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Attention expectant mo-thers. Here's your chance for some additional gifts. The first baby contest in underway. and several local merchants are giving presents to the lucky first born of 1966. We want to say to Cherokee County expectant mothers . "Hurry" but there's really

not much they can do. So Mothers, if you don't plan to be in the rurning, you may as well stay at home and let the ole man watch the football games. See the ad in this weeks Scout for contest rules.

We tip our hat again this year to the Murphy Garden Club for having such a beautiful Christmas tree at the Kiddy Park in east Murphy. The tree was donated to the club by Mrs. Willie Lou Shields of Lomotla

We just happened to wind up as Chairman of the Jaycee Carol Singing Project that was held on the square last Wed-nesday and was really discouraged when only 6 showed up to sing. In fact I tried to call it off but Mrs. GlenBates said, "We came to sing, get that piano off the truck, we're going to sing." And sing we did, even me, for as I started to sneak off Mrs. Holland McSwain poked a song book at me and made me sing even though I couldn't carry a tune in a bucket. Before the song fest' was over we had 16 people singing. Space does not permit the listing of all Education Classes the names but we do appreciate their support. A special thanks to Mrs. Dock Sudderth who played the prano and

At least we have one patriotic business among us. J. H. (The General) Duncan of Duncan Oil Company flies an American flag over his business CHERON every day. Willard Allen and Bill Hall are in charge of raising and lowering the flag. We hear on the vine that J.H. is going to buy Willardabugle so they can have a formal ceremony every day.

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Food For Thought. Did you know that it's a lot that most people know how to School. say nothing . . few know when . . that if you ever see an editor of flowers around him... house burns down or ideas?

age of 100.

It reportedly happened at the University of South Carolina. If a professor doesn't show up for class, the students can leave after waiting for 10 minutes. That's exactly what happened in one class. The professor wasn't there although his hat was on the desk, but the students left anyway after waiting the required 10 minutes. The next day, the professor bawled the class out and told the students, "Don't you know that when my hat is here, I'm here." A few days later there were 32 hats on 32

And then there's the gal that came home and excitedly told her dad that she had a new boyfriend and Pop'very real-istically commented, "That's fine, honey, but does he have any money?" Retorted the young lady: "Oh, you men are all alike. He asked me the same thing about you."

Friday night folks will be ser amounts. singing out the old and ringing in the new with sounds of the coffee tables have already could increase a quarter to turned to New Year's Resolutions and we even muttered according to Changing Times. a few which probably won't be kept. There is one that we will try to keep and anyone can use it. "Do unto others as you would have them do unto you". May the New Year be prosperious to each of you. HAPPY NEW YEAR.

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Happy New Year

IT ENDS WELL It's been a good year but like all good things 1965 too must come to an end. The world is one year older perhaps a little wiser as it propares for a new start

Industrial School To Offer New Adult

Beginning early in January. classes in general purischool edication for adultage eighteen and over will be offered in the following communities in the three counties of Cherokee, Clay, and Gra-

CHEROKEE COLNIY : Hiwassee Dam School, Ranger School, Martins Creek School, Peachtree School, White State Government. Church School, Merphy Elementary School, Tomotla

Creek School, and Havesville

GRAHAM COLNTY - ROSeasier to get into the con- binsville - School, Steroal, versation if you aren't there . . School, and Moditain View

All adults age eighteen and over who are interested in who pleases everybody, he will studying English, including be neither sitting nor stand- reading and writing, history, ing, and there will be a lot arithmetic, or science, hould notify the principal of the Wonder which is correct, 'a school in the community in a which he lives. This should house burns up' . . . Got any be done during the first week in January 1966.

The proposed classes will meet two nights each week. A research laboratory has three hours each night for tell just come up with this. Drink weeks. The number of adults at least six glasses of water enrolling will determine wheteverday for 1200 months and her or not these courses will you will live to the ripe old be offered in the different State."

There is no cost for the instruction or the text books.

Sixth Year Of Boom Ahead.

Progress Quickens

Here comes 1966 and one thing is certain: The pace of progress quickens as the country heads deeper into the second half of the 60's There's almost total agreement on a sixth year of boom. In fact, Changing Times, the Kiplinger magazine, reports there is less concern over a possible drop in business than

at any time in the past 15 years. Looking at what this will mean to the individual, Changing Times suggests these for the months ahead:

Taxes will be up. At least you'll pay more -- despite lower levies on income this year. Social security tax is the culprit. Even employees and self-employed in the lower income brackets will feel the higher taxes, though in les-

Price boosts can be expected and mortgage interest rates 'Auld Lang Syne'. Talk around which are pushing upward a half percent in a few months,

Christmas trade is expected to inflate credit to a level "far above anything in the past" and the biggest source of credit expansion is the automobile. People owe almost 32 billion dollars for the purchase of new cars alone, and there's no sign of a slow-down.

Taxation Without Representation

The people of the small me stad countries of extrema we !er: North Carolina are about to be officient a severy blow-It is because of a three sidge Federal Court Erder, direct- \log the North Carolina General As enably to draft, by Jacobs di, as acceptable plan for reapports of the Hesse of Representatives and realignment of our Senate and Congress ional District -

ham, Holland McSwar, Dir- All in keeping with the "Che-Man Che-Vote" private ector of the Iri-County In- written by Chief Justice Earl Warrel of the inted State dustrial School, inno need Supreme Court, and ordered after Winston Salem Afterney, Rein Drum, filed soit in Cotober.

