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BURNSVILLE, N. C., THURSDAY, JANUARY 31, 1957 SUB. RATES \$2.00 YEAR.

First Red Cross Nursing Class Completed

Yancey County's first Red Cross | Honeycutt, a registered nurse, Home Nursing class, completed has received Red Cross training Wednesday afternoon until early tion, Mutual of New York is the its course of training on Friday, to enable her to carry on this pro- fall, according to an announce- oldest mutual company doing Jan. 25. The enthusiastic scholars, gram of instruction. She gave ment made this week by J. B. business in the United States. all Home Demonstration Club voluntarily of her time for this Briggs, secretary and manager of Mr. Proffitt has his office in women, enrolled in the class on purpose.

Jan. 8, meeting two days a week The next class in home nursing, tion. for three weeks until twelve hours beginning on . Tuesday, Feb. 5, of practical class work was com- will also be taught by Mrs. Hon- Anglin & Westall, Burnsville Depleted.

Mrs. W. P. Honeycutt, of the Jacks Creek Home Demonstration morning classes are completed. Club, instructed the course. Mrs.

Bloodmobile To Visit Here On Feb. 4

the country. It does not, how-The Bloodmobile will re-visit ever, provide a substitute for Burnsville on Monday, Feb. 4, needed professional nursing. from 1:30 to 5:30 in the afternoon. It will be set up as before in the being sponsored by the local Red basement of the First Baptist Cross Chapter and the Yancey Church, according to the Rev. A. County Federation of Home De-Z. Jamerson and Dr. C. F. McRae, monstration Clubs. Those interco-chairmen of the Blood Donor ested in this useful instruction Program in Yancey County.

While this visit will be too soon after the last one for those who were donors at that time to give blood again, it is felt that many who either overlooked or did not know about the Dec. 27 visit will welcome this opportunity of helping to meet the needs of the county for whole blood. The need is even greater than usual, due to the small turn-out on Dec. 27. Yancey County was far behind Mitchell and Avery in blood donations during 1956, and unless there is a better response this year there is a real risk of losing the Blood Donor Program, which has meant so much to residents of the county in terms of lives saved and illnesses shortened is one of 12 counties in North The visit to Burnsville on Feb. Carolina that sold 100 per cent or 4 was requested by Blood Donor better of its quota.

Center officials in Asheville be-

may contact Miss Sue Nottingham, Yancey County home agent. Both men and women are eligible to enroll in the classes. **Yancey Reaches Bond Goal** The 1956 Annual Sales Report

is essentially the same course

which is being taught throughout

The home nursing classes are

of U. S. Savings Bonds in North Carolina shows that Yancey County for the second successful year has reached its Savings Bonds Goal.

Sales in Yancey County for 1956 amounted to \$158,363.25 which was 105.2 per cent of the Annual Goal of \$150,480.00. This county

"We are greatly pleased with cause the Bloodmobile will be in the sales records attained in Yan- Peterson Returns

RALPH PROFFITT IS AGENT **Burnsville Stores** FOR INSURANCE CO. **To Close Wednesday** Ralph T. Proffitt, formerly as-Afternoons sociated with Proffitt's Store

Bald Creek, is now the local re-Beginning next Wednesday, presentative for Mutual Life In-Feb. 6, a number of stores in surance Company of New York. Burnsville will be closed each Now in the 114th year of operathe Yancey Merchants' Associa- his home at Cane River.

Stores which will be closed are

eycutt. Night classes will be ar- partment Store, Burnsville Furni- The Carolina Quartet, heard ranged as soon as the scheduled ture & Hardware, Blue Ridge over Radio Station WWNC in Hardware, Doris Shoppe, Edges Asheville, at 12:35 every Sunday The course deals with the care Department Store, Town & Counof the sick and helpless at home, try Shoe Store, Western Auto Church Sunday night, February as set up according to American and the Yancey Department 10th, at 7:30. Everyone is cor-Red Cross recommendations, and Store.

dially invited to attend.

REV. BURT STYLES TO CONDUCT JACKS CREEK REVIVAL

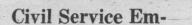
The Rev. Burt Styles, pastor of on Sunday night, Feb. 3. Services he Central Presbyterian Church will begin each night promptly at 7:15. in Kingsport, Tenn., will begin a

Mr. Styles, a native of Yancey County, has held pastorates at Buladean, N. C., and for six years at Roan Mountain, Tenn., before accepting the church at Kingsport two years ago. Mr. Styles is much in demand for conducting revival meetings among the Presbyterian Churches over the region. The church building at Jacks Creek was bought last spring by members and friends of the community, after having been closed for about three years. The build-

Sunday.



Jacks Creek Presbyterian Church each month.



