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La Rue Cook Named Scout Studio Manager Davis Is New Patrolman



La Rue Cook Studio Manager

MURITY - La Rue Cook has been named manager of the Scout Studio and Staff News I hotographer for the Cherokee Scout and Clay County Frogress by Scout Lublisher, lack Uwens. He will assume his duties; lan-

Window Breaker Gets 7 Months

A clas County vouth, appearing in Recorders Lourt, Monday, January 3, was sen-tenced to serve seven months in jail and assigned to knock under the supervision of the state prison department for breaking out plate glass win-dows in ten business establishments in downtown Murphy, December II. Henry McDowell, 15, of Hay

esville, was charged with malicious damage to reality on ten liferent wirrants, he was sentence ! to serve six months for the window breaking and thirty days for resisting an

School Bells To **Ring For Adults**

Beginning Monday, January 10, school bells will rine th Cherokee, Clay and Graham for adult education classes, Holland McSwain, Director of the Tri-County Industrial announced today. The general public school education courses for adults, age eighteen and over, will be offered in the following communities in the direc countries:

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known throughout the state of youth Carolina for his sports and news photography: Mr.) but is the solution Mr. and Mrs. For those of Faco let, S. C.

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the First Methodist Church in Mr. Davis assumed his dat-Berry parts assumed install-les with the S. C. Highway Parrol, Forsilay, January 4. He will serve as clerk in the Bryson City office for the next three conths and then attend Highway I atrol School

at Chapel Hill, N.C. I rior to fus duties as Scout Staff Photographer, Mr. Davis attended Andrews High School and was graduated from Marphy High School in 1962. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence M. Davis of Marble and is married to the former Miss Jovce Herabree of Mar-

During his career at B & B tudios, Mr. Cook attended photography schools in South arolina, studying Fortrait Flotography, Lighting Fect-niques, and Fress Photo

Winter Has Been Mild But Snow Is Bound To Come

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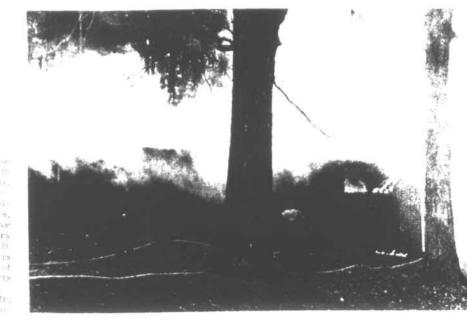
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Fire Strikes Twice, House Destroyed

First instructs de the lits literats of Murphy Monday attention completely destroyed the norm and contents of Mr. and Mrs. Livs (Ranses). The Murphy solutioner fire department answered the call and allowshold neer true plasmass the first solution of the truck, R. using the entire load of boshold one true k plasmass teel of one of the second true k, the true entire struction 1320 teel of boshold one true k plasmass teel of base of the second true k, the true entire struction 1320 teel of boshold on the true k plasmass teel of the true the true, the true and south of the listitutions to the Blanck committee and example to reapproximates soon extinguished.

Davis Joins Alcoa

Cherokee Co. Native

Asheville Social Security Office To Open Saturdays

The Asteville Social Se curity district diffee will be open to the public every Satunday morning during the first three months of Long, Douglas Batler, Social Security Field Representative in 2015 area

The special Satur las thorninviolitie bours have been arr-anced to meet the needs of the many people who have been unecurity representative in the tas he is in this area, perhaps because of inability to get off the job, or to get transportation, forme a weeklas.

The Asheville hours, Monday thru Friday, are from 8:45 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. The new Saturday boars will be from 9:00 a m to 1:00 p.m., from Saturday, January 5, Dirubatunday, March 26.

i exple who may be elivible for penetits for 196% - and this may include those who have not vet retired, as well as retired or semi-retired people - should contact the local Social Security representative when he visits this area in lanuary to insure that no 196+ benefits are lost.

Those who are privears of age or over and have not sig-ned up for Medicare should do so immediately. Even if such



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Leatherwood Announces Judgeship Candidacy

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Mr. Leatherwood is a for-(n,e)=1 existator (to e^{-2}) water to only. While serving in the House of Representatives he became well known for his outstan big interest in West-ern North i an lina and its people. He was every notive member of the lubble 1 tilities) ommittee and helped to re-write and completely revise res Fublic Unlines Laws of received a situation for his progressive active support on their behalf.

