

CHERRYVILLE SCHOOLS TO OPEN AUGUST 30

Federal Land Bank Loans Closed Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 1955

Carlton Drops To Second After 2-0

Long-term farm mortgage loans made by The Federal Land Bank of Columbia during the fiscal year which ended June 30, 1955, totaled more than \$24,000,000, according to information received by Mr. Neal M. Craig, President of the Charlotte National Farm Loan Association, from Bank officials. This is the largest volume of loans closed by the Columbia bank in its 38-year history with the exception of 1934 when the Bank loaned nearly \$30,000,000.

The loans were distributed among the four states comprising The Third Farm Credit District as follows: Georgia, \$8,200,000.00; North Carolina, \$7,200,000.00; South Carolina, \$5,000,000.00; and Florida, \$3,700,000.00.

The average size loans rose from \$4,400.00 the previous year to \$5,200.00 which is further evidence of the need for increased credit in financing the average farm enterprise.

Secretary John F. Gaylord reported that Land Bank loans thru the National Farm Loan Bank during the past year totaled approximately \$404,000,000, an increase over the \$360,000,000 of the previous year.

The association makes loans for the Columbia bank in Mecklenburg, Gaston and Lincoln Counties. Such loans can be had for any purpose related to the farm or farmer and his family. The association, which is completely farmer-owned, has assets totalling \$65,744,000, of which \$44,500.00 represents member-invested capital.

Officers and directors of the local association in addition to President Neal M. Craig and Secretary John F. Gaylord are Mr. C. N. Baker, Mr. Carl K. Petty, Mr. Will S. Torrence and Mr. Burton E. Houser, directors and Miss Dorothy Moore, Assistant Secretary-Treasurer.

Cherryville Chapter No. 156, Order of the Eastern Star met in regular session on Thursday night, July 21st, at 8 o'clock in the Masonic Temple at which time they were honored with the attendance of the District Deputy Grand Matron, Mrs. Alice Callis of Bessemer City and District Deputy Grand Patron, W. R. Huskins of Gastonia, of the 17th District, Order of the Eastern Star.

Mrs. Ethelyn Robinson, Worthy Matron, presided at the meeting, assisted by T. A. Carter, Worthy Patron.

After the introduction of the distinguished guests, Mrs. Alice Callis gave a speech with a special respect to the flag and the Order of the Eastern Star.

An Honorary membership was presented to Mrs. Callis. Mr. Huskins commended the officers for the fine way in which the work was being carried on.

During the social hour the group gathered in the dining hall where delightful refreshments were served by the refreshment committee. Here Mrs. Callis and Mr. Huskins were presented with gifts from the chapter.

Guests from Gastonia, Lincoln and Bessemer City were present.

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Ground Observers On Duty Sunday

Ground Observers throughout the two Carolinas will be on duty Sunday, August 7th, from 9 A. M. till 9 P. M. as part of a M. test exercise designated as "Sky Train VI".

"Skytrain VI" is one of the monthly exercises conducted by Eastern Air Defense Force. The monthly exercise involves all States on the Eastern Coast from Maine to Florida.

The purpose of the exercise is to increase the operational efficiency of the ground observer corps. During the exercise, aircraft will fly low level simulated missions. These missions are designed to test the effectiveness of the civilian ground observers in reporting unidentified air craft.

The aircraft which will be participating in the exercise on the 9th of August are commercial, military and civilian cap planes. Reports from observation posts will be forwarded to the Charlotte Filter Center, which will in turn notify higher air force headquarters.

In the event an unidentified aircraft is reported, Jet Interceptors will be "scrambled" to identify the aircraft.

The monthly exercises are designed to increase interest in the ground observer corps. The ground observer corps is dangerously undermanned at this time.

Anyone who is interested in guarding our Nation from a possible enemy attack and aiding our own aircraft in event of emergency should contact the local Civil Defense Director, or write to the Commander of the Charlotte Filter Center, 101 North Graham Street, Charlotte, N. C.