Farms Wishing To **Reserve** Allotments Should Apply Now By Fred Anglin

Farmers who haven't made a reguest for lime, fertilizer, seed, or assistance on ditching practices should file a request as soon as possible at the ASC office, located over the Post Office.

farmer who wants to place his tobacco acreage allotments in the line for signing Acreage Reserve agreements.

Under the acreage agreement the farmer is required to set aside the acreage he wishes to place in reserve for cropland. This acreage must have an approved cover and cannot be harvested or grazed during the period of the contract, which is for one year.

Mr. Pate says that an agreement under the Acreage Reserve will pay the farmer 18 cents per pound, based on the yield for the

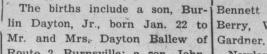
individual farm. Farmers who do not intend to plant tobacco or place their allotment in the Soil Bank may sign a request in the county office to preserve their allotment. This request must be made before August 1st.

Hospital Report

The Yancey Hospital reports made 13 points in the boys game. three birth and eleven other ading has been repaired, member- missions during the past week. ship has been revived and a good Sunday School is being held each lin Dayton, Jr., born Jan. 22 to Berry, Woody. Subs: Rhy

The pastor of the church, Mr. Route 2, Burnsville; a son, John-John Forbes, who is principal of nie, born Jan. 25 to Mr. and Mrs. 6, Gregory 14, Calvert, Turbyfill, the Cloudland High School, Roan Charles Hollifield of Bakersville; L. Vance, Subs: Isaacs, Nance, S. Mountain, Tenn, holds regular and a son, not yet named, born Vance, Andrews,

and third Sunday mornings of Boone of Burnsville.



preaching services on the first Jan. 29 to Mr. and Mrs. Robert

week include Leilah Evans of Newland Boys: Holder 9, Par- Christians constitute only one

Hensley Takes Office As Chief Of Police Here

Clarence E. Hensley was sworn Hensley is a young man of splenin as Chief of Police of the town did reputation and deserves, as

Alvin Pate, county committee Reece McIntosh. Hensley is re- port of every citizen. chairman, announces that any placing Ralph Peterson, who was seriously injured recently.

The Mayor urges all citizens of Acreage Reserve may sign an the town to cooperate with the Citizens of the town should not agreement during the month of new officer, whose work actually only report things that are hap-February. March 1st is the dead- is in the interest of the people.

Burnsville Teams Defeat Newland, **Tipton Hill**

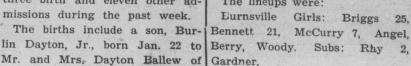
By Gerald Murdock 12 The Burnsville basketball teams each won two games last week Burnsvillet played at Newland Friday, Jan. 25. Both games were after a great comeback. Newland girls were leading 38-26 at the

half. Burnsville boys won their game 48-46. The last two points were two full throws by Charlie Hensley.

Judy Briggs led the Burnsville team in scoring with 25 points. Evaline Bennett got 21. Burnsville's defensive playing was a factor not to be overlooked.

Donald' Banks, forward, and Charlie Hensley, center, each

The lineups were:



Newland Girls: Ford 29, Wise

Buchanan 5, Hensley 13, Harris 4, the people of that land are adher-Other admissions during the Lewis 9, Subs: Fox 2, Wheeler 2. ents of the Moslem faith.

Burnsville; Kate Bailey of Rt. 1, ker 17, Sturgil 2, Blalock 11, per cent of the popu Burnsville; Oval Smith, Maggie Blackburn 5. Subs: Hensley 2, Burnsville played Tipton Hill to the life of the nation, especi-

of Burnsville on Monday morning does every law enforcement offiof this week, according to Mayor cer, the full cooperation and sup-The better cooperation he gets from the people, the better police-

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man we will have, the Mayor said. pening, he said, but then should be willing to act as witnesses. It is the duty of every citizen to support the officer in this way so that he may carry out his duties successfully.

The Burnsville Men's Club has agreed to give. Hensley their hearty support. The matter was discussed at length at a recent meeting of the club, and Attorney Dover R. Fouts spoke to the close with the girls winning 55-49 group concerning the need of such support.

> Hensley served four years in the U. S. Air Force in Japan, Korea and England. Following his discharge in June, 1956 he entered the Greer School in Chicago. He is a graduate of Burnsville High School

Missionaries Talk At World Affairs Assembly

Those who attended the World Affairs Assembly in the Presbyterian Church last Sunday were charmed by the personality and inspired by the message brought by Mr. Sushill Samuel of the city of Lahore, Pakistan. He told of the great sympathy that the mass of the people have for the United Burnsville Boys: Banks 13. States, although practically all of

> said, but nevertheless they are making important contributions



series of revival meetings at the

Spruce Pine on Feb. 5 and at cey County and especially appre-Riverside School (Avery County). ciative of the splendid support on the 6th; thus all three coun- given to the Savings Bonds Proties will be visited in a single gram by our Volunteer Chairman, ing expenses.

