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NOTICE

WORLD WAR I VETERANS

If you are interested in a decent Pension you can get the facts by attending a special meeting in the Sylva Courthouse on Sunday, Aug. 25 at 2:30 p.m.

All World War Veterans and their ladies are invited to be on hand for the facts pertaining to a Pension, the Junior Vice Commander Jack Dunwood of the Department of North Carolina will have a message of great importance for you.

All of the W, W, I Barracks in Western North Carolina will be represented at this meeting, come and mingle with your old war Buddies, renew friendships, make new ones.

This meeting will be the largest to be held in the State, many of the State Officers will be on hand to answer questions.

Make this a holiday that will benefit you and your family, remember the date and place, the Sylva Courthouse, 2:30 p.m. Sunday the 25th of August.

DATE	H	L	PERC.
Aug. 15	75	50	0,00
16	80	54	0,00
17	80	56	0,00
18	82	58	0,00
19	85	59	0,00
20	84	62	0,00
21	81	63	0,05

Forecast - Thursday - Fair; Friday and Saturday - widely scattered Thunder Showers. Sunday - Fair.

Among The Sick
ANDREWS -- Patient Census at District Memorial Hospital August 18, 1963:
 Andrews - Mr. Billy J. West, Mrs. Douglas Derbyberry, Mrs. James Harris, Mrs. Etsa Taylor, Mr. Luther White, Mrs. Earl West, Robbinsville - Miss Eula Mae Adams, Mr. Vincent Queen, Mr. Monroe Hyde, Mrs. Dollie Millsaps, Mr. Wade Garland, Miss Marie McClung, Miss Elizabeth Orr, Mr. Earl Wayne Shuler.
 Dr. Sedit Miller, Fontana Dam; Mrs. Herbert Bryson, Topnot; Mrs. T. A. Floyd, Blairsville, Ga.; Mrs. J. B. Wykle, Almond; Mrs. Mamie Graves, Murphy; Mr. W. R. Dockery, Marble.

Young Harris To Open September 21
YOUNG HARRIS - The 1963-64 school year at Young Harris College will begin on September 21 when the dormitories will open for freshmen. Other students will be expected to arrive by Sept. 23 to begin orientation and counseling.
 Both sophomore and freshman registration will be held on September 24 and 25 with classes beginning on Sept. 25.
 According to S. David Frazier, director of admissions, a capacity enrollment of 620 is expected.
 Work has begun on a new \$500,000 auditorium-fine arts building which is expected to be in full use by the next school year. This building will consist of a 1,200 seat auditorium and complete facilities for music instruction and practice along with space for the other fine arts.

Mrs. Beryl Fulton Was Injured In A Two Car Accident Monday
MURPHY -- Mrs. Beryl Fulton was injured Monday, August 19 in a two car collision in the Nantahala Gorge. According to Highway Patrolman Corporal McDonald Mr. Roy Fulton, driving a 1962 Oldsmobile, was traveling west on Highway 19. He passes a car and pulled back to the right side of the road. Mr. Fulton thinking he was going to hit the car in front of him pulled back to the left side of the road. Then he realized he was meeting a car, he applied his brakes and skidded sideways. A 1959 Ford driven by Mr. Dewey L. Beaver of Rosnoke, Va. hit the Fulton car in the right side.
 Mr. Fulton was accompanied by his wife, Mrs. Beryl Fulton, who was taken to District Memorial Hospital in Andrews. Mrs. Fulton suffered a fractured pelvis, two broken ribs and minor cuts and bruises. Mr. Fulton suffered minor cuts and bruises.
 Mr. Beaver was accompanied by his wife and two small children. The occupants of the Beaver's car suffered minor cuts and bruises.



CONGRESSMAN ROY A. TAYLOR will be in Murphy, Sunday September 1, to dedicate the New Hiwassee Lake Campground. The entrance to the first loop is pictured above.

Note the convenient grabage cans, camping platforms, and picnic tables to the left and the out door privy to the right. (Scoutout)

Auxiliary Has Picnic

MURPHY - The American Legion Auxiliary held their annual picnic on Thursday, August 22 (Today) at the S. C. Burgess Farm.

