

## Pledge \$3,900 For Andrews Band

The Andrews Chamber of Commerce reports the fund-raising campaign for a band and public school music department in the Andrews Schools has received enthusiastic support from the entire district. The minimum goal is \$5,000 to be raised by May 15.

The fund raising committee is composed of the following members of the Chamber of Commerce: P. B. Ferebee, chairman, Ty Burnette, Mabel Fisher, C. O. Van Gorder and W. D. Whitaker.

To date approximately \$3,900 has been pledged in initial gifts, including several band instruments which have been donated by interested individuals.

Fund-raising headquarters are the Citizens Bank & Trust Company, which has arranged an exceedingly attractive window display with a large thermometer indicating the daily progress of the drive. Some of the instruments which have been donated are also on display at the bank.

Various civic organizations have indicated their desire to support this project, and it is anticipated they will make sizable pledges to the fund within the next few days.

W. D. Whitaker, vice-president of the Chamber of Commerce, reports that individual contributions range from \$1. to \$1,000. Mr. Whitaker urges all citizens of the Andrews School District to share in this worthy community project by making their contributions, small or large, at the Citizens Bank & Trust Company before May 15.

## Doris Ann Hogsed President Of MYF

Andrews Methodist Youth Fellowship at the regular meeting Sunday night, May 4, elected officers for the coming year, as follows: President, Doris Ann Hogsed; vice-president, Sue Crawford; secretary, Ann Angel, treasurer, Virginia Huffman; four commissions, as follows: missions, Kent Laughter; community service, Todd Reece; worship, Becky Babington; recreation, Zeb Conley, Jr. An installation service will be held in the near future.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Babington and daughters of Nantahala spent several days in Charlotte and Kings Mountain. Mr. Babington's sister was seriously ill.

## K. W. Shearer Is Honored On 74th Birthday

K. W. Shearer of Patrick was honored with a birthday dinner Sunday at his home.

Sunday marked his seventy-fourth birthday. Mr. Shearer was born in Cherokee County and has spent most of his life here. He is a deacon of Pleasant Hill Baptist Church and has held many other church offices.

After dinner several songs were sung and the Rev. G. W. Kilpatrick brought the devotional.

Mr. Shearer received many gifts.

Those present were the honoree and wife and Mr. Shearer's sisters, Mrs. E. L. Amburn of Copperhill, Tenn., who is 76 years old, and Mrs. G. W. Kilpatrick and the Rev. G. W. Kilpatrick. Mr. and Mrs. Winfred Amburn of Copperhill, Tenn., and three daughters, Misses Helen Ruth and Mary Ann from Copperhill, and Margaret from Tennessee Wesley-

## Gerald D. Cole On USS Antietam In Korean Waters

Too good for the moths is the aircraft carrier USS Antietam, which was taken from the moth-ball fleet to operate in Korean waters with a crew of such men as Gerald D. Cole, interior communications electrician, third class, USN, son of Mr. and Mrs. John N. Cole of Murphy, N. C.

Cole entered the Naval service Aug. 2, 1949, and received his recruit training at the Naval Training Center, San Diego, Calif.

Before entering the Navy, he was graduated from Murphy High School.

The Antietam, which is part of last Carrier Task Force 77, was first commissioned in 1945, and was re-commissioned in January 1951, for its present duty in the Korean area.

an College at Athens, Tenn., and Miss Betty White of Cincinnati, Ohio, a classmate of Miss Margaret Amburn, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Ledford and three children of Liberty, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Danner and son, Gerald, from Ducktown, Tenn., and Dan Adams of Cleveland, Tenn., Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Payne, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Horton and family and Greely Murphy of Patrick.

## White Charged With Shooting

Bob White of Andrews has been charged with shooting a 45 caliber revolver into the home of Raydo Thomas, Negro, Friday night. The bullet passed over a bed in which two children were sleeping and imbedded itself in a wall, narrowly missing the sleeping children.

Investigation of the incident and the arrest was made by Deputy Sheriff Henry L. Carver.

A preliminary hearing was held before Sam W. Jones, Justice of Peace, and the defendant was placed under \$1,000 bond for appearance at the August term of Superior Court.

About 6 million pounds of honey were produced in North Carolina last year. This was enough for each man, woman, and child in the State to have about one and a half pounds.

## Peachtree Club Has Meeting

Mrs. Brown Caldwell was hostess to Peachtree Home Demonstration Club Thursday at 2 p. m. The meeting was opened with the singing of "The United Nations Hymn", followed by the club collect.

Mrs. Clarence Hendrix presided over the business session. After several book reviews were heard, Miss Edna Bishop, home agent, showed slides on bedroom improvements.

Refreshments were served to the following: Mrs. Clarence Hendrix, Mrs. Ben Brown, Mrs. O'Neil Crisp, Mrs. Oren Witt, Mrs. Jim Hembree, Mrs. Noah Hembree, Mrs. Andrew Barton, Mrs. Julia Hendrix, Mrs. Louise Caldwell, Mrs. Nellie Morrow, Miss Nancy Lunsford, Mrs. Aud Suderth, and Miss Bishop.

Output of eggs in the first two months of 1952 was about 9 per cent above the year earlier.

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