If this is passed by the Legislature, it will include allow all three Representatives and of four of our courties, and that the people of the mountain will have but a small voice in the THAT'S NOT ALL.

They tell us that all this came about because of out to a Community Building, Markle eration of our population, and sides this trend is reversed ever the next tive years that the voice of our mountain leads School, and Andrews School. over the lext live year that the CLAY COUNTY - Eli res will be further diminished.

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inder the Fourteenth Amendment to the Countil itie the United States, cuttiled "APPORTICIMENTAL REPRESENTATIVES IN CONGRESS" it reads:

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States according to their respective numbers, exciting the whole number of persons in each State excluding I dish not taxed. But when the right to vote at any election for the home at Electors for Provident and Vinc-President of the United States, Representatives in Congress, the executive

and adicial officers of a State, of the members of the Legislature thereof, is denied to any of the male inhabitants of inh State, being twenty-one year of age, and intrzen of the 1 nited States, or in any way abridged, except for participation in rebellion, or other crime, the basis of representation therein shall be reduced in the proportion which the number of such male citizens shall bear to the whole

number of male citizens twenty-one years of age in such The Fourteenth Amendment, was adopted by the thirtywith Congress, held in 1866, was ratified by more than three-

fourths of the States, and made a part of the Countil tion, Tuly 28, 166d. This was the only place in the Constitution, where I was able to find anything at all on reapportionment or realigiment of Representatives, Senators, or Congressional Dist-

I cannot say as to what source Chief Justice Warrel made his "One-Man One-Vote" Decision, but I can say that it is going to effect us to the point that we, the people of the mount tains of Western North Carolina will have nothing in Raleigh but "TAXATION without REPRESENTATION."

(EDITOR'S NOTE: Mrs. Mary Faye Brumby, Representative from Cherokee County, has taken a firm stand against the speedy reapportionment of the House.

"It is not so much of what is being done, but how it is being done." Mrs. Brumby said. "I feel that the present trend in the Supreme Court rulings and in our own federal district court breeds irreverence and outright contempt for the courts. I have always held the courts of this state and nation in high regard, but I must say, at this point, I believe the foundations on which this state and nation were built are being shaken."

"The reapportionment of the House of Representatives," Mrs. Brumby continued, "may not be unconstitutional according to the interpretation of the Federal Constitution by the federal judges, but I assure you it is unconstitutional in the state without an amendment to make it so."

Backing Mrs. Brumby's statement, we would like to quote Article II, Section 5 and Article XIII, Section 2 of the North Carolina Constitution.

Article II. Section 5: Regulations in relation to Apportionment of Representatives. The House of Representatives shall be composed of 120 Representatives, biennially chosen by ballot, to be elected by the Counties respectively, accoming ording to their population, and each County shall have at least one Representative in the House of Representatives, although it may not contain the requisite ratio of representation

Article XIII Section 2: No part of the Constitution of this State shall be altered unless a bill to alter the same shall have been agreed to by three-fifths of each house of the General Assembly. And the amendment or amendments so agreed to shall be submitted at the next general election to the qualified voters of the whole State, in such manner as may be prescribed by the law. And in the event of their adoption by a majority of the votes cast, such amendment or amendments

shall become a part of the Constitution of this State.)

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ay ee Chairman, Don Decker, expressed his thanks for all these who helped this project be a - nores, especially to Ringe Manufacturing Company, who do ared \$100. worth of new toy its the pro-



For Speeding Seven Murphy High School

rudents were fined \$25.65 each ... Recorders Court Monday for speeding on rural Whitheld Road, December 10.

State Trooper Patt Miller and Don Reavis along with city policemen Jack Ingle and Dein Sherali Glen Holloway, -topped eleven cars Friday December 10 and gave tickets to veven of the drivers for conceding a safe speed.

Although there is no speed limit posted on Whitfield Road, the group of drivers was charged with driving too iast for the road conditions or exceeding a safe speed.

"In view of the terrible assident that resulted in the death of a 13 year old boy Simday on the same road, this itself should be more of lesson than any punishment I could impose", Judge Edwin Hyde told the youths in court

License Plates Go On Sale January 3

ewal applications cards for ditarring 1966 license plate. were placed in the mail on December 16. The Department of Motor Vehicles Officials say: "Please tell us if hy January I you to not reeive this all-important card necessary for obtaining a new plate."

The proper procedure is to write to the Department of Motor Vehicles, Raleigh, giving the make and identificatthe last year's tag number and the registered owner's full name and complete address. The department will then prepare and send another application card as quickly as the volume of requests can be

handled. 1965 plates expire Decem- them for new plates.

that date is permissible only if they are duly registered by the department to the vehicle on which display is made. Owners who have their vehicle properly registered by the department have until Feb. ruary 15 to obtain new plates. Surrounding area residents

may obtain their 1966 plates at Western Auto Associate Store, Murphy, N. C., beginning Janmary 3. Office hours will be: 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. (until noon on Wednesdays).

The local agent, Mrs. Betty Mainey, says that it will greatly expedite the issuance and keep long lines from forming if you will "open your application cards and complete them in accordance with instructions before presenting