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Standing lookout watch aboard the radar picket destroyer USS H. W. Tucker is Kenneth Williams, seaman apprentice, USN, of Bee Log, N. C. Williams, who entered the Naval service on June 6, 1950, is serving with the operations division aboard the ship. (Official U. S. Navy Photograph—1068376)

Newdale Bible School Begins Monday

The Newdale Presbyterian Church Bible School will begin at the church Monday, June 11, according to Rev. Moffatt, pastor. Plans are for classes to be held from 9 a. m. to 11 a. m. each day through June 22, he said. Children whose ages range from four to sixteen are invited to attend the Bible School.

Teachers for the school are Mrs. Claude Dellinger, Mrs. George Edge, Mrs. Alma Smith, Misses Evelyn Young, Edith Robinson, Carolyn Ensley, Betty Presnell, Betty Young and Norma Edge.

Mrs. C. R. Hamrick and daughter, Sarah, attended the graduating exercises at Wesleyan College in Macon, Ga., last week. Mrs. Hamrick's daughter, Evelyn, received her bachelor of music degree.

Organization Changes In Duplan Corporation Made

Several organizational changes were made by the Duplan Corporation effective June 1st, according to an announcement by John K. Cochran, general manager.

A newly organized technical department has been created to better service the corporation's five commission throwing mills. This department will be headed by Michael H. Strub, assisted by Charles Michalek, Joseph A. Martini and Theodore G. Quintan, and will be located at Duplan's Kingston, Pa. mill.

Henry H. Klerx, former Director of personnel, will replace Charles Michalek as Assistant Plant Manager at Nanticoke, Pa.

Paul Luschar, former head of Quality Control for weaving mills, will direct quality control operations for the entire company.

Frank T. Barnes has been named Director of Personnel & Training for the corporation, and Robert T. Grohman will head the Time Study & Methods Department. These men will make their headquarters in Duplan's Operations Center at Hazelton, Pa.

Bee Log To Hold Closing Exercises Next Week

Bee Log High School will hold its commencement exercises the week of June 10th. Baccalaureate services will be held Sunday, June 10th at 3:00 p. m. in the school auditorium. The Rev. Charles B. Trammel, pastor of the First Baptist Church, Burnsville, will deliver the sermon.

Graduating exercises will be held Friday, June 15th at 8:00 p. m. with the honor students as speakers. These are Betty Jean Higgins, valedictorian, and Ruth Edwards, salutatorian. Albert Edwards, president of the class, will also speak.

Members of the graduating class are: Albert Edwards, Stewart Edwards, Dee Hensley, Robert Higgins, Jr., Curtis Howell, Lawrence Howell, Jack Phillips, Bryan Ramsey, Ted Tipton, Gene Whitson, Ward Whitson, Wayne Wilson, Ruth Edwards, Margie Fender, Betty Jean Higgins, Helen Higgins, Mary June Holloway, Verlin Johnson, Nannie Lou Mitchell, Hazel Robertson, Janette Randolph, Fay Etta Whitson, Etta Williams, Kathleen Williams, Marie Wilson, Martha Wilson and Buster Fender.

Trammel and Bailey Graduate at Wake Forest

Charles B. Trammel, Jr., son of Rev. and Mrs. C. B. Trammel of Burnsville, and Garrett Dixon Bailey, son of Mrs. G. D. Bailey of Burnsville, were presented degrees at the graduation exercises.

Trammel received the Bachelor of Business Administration degree, and Bailey was awarded the Bachelor of Law degree.

Rev. and Mrs. Trammel and Becky and Mrs. Bailey and daughter, Lucy, were present for the graduation exercises of Wake Forest College last week.

FINAL RITES FOR ROBERT BYRD, 56

Funeral services for Robert Byrd, 56, of Green Mountain, who died in a Johnson City hospital Sunday following a short illness, were held in Brummitt's Creek Brethren Church Tuesday at 2 p. m. Burial was in the family cemetery.

Surviving are the widow, Mrs. Harriet McCurry Byrd; five daughters, Mrs. J. K. Goforth of Akron, Mrs. Ruby Renfro of Owen Mills, Md., Mrs. Oscar Laughrun of Erwin, Miss Alberta Byrd of the home and Miss Cora Byrd of Spring Lake.

Two sons, Park Byrd of Spring Lake and Walter Byrd of the home; four sisters, Mrs. Marry Etta Edwards of Telford, Tenn., Mrs. Emma Shepherd of Swiss, Mrs. Vickie Johnson of Hunt Dale and Mrs. Julia Whitson of Johnson City; four brothers, Oscar and Charles of Green Mountain, Floyd of Telford and Larmer of Day Book.

OPS Covers Service Businesses

Charlotte. — Thousands of business men and women providing services of many types were reminded today by Director Ben E. Douglas of the Office of Price Stabilization for western North Carolina that they are covered by Ceiling Price Regulation No. 34 which requires them to do certain definite and detailed things in order fully to comply.

