



## Training Grant Approved For Furniture Employees

WASHINGTON-The Bureau of Apprenticeship and Training has approved a grant of \$69,500 for training and instruction of employees at the new Andrews Furniture Industries, Inc., Congressman Roy A. Taylor announced here Friday, October 1.

According to M. H. Clarke, President, Andrews Furniture Industries, Inc., this grant is part of the government's manpower and development program. It is designed to render assistance to industry in areas where the available workforce does not possess the necessary skills required.

"Our policy is to make Andrews a showcase of what industry and government can do working together," Mr. Clarke said.

The grant covers only part of the expense of training the work force for the Andrews

plant. The balance of the expense is born by the company.

Starting on or before November 1, the first group of trainees will start on-the-job training under this program. This initial group will number between 350-370 employees. The training program was designed by the company to train people in woodworking and furniture manufacturing. The training will be conducted by the company. Eventual employment is expected to reach 600 in a few years.

Interested applicants are encouraged to apply at the Murphy or Andrews Employment Security Offices, Mr. Clarke added. We will train people who do already have woodworking skills, and prepare them to take a job in industry using their highest skills.



## Ines Blay Is Guest Speaker

ANDREWS- Dra Ines Maria Blay, formerly of Havana, Cuba, now of Murphy will be guest speaker at the Andrews Lions Club on Thursday, October 14 at 7 p.m. at the Shell Dining Room. Miss Blay will discuss life in Cuba under the Castro regime as she, her family and friends experienced it.

In 1931 the National Board of Presbyterian Missions were instrumental in sending Miss Blay from Cuba to Asheville Normal and Teachers College at Asheville, N. C., where in 1935 she received a B. S. degree in Education. Besides polishing her English, she made many American friends. She has visited in this area several times before coming here to make this her home.

On returning to Cuba, Miss Blay earned a PHD at the University of Havana. She also established a private school where she specialized as instructor of English. She was so restricted by the Castro regime that she gave up her school and began with the aid of the Presbyterian National Board of Missions to make plans to return to the U.S.

This past summer Miss Blay was accepted for an N.D.E.A. Scholarship in Spanish at Eastern Carolina College where she spent seven weeks renewing her grasp of Spanish Culture, linguistics and the latest methods of teaching Spanish.

She is now happily engaged in teaching in the Spanish Department of Murphy High School. The last period of each day she teaches Spanish to ninety second-graders in the C.S.I.P. Program. Murphy School Administrators plan to have Miss Blay continue a program of Spanish with these children during the entire eight years in Grammar grades.

Miss Blay, who is an excellent teacher is a warm, friendly, energetic and enthusiastic about her work and her life. She has made many friends and has enriched the lives of those with whom she has come in contact.

Lion President, Lee Nichols, Jr. states the club is looking forward to Miss Blay's visit and her program.



JOE G. DUVALL OF ALMOND completed 25 years of service with Nantahala Power and Light Company, September 23, to become the 27th member of the power company's 25 Year Club.

A native of Almond, Mr. Duvall was first employed by Nantahala, September 23, 1940 as a construction worker on the Nantahala Dam and powerhouse project.

January 1, 1942 he was promoted to the guard force at the company's Nantahala plant. When the guard force was terminated in 1944, he was assigned as a utility man at the plant, his present position.

## Football Contest Scoreboard

Mrs. Fred Keener, 5 points,  
Mr. Walter Cole, 5 points,  
James Hughes, 3 points,  
Sandra Kaye Mintz, 3 points,  
Junior Abernathy, 2 points,  
Mrs. Harold Gladson, 2 points.

## Bulldogs Scramble, Hang On For 7 - 0 Win

By: Red Schuyler

The Murphy Bulldogs winning every other game, defeated a good Tellico Plains, Tennessee team, Friday night, 7-0, to run their record to three wins against 2 losses. In a hard fought contest, the Bulldogs played one of the best games that we have seen on the local field in quite a while.

Several times the Tellico lads could have posted scores on the board had the pass receivers been able to hold on to many passes thrown them by a very fine passer and quarterback by the name of Walls.

In Walls, Tellico presented one of the best all round back field men that this writer has seen in a long time. Unlike a lot of runners in high school football, this boy Walls ran just a bit harder and when about to be tackled, managed to put on a little more steam and was hard to bring down and was always a threat whenever he had his hands on the ball.

