

Scoutlets

What To Do

For the ladies who got up enough nerve to purchase a topless bathing suit and don't have the nerve to wear it, here's what to do: Sew up the legs and you have a pretty neat clothes pin bag. Course hanging out clothes could get quite expensive, but at least you won't have a total loss.

Even Better

Sign on a drycleaning shop in Troy, Ohio: "Ladies Topless Bathing Suits Cleaned Free of Charge."

Don't Change The Name

Marriage is bliss and now-a-days young girls and old ones alike, seem to crave getting their names changed. Not so in this case. Recently a couple came to our fair city from Tennessee to get hitched. The oddity... The groom's name was Smith, the bride's name was Smith... you guessed it; They were married by Rev. C. A. Smith of Murphy. So you see ladies, it isn't necessary to change your name.

Equal Space

We told you that Preacher Bill's tongue would wag at both ends. Sho' nuff it does. He w... our office Saturday morning wanting equal space for what we said about him and the Baptist Ball Club in last week's column. Here goes: Last Thursday evening softball fans saw Brother Thompson and his Baptist Nine take the field behind the excellent pitching of M. G. Decker and beat the undefeated Tomotia Team by a score of 5 to 4, in an eight inning thriller. Okay, William?

Fire And Rain

Bunch Nugent, Big Chief Forest Ranger here, while relaxing at a local coffee table Tuesday morning, was telling how hard the Forest Service worked. Well, that did it. One coffee moocher quipped that he didn't see why the job was so rough since all they had to do was sit around and wait for a fire to get started. Quipped another, "Then all they have to do is wait for the rain to come and put it out." Nary another word did we hear from Bunch.

Almost Stolen

Cliff Hughes, a transport carrier driver for Duncan Oil got a surprise in the wee hours Tuesday morning. As Mr. Hughes, returning from a road trip about 2:00 a.m., turned into the bulk plant he saw a man sitting in his car, the motor running, and ready to go. On seeing the tractor-trailer the fellow jumped out of Mr. Hughes' car and ran like a jack rabbit. That's what we call "almost stolen."

No! No! Not The Saw!

After much training on an automatic compressed air tire changer, a young service station attendant from Franklin had just about mastered the art of tire changing. A customer came in and wanted a tire taken off the wheel. He said he realized the tire was no good but the tube inside was new. Strong language and odd noises brought the manager of the station and the customer to the lube bay to find the young attendant busily sawing the tire off with a hack saw. Although the tire didn't matter, he wasn't stopped until the tube was saved clean through.

Long Trip--No Diapers

Joe Fowler, owner of Murphy 66 Service Station, passed this tidbit along to us. Not long ago, a lady tourist stopped in his station with a car load of kids. As the story goes the lady pulled down a long strand of white linen towel from the restroom rack, clipped it off, and made diapers. Evidence was soiled diapers on the restroom floor. Man, that's improving.

Letter To The Editor

Dear Sir:
I am writing the following letter in hope that I will make the people back home realize a few things that they might never give a second thought to. I was 21 years old before I joined the Armed Forces and in those 21 years I was never far from the ones I loved and without loved ones, and I had never given it much thought. So now, I will try to give the American people a look and story of a serviceman's tour of duty away from home.

New Year's is tonight. Big deal! Just what have we got to look forward to? Come to think of it, just what was so great about last year? We have spent the past year away from our loved ones, ate the great Air Force chow, and walked away from the pay lines with insufficient pay, and spent a year "protecting" people who sometimes don't give a darn if you or I ever have a decent meal, a decent pay check, a decent education or a few days without families.

How many people are taking a break from their festivities tonight or any other night to think of the young men who serve in the armed forces? Not too many take the time. Don't forget, this is the time of the big college bowl games and other major sports activities.

Let someone else think of ole Joe-Dogface. Yeah, let someone else think of them. Let someone else worry about who's flying SAC's planes and who's servicing them, who's in line of fire in Viet Nam, who's holding the bag in Berlin, who's ready to warn us tonight in case of a sneak attack on the Citadel of Freedom. Is anyone worrying about the boys back home training to take over the millions of jobs vital to our defense or the men manning them now?

How many G.I.'s will walk down lonely streets in the states, passing parties of civilians who are too wrapped up in themselves to give a darn about the boys on bases in their own hometowns? People cry about losing military bases in their locale, but they won't give us the time of day when we are stationed there.