SELECT JURORS FOR SUPERIOR COURT TERM

NAMES of jurors drawn for service during the one week of criminal superior court beginning September 19 are the following: Julian B. Hall, 116 East Glenale, Mt. Holly; W. J. Shires, 1402 East Ozark Avenue, Morris Dellinger, Cherryville, R-2; Ray B. Albright, Bessemer City, R-2; James Carico, Bessemer City, R-2; C. N. Tate, Mt. Holly, R-1; Woodrow D. Morris, Stanley, R-1; J. P. Frost, 1217 Bakers Boulevard, Hurler, Cherryville, R-2; Otis G. Adams, Box 274, Stanley; Lewis L. Warren, Gastonia, R-2; William B. Rhyne, Dallas, R-1; Boyce R. Lowery, Bessemer City, R-1; Carl W. Welch, Jr., Box 302; Warren Jackson, 622 West Broadway avenue; E. B. Robinson, Jr., Gastonia, R-2; T. T. James, Bessemer City; Jerry Rice, Gastonia, R-4; R. J. Wagstaff, Box 158, Mt. Holly; T. L. Setzer, Mt. Holly, R-1; A. L. Crawford, Kings Mountain, R-1; Robert Robinson, Kings Mountain, R-1; Fred Bridges, Kings Mountain, R-1; Vance Pressley, 402 Osceola street.

Mrs. Lillian C. Timberlake, Box 1094, W. A. Wright, Mt. Holly; Leonard Ramsey, Smyre Station; Miles F. Allen, South Marietta street; Noah Mason, 112 West Lincoln avenue; Sidney Blanton, Kings Mountain, R-3; E. H. Rhyne, Gastonia, R-2; R. L. Beckham, Box 461, Mt. Holly.

W. M. Williams, Victory Station; H. B. Riley, Box 631, Mt. Holly; Fred Setzer, 229 East Main street, Bessemer City; Gray McDonald, Stanley, R-1; T. R. Powell, Box 9, Stanley; E. D. Wells, 51 Jones street; B. Palmer Dellinger, 207 North Pink street, Cherryville; and Dennis Scott, 1817 East Gum street.

Services At First Baptist Church Sun.

Rev. W. L. Heath, Associate Pastor of the First Baptist Church of Lumberton, N. C., will speak at both the morning and evening worship service of the First Baptist Church, Sunday, August 7th.

Everyone is cordially invited to attend these services and all the services of the church.

SUNDAYS

9:45 a.m.—Sunday School
11:00 a.m.—Morning Worship Service
6:15 p.m.—Training Union
7:30 p.m.—Evening Worship Service

Wednesdays
7:30 p.m.—Midweek Prayer Service

Public Health Officers Return

Mrs. Maude Eaker and Mrs. Eliza Quinn, Public Health Nurses of Gaston County Health Department returned Friday from Chapel Hill where they attended class at the University, conducted by the North Carolina School of Public Health.

Their course was on tuberculosis in a "Special Fields" Program. Mrs. Eaker and Mrs. Quinn give most of their time to tuberculosis cases, finding and rehabilitation of TB patients in Gaston County.

Revival At Shady Grove Aug. 7-13

A revival meeting will be held at Shady Grove Baptist Church beginning on Sunday, August 7 and continuing through Aug. 13.

Guest minister for these services will be Rev. Leslie Bookout, pastor of the Benton Heights Baptist Church in Monroe, N. C. Rev. Bookout is a native of Cherryville and is well known in this area.

The public is cordially invited to attend each service at 7:45 in the evening.

Revival Meeting At North Brook Church

A revival meeting is being held at North Brook Baptist Church, beginning Sunday, July 31st, and continuing through this week.

Services Held For Nannie Hallman

Funeral services for Miss Nannie Hallman, 65, who died Friday morning, were held last Saturday at Carpenters' Funeral Home here.

Burial was made in the Lutheran Cemetery at St. John's Lutheran Church. Services were conducted by the Rev. Burley Turner, pastor of Waco Baptist Church.

Miss Hallman was a native of Cleveland County, the daughter of the late J. A. and Alla Hallman of Waco.

