B. Browne, Oliver McSwain, Hal Smith, Will Neill, W. Perry Sellers, Gary Seism, Hugh M. Moss and Mary C. Nichols.

Paul Edward Cook Struck By Hit And Run Driver Sat. Nite

Paul Edward Cook, 9-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Cooke, is reported to be improving in the Lincolnton Hospital, after being struck by a hit and run car on Highway 150 in front of his home one mile west of town Saturday night.

It was reported the boy was carried about 90 feet by the automobile and left lying in the highway.

State Highway Patrolman H. D. Ward said his investigation revealed that the car which struck the boy was probably a 1935 Ford. The driver of the car has not been located or identified.

Buck Carpenter Gets Discharge

FT. McLELLAN, ALA.—Nov. Technician Fourth Grade Thomas B. Carpenter of 204 S. Jacobs St., Cherryville, North Carolina, was recently honorably discharged from the Army at the Ft. McClellan Separation Point.

T. B. Carpenter served in the Panama Canal Zone for a period of 15 months with the 14th Infantry.

He has returned to his home in Cherryville.

GEORGES MOVED BACK TO CHERRYVILLE TUESDAY

Mr. and Mrs. Don George moved back to Cherryville from Charlotte last Tuesday. Mr. George will continue his work with the Queen City Bus Station in Charlotte and Mrs. George will resume her work at the Elite Beauty Salon. Mr. and Mrs. George's many friends welcome them back to Cherryville.

FT. EUGENE MCGINNIS LANDED IN SEATTLE

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene McGinnis, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. Webb McGinnis landed in Seattle, Washington Saturday after 44 months in Australia, New Guinea and in the Philippines. 4 T McGinnis is expected to arrive home in about three weeks on a furlough.

4 Sons In Service; 3 Gets Discharge

Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Hendricks of Dallas, Route 1, have four sons in the service with three being recently discharged.

Pfc. Paul Hendrick has been in the Navy for three years with 18 months overseas in the South Pacific. Pfc. Hendrick received his discharge in September and is now in Newport News, Va.

1st Sgt. Ben Hendricks received his discharge October 1st, after serving in the Army for five years with 23 months across in the European Theatre of War. Sgt. Hendricks is now working in Sicily.

1st Sgt. Seth Hendricks was discharged November 1st, and is now in Iowa. He was in the service five years and three months but did not do overseas duty.

Pvt. Carroll Hendricks is stationed in Hallendale, Florida and has been in the Army for two years. He is expected to come home soon on a furlough but will not have his discharge.

E. H. Houser At Home With Discharge

Emmett Holt Houser arrived home last Thursday, November 8 with an honorable discharge from the army. Emmett was inducted on April 17, 1942, and received his basic training at Camp Shelby, Mississippi. For about six months he was stationed in Bucyrus, Ohio. In December, 1942, he sailed for North Africa, and served with the Medical Detachment of the 753rd Railway Shop, Battalion in North Africa, Naples, Rome, and Salerno, Italy, until July of this year.

On July 22, 1945, he sailed via the Panama Canal to the Philippine Islands and was scheduled to have taken part in the invasion of Japan. He was stationed near Manila until his return to the States about two weeks ago. Having received his discharge at Ft. Bragg, Emmett made his first visit home last week in three years and seven months.

Stores To Close For Thanksgiving, 22nd.

Thursday, November 22nd, has been proclaimed Thanksgiving Day in North Carolina. All stores and business establishments will be closed all day in observance of the Legal Holiday. It is also announced through the Cherryville Merchants Association the stores will also be closed as usual on Tuesday afternoon, November 20th. All housewives are urged to take notice and give their usual full co-operation by buying their needs during opening hours.

The Association also announced the merchants will close two days to the Christmas Holidays, December 25th, and December 26th.

SGT. J. I. PAYNE RECEIVES DISCHARGE

Sgt. J. I. Payne returned home Monday from Scott Field, Illinois with his discharge. Sgt. Payne has been in the service for three and one half years. He and Mrs. Payne, and children are at the home of Mrs. Paynes parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Mauney, Sr., at the present.

SGT. BILLY BEAM ARRIVED HOME WED.

Sgt. Billy Beam, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Beam arrived home Wednesday, after spending three weeks in the Aleutian Islands.

Chm. Mauney Urges More E Bond Buying

We Must Not Fail In The Final And Last Victory Drive; Buy Your Bond Today.

Gov. Cherry Set Date For Thanksgiving

Raleigh, Nov. 13. — Governor Cherry has proclaimed November 22 as Thanksgiving and called upon "the people of our State to renew their allegiance to the ideals and principles upon which our republic was founded."

"Not only for our bountiful harvest are we thankful at this season," the Governor said. "In the hearts of millions of American parents there is the deeper note of thanksgiving for our recent complete victory and the return of many of our sons to their homes. Furthermore, the hope of a durable peace is stronger than ever before in world history. For these things let us give thanks."

"Two symbols should mark the observance of this Thanksgiving day. One is the flag of our nation to which new luster has been added by countless deeds of heroism in the recent war in which our nation engaged. The other is the Bible, which is the foundation of our religious life and to which the people of the nation are turning in ever increasing numbers for guidance and consolation."