The boys in Korea are lonely tonight. G.I.'s are lonely in Japan, Okinawa, Alaska, Greenland, Italy, Germany, Pakistan, and all over the United States of America. It would be fitting if Americans would think of these guys a little, and they could start by giving a guy a real smile and saying "Happy New Year, Buddy."

These are the thoughts of a lonely airman, exactly as he expressed them on paper the night of Dec. 31, 1963.

I live in Gastonia, and have for 12 years prior to coming into the Armed Forces and I would appreciate it if you would print this in your paper.

Before moving to Gastonia I lived in Murphy and attended Murphy Schools.

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WEATHER

Date	High	Low	Prec.
6	85	63	0.00
7	87	68	0.00
8	87	65	0.00
9	87	64	0.00
10	88	64	0.00
11	87	68	0.54
12	83	68	1.51

FORECAST: Thursday, fair and cool; Friday, fair; Saturday and Sunday, isolated thunder showers.

Bear With Us

Due to the volume of advertising in The Scout this week and the breakdown of our typesetting machines, several news items had to be held over.

If you are looking for a special story or item this week and are unable to find it, bear with us... we'll get it in next week.

Y'all Come

The Civitan Club allowed today that they were going to have another stompin good square dance in the Rock Gym Friday night, August 14. Admission is only 50¢ so y'all come, I just might pluck a little tune with James Evans and Glenn Ellis. Have to... can't dance.



A 1956 FORD in which one was killed and two injured, is shown where it landed right side up some 275 feet after leaving the pavement.



A REAR VIEW of the ill-fated vehicle shows how the remaining door of the car was twisted and torn. A door, the hood, and other parts of the car were strewn through the cornfield.

Cherokee County's First 1964 Fatality

One Dies-One Critical In Peachtree Accident

PEACHTREE - A one car accident shortly after 9:00 p.m. Sunday, August 9, near Peachtree Elementary School, proved fatal to Robert Brown, 18, of Bolivia, Ohio.

Mr. Brown was killed instantly when he was thrown from the overturning 1956 Ford that he was reportedly driving, some 75 feet before it came to rest in a cornfield owned by Mrs. Verdie Ledford.

This is the first traffic fatality in Cherokee County for 1964. There was a fatality January 2, when Willie Marion Gilreath, a 75 year old Murphy resident, died in a local hospital from injuries received when struck by a pickup truck just inside the city limits on Highway 64 East to Hayesville.

W. A. Singleton Selected to Attend Insurance Seminar

MURPHY - W. A. 'Dub' Singleton of Singleton Insurance, Murphy, has been selected as one of 150 agents from 24 states to attend the Advanced Insurance Agency Management Seminar at Vanderbilt University, Nashville, Tennessee.

The 3-day seminar, attracting students from 24 states, is sponsored by the Southern Agent Conference of the National Association of Insurance Agents. Ten agents from each Southern state were eligible for selection to attend this seminar. Each student becomes a participant in the agency management seminar, bringing to the meeting the outstanding management ideas utilized in his agency.

At the conclusion of the 3-day meeting, a transcript of the best management ideas is prepared for distribution to insurance agencies throughout the country.

Hall Wins Valdez Vacation

Sp/4 Sheridan W. Hall of Murphy, Rt. 3, is now serving with the U. S. Army in Alaska and has recently received a week's expense paid vacation to Valdez for the honor of second place to Soldier of the Month at Ft. Greely. Hall attended Murphy High School and entered the Army in March, 1963.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Painter, former residents of Cherokee County now residing in Ohio, were passengers in the car. Both were taken to Providence Hospital by a Townsion Funeral Home ambulance and later transferred to Erlanger Hospital in Chattanooga, Tenn.

While at the accident scene, Billy Painter stated that there was another passenger in the car besides Mr. Brown, himself and his wife.

The Cherokee County Rescue Squad was called out to bring their portable electric generator unit and lights, and an hour-long search of the cornfield for the missing passenger was begun.

Some spectators who had gathered at the scene stated that they had seen a lady get out of a green 1956 Ford at the Starlite Cafe, near the Peachtree Prison Camp.

Red Schuyler, along with Luther Swanson, investigated and after several phone calls learned that the missing person, Irene Painter, had been brought to Providence Hospital by private car after hearing of the accident.

Reports from officials at Erlanger Hospital before press time today stated that Mrs. Painter, age 17, is listed in critical condition and is receiving intensive care. Mr. Painter, age 19 is listed in fair condition.

State Trooper E. N. Hooper and Bud Ensley investigated

Young Methodist Attend Camp

MURPHY - Ten young people from the Murphy Free Methodist Church attended the youth camp held at Camp Hope on the Pigeon River in Pisgah National Forest, Waynesville, N. C., August 3.