She is survived by a brother, J. M. Hallman of Waco; a sister, Mrs. D. M. Carpenter of Waco; 2 step-sisters, Mrs. S. M. King of Hendersonville and Mrs. M. A. Putnam of Lincolnton; and a stepbrother, D. C. Hallman of Henry River.

Six Steps To Survival Outlined by Defense

Family Self-Protection Leaflets Are Being Distributed In North Carolina.

RALEIGH, July 27.—If an enemy attacked today, would you know what to do?

General Edward F. Griffin, State Civil Defense Director, disclosed today that thousands of copies of a leaflet called "Six Steps To Survival" are available through the State Defense Council, to citizens in all sections of the state.

"The leaflet is simple and informative," General Griffin said, "supplying the basic answers to the problems of family self-protection in the Hydrogen Age. All local Civil Defense directors have copies of the leaflets and they are available on a great many have already been shipped."

Following, in condensed form are some of the survival instructions contained in the leaflet:

Prepare your family for emergency: The family is the main spring of civil defense. Get your family to work as a team in preparing for emergencies—whether from enemy attack or local disaster. Take the Red Cross First Aid and Home Nursing Courses. Keep a first-aid kit handy and well stocked. Lay in enough emergency food and water to sustain your family for a week. Keep this supply in your home shelter, and rotate or replace regularly to keep fresh. A flashlight, a battery-operated radio, a can opener, first-aid supplies, and emergency food and sanitation facilities should be kept there, too.

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Know the Conelrad Stations: At the first indication of enemy bombers approaching the United States, all television and FM radio stations will go off the air. All standard (AM) stations will likewise go silent. The Conelrad stations, 640 or 1240, are your surest and fastest means of getting emergency civil defense information and instructions. Mark those numbers on your radio set—now!

Follow these Evacuation Principles: The best protection against atomic or hydrogen bombs is don't be there! In major cities, where there is sufficient warning time, this means pre-attack evacuation. Instructions for the United States are being broadcast frequently following the Alert Signal. You will be told what evacuation route to take. Take enough suitable clothing and emergency food supplies with you.

BUILD A HOME SHELTER: Here are three reasons why everyone should have a home shelter: 1. In a sneak attack, or where there is insufficient warning for evacuation, any shelter is better than no shelter. 2. If you live far enough outside a target area to be relatively safe from blast and fire, there is still a chance you will be subjected to radioactive fallout from the bomb cloud. Even homes 150 miles or more downwind from major cities may lie in the possible fallout zone. 3. Home shelters are also good safety insurance against tornadoes and other types of natural disasters.

The best protection against radioactive fallout is an outdoor shelter covered by at least three feet of earth, and with a suitable device to filter out the dust. If you think you have some of the radioactive dust on you, take no chances—remove your outer clothing and bathe exposed parts immediately using strong soap if possible.

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A Revival meeting will begin at Sunny Side Baptist Church on the Bessemer City-Cherryville Highway, beginning Monday, August 8th, and continuing for two weeks. Services each evening at 7:30 o'clock.

Rev. Clyde Reep of Lincolnton will do the preaching and special singing will be rendered by the Summit Trio of Gastonia. Other singers are invited.

The public is invited to attend. Rev. George Willis, is the pastor.

THE TREXLER ON VACATION

Rev. and Mrs. Leroy C. Trexler and children, Nancy and Leroy, Jr., are on their vacation during the month of August. They are spending the first of the month in Columbia, S. C., with Mrs. Trexler's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Shealy.

Mr. Trexler will attend the National Luther League Convention in Ann Arbor, Michigan, August 15-20. The last of the month he plans to spend at Granite Quarry with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Trexler.

During his absence, Rev. W. G. Cobb will supply the pulpit and take over the pastoral duties.

SOLDIER'S ADDRESS

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Mr. Tom Henry To Preach At First Methodist Church

While the pastor, The Reverend Jack H. Cooke, is on vacation the pulpit will be filled this Sunday, August 7, by Mr. Tom Henry. Mr. Henry was born in Hickory, N. C., and reared in Texas. In 1947 he was married to Martha Gray of Hickory and they have three children.

In September, 1953, Mr. Henry came to Cherryville as Superintendent of the Water & Light Department. On May 1, 1955, he was granted License to Preach by the First Baptist Church of Cherryville. Mr. Henry plans to enter into this work into which God has called him.