Time and time again he threw strikes to his receivers, but the receivers managed to let the ball slip through their arms and I am sure that it must have been very disappointing to see a receiver drop a pass that should have been caught. If he was disappointed, he certainly didn't show it, because he was still throwing when the game ended. To pick out any individual stars for the Bulldogs would be a hard thing to do. I would term the victory by the Bulldogs one of the best team efforts to be seen on the local field in a long time. Rather than try to single out any individual stars, we'll just say, "A very good game, keep up the good work."

Wayman received the opening kickoff on his five-yard line and returned it back to the thirty five yard line. In the first series of plays, a running play by Wells, an incomplete pass to Wells, and then a completed pass to Robertson failed to pick up a first down and the Bulldogs were forced to kick. Wayman's kick rolled dead on the Tellico 10-yard line. Tellico was unable to move the ball and they called on Walls to kick it out on fourth and four. Walls kicked went out of bounds on the Tellico 47-yard line.

With Stevens picking up one yard on the first play, Stiles picked up a first down on the next play going for nine yards. The Bulldogs picked up another first down putting them on the Tellico 25-yard line. The Tenn. lads dug in and held the Bulldogs forcing them to give up the ball on fourth down.

Two running plays and a completed pass from Walls to Tucker carrying for fifteen yards picked up the first down of the night for Tellico. On the next play, Tellico took a 15-yard penalty and then Walls was thrown for a 10-yard loss while attempting to pass. Walls then threw a perfect pass to Junior Tucker who let it slip through his arms. Walls then punted out to Pickens on the fifty-yard line, with no return. Two running plays, Wayman and Stiles pick up eight yards as the first quarter ended.

On the first play after the second quarter, Wayman fumbled and it was recovered by

Jimmie Moore for Tellico. Tellico failed to gain and once again were forced to punt, and Murphy once again has to start from deep in their territory.

Picking up only nine yards in three tries Wayman once again kicks out. Tellico not able to move the ball gives it back to the Bulldogs on the Bulldog 19-yard line. The Bulldogs completing several passes moved the ball to the Bulldog 44 and on the next play, Tucker intercepted Wayman's pass on the Tellico 38.

Again the Tenn. boys failed to move the ball and Walls kicked out to Pickens who made a five-yard return. The ball made exchanges a couple more times and with Tellico in possession on a running play, Steve Grasty somehow manages to steal the ball from Tellico on the Tellico 46-yard line. On the next play Walls intercepts another Wayman pass on the Tellico 20-yard line. The first half ended with the Bulldogs in possession on the Tellico 30-yard line.

Tellico started the second half by receiving but gave up the ball to the Bulldogs on an interception. Murphy picked up about three first downs and on the second play of the next series Wayman's pass to Wells is good for thirty yards and a T.D. For the extra point, Wayman spotted Johnny Rogers all alone in the end zone, and that was the scoring for the night, with six minutes remaining in the third quarter.

The rest of the third and fourth quarters was a defensive battle with Tellico trying to score and keeping the Bulldogs backs to the wall the rest of the night. Tellico missed a golden opportunity to score in the fourth quarter when a Walls to Tucker pass covered 55-yards carrying deep in the Bulldogs territory.

On the next play, Tellico was penalized fifteen yards and two plays later Murphy took over on the Bulldogs 35-yard line. Murphy failed to gain and Wayman's kick is partially blocked and only goes for about ten yards. Once again the Bulldogs stalled the Tellico attack and the ball game ends with Tellico in possession on the Tellico forty-yard line.

Murphy goes to Hayesville Friday night for their second conference game.

## Jurors List Is Announced

Jurors for the first week (November 8), Superior Court are: Harry C. Bagley, Rt. 4, Murphy, N. C.; Alden E. Coward, Murphy; Clifton Henry, Rt. 4, Murphy; J. N. Boling, Murphy; Wayne Johnson, Rt. 3, Murphy; Mary Martin Brumby, Murphy; Robert Balfour Hardin, 418 Cherry St., Murphy; Francis C. Boone, Jr., Murphy; Robert C. Witt, Murphy; Charlie Winford McClure, Rt. 4, Murphy; L.W. Shields, Murphy; Gaines Luther, Andrews, Hugh E. Howard, Box 275, Murphy; Clyde McDonald, Rt. 3, Murphy; Johnny E. Johnson, Rt. 3, Murphy.

