



TWO ANDREWS HIGH STUDENTS, Donna Sue Fuller, left, and Edwin Barlow, right, have been selected to attend the Governor's School in Winston-Salem this summer. Both students were chosen in the field of vocal music. See story on the Andrews Page inside this issue.

### Mayor Proclaims Clean-Up Weeks

MURPHY - Mayor L. L. Mason has proclaimed the weeks of May 6 through May 18 "Clean-Up Weeks" in Murphy, and urges every citizen in Murphy to take part in this program.

Clean-up week is held annually in Murphy. The purpose of the program is to beautify as well as eliminate fire hazards.

Homeowners and businessmen can call the Town Hall at 837-2510 for rubbish pickup. Rubbish should be placed near the street to help with loading. Only rubbish consisting of brush, carton boxes, tin cans, old appliances, tires, etc., can be picked up during this program. The town cannot haul away trees and tree limbs.



GOLD MEDALLION RECIPIENTS - Mr. and Mrs. Bob Anderson's home near Warne has been awarded the Gold Medallion Award by the Blue Ridge Electric Association of Young Harris, Ga. Mr. and Mrs. Anderson are shown above. The Gold Medallion plaque is displayed at the side entrance to the home. See more on this modern, electric home inside this issue of the Scout. (Scout Photo)

## Murphy Fire Truck To Arrive In June

MURPHY - The new fire truck, ordered by the Town of Murphy on March 15, is expected to be ready for delivery by the middle of next month.

Charlie Johnson, town clerk, told The Scout that the agent for the fire apparatus company telephoned this week that the truck is in production and will be ready by June 15.

The addition of the new truck will greatly aid the Murphy Volunteer Fire Department. An American - La-France fire apparatus with a GMC cab and chassis has been ordered. The pump on the new truck will have a capacity of not less than 750 gallons per minute while operating under pressure of 150 pounds per square inch. The pump will be equipped with an electrically driven positive pump type primer. The pump will be equipped with suitable pressure relief valves.

The truck will be equipped with a booster type pump of flat design and will have a capacity of 500 gallons. The size of the supply pipe will be sufficient to flow not less than 300 gallons per minute while the pump is taking suction from the tank.



LOST AT THE CIRCUS - The child's boot was pulled from the mud at the fairgrounds in Murphy following the afternoon show of the United Nations Circus, Monday.

The torrential rain Sunday and Monday all but drowned the circus performers and members of the Cherokee County Rescue Squad, the sponsors of the attraction. A handful of children witnessed the afternoon show with drenched parents. The night crowd was better.

Some little boy or girl lost the boot shown above. It can be claimed at The Scout Office. (Scout Photo)

### Murphy Calendar

THURSDAY, MAY 2  
3:15 p.m. - Cherub and Junior Choirs at First Methodist Church.

8:00 p.m. - Official Board meeting at First Methodist Church at home of Mrs. Frank Forsyth.

FRIDAY, MAY 3  
ALL DAY - Eighth Grade at Murphy High School.

7:30 p.m. - Region Brotherhood Conference of First Baptist Church at Franklin First Baptist Church.

SUNDAY, MAY 5  
6:15 a.m. - Mass at Providence Hospital Chapel.

5:30 p.m. - Concord Choir at First Baptist Church.

MYF at First Methodist Church.

7:30 p.m. - Services at First Methodist Church, Presbyterian and Free Methodist Church.

8:00 p.m. - Services at First Baptist Church.

MONDAY, MAY 6  
6:30 p.m. - Covered Dish dinner at First Methodist Church for WSCS.

Rotary Club to meet at Family Restaurant.

7:30 p.m. - Cherokee Lodge No. 146 AF & AM to meet at Masonic Hall.

Evening Circle to meet in Westminster Hall of the Presbyterian Church.

8:00 p.m. - BWC First Baptist Church to meet with Mrs. Kenneth Davis.

Elizabeth Hale Circle of First Baptist Church to meet with Mrs. Ellen Crawford.

Frankie Martin - Ruth Swan Circles of First Baptist to meet with Mrs. Robert Minor.

St. Jude Adult Education Study Club to meet at St. Williams Catholic Church.

Lydia Sunday School Class of First Baptist Church to meet with Mrs. Mayes Behrman.

TUESDAY, MAY 7  
12:30 noon - Tri-County Ministers meeting at Robbinsville.

3:00 p.m. - Subeams of First Baptist Church.

4:00 p.m. - Primary Choir First Baptist Church.

6:30 p.m. - Civitan to meet at Family Restaurant.

7:30 p.m. - St. Peter Claver Adult Education Study Club at Texana St. Peter Claver Center.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 8  
ALL DAY - Pre-Clinic at the Murphy Elementary School.