After supper a short business session was held, and Mrs. H. G. Elkins, nominating chairman announced the slate of officers for 1963-64 as follows: Mrs. Ruth Cheney, president, Mrs. R. H. Foard, treasurer, Mrs. Charles Johnson, secretary and Mrs. Kate Mauney, child welfare and rehabilitation and Mrs. S. C. Burgess historian.
 Mrs. John Bayless received the attendance pool. Around 22 members were present and two guests.



MAN WHAT A WHOPPER! Little Hank Panter, 5 years old, is pictured above with his father, Fred Panter, and a catfish they caught Tuesday night, August 20. The cat weighed twenty-seven and one half pounds, and was caught on a trot line at Lovers Leap on Hiwassee Lake. Mr. Panter had three other catfish weighing in the neighborhood of five pounds each. (Scoutout)

Traffic Deaths

RALEIGH - The Motor Vehicles Department's summary of traffic deaths through 10 A.M. Monday, August 19, 1963 Killed to Date 776 Killed to Date last year 745

Average Home Cost of Electricity Hits New Low

MURPHY - Murphy Power Board's customers are using more electricity in their homes and paying less, on the average, than ever before, John H. Bayless, Manager of the electric system announced this week.

Official figures show that electric system customers paid an average bill of \$102.00 last year for an average annual use of 11,596 kilowatt-hours, or an average of .88 of a cent a kwh.

In the first year of the electric system's operation, residential customers used only 480,239 kilowatt-hours, for which they paid an average annual bill of \$10,182.44, or an average of 2.1 cents a kwh. Unlike most necessary commodities, Manager Bayless pointed out, cost of electricity here has steadily dropped.

Since Murphy Power Board began operation, its low electric rates have encouraged wide use of electricity in the home.

"That's the way it's supposed to work," Bayless explained. "Our earnings are used only for operation expenses, system improvements, retirement of indebtedness, and as a basis for rate reductions."

National average home use of electricity, Bayless said, is considerably lower while

national average cost is much higher than paid here.

Last year, national average residential use of electricity was 4,334 kilowatt-hours. National average cost for this electricity was 2.39 cents a kilowatt-hour, or more than 2.72 times average cost here.

"Our low electric rates here have meant a great deal to us," Bayless said. "They permit us to make our homes truly modern with electric equipment at a truly low cost. And I see an even greater increase in our use of electricity for better living in the years ahead."

W.S.C.S. Honors

Mrs. Dale Greene

The Woman's Society of Christian Service of Hickory Stand Church held its regular monthly meeting Monday night August 19. The ladies made plans to have a fellowship supper at the Church on Saturday September 21.

After the business meeting the group honored Mrs. Dale Greene with a Stork Shower. She received many lovely and useful gifts.

Mrs. Sue Reese, Mrs. June Greene, Mrs. Bernice Stalcup and Mrs. Bessie Stalcup served refreshments to those attending.

Congressman Taylor To Dedicate Forest Campground

MURPHY - On Sunday, Sept. 1, 1963 at 2:00 p.m. the new U. S. Forest Service Campground on Hiwassee Lake will be formally dedicated. The Honorable Roy A. Taylor, Congressman for this area, will make the official dedication.

"Mr. Taylor has taken his valuable time to make the trip to Cherokee County for the official opening of Hiwassee Lake Campground and it is hoped that an enthusiastic crowd will be on hand to greet him," Hilton Carmichale, Forest Ranger, said.

Personnel of the U. S. Forest Service here in Murphy will be on hand to assist in parking at the campground before the dedication and to assist visitors in any way. Peter J. Hanlon, North Carolina National Forest Supervisor will be here as well as Forest Service personnel from the Regional Office in Atlanta.

Housing Project Bid Opens Today

MURPHY - A postponement in the opening of sealed bids for the \$500,000, forty-unit low rent housing project to be built here has been announced by Ben A. Palmer, executive director of the Murphy Housing Authority.