Mr. Leatherwood is the so of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Ceat herwood of Bryson buty, His grandparents were residents cherokee 3 ounty before moving to Haswoods courts in

After graduating from board County High School, Mr. Leat-herwood entered the military service. As a member of the tamed 82ndAirborne Division, he served as a Faratrooper in Italy and later participate in the invasion of France.

After being wounded in action in France, he entere iWake Forest College, graduating in 1949, with a B.S. in Political Science. While doing his in-der graduate study, he was a member of the Veterans Club. Fre-Law Society, Young Democratic Vlub and menber of i'r Kappa Alpha Susral Fraternity,

After receiving his degree trom Wake Forest College, he entered Wake Forest School of Law, receiving his L.L.B. degree in Law in 1951. me was admitted to the Bar and has been actively engaged in the practice of Law in Swain County since 1952,

okee County, and the couple has two children, Curtis, 17, and Debby, 15, Mr. Sult is a member of LE.E.E., Scout-master of Franklin Troop 22. Mr. Leatherwood is an active civic and political leader. He has served as I resident of the Swain County Chamber of Commerce and is now serand a Ruling Elder of Frankving his 6th Term as Secre-Mr. Hyde, a native of Swain tary of the SwainCounty Dem-County, was first employed by ocratic Executive Committee. Nantahala in 1929, and worked He has also been l'resident on various assignments interand Vice-Fresident of the 30th mittently as a member of the

By: Leshe Vann



Robert Leatherwood, III

gandurs madures: Mr. Leatherwood is marpred to the former Merceluth security. They have two children. Robert Leatherwood, N. and Nelly, Maure Leatherwood,

12 Escape School Bus Accident

A school tas, carr,ing (welve high school students, uverturned on the Blackwell Gap Road, tour and one half oules north of Murphy about S:30, Luesias morning. The triver alerted the students that the bus was going to overtirn and no one was injured.

State Trooper E. N. Hoop er said the driver, David Ro berts, a student, stated that he took one hand from the wheel to change gears and the right wheels of the bus drop ped onto the shoulder of the road.

I nable to get the bus back on the road, Roberts brought the vehicle to a complete stop, The bus started to lean to the right and Roberts velled to the students to hang on.

The bus overturned down a 15 foot embankment and landed on its top. No charges were tiled against the driver at press time.

Pastors To Meet Judicial District Bar and is a

announced today. New Patrolman

CHEROKEE COLNER Hiwassee DamSchool, Banger, School, Martins CreekSchool, Feachtree School, White Church School, Murphy Ele-mentary School, Tomotia Community Building, Marbie School, Andrews School, and Unaka Elementary School,

CLAY COUNTY - Elf School, Ogden School, Shooting Creek School, and Havesville School.

GRAHAM COUNTY - ROD binsville School, Stecoah School, and Mountain View School,

All adults age eighteen and over who are interested in studying English, including reading and writing, history, arithmetic, or science, should notify the principal of the school in the community in which he lives. This should be done during the first week in January 1966.

The proposed classes will meet two nights each week. three hours each night for ten weeks. The number of adults enrolling will determine whether or not these courses will be offered in the different communities.

There is no cost for the

No Baby Yet, Contest Still Running

The first halm of 1966 con test thus far has not produce i a winner, Several bables have been born in Cherokee County hospitals since the new year began, but the parents are not residents of Cherokee County as stipulated in the rules. Local merchants sponsoring the annual contest are still waiting to shower some Cherokee County couple with presents. Farticipating merchants and gifts to be awarded are: labaley's of Murphy, one

Thoughtful Car Thief Leaves One, Takes One

Hen Warner, local resident, ame out on the short end a car deal last Thursday AM. Sometime during the early morning hours, a person or persons, left a 1955 Chevrolet parked approximately 100 feet from the Warner residence in East Murphy and helped him-self to a 1965 Red Convertible Mustang belonging to the War-

The 1955 Chevrolet hearing a Tennessee licence tag was recovered by Officers Lete

Stalcup and Willard Bates, A telephone call was made to Tennessee Officials and after tracing down the tag numbers, it was discovered that the car was stolen in Cleveland, Tenn

The fact that it was an out of State car constituted a Federal offence and local officers contacted the F.R.J. Officer instruction or the text books. Stalcup and F.B.J. agent Gibbs of Bryson City processed the ar for fingerprints to ald in establishing ownership of the car. After completing the investigation, the officers made officers and learned that the

> store, a bottle warmer: Can dler's, two pair of Hand Made Booties: Collins Crain Department Store, a diaper set; Fambro's, a Diaper Bag: and Lena's, a choice of a Sweater Set of Rahy Blanket.

