

Secretary Mallonee To Visit County

ASHEVILLE - Tom L. Mallonee, 11th Congressional District Secretary to Congressman Roy A. Taylor, is now making scheduled visits to the county seats and other sections of the counties.

On Friday, May 3, he will be at the Town Hall, Andrews, from 9:00 to 9:30 a.m.; the Power Board Office, Murphy, from 11:00 to 12:00 noon; and the Clay County Courthouse, Hayesville, from 2:30 to 3:30 p.m.

Any person who has plans or official business pertaining to Congressional matters they wish to discuss, is invited to meet Mr. Mallonee at the above specified times.



Teacher of The Week

MURPHY - Teaching earth science and mathematics at Murphy High School to Edwin Hendrix is more than a profession --- it is a family tradition. Mr. Hendrix's father, Clarence Hendrix, had taught for 45 years when he retired a few years ago as principal of Peachtree School. Besides three aunts who teach in Cherokee County Schools, Mr. Hendrix has a sister, Mrs. Gene Stewart, who holds a teaching position in Alabama, while his only brother, David, will graduate in March as a teacher from the University of Tennessee. In keeping with the family tradition, Mrs. Hendrix, the former Miss Patsy Jones, returned to college and earned her teacher's certificate.

After finishing Murphy High School in 1953, Edwin Hendrix attended the University of Tennessee for two years and continued his education at Western Carolina College, where he graduated with a degree in science with a concentration in biology and chemistry. Not satisfied with minimum requirements, however, Mr. Hendrix is at the present pursuing a Master's Degree.

Before he joined the Murphy High School teaching staff last fall, Mr. Hendrix had taught biology, English, and general science for three years at Hiwassee Dam. His ability to motivate pupils was evidenced recently when his earth science class exhibited spectacular collections of rocks and minerals.

Outside of school, Mr. Hendrix enjoys the outdoors and spectator sports.

Cuz's Corner

by Bagley

I told you last week about some --- just some, of the trouble that cats has caused me nearly all my life. It just seems like they are destined to make my life a misery from here on out.

The one at the house, the most worthless piece of feline flesh I ever saw, is solid white, with one blue eye, and one yellow one, and stone deaf. He'll go and get lost and my little girl'll insist on our looking for him. Well, since he can't hear it thunders, it don't do no good to holler "here kitty, kitty." We just have to hunt him through the bushes and the briars. Ever time he gets lost I hope we won't find him and that he can't find his way back --- but, we've still got him.

The ones we had when I's a growing up all lived on table scraps, the rats and mice they caught, in a bate of fresh cow's milk ever once in a while. They all stayed sleek as fat on that diet.

But this one, this ole white cat, won't touch none of that. No sir. Only the best, most expensive, canned cat food I've had is the sorry piece of plunder the cat doctor I just don't know at the times. And that's some-thing you'da been laughed outta the community for doing back when I's a boy. We never used a vet for nothing smaller'n a cow or a mule.

An talking about our ole cats getting a bate of fresh cows milk ever now an then, they got it a lot oftener than that. In fact, ever time I went to milk ever cat we had headed for the barn with me, just meowing and begging. Cats atour house never missed a milking.

I'll never forget this ole mammy cat we had. She'd sit up on her hind legs and open her mouth and I'd squirt the milk in her mouth. I got pretty good at that, too. I's pretty accurate, got so I could hit her in the mouth with about 3 outta 4 squirts. The rest of the cats I just hit them with it wherever I could. By the time I finished milking there was hardly a dry hair on a cat we had --- cept this one ole mammy cat, and then they all had a licking good time. We had the finest looking, shiniest haired bunch of cats in the neighborhood. We shoulda had, after all, how many cats will you find that has a fresh cow's milk shampoo twice a day? Evelyn, this cat loving sister of mine, used to say I's trying to drown 'em. I used to ask her if she's so worried about 'em that she wanted to do the milking. She wasn't THAT worried.

I used to think that Toms would always leave to do their tom-cattin but this ole sorry one of ours don't. He invites 'em to his house, I mean MY house. That's the plain honest - to - goodness truth.

Can you remember what an eerie racket they used to make, when you were a kid, when they were fightin' I reckon that's what they were doing. Well, when I heard it I'd just cover up head 'n ears.

That's the racket I listened to last night from about 1:00 to 2:00 a.m., and it was in my basement. Back winter before last I had to cut a hole in the garage door for my ole cat, so he could get in and out. Well, he'd done taught his lady friend where that hole was, and that's how she got in.

This serenade didn't show any signs of lettin up so at 2:00 o'clock I got up to put a stop to it. Soon as I opened the basement door here came Miss, I mean Mrs. Mammy cat up the steps. I grabbed my britches off a chair and threw 'em at her, scattering my change, pocket knife, and keys all over the basement floor. She beat a hasty retreat, and I said a few words, but never mind what.

I thought this would end all the fuss, figgering she'd go to her house and that "Old Salt" would go with her. Wrong both ways. So, I got my flash light and my hometown newspaper, which I hadn't read, and headed for the basement. I rolled my newspaper up to swat 'em with and began looking for 'em.