District Federation of Home Demonstration Clubs to meet at Hinton Memorial Rural Life Center, Hayesville with a covered dish luncheon.

4:15 p.m. - Carol Choir at First Baptist Church.

6:30 p.m. - Brotherhood First Baptist Church.

7:30 p.m. - WNUF First Baptist Church.

7:30 p.m. - Midweek services at Presbyterian Church.

Midweek services at Free Methodist Church.

Midweek services at First Methodist Church.

8:00 p.m. - Hour of Power at First Baptist Church.

8:30 p.m. - Choir rehearsal First Baptist Church.

Junior and Intermediate GA's First Baptist Church.

THURSDAY, MAY 9  
6:45 p.m. - Joint meeting of Andrews, Murphy and County Units of NCEA at Hinton Memorial Center, Hayesville.



MURPHY EIGHTH GRADERS TOUR LOCAL FIRMS - Members of Murphy's three eighth grade classes toured several businesses, the library, courthouse, and First Methodist Church Friday morning, April 26, while other members of the class toured the state.

The sixty-five students with their teachers, Mrs. Ruth Wilson, Mrs. Margaret Gibbs, and James McCombs, were conducted through the Murphy Power Board by Mrs. Beryl Fulton; at the Murphy Carnegie Library, Miss Josephine Heighway discussed National Library Week; at the courthouse members of the class were shown some of the old deeds in the Register of Deeds office by J. E. Graves; at the Citizens Bank and Trust Co., each student was given a penny with which to start a savings account.

After leaving the bank, the group was treated to a 30-minute organ recital by Mrs. Emily Davidson at the First Methodist Church. Some of the students marveled at the pipe organ and the stained glass windows of the church.

Next, the group visited The Cherokee Scout office and were shown the newspaper's press and other equipment. Scout publisher N. J. Babb explains how the paper is printed to part of the group in the above picture.

Afterwards the students had a picnic and ballgame at the fairgrounds. (Scout Photo)

### Beautification Needed

Murphy will soon have a modern four-lane western approach. The new four-lane bridge and highway, when completed, will add much to the western end of town.

Tourists traveling U. S. 64 and 19 headed for the Great Smoky National Park and other points east, will enter Cherokee County and Murphy on as modern a highway as found in Western North Carolina.

They will marvel at our scenic beauty and comfort of this highway.

Then they will cross the Hiwassee River Bridge and the scenic beauty changes to a view that does not appeal but repels.

Tourists, on their way east, pass through Murphy fast enough now. The first appearance they have of our community is the hill confronting them after they cross the Hiwassee River Bridge.

Work on the highway and bridge is now in full swing. The time has come for the shambles to be cleared away. Property owners on both sides of Hiwassee Street are urged to do their part and see to it that this potentially beautiful area is made attractive to tourists and home folks alike.

### Eastern Star To Sponsor Supper

MARBLE - The Eastern Star is sponsoring a supper at the Marble School Saturday, May 11. Plates will be \$1.00 for adults and 50¢ for children.

Entertainment will be furnished by various quartets.

Proceeds will go for worthy causes in the Marble community.

### Murphy School Band To Present Spring Concert

MURPHY - The Murphy School Band will present its annual spring concert Sunday, May 5, 1963, at 3:00 p.m. in the Murphy Elementary School Auditorium under the direction of Edward J. Reynolds.

Included on the program is "On The Trail" from the Grand Canyon Suite by Ferde Grofe, "Bolero" by Ravel, "The Rosary" by Niven, "Oh What a Beautiful Morning" by Hammerstein and Rogers, "Swing Low, Sweet Chariot" and "Deep River," and "Joshua Fit the Battle of Jericho."

### Events In Andrews

Thursday, May 2 2:30 p.m. - Anna Whitaker Circle will meet with Mrs. Floyd Buchanan.

7:30 p.m. - Marjorie Hicks Ayers Circle will meet with Mrs. Marlin West.

7:30 p.m. - Ruth Bagwell Circle will meet with Mrs. Evelyn West.

7:30 p.m. - Ada Mae Pruette Circle with Mrs. Glenn McGuire.

Friday, May 3, 6:30 Regional Brotherhood Conference in Franklin.

Sunday, May 5, 11:00 Services at all Andrews Churches.

2:00 Baseball game - Franklin - Andrews.

Monday, May 6 - 6:30 p.m. - Little Leaguers meet at City Hall.

6:30 p.m. - Wesleyan Service Guild Supper at Fellowship Hall.

Tuesday, May 7 - 6:30 p.m. - Rotary Club meets at Shell Dining Room.

7:30 p.m. - Circle II of WSCS at Fellowship Hall.

Wednesday, May 8, 3:00 p.m. - WSCS meets at home of Mrs. R. A. Dewar.