The rules also stipilated that all applications must be received by the Scout by noon, Friday January 7th. In the event that no birth is recorded by then, the contest will continue until some baby is born in a Cherokee County Hospital and its parents redozen Diapers; Mauney Drug side in Cherokee County.

By: Red Schuylen

1273 Church St. and that the ar was stolen from him. All information was forwarded to F.B.J. agents all over the I nited States, I atrolman Don Reavis of the N. C. Highway patrol notified the Tennessee and N. C. I atrol offices giving them a discription of the

car stolen in Murphy. The Warner's 1965 Mustane was located Tuesday, in Atlanta. The following infor-mation was released to the Scout by Murphy City Folice man Fete Stalcup: The thief after leaving Mur

phy stole a Georgia tag from a trailer and attached it to the Warner car, placed the N. C. tag in the rear seat. eorgia officials noticed the trailer tag on a passenger car and stopped it, After making an investigation, noticed the N. C. tag in the back seat also found the Warner registration card in the glove compartment. The name of the thief is being witheld by Georgia officers since he is only seventeen years old. The youth has not been charged with theft pending further investigation but all eviden indicates that he is the

when officers Fere Stalcop and F.B.J. Agent Gibbs re-covered the stolen 1955 Cherolet, some of the items found were a G. I. Black Tie und Scarf and a shoulder patch in licating that the thief was a member of the Armed Forces. If the fingerprints lifted from the Chevrolet match the seventeen year old youth's, then in all probability he will he charged with the theft of the two cars and transporting them into two states which will be a Federal charge and he tried in Federal Court.

has never worked at all, or is still employed sull time, a claim for Medicare can and should be filed now. since to delay filing until the March deadline could mean that some applications may not be taken in time becauge the expected very heavy 105 workload in March.

Hutler states the the Asheville office will be fully staffed on Saturdays as well as on week days in order to

provide full service to the public. He urges everyone take full advantage of the spectal hours now and thus not he subject to a possible long wait for assistance during the expected March rush of app licants. He stresses, how ever, the fact that there will be no reduction in the service provided in this area for those who tind it possible to meet the local representative on his days here.

Federal Grant Creates Jobs

x \$104,045 teleral crant announced Dec. 22 to expind the War on Poverty in four Western North Carolina counties is already creating new job opportunities.

The grant was awar led to Four-Square Community Action, Inc., a nonprofit organ-ization which will over linate anti - poverty programs in Clas, Cherokee, Graham and Swain Countles.

Charles W. Edwards, Ir. announces today that applic ations are now being taken to fill 13 positions in the Four-Square program in the 4 county area.

Fositions and salaries are as follows: Frogram Director, \$930 month; Secretary-Book-keeper, \$375 to \$425 month; ommunity Organizers, \$8,500 year: Director for I hvsical and Mental Fitness Froject, \$300 to \$400 month; and a Horticulture Specialist, \$8,500 year.

Applications can be made at the Employment Security Co-mmission Office.



John H. Davis

- John H. FRANKLIN Davis of Franklin, Assistant Chief Engineer for Nantahala Lower and Light Company since 1958, has accepted a position as an engineer in the wwer division of the Alami Company of America's Warrick Operations near vansville, Indiana.

Nantahala Vice i resident William T, Walker announced this week that James R. Suit, electrical engineer with Nantahala since 1958, has been appointed to succeed Mr. Davis as the power company's Assistant Chief Engineer.

Mr. Walker also announced that Kenvon E. Hyde of Franklim, who has previous experi ence with the company, has heen re-employed as Survey Chief of Party. All three personnel changes were effective lanuary 1. Mr. Walker said. native of Andrews and a graduate of Andrews High School, Mr. Davis was first employed by Nantahala in June nf 1950 following his grad-uation from N. C. State University with a Bachelor o Electrical Engineering de gree. He had served with the . S. Army in 1945 and 1946, and was recalled to duty if the Korean War, in April 03 1951. He returned to work for Nantahala in March of 1951 following his discharge from the Army as a 1st Lieutenant. During his residence in Franklin, Mr. Davis was a

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member of the Lions Club, a Cub Scout Master, a Lav Reader, and Vestryman of St. Agnes Episcopal Church, and a mem ber of the Executive Council of Episcopal Diocese Western North Carolina, He was a member and served on the Board of Directors of the WNC Subsection of the Instit ute of Electrical and Electromes Engineers. Davis, the former Miss Doro thy Viegler of Nutley, NJ and their three children, Glen, 13. Ellen, II, and Mark, 7, will join Mr. Davis at their new home in Newburgh, Ind. later

survey party until 1940. From 1940 to 1952 he served asSurvey Chief of Farty for Alcoa at Alcoa, Tennessee. From 1952 until 1955 he was engaged in private survey work, and from 1455 antil 1958 he was employed by Tapoco, Inc. as Survey Chief of Larty, Following his employment with Tapoco he returned to private survey work intil his re-em plovment in Nantahali, He has lived in Franklin since 1952 and is married to the former Miss Mary Alice Burngarner of jackson County.