They musta had guilty consciences cause they both started running, an me rite after 'em. The first time around Mrs. Cat run out the hole, but Old Salt passed rite on by. I kept swatting at him with my paper and chasing him, and he's a running an a squalling like I's a killing him an I missed him ever time I swung at him.

Finally, after about the sixth round he went out the hole just ahead of my newspaper. Then I begin to assess the damage he'd caused: I had fell down twice and skint both knees, I had broken my flashlight when I fell the first time, tore up my hometown newspaper, and there was one 50 cent piece I never did find. I hobbled to the bathroom and the medicine cabinet, patched up my knees, and went back to bed. There wasn't a pain pill or a tranquilizer in the house so I just laid there and suffered the rest of the night. I had just begun to get drowsy when my wife yells and asked me if I was gonna get up and go to Sunday School and Church.

After the session I'd had with them darn cats I really needed to go to Church --- so, I drug the carcass outa bed and went to church about 17 cat-naps during Church.

MURPHY - The Cherokee County Recorder's Court met in regular session on Monday, April 15, 1963, with His Honor C. E. Hyde, Recorder, Present and presiding and F. O. Christopher, Solicitor, present and prosecuting. The following proceedings were had on matters pending before the court:

Case No. 4743 - State-vs-Charles Gilbert Stiles, DD: It is the judgement of the Court that the defendant be confined in the common jail of Cherokee County for a period of 6 months and assigned to do work under the supervision of the State Prison Department and pay a fine of \$150.00 and the cost of the action. The prison sentence is suspended by and with the consent of the defendant given in open court for a period of 1 year upon the following conditions: 1) That the defendant pay the sum of \$20 into the office of the Clerk of Court on this day and that he pay the sum of \$10.00 per week to apply on the fine and cost. First payment to be made Saturday, April 20, 1963, and a like payment to be made on each following Saturday until the entire fine and costs are paid in full. 2) That the defendant be of good behavior and not violate any of the laws of the State of North Carolina and particularly that he refrain from drinking any intoxicants.

Case 4638 - State-vs-Fate Frankum - Defendant pleads guilty to driving upon the public highways of North Carolina in an intoxicated condition. It is the judgement of the Court that the defendant be confined in the common jail of Cherokee County for a period of 4 months and assigned to do work under the supervision of the State Prison Department and pay a fine of \$100.00 and the cost of the action. The prison sentence is suspended by and with the consent of the

defendant given in open court upon the following conditions for a period of 6 months: 1) That the defendant pay the fine and cost imposed herein by paying \$25.00 at this time and the sum of \$20.00 per month. The first payment of \$20.00 to be made on the 15th day of May, 1963, and a like payment of \$20.00 to be made on the 15th day of each succeeding month thereafter until the entire fine and costs are paid in full. 2) Defendant will turn his driver's license over to the Clerk of Court.

Case 4752 - State-vs-Bass Stiles - DD - The defendant pleads guilty to driving upon the public highways of North Carolina. It is the judgement of the Court that the defendant pay a fine of \$100.00 and the costs and be confined in the common jail of Cherokee County for a period of 4 months and assigned to do work under the supervision of the State Prison Department. The prison sentence is suspended by and with the consent of the defendant given in open court for a period of 1 year upon the following conditions: 1) That the defendant pay in the office of the Clerk of Court at this time the sum of \$40.00 and that he shall pay the sum of \$20.00 per month. The first payment of \$20.00 is to be made on the 15th day of May, 1963, and a like payment of \$20.00 on the 15th day of each succeeding month thereafter until the entire fine and cost are paid in full. The defendant will surrender his driver's license to the Clerk of Court to be forwarded to the Department of Motor Vehicles as required by law.

Case No. 4753 - State -vs- Linda Ruth Forch - Speeding: The defendant pleads guilty to speeding upon the public highways at the rate of 70 miles per hour in a 55 mile zone. It is the judgement of the court

that the defendant pay the cost of the action.

Case No. 4754 - State -vs- Geraldine Case - Speeding: The defendant pleads guilty to speeding upon the public highways at the rate of 70 miles per hour in a 55 mile zone. It is the judgement of the Court that the defendant pay the cost of the action.

Case No. 4755 - State-vs-Lester Burrell - NOL: The defendant pleads guilty to driving upon the public highways of North Carolina without a valid operator's license. It is the judgement of the Court that the defendant pay a fine of \$25.00 and the cost of the action.

Case 4751 - State-vs-Robert Brent Radcliff - Exceeding Safe Speed: The defendant pled not guilty to exceeding safe speed upon the public highways. It is the judgement of the Court that the defendant pay the cost of the action. Court adjourns. C. E. HYDE, Recorder

MURPHY - The Cherokee County Recorder's Court met in regular session on Monday, April 22, 1963, with His Honor, C. E. Hyde, Recorder, present and presiding and F. O. Christopher, Solicitor, present and prosecuting. The following proceedings were had on matters pending before the court:

Case 4758 - State-vs-Fredrick Lee Thompson - Speeding: 70 miles an hour in 55 mile zone - The defendant pleads guilty to speeding 70 miles an hour in a 55 mile zone. It is the judgement of the Court that the defendant pay the costs.