"There is every reason for a general expression of thanks and gratitude on the part of our people, and it is hoped that more generally than ever before the people of this state and nation will observe this significant event."

"The government needs the money to bring service men home and to liquidate the huge war machine, and the people of Cherryville will not fail to participate and do their part."

"The purchase of war bonds is a profitable investment even from a selfish standpoint, and this is the citizens final opportunity to obtain these high interest, government insured investments. The drive will come to a close on December 8th, three weeks from now."

Pvt. J. W. Jenkins Home With Discharge

Pvt. J. W. Jenkins returned home last Friday night with his discharge. Pvt. Jenkins returned to the States on September 2nd, after being overseas twenty-seven months. He served in North Africa and in Italy. He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph D. Jenkins.

Marlow Dellinger Choir To Sing

The Marlow Dellinger Choir will sing at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Morrow, Sr., in the Home Community Sunday afternoon, November 18th, at 3 o'clock. This will be in connection with prayer meeting. The public is cordially invited to attend.

Cpl. Floyd Queen Gets His Discharge

Corporal Floyd Queen has returned home with his discharge after being overseas for eight months. He was a prisoner of War in Germany for about four months and has been in service thirty-three months. He is a son of Mrs. Marie Queen.

SURPRISE BIRTHDAY FOR MR. HICKS

The Sunday School Class of Mr. B. C. Hicks honored him Saturday with a surprise picnic supper on the occasion of his birthday Anniversary. The class gathered at his home last Saturday evening and a picnic dinner was spread and hot coffee made. An enjoyable social hour was spent.

Mr. Hicks received many lovely gifts. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Hicks, Rev. and Mrs. L. P. Barnette, Mrs. H. P. Craft, Mrs. E. C. Sullivan, Mrs. James L. Beam, Mrs. Frank Wright, Mrs. Sallie Kirkpatrick, Mrs. Walter Beam, Mrs. Jennie Lineberger, Mrs. J. Lloyd Beam, Mrs. B. B. Brackett, Mrs. Albert Hallman and Freda Kelly.

MR. AND MRS. G. I. F. BEAM HONORED SUNDAY

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Beam, honored the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. Lee Beam, at a birthday dinner Sunday, November 11th, at their home on North Mountain Street. The occasion is an annual affair. Mr. Beam's birthday is November 2nd and Mrs. Beam's is November 11th.

The dining table was covered with a handsome line cloth and pink roses in a crystal vase was used as the centerpiece. Covers were laid for Mr. and Mrs. Beam, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Beam, Mr. and Mrs. Alfonso Beam, Mr. and Mrs. Yates Beam, Mrs. Jennie Lineberger, Mrs. J. Lloyd Beam, Patricia Beam, Max Beam, Gail Beam, Lynn Beam, and Adrienne Beam.

A delicious dinner was served.

D. R. Mauney, Sr. Chairman of the Victory Loan Campaign reported that the bond sale in Cherryville, especially the "E" Bonds, was had behind and urged every one to buy more "E" Bonds.

The Victory Loan Campaign, final bond sales effort, has an \$11,000,000,000 goal over all goal, with Cherryville's quota of \$57,000.00 in "E" Bonds.

Mr. Mauney, in reporting on bond sales, urged all citizens to purchase to the limit of their ability.

"We have made excellent records in the first seven bond campaigns and we should not fail to meet and exceed our quota in the Victory campaign as much a tribute to the men who fought as anything else."

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"Iron Men" To Play Last Home Game Friday With Marion Hi

The local "Ironmen" will play Marion here Friday afternoon for their last home game of the season. The local "Ironmen" have had a good season so far this year as they have won 5 games and lost three. Being the least team in the conference, both in size and weight, the "Ironmen" have set a good record and the people of Cherryville are proud of them.

This being the last home game, we are expecting a large crowd of fans out to see the "Ironmen" turn in another good game.

The "Ironmen" are determined to give their fans another thrilling game as they have promised their coaches, Carson and Quinn, that they will be out fighting Friday and promises Marion a good battle.

Come out and see "Swiftly (100 yard dash) Rudisill and his twin, Quinn help their teammates bring in another victory. Game Time: 3:30 P. M. Admission: 25c and 50c

Rev. George Riddle Resumes Pastorate At Presbyterian

Lieutenant Colonel George L. Riddle, chaplain with the 82nd Airborne Division, is on terminal leave from the army, and will resume his former pastorate, the Cherryville Presbyterian Church, next Sunday. Rev. Mr. Riddle and family expect to move into the manse about the first of December.

Chaplain Riddle has been back in the United States a year or so following wounds received in the 82nd parachute jump into Holland. He served with the airborne outfit through Africa, Sicily, Italy and France and Holland. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Riddle, of the Bethel section.

G. A. Coronation Services At Baptist

The Girls Auxiliary of the W. M. S. of the First Baptist Church will have a Coronation Service Sunday night, November 18th., at the regular preaching hour, 7:15. This service is to recognize girls who are advancing on the "King's Pathway of Service and Study." Everyone is cordially invited to attend this service.

"Home Coming" at Full Gospel Church

The Cherryville Full Gospel Church will present "Home Coming" by the young people under the direction of Mrs. M. M. Hulsey, Thursday night, November 22nd at 7:30 o'clock.

The public is cordially invited to attend.