

Several Vacation Church Schools In Progress

Vacation church schools are being conducted this week in several mid-town Murphy churches, with almost 300 girls and boys attending.

First Baptist and Murphy Presbyterian churches conduct schools for two weeks, while the Free Methodist Church is having a one-week school with the closing service for members and friends at the church at 7:30 Friday night.

Registrations including staff reached 176 at First Baptist Church Monday morning; and the Presbyterians and Free Methodists had about 40 each, faculty included.

Mrs. Doyle C. Burch is principal of the Baptist school, with Mrs. Bill Browning serving as secretary, the Rev. J. Alton Morris as faculty advisor, and Mrs. Morris as pianist.

Study topics and workers by departments are—Nursery: "Learn-

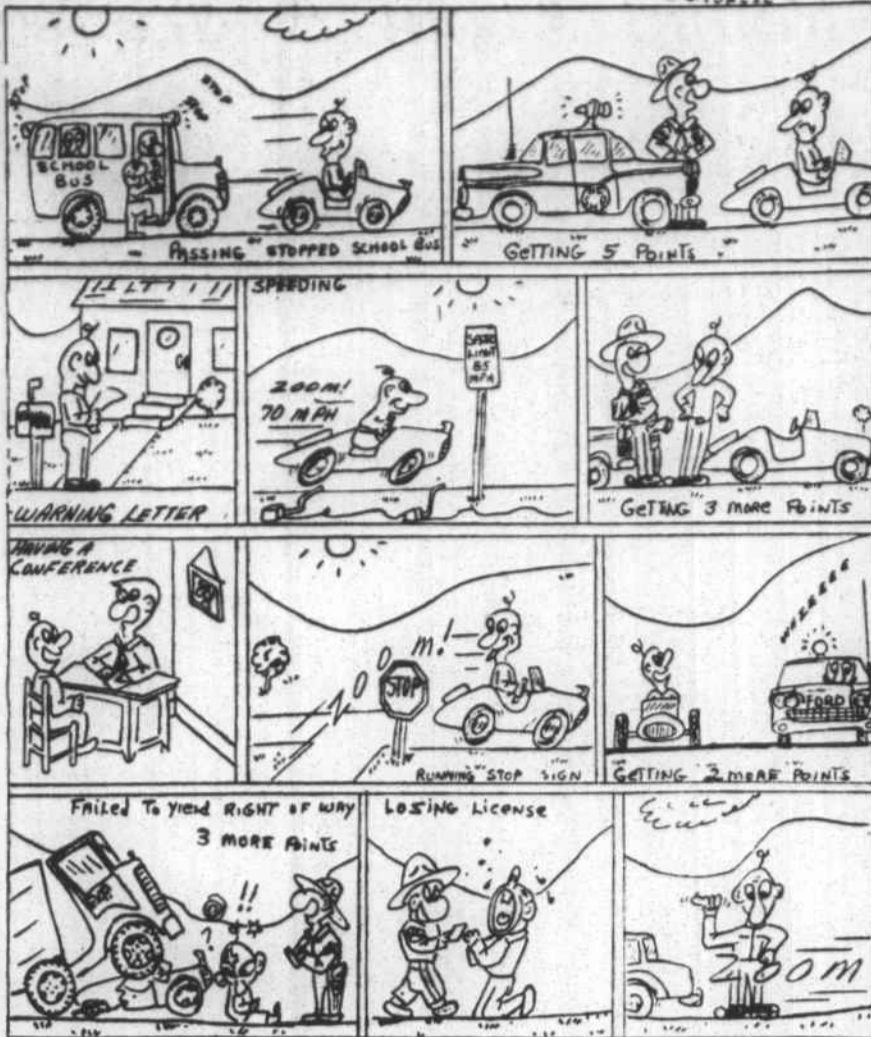
Bertha Roberts, Mrs. Boyce Stiles, Mrs. Lillard Walker and Misses Dorothy Hensley, Nancy Mills, Annette White, Anna Bruce, Carolyn Bates and Mr. Winston Craig.

Intermediate: "Facing My Life Choices," Vincent Crisp, Cyrus White and Mrs. Doyle C. Burch.

Presbyterians are employing the study units and texts recommended by the National Council of Churches of Christ education division, the theme for 1960 being "The Church." Staff members are kindergarten—Mrs. J. R. Sprung, Elizabeth Barrett; primary, Mrs. Robert A. Potter; junior, Mrs. Holland McSwain and Mrs. W. A. Singleton; pioneer, Robert A. Potter; and general, Mrs. W. M. Fain.

The Rev. and Mrs. John Kennerly of near Blairsville have charge of the Free Methodist school, the theme of which is "Our Need of a Redeemer." Teachers include: kindergarten—Mrs. Clyde Patton and Mrs. Eugene Curtis; primary—Mrs. Clayman Hughes; junior—Mrs. C. D. Elliott; and youth, the Rev. Eugene Curtis.