The bids, originally to be opened last Thursday, will be opened Thursday (today), Aug. 22, at 2:30 p.m. in The Murphy Power Board Building.

Bids for the furnishing of all labor, material, equipment, and services required to construct the 40-unit housing project and administration and maintenance buildings, landscape work, site improvement, and utilities will be publicly opened and read.

Construction on the project will start 10 days following the opening of the bids. Thirty-six units of the project will be located on a 10-acre tract known as the old Beal Property on Hiwassee Street. The other four units will be built at the city limits in Taxana for Negro occupancy.

An addendum to the original bids has been added. The number of days to complete the project has been changed from 210 to 270 days.

To Meet

ANDREWS -- The Valley River Garden Club will meet on Thursday (today) at the home of Mrs. Hermann K. Brauer at 3:00 p.m. Mrs. W. T. Forsyth will be co-hostess. Final Fair plans will be made.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Matheson had as their recent guests, sisters of Mrs. Matheson, Mrs. Jack Brown, Ojal, Calif. Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Murray of Lake Wales, Fla., Mr. and Mrs. Roy West, Vernie and Cathy and Mr. and Mrs. T.M. Nelson, all of Chamblae, Ga. The Nelsons and Mrs. Matheson attended the Atkins reunion held on Sunday at Erwin, Tenn.

Mr. and Mrs. Neil Matheson and children, Jimmy, Anna Neal, and Freida Rogers were week-end guests of L. and Mrs. Bobby Nelson and family of Hunters Alfb, Savannah, Ga. While there they visited Savannah Beach.

A birthday dinner honoring Jim Jones, age 75, and Della Tatham, 11, was given on Friday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Jones. Mr. and Mrs. John Reese of Candier attended, bringing a large decorated cake. Other guests included Mrs. Marvin Pullum and daughter, Diane, Mrs. Billy Tatham, children, Della, Dana, Mack, Johnny and Jerry and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Mull, children, Eddie, Mickey, Betty and Jo Ann of Mt. Clemmons, Michigan, left Friday after a visit with parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Mull. While here they also visited Donald Mull and family of New Smyrna, Georgia.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Baer and daughter Nancy of Charlotta have been the guests of the Clyde Ellis family this past week.

Mrs. Pech Sherrill and daughter Diane of Scotts were guests of Mrs. Lucy Laughter during the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Nichols, Judy and Charles spent Saturday in Asheville. Their daughter Sue who is staff member of Memorial Mission Hospital returned home with them for the week-end.

"The Murphy Chamber of Commerce, The Cherokee County Development Corp. and the U. S. Forest Service would like to extend an invitation to all the people of Cherokee County and surrounding areas as well as

passing visitors to come and bring their picnic lunches to be on hand when the official dedication of Hiwassee Lake Campground will be made by Congressman Roy Taylor at 2:00 p.m. on Sunday, Sept. 1, 1963," Carmichael added.

Annual Brasstown Bald Wagon Train To Be Held

The annual wagon train to the top of Brasstown Bald, the highest mountain in this area, will be held Labor Day week-end. The Wagon train will assemble in Hiwassee, Ga., Thursday, August 30 for a big Street Dance that night.

The Train will leave Hiwassee Friday morning at the break of dawn for Young Harris and will make camp there Friday night. There will be a Street Dance on the College Campus Friday night.

Leaving Young Harris, Saturday morning for the top of Bald Mountain. Upon arrival at the top of the mountain

there will be a Bar-B-Q supper, Public Speaking and a square dance Saturday night.

The Wagon Train will leave Brasstown Bald, Sunday morning returning to Young Harris Sunday afternoon for a free horse show.

Everyone is invited to attend this annual affair whether you have a horse or not according to Wayne Phillips.

Jimmy Rogers Leads WNC Baptists

ANDREWS -- "Win Them For Him" was the theme of the seventy-ninth annual session of the Western North Carolina Baptist Association held at the Hanging Dog Baptist Church on August 13 and at Shiloh Baptist Church on August 14. The Rev. Fred Lumsford, moderator, presided.