All persons between the ages of 18 and 60 may give blood if found to be in good health after a medical history and a physical checkies E and H Bonds amounted to up, which includes weight, tem-\$51,517,523.90, a decline of only, perature, pulse, blood pressure, 6 per cent from the 1955 record and hemoglobin determinations; sales year. Even though interest fitt, who was charged with asthese are done by the physician and nurses at the Bloodmobile. Persons under 21, unless married.

must have a "consent form" signsale of small size bonds. ed by their father and mother. State and nation 1956 sales per-Each donor is given a credit card formances parallel each other, making Red Cross blood available with both showing approximately. to him or his family in case it is 1 per cent decrease in E Bond needed, any time during the next sales and 6 per cent decline of 12 months. combined E and H Bond sales.

GARDEN CLUB HEARS TALK **ON ORTON GARDENS**

The Garden Club met Friday night at the home of Mrs. C. M. Shotts. The president, Mrs. W. A. Y. Sargent, presided over the business session.

Mrs. Sargent presented a very interesting program on the Orton Gardens near Wilmington, giving the history of the gardens and showing color slides of various views of the gardens.

Mrs. E. L. Beeson was unanimously accepted as a new member of the club. A dessert course was served by

the hostess



RALEIGH- The Motor Vehicles Department's summary of traffic deaths through 10 a. m. Jan. 28, 1957:

i Killed This Year: 85 Killed to Date Last Year: 83 If safety is worth a life, drive and walk carefully!

Home From Hospital

Ralph Peterson, who was allegtrip, with a consequent saving of Mr. G. Leslie Hensley," said Wal- edly shot by Eugene Proffitt of travel, and reduction in operat- ter P. Johnson, State Director. Route 1, Burnsville, on the morn-United States Savings Bonds ing of Dec. 31, returned to his sales during 1956 in North Caro- home here Tuesday from an Ashelina were the second best since ville hospital, where he had been 1947. The combined sales of Ser- hospitalized since the shooting. ed to be fair.

> A preliminary hearing for Profrate hikes halted the rise in big sault with a deadly weapon with denomination bond sales, a 10, intent to kill, has not been set. year record was marked up in the He is being held in Buncombe County jail.

> > **Newdale Home Demonstration** Club **Elects** Officers

The Newdale Home Demonstration Club met with Mrs. Faye Boone for its January meeting, with seven members present.

The program was presented by Miss Sue Nottingham, home agent. Her subject was "Wise Use of Credit". The new officers installed at

Accepts Position the meeting were Mrs. Juanita In Watauga County Wilson, president; Mrs. Frances

ed as assistant county agent in Yancey for the past eighteen months, has accepted a position as assistant county agent of Watauga County with headquar-

Total national holdings of E

and H Eonds by all individuals as

of December 31, 1956 exceeded 41

billion, 398 thousand dollars, an

increase of over \$1 billion, 300

W. H. Anderson

million.

ers in Boone. Mr. Anderson will accept the duties of his new position on Friday, Feb. 1. He will be working with the Rural Development Program, a new program of the Federal government. Watauga County is one of the three pilot counties in North Carolina that have this

new program. While in Yancey County, Mr. Anderson worked primarily with the Farm and Home Development

Program. A new assistant county agent has not been selected to take Mr. Anderson's place. Silver, last week-end.

ployees Invited To Hear Rep. Whitener

A Salary Rally, sponsored by the National Association of Let- Bakersville; and Beulah Hall of ter Carriers in cooperation with Johnson City, Tenn. all other civil service employees having organizations represented

Peterson's condition was report- on the Government Employees Council, will be held Friday night,

Feb. 8, at 8 o'clock in the Gaston ian Church the pastor, Rev. War- racked up 9 points. County Courthouse in Gastonia. Congressman Basil L. Whitener will be present for the event. All ed to serve with the beginning of Berry, Woody. Subs: McCurry 7, civil service employees in Yan-I the present calendar year. In con- | Ray, Gardner.

Gaston, Cleveland and Ruther- preach on "The Vital Functioning ford counties are urged to at- of Christ's Body". tend this rally.

Legislation has been introduced of the Men's Organization will be n Congress to bring civil service held next Sunday at 8 a. m. Men employees' salaries up to the pre- of the congregation and friends Lewis 16. Subs: Arrowood, Fox 9. sent day needs. The purpose of are invited.

the rally is to put before the Congressman the need of a sufficient. other salaried workers.

