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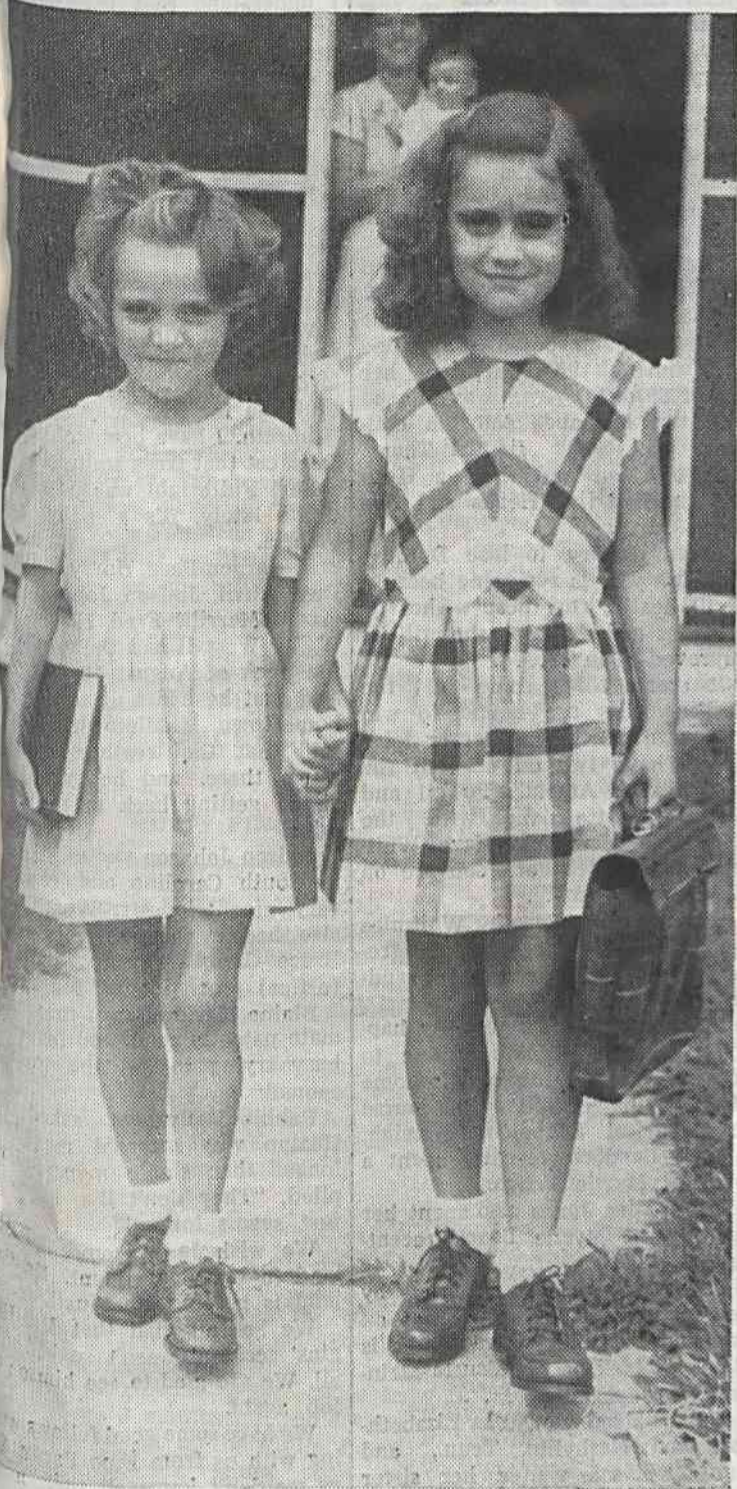
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THE BEGINNING—As summer draws to a close, an important date awaits the youngsters—the first day of school. This is particularly a thrilling and unforgettable day for the children who are just beginning their schooling. This is the case of Mary Louise Hamilton, above left, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Hamilton. Mr. Hamilton is in Finishing. That first day in the first grade is made somewhat easier if you have a big sister to go with you to show you around and to be sure that you don't land in the wrong place. Agnes Kathryn is the big sister and she will be in the third grade this year. Mrs. Hamilton and baby brother, James Franklin, are at the doorway to bid a fond farewell as another one of her children goes off to school.

... AND THE END—The end of summer also means the end of those wonderful days of vacation—fishing, swimming, playing tennis, or doing whatever struck the fancy. Last June when those carefree days finally arrived, three months would be a long time—but how short it was! Dorothy Plaut, 16-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Plaut, is shown in the striking photograph at the right posing just like a veteran angler, thus vividly portraying the spirit of the vacation period. This picture of Dorothy was taken by her father and was adjudged the winner in the recent contest of the Brevard Camera club. Dorothy will be a senior at Brevard high.

Keen Competition Predicted In Third Annual Harvest Festival September 5

Camp Sapphire Is Approaching End Of Successful Season

With a big day on tap for Sunday and a large crowd also expected on Labor Day, Camp Sapphire is nearing the end of another great season.

Swimming will not be permitted after Monday, but the general area will remain open for picnics, etc. Fishing will be permitted during the month of September, but only from the banks as there will be no lifeguards on duty after Monday.

The baseball game between Enka and Ecusta will be a highlight of the activities Sunday. The tennis team will also oppose Enka in a return match and the band will give a concert at 5 o'clock. The baseball game will get underway at 3:30 o'clock.

One of the largest fish caught during the past month was pulled in by "Chubby" Stepp, son of Mrs. Lita Stepp of the Main office. His prize catch was a seventeen inch bass.

Although no official figures are available yet, this is believed to be the biggest summer Camp Sapphire has ever had. Since early season, crowds have flocked there, particularly on week ends.

Hon. W. Kerr Scott To Speak; Ecusta Band Will Play

All gardeners are stepping lively these days making final preparations for the Harvest Festival to be held in the cafeteria Friday night, September 5, at 8 o'clock.

Speaker for the occasion will be the Honorable W. Kerr Scott, commissioner of agriculture for the state of North Carolina. Mr. Scott is author of several articles on farming and is recognized as one of the ablest men in the South in his field.

Mr. Harry H. Straus will give the address of welcome and will also introduce Mr. Scott. The Ecusta band will play and colored movies will be shown. F. S. Best will be in charge of the awarding of the prizes.

All entrants who plan to make individual displays are asked to contact Bob Bolt by Thursday so table reservations can be made.

Complete information on the show, including pictures of the prizes which have been on display in the cafeteria for the past two weeks, is given on Page 14. Inserted in your Echo today is a handy classification check list which is designed to aid contestants in preparing their various entries.