The regulation, the OPS director made it clear, covers a multitude of services. Regulation 34 includes but in no sense is limited to auctioneers, automobile repairing, servicing, and renting businesses, barber shops, beauty shops, billiard parlors and bowling alleys, bondsmen, cleaners, diaper service operators, exterminating services, garages, jewelry and watch repairers, laundries, linen supply services, office equipment, rental and repairing services, parking lot operators, pawn brokers, photo finishers, radio repairing and servicing, gasoline service stations, shoe repairing and shoe shining establishments, tire repairing and recapping, television repairing and service.

Sellers of services are defined as those who perform any act or acts otherwise than as an employee, for a fee, charge, or consideration. The term "service" or "services" includes any privilege sold or granted for such fee, charge, or consideration, and the regulation includes also the rental of any commodity or service.

Mrs. Louise Wicker is in Winston-Salem with her father, Mr. G. B. Woody. Mr. Woody is in Bowman Grey Hospital there.

Mrs. Troy Buckner was taken to Zephyr Hill Sanatorium in Asheville last week. Mrs. Buckner's condition is reported to be improving.

Mrs. Ferrill McCurry was taken to an Erwin hospital Monday for an emergency operation. Her condition is reported to be good.

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GARDEN CLUB

The Garden Club met with Mrs. D. R. Fouts on Thursday evening of last week with Mrs. Troy Ray as associate hostess.

Mrs. Hollemon, program leader, presented the guest speaker, Mack B. Ray, who gave a very interesting talk on various phases of his work and a brief account of the program of activities arranged by the agricultural department in Washington. He received well-deserved recognition by the club for the outstanding work he has done in this county.

After a short business session a social hour was enjoyed with the following guests present: Mrs. E. L. Johnston of Flint, Mich., Mrs. R. Y. Tilson and Mrs. Charles Proffitt.

Two Yancey Girls To Attend Girls' State Session

Miss Nelda Peterson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gus Peterson of Burnsville, and Miss Maxine Peterson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lester Peterson of Bee Log have been selected by the Burnsville American Legion Auxiliary to attend the Twelfth Annual Session of Tar Heel Girls' State at Woman's College, Greensboro June 10 through June 15th.

Nelda is a Junior at Burnsville High School and Maxine is a Junior at Bee Log High School.

To be selected to attend the session is a great honor because of the requirements and qualifications that have to be met by representatives. Each girl is expected to return to her community and furnish leadership in her school and in the community. She will appear before the sponsoring Auxiliary and give a report on her impressions of Girls' State.

They were selected because of their leadership, character, courage and service, honesty, scholarship, cooperativeness, and physical fitness.

Two girls will be selected each year from the junior classes of Yancey County schools to attend the sessions.

Officers Installed

At the last meeting of the Earl Horton Post of the American Legion the following officers were installed:

Commander, John English; vice commanders, J. J. Nowicki, Bruce Westall, John B. Bennett; Adjutant, James F. Timony with Lonzo Roberts, assistant; Ser. vice Officer, H. G. Bailey; Sgt. at Arms, Kenneth Robertson; Chaplain, David Swartz, with Gus Peterson, assistant; Historian, Dr. C. F. McRae; Athletic and Publicity Officer, Mark Bennett; Child Welfare Officer, Robert Peterson; Americanism Officer, J. J. Nowicki; National Defense Officer, Max Penland.

Grave Registration Officer, Harlan Holcombe; Employment Officer, Bill Banks; Boy State Officer, Dover Fouts; Membership Chairman, R. N. Silver, with Mack Ray, George Roberts, Arney Fox and George Conrad, assistants; Boy Scout Officer, Ernest Banner, with James B. Stamey, assistant; Oratorical Contest Officer, Gus Peterson; Chairman, Sons of Legion, Monroe McIntosh, and Assistant Service Officer, I. E. Clevenger.

Eastern Star To Meet Monday Night

Bald Creek Chapter No. 276 Order of the Eastern Star will hold its regular meeting Monday evening at 6 o'clock instead of 8 o'clock due to the fact that some members wish to attend the Grand Chapter session in Asheville later Monday evening.

The meeting will be held at the Swiss Masonic Hall.

Bus Travel on Parkway Limited

One of the beauties of the Blue Ridge Parkway is the absence of billboards and commercial traffic. Commercial vehicles are not allowed on the Parkway except when in compliance to limitations set by officials. Pick-up trucks are granted right-of way if they are carrying passengers on a sight-seeing trip, according to a recent ruling.

Limitation on buses, however, created a problem and the policy against buses is now being reviewed by the Interior Department, it has been reported. Present rules permit sight-seeing buses with not more than 18-passenger capacity to use the Parkway, and other buses operated for educational purposes on a non-profit basis may go over the road with special permission from the Superintendent, it was said.

The Parkway is now open all the way into Asheville by use of connecting State highways. The stretch of road between Mt. Mitchell and Asheville that was closed because of the landslides during the winter and spring have been repaired and gravel surfaced.

A new booklet with detailed map and information about the Parkway has been published and may be obtained from the State Advertising Division, Dept. of Conservation and Development, Raleigh.