This camp was held in connection with the Georgia-Carolina annual conference of the Free Methodist Church.

Those from Murphy attending were Janet Elliott, Linda Rogers, Peggy Cook, and Carolyn Totherow. These girls were the winners of an all-conference Bible quiz contest sponsored by the church. The quiz contest was a part of the program for the young people in attendance.

Rev. G. B. Rhodes, pastor of the local church, was re-appointed to serve the Murphy Free Methodist Church again.

Calendar Of Events

A meeting of the 12th District of the North Carolina Funeral Directors Association will be held Wednesday night, August 19, at 6:30 p.m. at the Family Restaurant here in Murphy. Donald Carter, District Director, has announced that the State President, John Walker of Windsor, N. C., along with other state officers, will be present.

Murphy Chapter No. 10, OES will meet in the Masonic Hall Thursday, August 13, at 7:30 p.m.

Circle No. 4 of the First Methodist Church will meet at the home of Mrs. Hazel King Tuesday, August 18, at 10:00 a.m.

On Tuesday, August 18, Tri-County Ministers and their families will meet at noon at Hayesville for their annual picnic.

Circle No. 3 of the First Methodist Church will meet in the men's Bible classroom of the church at 2 P.M. Tuesday and Circle No. 2 of the First Methodist Church will meet at 2:00 at the home of Mrs. Harve Elkins, Sr.

Cherokee Lodge #146 AM & FM is holding an urgent communication Saturday night, August 15, 7:30 p.m. for the purpose of conferring the Master Mason Degree.

Misunderstanding Leads To \$40,000 In Back Taxes

MURPHY -- Approximately 200 people who reside in Cherokee County but earn their living in the state of Tennessee, will have to pay \$40 to \$50,000 in back North Carolina State Income Taxes.

The State of North Carolina is requesting that these people pay taxes for the past five years, 1959 through 1963.

J. Robert Penland, State Revenue Collector here in

Andrews Schools Open August 24

ANDREWS - The 1964-65 school term will begin on August 24 with students reporting for half a day to receive class assignments, text books and to pay fees. School buses will operate on a normal schedule during the morning. On Thursday, Aug. 25, class work will begin on a full schedule and lunch rooms will be in operation.

School Superintendent C. O. Frazier has announced that all teaching positions allotted by the State Board of Education have been filled. The faculty list for the coming school year is as follows:

Andrews High School, Mrs. Annie Ruby Barnett, Mrs. Aline Bristol, Miss Jean Christy, W. Hugh Hamilton, Mrs. Renee K. Justice, Mrs. Ruth Hamilton Kyker, Mrs. Anna W. Lunsford, Cecil W. Mashburn, Lester Stowe, Mrs. Ruth Sursavage, Joseph C. Morrow, Alvin Russell, Miss Meredith Whitaker, Miss Elizabeth Whitson, James S. Webb, Mrs. Pauline Bault will continue her work in guidance and counseling and Mrs. Lelia Van Gorder will serve as librarian.

Andrews Elementary School, Vincent W. Crisp, principal, Miss Trilby S. Glenn, Mrs. Carrie R. Womack, Mrs. Louise C. Zimmerman, Mrs. Ruth S. Pullum, Mrs. Leuna H. Ford, Mrs. Blanche C. Garner, Mrs. Elizabeth Kilpatrick, Mrs. Veannah R. Radford, Mrs. Ruth C. Pullum, Mrs. Annie S. McGuire, Mrs. Betty P. Harris, Mrs. Hazel W. Elliott, Mrs. Louise C. Rector, Mrs. Gertrude B. Walsh, Mrs. Lelia M. Thomasson, Mrs. Mellie R. Stewart, Mrs. Alice T. Hogsd, Billy M. McFall, Miss Geraldine R. Smith, Robert Hugh Rayburn, and Mrs. Agnes W. Price.

Marble Elementary School, J. Dean Truett, principal, Miss Geneva Cahstain, Mrs. Vesta W. Wood, Mrs. Maude D. Radford and Mrs. Helen H. Waldroup.

Andrews Negro Elementary School, Mrs. Ida Mae Logan.

Registration Begins At Hiawasse Dam

HIWASSEE DAM-- Harest E. King, principal of Hiawasse Dam High School, announced this week that registration for any new students entering school this semester or those who did not register in the spring, will be held Thursday and Friday, August 20, and 21, at the school.

Registration time will be 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon, and 1:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m. each day.