HIGHWAY COMMISSION COMPLETED VAST AMOUNT OF ROAD IMPROVEMENTS

Raleigh - The State Highway Wyatt, vice president; Mrs. Mary Commission completed a vast Johnson, secretary-treasurer; and amount of road improvements in the Thirteenth Division during 1956, Commissioner J. Fleming held on the Home Nursing Clas- Snipes of Marion reported today. ses, being taught by Mrs. W. P. With division headquarters in Honeycutt. Three members of the Asheville, the 13th is composed of Newdale Club plan to take part Burke, McDowell, Rutherford, in the next class which begins Buncombe, Madison, Mitchell, and Yancey Counties. An experienced

roadbuilder, W. M. Corkill, is Division Engineer. His able engineering staff includes J. T. Knight, Assistant Division Engineer; W. W. Wyke, District Engineer at Marion for road maintenance in Burke, McDowell, and Rutherford Counties; and B. S.

Connelly, District Engineer at Asheville for road maintenances in Buncombe, Madison, Mitchell, and Yancey Counties. G. E. Bas-

the state

ervisor.

Robinson, John Metcalf, Marie Childers, Daniels 5. Ferguson and Fred Bryan of Rt. 3, Burnsville; Charles Carr of Bald Creek; Bessie Street of Rt. girls won their game 54-28. Bur-1, Green Mtn.; James Blevins of nsville boys won 69-45.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH NEWS

Next Sunday at the Presbyterren S. Reeve, will ordain and in-

cey, Madison, McDowell, Polk, nection with this, Mr. Reeve will

The regular monthly breakfast Kinney, Sturgil, Parker.

The Presbyterian Women were Tipton Hill Boys: Whitson 14, to have met two weeks ago, but McCurry 2, Street 19, Slegle 3, salary increase to meet the stand- on account of the severity of the Harrell 6. Subs. Hughes, Stanley, ard of living enjoyed by most weather, the meeting had to be Masters,

postponed. It will be held tonight Burnsville will play Bakers-(Thursday, January 31st) at 7:30 ville Friday, Feb. 1, at Burnsville, p. m. in the home of Mrs. John and Micaville at Micaville Tues-Young. day, Feb. 5th.

Wells.



Photo by John Robinson

YANCEY'S FIRST RED CROSS NURSING CLASS

Members of Yancey County's first Red Cross Home Nursing class completed their training training last Friday. The first grad-, uating class included (left to right) Mrs. Evelyn Pate, Mrs. Peggy Bailey, Mrs. Handy Bailey, Mrs. Pete Coletta, Mrs. Brooks Boone, Mrs. Lee Evans, Mrs. Howard Sim pson, and the instructor, Mrs. W. P. Honeycutt.

here Tuesday, Jan. 29. Burnsville ally in the field of education. Mr. Samuel is a member of the leading Christian Church of La-Nancy Brown led Burnsville in hore, which has a membership of scoring with 19 points. Raleigh about 2000. Presently studying at Buchanan led the Burnsville boys Warren Wilson College, he hopes with 20 points. Charlie Hensley to go back to his country in due got 18. Raymond Fox came into time to engage in some kind of the game in the 3rd quarter and engineering work with the motive of being, through that vocation Burnsville Girls: Brown 19, and through church lay activities,

stall several church officers elect- Briggs 15, Bennett 13, Angel, a real missionary of the Gospel. Miss Elizabeth C. Wright, who now lives at Penland, also de-Tipton Hill Girls: Stanley 19, lighted everyone with stories of her varied experiences during Hughes 4, Ray 3, Garland, Whitson, Mosley. Subs: Tipton 2, Mcthe twenty-nine years she spent in China, including a period of Burnsville Boys: Banks 6, detention by the Japanese in the Buchanan 20, Hensley 18, Harris, early part of World War II. She also showed pictures of people

and places that she talked about. Each of these speakers spoke so vividly that it was as if the hearers had themselves gone to these countries and met some of the personalities described.

DAIRY SPECIALIST TO **BE HERE FRIDAY**

A State College dairy specialist will be at the office of E. L. Dillingham, county agent, on Friday, Feb. 1, at 2 p. m., to go over the dairy program plans and discuss ways and means of reaching the goals set up in the plans. The committee meeting will be followed by a general meeting of al dairymen in the courthouse at 7:30 p. m. Problems that face dairymen at the present and in the future will be discussed.

Justice Will Speak To Bald Creek PTA

The February meeting of the Bald Creek PTA will be held Wednesday, Feb. 6, at 7:30 p. m. in the school library.

Superintendent Hubert D. Justice will be the guest speaker. He will discuss the new consolidated high school for the western part of the county.

The devotional will be given by tudents of the eighth grade. +

W., H. Anderson, who has serv-Mrs. Grace Ray, reporter. An interesting discussion was

Tuesday, Feb. 5.

Club members received new Year Books which contain several new and interesting items. Refreshments were served by the hostess.

club will be held at the home of Mrs. Juanita Wilson.

The February meeting of the

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Rogers of Winston-Salem visited Mrs. Rogers' parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. N. kerville is Division Road Oil Sup-