Rush Beeler Will Lecture To Woman's Club

Rush Beeler will give a lecture to the Woman's Club here Saturday evening. Mr. Beeler will use as his subject "The Novel as An Art Form". The meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. M. C. Ramm.

Miss Jennie Hensley, Swiss, with Mrs. Mary C. Severs as accompanist, will present two vocal selections.

The meeting was changed from its regular calendar in order to obtain Mr. Beeler as lecturer.

LAST RITES FOR MRS. KELL FOX

Funeral services for Mrs. Kell Fox who died at the home of a son, David Fox, Oteen, following a long illness were held in the Green Mountain Free Will Baptist Church Tuesday at 3 p. m. Officiating were the Rev. Troy McCurry and Rev. Smith of Swannanoa. Burial was in the McCracken Cemetery.

Surviving are the husband; four daughters, Mrs. David Ogle of Oteen, Mrs. Stanley Moss and Mrs. Clifford Powers of Asheville and Mrs. Frank Ray of Burnsville; four sons, Bil Wheeler of Burnsville, Fred Wheeler of Morganton and Ebb Wheeler of Sioux; one sister, Mrs. Sewell Garland of Bakersville, 25 grandchildren and nine great grandchildren.

Increase In Dairy Production Noted In County

A meeting of dairymen was held Tuesday night of last week at the new processing plant of the Robinson Dairy, which is nearing completion at Newdale, for the discussion of marketing surplus milk from farms in this county.

F. R. Farnham, State Dairy Specialist, talked on the importance of producers cooperating with distributors to insure a wholesome product to the consumer. Jake Buckner, county sanitarian, pointed out the importance of cleanliness in handling the products. E. L. Dillingham, farm agent, discussed plans for the coming Tri-County Cattle Show to be held here soon.

The new \$30,000.00 processing plant under construction by the Robinson's Dairy is indication of the progress that has been made in this industry during the past six years, it was pointed out.

The dairy industry has grown from one grade "A"

dairy to 38 in the last six years, and from no market to a modern processing and pasteurizing plant. Revenue from dairying is second only to burley tobacco from an agricultural standpoint.

Each of the 38 dairymen has more than \$1000.00 per cow invested in equipment, land and buildings. These producers market approximately 100,000 pounds of milk each month with Robinson's Dairy at an average of \$6.00 per 100 pounds. In addition to these Grade A producers more than 100 farmers are selling 3000 pounds of manufacturing milk each day at \$3.25 per 100 pounds. Total revenue to farmers from these two grades of marketing is more than \$300,000.00 per year.

The artificial breeding program and the 4-H and adult farmers' exhibits at dairy shows along with purebred sales have made their contribution to dairying in the county.

Royal Tire Service Shop Moved

The Royal Tire Service retreading shop which has been operating in the east side of Burnsville moved last week into the new, modern building which has been under construction for some time. Some recapping has been carried on at the new plant for more than a week, although the building was not fully completed on the inside.

All of the equipment used at the old location was moved into the new building, which is next to the Auto and Home Center, and new equipment for truck tire recapping has been added, one of the owners said. The company is now able to service tires from 4.74x19, A Model Ford size, through 11.00x22 truck tires.

Owners of the recapping plant are Ivan Westall and P. D. Goforth, who operate the Tri-County Recapping Company at Spruce Pine, and Sam Burleson, who is manager here.

150 People Attend 4-H Club Pig Show

Approximately 150 people attended the Sears-Roebuck 4-H Club Pig Show held at the back of the Farmers Federation building recently. Jack Kelly, with the State Extension Service, was judge. Kelly stated that the best group of pigs was exhibited at the show than had ever been shown by the club here previously.

Blue ribbon winners were exhibited by Beverly Silvers, Billy Pittman and Gerald Shuford. Tommy Geouge and Louise Silver were awarded red ribbons and white ribbons were awarded Leonard Styles, Ward Mathis and Cecil Burgin.

Pittman and Mathis demonstrated different methods of feeding swine.

Bookmobile Schedule

The Yancey County Bookmobile schedule for the coming week has been announced as follows:

Friday, June 15: Bolens Creek, home of Mrs. Sol Harris, 9:30 a. m.; home of Mrs. Lat Fox, 10:15 a. m.; Pensacola Post Office, 11 a. m.; Cattail, at Rocky Fork, 11:30 a. m.; Murchison, Mrs. Emma Hensley's Store, 1:30 p. m.; W. W. Gardner's Store, 2:30 p. m.; Low Gap, Vixen post Office 3:15 p. m.; Concord Union Church, 4:00 p. m.

Cancer Victim And Sailor Sweetheart



Atlanta, Ga. — Betty Thompson, 18-year-old beauty who physicians say is doomed to die from cancer, is lifted by her sailor fiance, Tom Amburn, 19, of Sioux Falls, S. D. Amburn was given a special leave by the Navy to be at her bedside and plan the marriage they hope to have before death intervenes. She is given six months to live.

Amburn's leave was cancelled when he flew to his home in South Dakota at the insistence of his parents. His "emergency" leave was granted for a trip to Atlanta, not to his home in South Dakota, his commanding officer was reported to have said.