B & PW Club Holds Regular Meeting

MURPHY -- The Murphy Business & Professional Women's Club held its regular monthly meeting August 10, 1964, at Dukes Lodge.

After a short business session dinner was served to the following: Juanita Weaver, Bonnie Kimsey, Joyce Nunnely, Helen Bryson, Jane Lovington, Mary Helen Hatchett, Mary Cathron Sneed, Sara Patton, Lona Davis, Carrie Davis, Barbara Tipton, Nell White, Lillie Mae Cover, Mary Jordan, Mary Faye Brumby, Bertha Bates, Ruth Cheney, Elvia Blakemore, Margaret Bruce, and Guest Mrs. Glenn Taylor.

Murphy, stated he felt a misunderstanding between the people in Cherokee County and the State of North Carolina Tax Department was responsible for the majority of these past due taxes.

Generally the people feel that by earning their living out of State that their wages should not be subject to North Carolina State Income Tax laws, and they should not be required to file a return.

At the present time the State of Tennessee is one of the few remaining states which does not have a state income tax law.

If Tennessee had had a state tax law, then North Carolina would have issued credit to the person filing for the amount paid. This is not double taxation, Mr. Penland stated.

The North Carolina Law reads in part: If you live in North Carolina, are married and earn as much as \$2,000 per year, you are required to file a State

Tax Return. If you are single or a married female, not head of a household, and earn as much as \$1,000 per year, you must file a return.

The law also states that if a tax return is not filed within 60 days of due date, a \$5.00 or 25% penalty is added to the tax due, whichever is greater. This penalty is being waived in the case of these back taxes where people are earning their living out of state. However, interest of 1 1/2% per month is being enforced on these back taxes.

As to date the penalty is as follows: 1959 -- 25 1/2% interest; 1960 -- 19 1/2% interest; 1961 -- 13 1/2% interest; 1962 -- 7 1/2% interest; 1963 -- 1 1/2% interest.

As of August 15, 1964, the interest on each year will increase another 1/2 percent. Mr. Penland stated further that he appreciates the attitude and cooperation of the people involved in this tax matter.

Taylor Brothers Hit By Car While Riding Bicycle

MARBLE -- John and Billy Taylor, sons of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Taylor of Route 1, Marble, were struck by a

car, Saturday afternoon, August 8. John, age 18, and Billy, age 17, were riding double on a bicycle near Marble on the Andrews highway, where they were struck by an automobile driven by Mrs. Martha Elizabeth Goodner of Cleveland, Tenn.

The boys were rushed to Providence Hospital in Murphy by a Townsion Funeral ambulance. Billy was treated for cuts and bruises and dismissed.

John was treated for a compound fracture of the lower left leg below the knee and was admitted to the hospital.

Dr. George Size, attending physician, stated that the muscle and tissue in John's leg were badly torn and that he will be confined to the hospital for another 10 to 15 days.

E. N. Hooper, investigating patrolman, stated that no charges have been filed against Mrs. Goodner.

Softball League 2nd Round Begins Thursday

MURPHY -- The second round of the fast-pitch softball league will get underway tonight (Thursday) at 7:30 p.m. with six teams participating.

An official of the softball league announced today that due to spectator interest and the interest of the ball clubs and their players, it has been decided that a second round of play begin.

The season officially closed Thursday, August 6, with Tomotia coming out on top. The

season was short and each team only faced each other once. With the second round of play, the teams, who should be in better playing condition will oppose each other again.

In Thursday night's action the First Baptist Church will go against the Jaycees in the first game at 7:30 p.m. and the A & P of Andrews will meet Rimco in the nightcap at 8:45 p.m.

Listed below is a complete schedule of the sixteen-game series.

Thursday, August 13
7:30 - 1st Baptist vs Jaycees
8:45 - A & P vs Rimco

Monday, August 17
7:30 - Jaycees vs A & P
8:45 Tomotia vs Forest Service

Thursday, August 20
7:30 - Rimco vs Tomotia
8:45 - Forest Service vs 1st Baptist

Monday, August 24
7:30 - A & P vs Forest Service
8:45 - Rimco vs Jaycees

Thursday, August 27
7:30 - Tomotia vs 1st Baptist
8:45 - Jaycees vs Forest Service

Monday, August 31
7:30 - A & P vs Tomotia
8:45 - Murphy Baptist vs Rimco

Thursday, September 3
7:30 - Jaycees vs Tomotia
8:45 - A & P vs 1st Baptist

Monday, September 7
7:30 - Forest Service vs Rimco