The public is invited to worship God Sunday and hear one of our own citizens whom God has tapped on his shoulder to be one of His Messengers.

The Methodist congregation invites the public to hear Tom deliver the message Sunday morning.

Tryon School Faculty Announced

Mr. H. F. Lovinggood, Principal of Tryon High School list the following teachers for the school term, 1955-1956:

HIGH SCHOOL—Miss Ernestine Bridges, French & English; Mrs. Geneva L. Hanna, Home Economics; Mr. G. A. Harris, Vocational Agriculture; Mr. Blain Weston, Physical Education & Social Studies; Mr. Harry Huss, Commercial; Mr. C. L. Wofford, Science & English; Mr. B. W. Griffith, Math & Elements.

ELEMENTARY TEACHERS—Mrs. Vinnie F. Rhyne; Mrs. Lulu C. Robinson; Mrs. Elizabeth F. Griffith; Mrs. Mary Ellen S. Beam; Mrs. Agnes R. Best; Mrs. H. Bess K. Boggs; Mrs. Lorene S. Bass; Mrs. Edna C. Barringer; Miss Margaret Marie Huss; Mrs. E. Wilson; Mrs. Adne F. Lineberry; Mrs. Genevieve W. Matthews; Miss Velma Carpenter.

The 1955-1956 school term will open Wednesday, August 31.

Country Club Golf Tournament Is Now In Full Swing

Pairings for second round of Country Club handicap tournament is now in full swing. Pairings to be played on or before Sunday, August 7th.

Below is given the way they will meet:

Robert H. Beam vs. Arthur Knight
Roland Ferguson vs. Bill Upchurch
Jack Middlebrooks vs. T. Carlyle Summer or Blaine Dellinger
John Wilson vs. Ben R. Rudisill or Woodrow W. Beam
Berge Beam vs. J. L. Beam, Jr.
Dae Trammell vs. Bill Houser
Jab Blackwelder vs. James Black

E. Glenn Leonard vs. Milton Loy
Hugh Putnam vs. Ken Mayhew
 Cecil Seaks vs. Burlin Carpenline
 M. E. Seals vs. Joe Sisk
 Raleigh Putnam vs. Hillard Waco, Jr.
 Dink Dellinger vs. Walter Pope
 Dink Larson vs. Jack Randall
 Jim McClurd vs. W. L. Armstrong
 Martel Beam vs. B. G. Mullinax

Olin Bumgarner With Carpenter Funeral Co

Mr. Olin Bumgarner, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Bumgarner of Crouse, R-1, has accepted a position with Carpenter's Funeral Home.

Mr. Bumgarner is a graduate of the Cherryville High School, class of 1955, and was an outstanding student throughout the four years in high school. He is a promising young man and will assist in the directing of funeral work.

Dellview Club To Have Picnic

The Dellview Woman's Club will have its annual Community Picnic on Wednesday night, August 10th, at 7 o'clock at the Club House.

All members, and their families are urged to come with well filled baskets. All old members are invited to come also, and anyone else who might be interested in the Dellview community.

Annual Services At Old Capernium At Old Capernium

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FOOTE MINERAL	AB	R	H
Falls, ss	2	0	0
A. Alexander, cf	3	1	0
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Stone, 3b	3	0	0
Oates, lf	3	0	0
Spencer, c	3	0	0
Whistant, 2b	3	1	0
Rogers, rf	2	0	0
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CARLTON	AB	R	H
D. Alexander, 3b	4	0	1
Leonhardt, 1b	4	0	0
D. Saine, ss	2	0	0
Lackey, c	2	0	2
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R. Turner, rf	0	0	0
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Rev. Mr. P. A. Hicks Improved

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His many friends will be happy to know that he is improving and plans to be back with his churches on Sunday, August 7th.

BLACK'S VISIT RELATIVES IN ST. AUGUSTINE, FLA.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Black of Crouse were week-end visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Forest Hines of St. Augustine, Fla. Mrs. Hines is an aunt of Mr. Hugh Black.

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