### Events Call Attention To NC's 300th Year

MURPHY - During the year of 1963, North Carolina is celebrating her three hundredth year. Counties throughout the state are planning various events to celebrate this great occasion.

Joe Ray, Murphy Postmaster, has been named Cherokee County Chairman for North Carolina's Tercentenary Celebration. He met with his committee Thursday night to make further plans. He named several events which he already has lined up in observance of the Tercentenary Celebration.

One of the most outstanding ones is a Declamation Contest which will be held in the Murphy High School, Andrews High School, and Hiwassee Dam High School about the first of May. Another event will be an essay contest in the Murphy Elementary and High School on North Carolina's three hundred years of history. The ministers of Murphy will also be asked to make use of North Carolina's History in some special sermon during the year.

The Committee, which was appointed by Joe Ray, County Chairman, to help him with the Tercentenary Celebration is as follows: Miss Josephine Heighway, Mrs. Jerry Davidson, Misses Kate and Leila Hayes, and Mrs. R. H. Hrumby.



Cherokee County Cancer Society Chairman Joe El-Kouri makes a point as Dr. Charles Van Gorder (shown at right) looks on. Other "cancer conscience" citizens file through the supper line at the cancer crusade kick-off supper at the Marble School Tuesday night. (Scout Photo)



### Cancer Society Kick-Off Dinner Held At Marble

MARBLE - Mr. Joe El Khouri, president of Cherokee County Unit of the American Cancer Society presided at the cancer crusade kick-off supper held at Marble Tuesday, April 30.

Rev. Whitson gave the invocation. Approximately 150 interested citizens attended this meeting including Dr. Van Gorder, Dr. and Mrs. Blalock of Andrews, Dr. and Mrs. Bryan Whitfield, Dr. and Mrs. Paul Hill, and Dr. and Mrs. W. A. Hoover, Supt. and Mrs. Holland McSwain, officers of the Cherokee County Unit; Mr. Joe El Khouri, president; Mrs. W. M. Lay, president for 1963-64; Mrs. Floyd Blalock, vice-president; Dr. Paul Hill, 2nd vice-president; Mrs. Joe Ray, Secretary; Mrs. John Pulliam, treasurer.

Guests and speakers from Raleigh were Mrs. Bunny Stone, executive director of American Cancer Society, on "Importance of a Successful Crusade"; Mr. R. B. Owens, Field Consultant of American Cancer Society, who gave statistics on cancer patients today and five years ago and encouraged an early check-up; Mrs. Doris Hicks, public health nurse of Swain County, Bryson City, N. C., who spoke on Education; Mrs. Ed Whitaker, Bryson City, who spoke on "The role of the volunteer and the independent crusade."

Dr. Hoover gave a few facts about the County Detection Center and encouraged free check-ups regularly. Harry Bagley and Miss Jean Christy were in charge of the entertainment. The Andrews square dance team performed; the Keenum Sisters sang two songs; Bill Gullledge and Allen Mashburn played a duet, "Under The Double Eagle."

Chairman for the crusade drive for Murphy are Mrs. Holland McSwain, Sam Davidson.

The drive will have its kick-off drive beginning on Thursday, May 2, 1963.

## Merchants Plan Old Market Days

MURPHY - Murphy Retail Merchants Association is planning "Old Market Days" the weekend of May 16, 17, and 18. The three day sales event will feature 5¢ hotdogs, sidewalk display of merchandise, plus a big event on Saturday that this newspaper is not allowed by postal regulations to mention.

The best way to find out what is going to happen in Murphy Saturday, May 18, is to come to town and ask one of the Murphy merchants displaying a "Red M" on his door. The "Red M" is the symbol of a merchant association member. Or you can call the Scout office at 837-2222 or 837-2123.

### Wrestling Card Proceeds Will Go To Cancer Society

MURPHY - Another big wrestling card is scheduled for wrestling fans Wednesday night, May 8, 8:15 p.m., at the Old Rock Gym, Murphy, when matchmakers Nick Gulas, Roy Welch and Harry Thornton have signed a great card... under the sponsorship of the Cherokee Cancer Society... with proceeds going to the Cherokee County Cancer Society.

First match 8:15 p.m., Wednesday night, May 8, at the Old Rock Gym, Murphy.

Every year now for three years the Murphy Retail Merchants Association has staged a big pre-summer sales event.

This is it for this year. Plan now to be in Murphy the weekend of May 16-18. Something real nice is going to happen to some shoppers.



DOLL HOUSE BURNS - The doll house located behind the home owned by Wayne Palmer on Lowell Street in Murphy was destroyed by fire Wednesday, April 24. The doll house served as a playhouse for children. Origin of the fire is unknown. Murphy Volunteer Firemen quickly extinguished the blaze and kept it from causing additional damage. (Scout Photo)

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