

# PROGRESS

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## Tri County Citizens To Meet With Agriculture Officials

HAYESVILLE - Cherokee, Graham, and Clay County citizens with an interest in agriculture meet with officials from North Carolina State in Hayesville on Tuesday, Nov. 17, to discuss topics of mutual interest.

County Extension Chairman P. W. England said the meeting would be part of a series of similar meetings scheduled across North Carolina.

Objective of the meeting, England explained, is to let local people share their ideas with the college officials, and to get a report on the college agricultural activities.

Participants from the college will include Dr. H. Brooks James, dean of the school of Agriculture and Life Sciences; R. W. Shofner, director of foundations; Dr. R. L. Lovvorn, director of the N. C. Agricultural Extension Service; and Dr. E. W. Glazener, director of instructions for the School of Agriculture and Life Sciences.

In announcing the meetings, farmers and business people are giving strong support to their land-grant college. It is important to keep them informed on what the college is doing. It also is important to have their suggestions.

Invited to attend the meeting are farm, business, and legislative leaders; members of extension advisory boards; representatives of agricultural agencies; vocational agriculture teachers and their students; and other people interested in agriculture or N. C. State.

The meeting in Hayesville will be held for people from Cherokee, Clay and Graham counties. Starting time is 2 p.m. in the Hinton Rural Life Center.

## Special Services For Thanksgiving To Be Held In Clay

HAYESVILLE - The Clay County Ministerial Association is planning a Union Thanksgiving service on Wednesday night, November 25, at 7:30 p.m. in the Truett Memorial Baptist Church.

The speaker will be the Rev. Jess Bailey of the Mt. Pleasant Baptist Church. Everyone is cordially invited to attend this special worship service.

Mr. and Mrs. Michael Powell are now living in Greenville, S. C., where he is employed by the Crawford Insurance Company. They recently visited their mothers, Mrs. Josephine Thurman, and Mrs. Rebecca Powell.

Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Patterson of Atlanta, Willis Johnson and J. B. Johnson of Gainesville recently visited Mr. and Mrs. Walter Johnson.

## Backward Glance

40 YEARS AGO NOVEMBER 14, 1924 Mrs. Conneley of Marion is visiting her daughter, Mrs. C. K. Hoover this week. Mr. Hoover is in St. Louis for ten days attending a meeting of the Bottler's Association of America.

Miss Kathryn Thompson is spending this week in Atlanta. Hayes Leatherwood and George Cross left the first of last week for Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. Forest Teague were Mineral Bluff visitors on Sunday.

30 YEARS AGO NOVEMBER 9, 1934 Miss Dair McCracken spent the weekend at Hayesville. Mrs. Rob Foard has gone to Cleveland, N. C., to spend some time with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Martin spent last Thursday and Friday with relatives and friends at Copperhill, Tenn.

S. S. Williams of Asheville was a business visitor in town Wednesday and Thursday.

Messrs. Edwin and Rueben Cook and Idris Adams spent last weekend at Canton, Ga. Mrs. Pyetion Ivie left Wednesday for Cornelia, Ga., to visit relatives.

10 YEARS AGO NOVEMBER 9, 1944 Miss Helen Hampton of Fontana Dam spent the weekend here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hampton.

Mr. and Mrs. Doug Simpson and baby, David, spent the weekend here with Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Franklin.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Forrester spent Tuesday in Blue Ridge, Ga.

Mrs. Nettie Axley left Monday to spend some time with her daughter, Mrs. Buster Bayless of Knoxville.

Mr. and Mrs. Hobert McDonald and son, Tommy, and

## 'Rambling In Clay'

By Mrs. Neal R. Kitchens With hog killing time just around the corner, there is a lot of people talking about 'cracklin bread' and fresh sausage. Heard Bayse McClure say the other day that to add some ground cracklins to rye bread makes some mighty good "chewin". Have never tried any of that, but knowing his wife to be a mighty good cook, I bet he is right.

I have never found that pork kept too long in the freezer was very good. Mrs. Paul Cheeks shared some backbones and ribs and also pork chops with us in October that were just as good as fresh ones and they were put in last year at hog killing time.

For others who would like to share this tip, Mrs. Cheeks used the quart milk cartons, packed in the meat, then filled the cartons with water and sealed them. It really preserves pork very nicely. Talk about country cured ham, we enjoyed some of the best ever this year. Have to give credit to Mr. and Mrs. Dee Barnard for this. They put our ham up in sugar cure last fall and they are by far the

best ham we have enjoyed in our lifetime.

With all this nice weather we have been having this fall, I heard Mrs. Homer Burch of the Lick Log section say last week that she just had to get down to the lake to catch up on her fishing. Really don't know how she got behind, for she and Mrs. Turner Robinson are two of the most faithful fisher-ladies in Clay.