Case 4691 - State-vs-William John Munro: The defendant is called and failed, Judgment Nisi Sci Fa and Capias.

Case 4736 - State-vs-William J. Davis - Speeding: The defendant pleads guilty to speeding 70 miles per hour in

a 55 mile an hour zone. It is the judgement of the Court that the defendant pay the cost. Case 4747 - State -vs- Mr. James Floyd Hedden - Non Support: The defendant was called and failed, Judgment Nisi Sci Fa and Capias.

Case 4756 - State-vs-Homer Ledford-Falling to Comply: This matter in continued indefinitely.

Cases 4761, 4762 - State -vs-S. J. Kilpatrick - Forcible Trespass and Assault - The two cases are consolidated for purpose of judgement. The defendant pled not guilty. After hearing the evidence, it is the judgement of the Court that the defendant is guilty. It is the judgement of the court that the defendant be confined in the common jail of Cherokee County for a period of 3 months and assigned to work under the supervision of the State Prison Department and pay the cost of this action. The prison sentence is suspended for a period of 2 years upon the following conditions: 1) That the defendant pay the cost at this time; 2) That the defendant be of good behavior and not violate any of the laws of the state and particularly that he avoid contact with and difficulty with his brother, Franklin Kilpatrick, and his sister-in-law, Sue Kilpatrick, and the entire Anderson family.

Case 4763 - State-vs-W. M. Kilpatrick - Forcible Trespass: The defendant pled not guilty. After hearing the evidence, the court finds the defendant guilty as charged. It is the judgement of the Court that the defendant be confined in the common jail of Cherokee County for a period of 2 months and assigned to do work under the supervision of the State Prison Department and pay the cost of the action. The prison sentence is suspended by and with the consent of

the defendant given in open court for a period of 6 months upon the following conditions: 1) That the defendant pay the cost of the action at this time; 2) That the defendant be of good behavior and not violate any of the laws of the State and particularly that he avoid contact and controversy with the prosecuting witnesses in this case.

Case 4760, 4759 - State-vs-Kansas Kilpatrick - Slander and Forcible Trespass - The defendant pleads not guilty. After hearing the evidence, the Court finds the defendant guilty as charged. Prayer for judgement in the matter is continued on condition that the defendant pay the cost of the action. Court Adjourns: C. E. HYDE, Recorder.

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Rural Carrier Exam To Be Given At Murphy

MURPHY - An examination for Rural Carrier for the Post Office at Murphy, N. C., will be open for acceptance of applications until May 21, 1963, the commission announced today.

Applicants must take a written test for this position. They must have resided within the delivery of the office for one year immediately preceding the closing date of the examination. In addition, they must have reached their 18th birthday on the closing date for acceptance of applications. There is no maximum age limit. However, persons who have passed the age of 70 may be considered only for temporary renewable appointments of one year.

Complete information about the examination requirements and instructions for filing applications may be obtained at the post office for which this examination is being announced. Application forms must be filed with the U. S. Civil Service Commission, Washington 25, D. C., and must be received or postmarked not later than the closing date.

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Pre-School Clinic Dates Are Announced For Murphy

MURPHY - The Murphy Elementary School pre-school clinic will be held in the music room of the rock building on the school grounds, Wednesday, May 8, from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 and from 1:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m. The child must be six years old on or before October 15, 1963, in order to qualify for this clinic, according to Mr. John Jordan, school principal.

The school principal also states that all the doctors from Murphy are giving their time during the day to examine the children. Also, the nurses from the Cherokee County Health Department and mothers from the Murphy PTA will be on hand to lend their assistance.

He also stresses the fact that no immunizations will be given at this clinic, however, it is recommended that parents use their family doctor or the Cherokee County Health Department for this purpose. Diphtheria, whooping cough, smallpox, tetanus, and polio shots are the required shots. This regulation that the children have these shots before entering school is set up by the laws of the State of North Carolina and the school officials state that no child will be allowed to enter school without having had all the required shots and a record showing the dates.

You are urged by the school officials to bring your child's birth certificate and a record of his shots to the clinic on May 8, and follow him through so that you can get the information he needs in order to be physically fit to enter school next year.

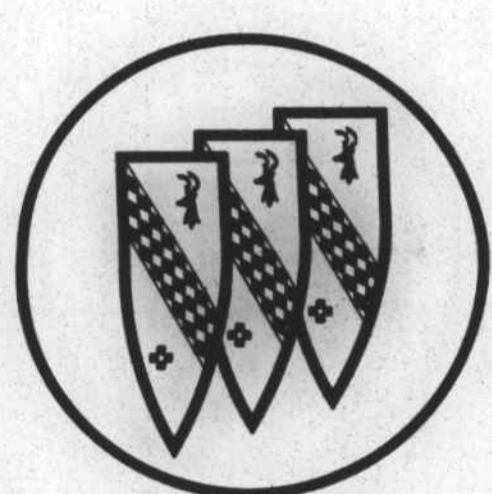
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