During the sessions reports from the various associational officers and state-wide agencies were heard. The Rev. Don Turner, pastor of Truett Memorial Church, Haywoodville, brought the annual sermon. The meeting was climaxed on Wednesday afternoon with a message on evangelism by the Rev. Thad Dowdie, pastor of the Marble Springs Baptist Church.

The following officers were elected for the coming year: Moderator - Rev. Jimmy Rogers, pastor of Mt. Pisgah Church, Haywoodville; Vice - Moderator - Rev. Thad Dowdie, Marble; Clerk - Doris Raxter, Andrews; Assistant Clerk - De Etta Watson, Andrews; Treasurer - Mrs. J. J. Hamilton, Murphy; Assistant Treasurer - Mrs. Arden Davis, Murphy; and Historian - Mrs. Clarence Hendrix, Peachtree.

Messengers from thirty-five churches attended the sessions. Lunch was served by the host churches.

Andrews Personal Mention

Mr. and Mrs. George Handura and daughter Elaine, of Largo, Florida, are spending two weeks vacation at their summer home in Andrews.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Gibson, daughter, Terry Jean and Jackie Raxter are touring mid-western states. They plan to spend time at Yellowstone National Park, from there to Seattle, Washington and Portland Oregon, returning by southern route, visiting in Mexico and Tucson, Arizona.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Whitson of Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, were visitors in Andrews on Wednesday. Mrs. Whitson was the former owner of Daniel Boone's Diner at Topnot.

Mrs. L. G. Linman, children, Gary, Vickie and Cathy of Woodbridge, Virginia are visiting Mrs. Linman's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Vick Wood.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Connor and Mr. and Mrs. Stan Siberski and daughter Mary June of Asheville are visiting Mrs. Maude Hamlin and Miss Elizabeth Kilpatrick.

Approximately 175 attended the Homecoming at Beaver Creek held on Sunday at Free Will Baptist Church, Rev. Roy Redman of Asheville delivered the sermon preceding lunch. Special music was heard through the day.

Gordon Earwood, grandson of Mrs. John Earwood, flew to Andrews on Saturday from Columbia, Tenn. for the week-end. While here he also visited other relatives including Willard Earwood and Mrs. Creed Bates and family of Murphy.

Mrs. Arnold Derbyberry, accompanied by Terry Postell were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Masenale and family of Charlotte. Enroute home they spent time at Mars Hill College where Terry enrolled for the coming year.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Jones David, Louise, Carolyn, Diane and Terry of Cullowhee are visiting relatives and friends.

Martha Baldwin returned Sunday from a weeks visit with Mrs. Jessie Blankenship and Mrs. Laura Nell Solesby of Black Mountain.

Frank B. Cooper of Southern Pines spent Sunday with his father, John H. Cooper. He was accompanied by daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. James Miller, Mr. Miller recently joined the Cooper Appraisals, who are presently appraising Haywood County.

David and Linda Baxter completed their five week period of service in First Methodist Church on Sunday. Their leadership in the church during this time has been most effective and deeply appreciated. We wish for them great success as David enters his final year at the Divinity School of Duke University and then into the Methodist ministry.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Brown Mrs. Bill Newman, Henry and Jim Lail attended the homecoming at the Bear Creek Church on Sunday.

Mrs. Lorene Wise and daughter Gail have returned home after spending the past week with relatives and friends in Gastonia and Bessemer City, N. C.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Freeman and family of Knoxville were recent guests of his brother, Mr. Robert Freeman and family.

Mr. and Mrs. James Hardin and family of Pontiac, Michigan, are visiting friends and relatives in Andrews and Marble.

Mrs. Inez Brandie and daughter Elizabeth have returned home after spending two months as guests of her sister Mrs. Margie Applegate of New Orleans, La.

THE 1962 OLDSMOBILE in which Mrs. Beryl Fulton was riding when injured Monday, August 19 in a two car collision in the Nantahala Gorge is pictured above. (Scoutout)