

**NATURE'S GIFT**  
BY NORA COBB SPENCER  
There's a sermon in the sunrise,  
There's a sermon in the brook,  
There's a sermon in the lily,  
But we are too blind to look.  
There's music all around us -  
'Tis in the thrush's notes so  
clear,  
'Tis in the dove's plaintive call,  
But we are too deaf to hear.  
When we can see a bit of heaven  
In laughing baby's eyes,  
And can see God's autograph  
In the lightning in the skies -  
If we can keep our hearts attune  
As we hear "His still small  
voice"

**Among The Sick**  
Mrs. Dixie Palmer, who has been confined to her bed for the past two weeks suffering from a bad leg is improving.  
Miss Hattie Axley who fell in her home last week and has been suffering from shock and bruises is reported to be better.  
And can hold the right station  
We'll be happy and rejoice.  
We will need few man-made toys  
Nor pictures on the screen  
We'll derive the greatest joy  
From nature's gallery serene.

**Miss Pressley To Wed In Del.**



MISS PRESSLEY

Mrs. Charles R. Sutton of Murphy announces the engagement of her daughter, Miss Betty Ellen Pressley to Frederick Herman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward W. Herman of 308 Philadelphia Pike, Wilmington, Delaware.  
Miss Pressley is a graduate of Murphy High School and is employed by Security Bankers Management Corp.  
Mr. Herman, a graduate of Salesianum High School, attended Goldey Beacom School of Business. He served two years in the Marine Corps and is now with the Security Bankers Management Corp.  
The wedding will take place next spring in Wilmington, Del., at St. Helena's Catholic Church.

**Navy Applications Are Available**

The Navy recruiting station located in the post office building in Franklin announces that applications for enlistments of high school graduates in the airman, elec-

tronic and hospital fields are now being accepted. Qualified applicants may be enlisted as soon as they desire after graduation.

The Navy recruiter will be in Murphy at the Register of Deeds office each Tuesday from 11:30 a. m. to 3:00 p. m.

**BIRTHS**

**PETRIE HOSPITAL**  
Mr. and Mrs. James Barnett of Murphy, a son, May 9.  
Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Palmer of Murphy, a son, Ben Thomas, May 11.  
Mr. and Mrs. Donald Anderson of Robbinston, a son, May 11.  
Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Johnson, Route 3, Murphy, a daughter, May 13.  
Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Handy of

Blairsville, Ga., a daughter, May 12.  
Mr. and Mrs. James Linn, Murphy, Route 1, a daughter, May 14.  
Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Memmer of Unaka, a son, May 16.  
Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Franks of Andrews, a son, May 16.  
Mr. and Mrs. Stokes Day of Marble, a daughter, May 16.  
**OGRETA DECORATION**  
There will be a decoration at Ogreeta Cemetery May 22 which is the fourth Sunday.



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- Why did God make man?**  
God made man to know Him, to love Him, and to serve Him in this world, and to be happy with Him forever in the future life.
- Has man, then, any obligations to God?**  
Yes; man must worship God as his Creator; and fulfill the purpose God had in creating him.
- Has man any obligations to himself?**  
Man's first obligation to himself is to save his own soul; that is the purpose of his existence upon this earth.  
"What doth it profit a man if he gain the whole world, and suffer the loss of his own soul?" (St. Matt. 16:26)
- How are we saved from the effects of Adam's sin and of our own sin?**  
By the sacrifice of the Life of Jesus Christ, Our Lord and Savior, Who is the Redeemer of mankind.
- Why was a Divine Redeemer necessary to atone for man's sins?**  
Because man could never of himself atone for an offense against an Infinite God.
- How did Jesus Christ atone for our sins?**  
Jesus Christ atoned for our sins by His life, sufferings, and death.  
"I live in the faith of the Son of God, Who lover me and delivered Himself for me." (Gal. 2, 20)  
God bless you now.  
Rev. Joseph Dean  
Murphy's Catholic Chapel

**Wayne Mull, 44 Dies In Akron**

Wayne Mull, 44, died at his home in Akron, Ohio, Sunday, May 8, and the body was brought here for interment.

Funeral services were held at 2 p. m. Friday in the Shady Grove Baptist Church. The Rev. Thomas Truett officiated and burial was in the church cemetery.

Survivors include one daughter; two sisters, Mrs. Commodore Shields of Andrews, and Mrs. Wes Helton of Copperhill, Tenn., Route 1; and four brothers, Moody and Ralph of Akron, G. R. of Dover, Del.; and Wade of Murphy, Rt. 2.  
Townson Funeral Home was in charge.