They really enjoy fishing and have many nice catches. Don't know just how the fog affects fishing, but Silvey Penland asked me if there was a lot of fog on the lake Monday when I came to work. He said he wanted to go fishing. Since I am not much of an angler, I don't know all the trick.

When I can find time I just love to stop by Virginia Crawford's Flower Shop and see all the beautiful arrangements she makes. She really has talent. Was quite interested to see an employee at Citizens Bank and Trust Co. bring back "A green garden arrangement." She said "I came by and got this one from Wallace (Virginia's husband) and thought it looks like real but I want artificial. Wallace said, 'Oh, well, they make them so real looking now that you can't tell but what they are the real thing.'" It turned out that Wallace had sold her the real live growing green garden arrangement - quite a compliment when a lady like Virginia does the arrangement so skillfully that it is hard to distinguish between the real and artificial.

Many people in hospitals have enjoyed these arrangements then taken them home and enjoyed them for months after they recovered. Her arrangements have graced the homes as birthday gifts and other occasions of memory since she opened her shop a year ago.

## Blackleg Hits CC Cattle

HAYESVILLE - Blackleg, a deadly cattle disease, has hit several Clay cattle farmers in the past three weeks. Most of the disease has been confined to the Downings Creek section.

According to the Farm Quarterly published in Cincinnati, Ohio, by the F & W Publishing Corp., blackleg is a disease of young cattle and also attacks sheep. Animals over 2 years old and calves under 4 months seem to be practically immune. Those between 4 months and 2 years old are in the age bracket that is very dangerous.

Once symptoms are evident it usually proves fatal within 12 to 36 hours, the animal dying with a generalized toxemia. The seat of the disease is usually in the shoulder or hip, though it is not uncommon that it seems to affect the animal all over.

The calf becomes stiff and lame and swelling appears, caused by gas formed in the course of infection. The carcass of the animal is bloated so tight its skin is almost bursting and the two legs on the upper side of the body are pointed rigidly skyward. When the hand is passed over the swellings there is a crackling sound like the crumpling of paper or cellophane. Death occurs within 12 to 36 hours.

The disease is caused by a bacillus-type organism, Clostridium Chauvii, which has two stages of life, a vegetative stage and the spore. It is in the vegetative form that the organism grows and causes the disease. In this stage it is anaerobic and is easily killed by heat or chemicals.

When the vegetative form is exposed to air, it produces a spore that becomes almost impervious to destruction, living for years in the soil on vegetative material and resisting heat, cold, and chemicals. The disease is highly contagious.

Vaccination is the only effective defense against it. According to Ray Rogers at Ray's Pharmacy, he has sold over 1200 doses of the vaccine to local Clay cattlemen.

## Card Of Thanks

HAYESVILLE - The family of the late Charlie Crawford wishes to thank their many friends and neighbors for their many prayers, expressions of sympathy and floral tributes offered during the illness and beloved husband and father.

We wish to express our sincere thanks and appreciation to our many friends and relatives for the cards, food, and floral offerings and other acts of kindness shown us during the illness and death of our mother, Mrs. Arthur Allen. Family of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Allen.

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## Too Late To Classify

FOR SALE - Sears Floor Furnace and stoker. Call 837-3658. 16-tfn

LOST - Black and Tan dog. Male, 3 years old. Plain collar, bob tail. Lost near Warne, N. C. on Crooked Creek Rd. Call Hayesville 389-8651 or Hilltop Grocery in Hayesville. Return appreciated. 16-1p

FOR SALE - Hayesville 1 wringer type heavy duty washer; 1 standard size Kelvinator range stove in good shape. Priced to sell. Silvey Penland, P. O. Box 71, Hayesville. 1p

FOR SALE - Hayesville -47 model Jeep in A-1 condition. Bob Hodges, Hayesville Barber Shop, Hayesville. 16-3tp

## Church Of God To Hold District Fellowship Meeting

HAYESVILLE - The district fellowship meeting of the Church of God will be held at the Shooting Creek Church near Hayesville Friday night, Nov. 13, at 7:30 p.m.

A three-act missionary play "Soup, Sand and Sagebrush", under the direction of Basil Owens, District Youth Director, will be presented. In the play, Rev. and Mrs. Robinson, missionaries to the Indians, will be played by Basil Owens and Miss Carol Jean Holden.

They have two daughters, Ruth and Evelyn, played by Miss Joyce Ledford and Miss Janice Martin. Mrs. Jones, the high-flutin aunt of Mrs. Robinson is played by Nancy Hogesed.

Mrs. Whitefeather, an Indian woman, Bonnie Ledford, and a neighbor Indian woman, Catherine Ledford, and Glenda Ledford plays the part of the little Indian girl.

Rev. Robinson's grandmother who is almost deaf, but brings much laughter to the play, is played by Miss Zandra Eller.

