



# DEEDS

by Jan Christensen

## Ordinary Dog Becomes Star

Who says a dog must have a pedigree to be famous? Snowball, a 4-H pup who belongs to Carol Page from Sharpsburg, is living proof that an ordinary yard-dog can rise to stardom.

According to Jane Bradshaw, assistant home economics extension agent, Wilson County, the story began last April when Carol decided to enter her trained canine in the County 4-H Talent Show. The winning act went on to become a blue ribbon attraction in the East Central talent competition and was invited to be part of the talent program at State 4-H Club Week in Raleigh. Now Carol and Snowball plan to participate in the 4-H Talent Roundup at the Wilson County Fair. After that—who knows?

**Student Scholarship**  
A worthy student at the Wilkes Community College will receive scholarship aid, thanks to the efforts of the Wilkes County Council of Home Demonstration Clubs. Money for the \$300 scholarship was earned at a Market Day, sponsored by all

the Home Demonstration Clubs in the county. Mrs. Ella Reavis, assistant home economics extension agent, explains.

**Money-Making Scheme**  
Tar Heel 4-H Club members are very creative when it comes to thinking of ways to earn money for the club treasury. For example, 4-H'ers in Madison County decided to sell hamburgers, hot dogs and coffee at a commercial tomato packing shed in Marshall three evenings a week.

The benefits are two-fold. "Not only are the club members earning money, they are also meeting many Madison County people," Madge Gufey, assistant home economics extension agent, notes.

**There's A Better Way**  
"I'll never put another fig in a jar—without peeling it first." This was the reaction of Mrs. Elton Boswell, Edenton Route 1, after attending a food conservation demonstration at Lake Matamuskeet.

In fact, Mrs. Boswell was so favorably impressed by the quality of the preserved figs, she returned to Chowan County and conducted a similar demonstration for other

# The Diplomatic Pouch

WASHINGTON — The following letters were recently answered by the Department of State:

I am concerned about a publication that crossed my desk recently. "Information Bulletin 7", Committee of Youth Organizations of the USSR, 7-1965, Bogan Khmelitsky is the title of the material and was shown to me by a student in this school. In reading this material I find my country labeled as an aggressor in several references. I know this to be false but I wonder about its effect upon my pupils.

As the instructional leader of a public school I do not fear truth, but it is difficult locally to combat such material. I am reassured by the statements of the owner of this publication (a fifth grade boy) that this is so much "stuff" however, I would appreciate your reaction.

J. G. B. Cleveland, Ohio

Dear Mr. T.:

The Department of State is indeed aware of the nature of Soviet propaganda mailings. At one time the government attempted to screen Soviet propaganda material being mailed to American citizens from abroad, releasing it to the addressee only when he specified that he wished to receive it. This program, however, was found by the U. S. Supreme Court to be in conflict with the Constitution and has been discontinued.

Another approach to this problem can be undertaken by the parents, schools and other local community organizations. By main-

interested homemakers.

"We believe there would be a market for good quality fig preserves," Mrs. Mary G. Cowper, home economics extension agent, notes. "So our homemakers are anxious to learn better conservation techniques."

## Long-Range Home Planning

Long-range home planning has profited the Frank Culbreth family, Fayetteville Route 3. Mrs. Era K. Robinson, home economics extension agent, Cumberland County, reports.

Realizing they could not

taining high standards of education and permitting the free flow of information and views on various sides of any given subject, we can assure that no single distorted view will prevail. I am sure that schools, parents, and local community leaders are doing their part to provide guidance to children who receive Soviet propaganda mailings of the sort you describe, guidance which will permit them to put this information into the proper perspective.

I would like to apply for an international driver's license and number plates. Please send me the necessary forms and information available.

R. F. T. Lynn, Mass.

Dear Mr. T.:

In the United States, the American Automobile Association and the American Automobile Touring Alliance are authorized to issue the international driving permits provided for in the convention on road traffic dated at Geneva September 19, 1949. In addition to issuing international driving permits, the AAA and the AATA dispense general information regarding driving abroad. These services are not limited to AAA and AATA members. It is suggested that you consult your telephone directory for the local office nearest you.

Do you have an inquiry? Send it to:

"The Diplomatic Pouch"  
P/MS, Room 4835  
U. S. Department of State  
Washington, D. C. 20521

## Area Students

### At Chapel Hill

CHAPEL HILL — Three Edenton area students are currently enrolled as freshmen at the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill.

Attending the university for the first time are: Joseph H. Conger III, 105 Pembroke Circle.

James Norfleet Pruden, 103 East Water Street.  
Marcella Marie Ward, Route 1, Tyner.

family make wise use of the resources they had.

**Keeping Records Pays Off**  
"Keeping records on family spending has paid off for us," says Mrs. Roy Bell, Jr., Kings Mountain Route 2.

Before we kept accounts, our money was going, but we didn't seem to be getting anywhere, Mrs. Bell relates. Then the family agreed to make a simple spending plan and to keep a record of all the money we spent for family living.

At present, the Bells have been able to pay all outstanding debts and have saved enough to buy a lot when land becomes available.

The Bells have learned that careful planning and record keeping are needed if they are to reach their family goals, Thelma E. McVea, home economics extension agent, Cleveland County, notes.

## Crossroads 4-H Meeting Is Held

The Cross Roads 4-H Club met September 20 at the Community Building with 13 present. Julia Byrum read Scripture, followed with The Lord's Prayer prayed in unison. Shelia Byrum led in singing "Dixie".

The pledges were led by Beth Boswell. Paul White had roll call and then read the minutes. We discussed varied programs for the coming year.

New officers were elected for the coming year and are as follows: President, Rebecca; vice president, Doug-

las; secretary and treasurer, Charlotte; reporter, Beth, and song leader, Julia Byrum.

## BEHIND SCENES FACTS OF FAMOUS PEOPLE

People ask questions. Parade Magazine, distributed with The Baltimore News American, gives answers. When you want to know something about famous people—stars, statesmen or whatever, read the Personality Parade in

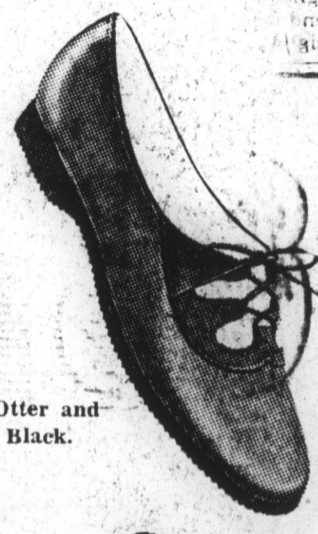
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