**Miss Babington, Miss McTaggart Honored**

Miss Rebecca Babington, a senior at Andrews High School and Miss Louise McTaggart, a senior at Hayesville High School, have each been awarded a district Scholarship at Brevard College in the amount of \$300 for the fall of 1955.  
Miss Babington is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Babington of Nantahala and Miss McTaggart is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. C. McTaggart of Rt. 2, Hayesville.  
These scholarships are awarded to students who excel in scholastic and leadership abilities and who are active in the local Methodist Church.  
Some 26 such scholarship were awarded according to the college president, President Stamey.

**Chester Farmer Is In Angus Assn.**

Chester Farmer of Murphy, has been elected to membership in the American Aberdeen-Angus Breeder's Association at Chicago, announces Secretary Frank Richards.

Mr. Farmer was among the six purebred Aberdeen-Angus breeders from North Carolina elected to membership during the past month.

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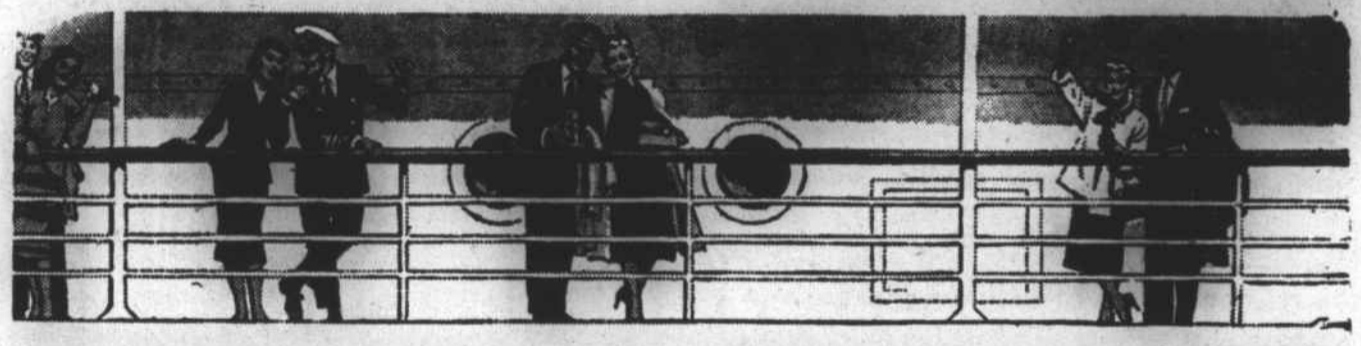
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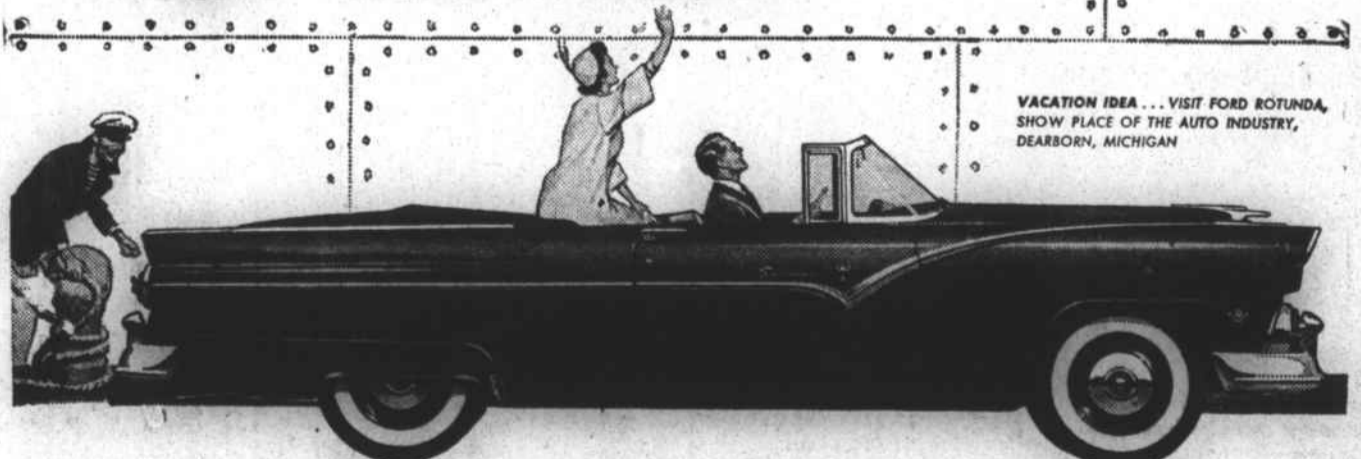
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