Also Billie Junior Brerer, Murphy; Everett Hall, Brasstown, Dillard McCombs, Rt. 1, Murphy; J. P. Baines, Far-



Butternut, maple, walnut, cherry, and other fine and rare woods, polished to a dull satin glow, are featured in this "one-man show" of the handmade wooden articles made by Brasstown craftsman, Fred G. Smith, in a central display "module" at 12 Designer Craftsmen Shop in Galatinburg. Mr. Smith's beautiful crafts will be a feature of the Plum Nelly Clothesline Art Show on Lookout Mountain the weekend of October 9 and 10.

## Brasstown Carver To Exhibit At "Plum Nelly" Art Show

BRASSTOWN- For the third year Fred Smith will exhibit his handcarved wood products at the famous Plum Nelly Clothesline Art Show to take place on Lookout Mountain (near Trenton, Georgia) October 9th and 10th.

Mr. Smith is widely known for his beautiful hand-carved bowls and serving trays. A feature story by Mrs. Neal R. Kitchens appeared in the Cherokee Scout and the Asheville Citizen about him in January, 1963, describing in detail his work. Since that time he has been the subject of other newspaper articles and occasional television appearances. He has exhibited work in many other shows but considers Plum Nelly as the one that's "tops."

Mr. Smith has been a member of the Southern Highlands Handicraft Guild since 1940. The Guild, with headquarters in Asheville, sets a high standard of workmanship for membership and works in various ways toward education, promotion, and marketing crafts.

Mr. Smith is a member of 12 Designer Craftsman of Galatinburg, Tenn. This is a unique type of retail craft shop, owned and controlled by its twelve members, each of whom maintains an individual "one-man show" at the shop at all times.

Plum Nelly-- so named by its founder and owner, Fannie Mennen, has been an annual affair for 18 years. Being an art teacher and producer of beautiful block prints herself, she began the show primarily for painters to display, (clothes-line fashion) and offer for sale good paintings when there was no other outlet for local artists. It has grown over the years and she has very selectively invited others - makers of real qual-

ity products in the handicrafts to exhibit. The crafts section of the outdoor now includes some of the best in ceramics, wood carving, sculpture, metal sculpture, enameling, laminated glass, weaving, candles, and crafts of all kinds.

Miss Mennen, now retired from many years of art teaching in the Chattanooga Public Schools, is by no means retired from hard work, as she now devotes long hours to making her blockprints, which are known and admired all

over the country. She does, however, take much time out to plan the show from one year to the next, planning every detail far in advance of the show date.

Mr. Smith says of the show-- "It's an unforgettable experience for anyone attending" (nearly 13,000 came last year in two days). "A unique show" - he goes on to say-- "set up outside in a beautiful wooded area, in the autumn coloring, overlooking a high bluff with a breath-taking view of the long valley between Lookout and Sand Mountains."

## Mayor Issues Proclamation

Mayor L. L. Mason, Jr. today proclaimed October 3-9 National Employ the Physically Handicapped Week and

## Jayvees Extend Victory String

MURPHY - Having had their regular Thursday night game rained out, the Murphy Jayvees continued their winning ways Saturday afternoon on the local field. With victories over Swain, Robbinsville, West Fannin, Ga., the "Bulldogs" swamped Franklin 40 to 0 and kept their record of being unbeaten and unscored on this year.

Franklin could not get their attack going in the first half and failed to rack up any first downs. In the second half they did manage to register two first downs and never threatened to score all afternoon.

The Bulldogs had things going pretty much their way with touchdowns being scored at will. Blount started the scoring by getting the first six points early in the first quarter from six yards out.

Thompson scored the second and third TD's, the third coming on a 20 yard run. Murphy's fourth score was a pass from Thompson to Scott covering 65 yards. Robert Allen scored the fifth touchdown on a two yard plunge. Wilson completed the touchdown parade on a 25 yard punt return. Bob Dickey made four of six extra points good by booting the ball through the uprights, with Thompson holding the ball.

The Bulldogs will try to continue their winning ways this Thursday night when they travel to Hayesville to take on the Hayesville Jayvees, in a preliminary affair to the main event which will take place Friday night when the Bulldogs and Yellow Jackets will tangle at 8:00 p.m.

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## Clifton Expanding, Payroll Up \$250,000

Clifton Precision Products, division of Litton Industries, has announced an increase in their Murphy, N. C. operation. According to Murphy plant manager Ed Schulte, approximately 70 additional employees will be added. This will bring a total employment up to 125.

With the addition of these 70 employees, Clifton's annual payroll is expected to increase by \$250,000.