The public is invited to attend and get a first hand view on some ideas about missions.

Mr. and Mrs. Neal Kitchens were the Tuesday night supper guests of Ptl. and Mrs. Don Moran.

Mrs. Bud Hughes formerly of Clay, has returned to her home in Atlanta after having surgery at Hall County Hospital, Gainesville, recently.

Mrs. Lester Martin, who was critically ill at Hiwassee Hospital for several days was transferred to Hall County Hospital last week where she had surgery. She is improving now.

Mrs. Clifton Penland, Sr., Becky and Scottie Penland, visited Mrs. Mary Cate Sunday afternoon.

## Democrat Women To Hold Pot Luck Supper

HAYESVILLE - A pot luck supper will be held at the Hayesville lunchroom Friday night, Nov. 13, at 7:00 p.m.

The supper is sponsored by the Clay County Woman's Democratic Club.

The public is invited to attend and bring a covered dish, according to Mrs. Newell Crisp, president of the club.

## 6 Year Olds Found After 6 Hour Search

HAYESVILLE - Harold Dean Parker, age 6, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Parker, and Robin McClure, age 6, son of Mr. and Mrs. James McClure, disappeared from the McClure home Saturday about 11:00 a.m.

The McClure home is in the Shooting Creek section adjoining the mountains.

After calling to the children and getting no reply, a searching party was formed. The group searched for three hours before calling the Clay County Rescue Squad to assist them.

Larry Ledford found the young boys in the Brooks Cove about 3/4 miles from the McClure home at 5:00 p.m. just as the Rescue Squad arrived to aid in the search.

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## Riding Club Plans For New Ring

HAYESVILLE - Clay Riding Club held their monthly meeting Monday night, Nov. 2, in the Agricultural Building. Plans were formulated for building a new riding ring at the VFW grounds in Hayesville. The ring will be built as soon as the plans are approved by the VFW.

Two new members were welcomed to the club Monday night, Jess Clampitt and son, Wes, who moved to Clay County recently from Montana. Other horsemen are invited to join the club.

The club has scheduled Sunday afternoon, Nov. 15, at 1:00 for a get together and an afternoon of pleasure riding, if the weather is permissible. The event will be held at the VFW grounds. The public is invited to attend and horsemen from other areas have a special invitation.

The December meeting will be held at Orr's Restaurant at Four Points in Hayesville. This will be a dinner meeting. All members are expected to attend and those who wish to join the club are invited. The meeting will be December 7, at 7:00 p.m.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Rogers on Sunday were his sisters, Mrs. Martha Cooper, Mrs. Ransom Ayers, and husband, and Mrs. Ol Colvard and husband, all of Robbinsville.

Mr. and Mrs. Luthon Obarr of Nashville, Tenn., spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Penland. Mrs. Obarr is the former Miss Nancy Gene Swanson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Foster Swanson.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Saltz and daughters, spent the weekend at Whittier with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clay Rogers.

Mr. and Mrs. June Penland of Greenville, S. C., spent part of last week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Penland. Mr. and Mrs. George Penland and son, Joe, of Swannanoa, were weekend visitors.

## Sgt. & Mrs. Davis Return After 3 Years In England

HAYESVILLE - Master Sgt. Roger F. Davis and family are now on leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Davis in Hayesville. His family has been with him while he has been stationed for the past three years in England with the U. S. Air Force.

Sgt. Davis has been a member of the U. S. Air Force for the past 14 years. During that time he has been stationed in the following places: Texas, Massachusetts, Korea, Japan, Florida, Germany, South Dakota, and England. After his visit with his parents, he will be stationed at McChord Air Force Base in Washington.

Sgt. and Mrs. Davis are the parents of five children, and they call them their souvenirs: They are Steve, age 10, born in Florida; Kim, age 9, born in Germany; and Kerry, 7, also born in Germany; Gail, 4, born in South Dakota; and Ricky, 18 months, born in England.

Sgt. Davis said "As much as we did enjoy England, it's so much nicer to get back home in the good old USA. The children were especially happy to get back to eat some of "Grandma Davis' good old southern cooking".

Mrs. Davis' mother, Mrs. Eva Byrnes of Massachusetts will live with them in Washington. She has expressed hope that the weather will be as nice there as she has enjoyed while in Hayesville with the Davis family for the past week.

## Notice

HAYESVILLE - Anyone having news stories, weddings, church news, show-ers, teas or any item news worthy, please contact Mrs. Neal Kitchens by Monday at 3 p.m. at the latest each week. Mail articles or call her at 389-2431 or call 389-2193 if no answer.

A correspondent can only get the news in that she knows about. In order that Clay County Progress have a better edition, give her your news.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Henson visited Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Whitfield in Doraville, Ga., last weekend.



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