He is married to the fur-

mer Miss Lelia Allenof Cher-

lin Fresbyterian Church.

Buckner Named ''Man Of Year'

Everett O. Buckner, of Asheville, has been named "'Man of the Year" for 1965 by the A sheville Agency of The Faul Revere Lite Insurance Company and The Massachusetts rotective Association, Inc.

Mr. Buckner has been assoclated with the two Worchester, Mass, insurance companies since 1958. Active in local Masonic affairs, he is also a member of the Life Underwriters Association and the Trinity Episcopal Church

According to Albert H. Gudger, General Agent of the Asheville Agency, Mr. Buckner was chosen for this honor on the basis of his outstanding overall sales and service performance during the past 12 months, Mr. Buckner was presented with a special citation certificate at a meeting of the Asheville Agency,

Inspection Stations Announced

All vehicles licensed in the State of North Carolina will have to be inspected sometime during 1966. A complete schedule of these inspections will be found along with your license renewal card, Youare not obligated to have your necessary repairs made at any Inspection Station, Your repairs can be made at any gar age vou prefer.

The list of Inspection Statons appointed thus far are: Burch Motors, Townson Auto Company, E. C. Moore Company, and Elliott's Garage. Others may be appointed at a later date.

member of the Swain County and North Carolina State Bar, He is now County Attorney for Swam County. He is also a member of the Executive County Hospital, which is undertaking a campaign to ex-

The Western North Carolina I astor's Conterence will be held Monday, January 10, at 10:30 a.m. in the First Baptist Church, Waynesville, N.

Change Should Be Made By The People, Not By Federal Coercion

January 10th opens a special session of the North Carolina

State Legislature to reapportion our districts. Apparently, opposition to the Supreme Court's decision has diminished and legislators are now predicting a swift reapportionment All of us like to see cover ment conducted fairly and it is

the duty of state governments to see that all are represented, But the Supreme Court has overstepped its bounds in ruling that both houses must be apportioned on the basis of populat-The right of states to constitute and apportion their own legislatures is clearly granted in the Constitution and there is no implication that both bouses must be based on population. The Supreme Court derived its decision from Article XIV

Section I, which in the last sentence states, "No state shall make or enforce any law shich shall abridge the privileges of citizens of the United States, nor deprive any person of life, limb, or property without the due process of law, nor deny to any person within its jurisdiction the equal protection of the laws."

This section is clearly referring to the due process of common law, not to the structural form of state government. The States government has one house representing populat Inited ion and one representing region. Using the Supreme Court's interpretation of Article XIV, it may be said that any state, by being a member of the l'nited States, deprives its citizens of the equal protection of the laws,

If the meaning of Article XIV is so broadly construed as to grant federal courts authority to dictate to the states a prescribed manner for exercising powers specifically granted to them, all states' rights will become merely nominal duties, not actual powers or rights at all. A study of the Constitution shows that states' rights are separate reserved powers that cannot be infringed. For instance, the 17th amendment says that governors shall make temporary appointments to fill Senate vacancies: provided that the state's laws permit the governor to make such appointments.

The framers made the intended magnitude of states' rights clear in Article IV, Section I, "Full faith and credit shall be given in each state to the public acts, records, and judicial proceedings of every other state. And the Congress may by general laws prescribe the manner in which such acts, records, and proceedings shall be proved, and the effect thereof." Here it was necessary to specifically grant power of regulation to Congress. Otherwise, by the law it would have been up to the states.

The separate sovereignty of state governments is also shown Article IV, Section 4. "The United States shall guarantee in Article IV, Section 4. to every state in this unlon a republican form of government and shall protect them against invasion; and upon application of the legislature, or of the executive (when the legislature cannot be convened) against domestic violence." The bicameral system of government was adopted in both the state and federal governements in order to make it feasible for the less populous areas to participate in the same governing unit with areas having more people. The more populous areas still hold the majority in one house. Under this system there is very little regional jealousy. Any change should be made by the people in the state, not by federal coercion.