The electronics firm makes electric motors for the defense program. The plant is located on Hiwassee Street in Murphy in the building occupied formerly by Farmers Federation. The warehouse portion of the plant is being remodeled.

## Congressman Taylor Urges Support Of Road Bonds

(Editor's Note: The following is a statement by 11th District Congressman Roy A. Taylor in support of the road bond issue.

This newspaper favors and supports the road bond issue. Read this message carefully. Roads can mean a lot to any section. Roads can make or break us here in Western North Carolina. This newspaper urges you to vote FOR the Road Bond Issue. We want to see this section made, not broken.)

I will vote on November 2, for the 300 million dollar bond issue and encourage all other North Carolina citizens to do the same.

The 29 Western North Carolina counties eligible for Appalachian road funds have more to gain and more to lose in this road bond election than any other section of the State. A vast network of highways stretching across the State's Appalachian region has been approved. The 80 to 100 million dollars of Federal Appalachian funds planned for Western North Carolina must be matched in part by state funds. The road bond issue is essential in order to make available matching funds and the full utilization of the Appalachian Road Development Program.

Mountain county voters will be very unwise if they stay at home and assume that the road bonds will be approved without their help. We should give the same overwhelming vote for the road bonds that we gave in Governor Moore's election.

The road bonds can be financed from the existing tax structure without any increase in gasoline taxes or other taxes. The key to development in Western North Carolina is roads. Down through the years, the western counties have missed the mainstream of economic development because of inadequate transportation facilities. We now stand on the threshold of the greatest economic opportunity in our history. Both the Federal government and the State government are trying to help us remove the barrier of isolation caused by inadequate highways. On November 2, we have an opportunity to help ourselves.

Any Western North Carolina citizen who does not go to the polls and vote for the road bond issue should stop complaining about the region's inadequate highways!

Congressman Roy A. Taylor

## Commissioners Consider Rural Development Unit

The Cherokee County Commissioners have given notice that they intend to create a Rural Development Authority for Cherokee County.

A special meeting has been called for Tuesday, October 19 to consider passage of the resolution. The announcement of the Commissioners' intent and notice are carried in a legal notice in this issue of the Scout.

According to J. E. Graves, clerk to the Board of Commissioners, the Rural Development Authority is connected with the Farmers Home Administration.

Mr. Graves went on to say that a board of five committeemen will be selected with authority to buy land for recreational centers and housing projects.

The object of the project is to "bring people in, bring in more money". The Cherokee County authority will be setup with all powers and authorities as provided by the North Carolina General Assembly of 1965.

Mr. Graves added that neither this action, or any subsequent results of it, would ever place any financial obligation on Cherokee County. Therefore, no need could ever arise for the assessment of any taxes to carry out the above indicated Rural Development Authority. In fact, the law specifically prohibits any resulting taxes, Graves said.

## Football Contests Draws Many Entries

The second week of the Scout's Football Contest produced three more winners. None of the winners the first week were able to break into the winner's circle for the second time, thus, we have six contestants in the running with points toward the grand prizes to be awarded at the end of eleven weeks.

First place winner of five dollars and five points this week was Mr. Walter Cole, of Rt. 3, Murphy; second place was Miss Sandra Mintz of Rt. 1, Marble; and third place went to Mrs. Harold Gladson of Rt. 2, Culberson.

These three winners all missed two games and the tie breaker had to be used to determine the winning order. Mr. Cole correctly predicted winners in all the college games but picked Robbinsville to beat Swain and Tellico Plains to beat Murphy.

Miss Mintz predicted Maryland to defeat Syracuse and Robbinsville to beat Swain. Mrs. Gladson predicted Clemson to beat Ga. Tech and Tellico Plains to beat Murphy.

The games that stumped most of the "experts" were the Florida-L.S.U., Auburn-Kentucky, Swain-Robbinsville, and the Murphy-Tellico Plains games.

An up-to-date standing of the points of the contestants can be found elsewhere in this paper and if your name is missing, right now is a good time to turn to the contest page and start predicting. This is a fun game that can also be profitable. You can test your wits against the other so called "experts". Keep in mind that at the end of the season that the winner of most points will receive \$165.00, second place, \$99.00, and third place, \$66.00. For every dollar you win, you receive one point towards the grand prize. Twenty points are gone and ninety points are still up for grabs.

Turn to the contest page and see what you can do with the 18 games and the breaker that are found in the ads. These advertisers make this contest available and certainly warrant your patronage.