OPERATION 4-7-12



WHEN HE'S NOT busy riding herd on highway cut ups, State Trooper L. G. Powell of Kannapolis unlimbers his drawing arm and turns out cartoons—but not like those in the funny papers. The case here being a liberalized version on how to lose your driver's license through too many points. Characterized by the Department of Motor Vehicles as "Operation 4-7-12," the state's Point System assigns points for various traffic offenses. A total of 12 within a two year period means goodbye driver's license.

Blue Ridge Parkway Needs Concessions, Operators

The National Park Service is inviting offers from qualified and competent private individuals or corporations interested in acquiring and operating existing concessioner-operator visitor facilities of this type on the 260-mile section of the Blue Ridge Parkway lying between Roanoke, Virginia, and Asheville, North Carolina, the Department of the Interior announced today.

National Park Service Director Conrad L. Wirth said the successful applicant will be required to provide such public accommodations as overnight lodging, food, automobile service station, grocery store, and related services.

All offers should be sent to the parkway superintendent at P. O. Box 1710, Roanoke, Virginia, prior to August 15, 1960.

The existing Parkway facilities involved, all operated at present by National Park Concessions, Inc., and government-owned, include a service station at Rocky Knob; a lodge, service station, and coffee shop at Doughton Park; and a service station, lunchroom and store at Crabtree Meadows.

The new and additional facilities which the successful applicant will be required to provide include a service station, camp store and restaurant at Pine Spur; a service station, dining room and lodging units at Doughton Park; a service station, camp store and restaurant at Linville Falls; and a restaurant and camp store at Crabtree Meadows. These new and expanded facilities will require an outlay of approximately \$880,000 over the next few years, according to the National

AMONG THE SICK

Patients admitted to Providence Hospital: Mrs. Linda Holloway, Murphy; Dillard Griffith, Rt. 1, Murphy; Mrs. Margaret Carringer, Murphy; Leonard Mull, Hayesville; Mrs. Evelyn Breedlove, Marble; Kenneth McClure, Murphy; Ralph Hughes, Rt. 1, Murphy; Leon Lanning, Murphy; Samuel O'Dell, Murphy; Billy Hembree, Rt. 1, Murphy; Barbara Worthen, Murphy; Roger Caldwell, Murphy; Kenneth Howell, Murphy and David Fowler, Murphy.

Patients admitted to Providence Hospital: Mrs. Lenna Spivey, Rt. 3, Murphy; Bobby G. Morris, Murphy; Wm. Anse Beaver, Rt. 1, Marble; Judy Kay Palmer, Marble; Mrs. Maggie Cornwell, Murphy; Mrs. Ida Kibby, Unaka; Bill McClure, Rt. 1, Marble; Ivy Lee Lovinggood, Rt. 2, Murphy; Mrs. Ann Clark, Murphy; Judy Bryant, Rt. 1, Coppershill, Mrs. Glenda Chastain, Rt. 2, Murphy.

Patients dismissed from Providence Hospital: J. Harabel McMillan, Rt. 2, Murphy; Mrs. Edna Ramsey, Murphy; Mrs. Roy Minor, Marble; Mrs. Mary Lou Queen, Rt. 3, Murphy.

Patients admitted to Murphy General Hospital are: Mrs. Dora Nix, Hayesville; Edward Buckner of Murphy and W. O. Williams, Murphy.

Bank Reports Balance In Saving & Credit Repayment

While the consumer has come to the rescue in recent weeks by boosting expenditures and snapping the economy out of the drift, there has been hardly a ripple in long-term saving or installment credit repayment patterns.

In the current issue of the Citizens Bank and Trust Company newsletter, both savings and consumer loan repayments are charted as a percentage of disposable personal income.

The newsletter also notes that it seems clear from the steady rate of savings that this type of activity has not gone out of style.

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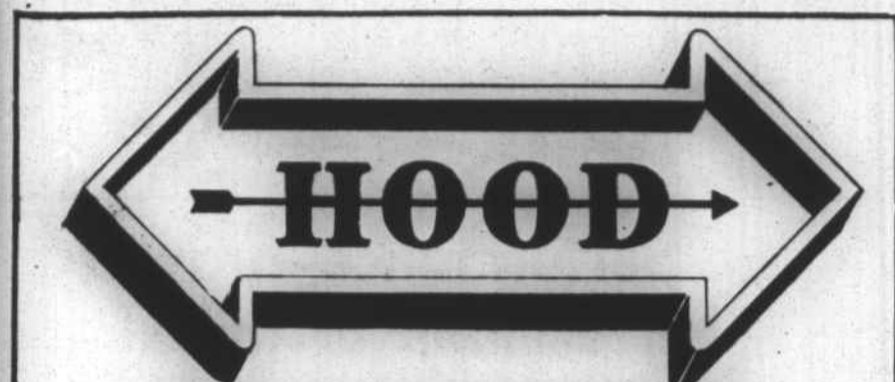
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