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The Editor:  
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G. C. Green  
Ooltewah, Tennessee

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## Enjoys Reading Hometown News

Dear Editor:  
I would like to receive the weekly paper but do not know the price. I wonder if you would start sending me the paper and send me a bill for it? I would enjoy reading all of my hometown news. Charles E. Stalcup  
Oakridge, Oregon

## 41 Pints Of Blood Donated Here During Bloodmobile Visit

Forty-one pints of blood were given during the Red Cross Bloodmobile's visit to Murphy last week. Only eight persons were rejected.

The Grape Creek Home Demonstration Club was in charge of the canteen during the Bloodmobile visit. Mrs. Hower Hunsucker and Mrs. E. J. Greer were in canteen. The following volunteers served at the registration table: Miss Dorothy Hensley, chairman; Mrs. R. W. Easley, Mrs. Ruth Chaney, Mrs. O. F. Jefferies, Mrs. Bill Waggoner, Mrs. John Davidson, and Mrs. Louise Schuyler.

At the bottle table: Mrs. F. W. Brewer, Mrs. Frank Ferguson, Mrs. Cloe Moore, and Mrs. Robert D. Bruce. Doctors in attendance were: Dr. George Size, Dr. Paul Hill, and Dr. W. A. Hoover.

## The Scout Salutes Coach Chuck McConnell, Builder Of Men And Good Football Teams



For the second straight year, Coach Chuck McConnell's Murphy High School Bulldogs have walked away

with the Smoky Mountain Conference Championship. This year's team was undefeated, winning ten straight games. During the past five years, McConnell coached teams have won 41, lost 10, and tied one. Several of the losses were in playoff games.

Coach McConnell, a native of Andrews, graduated from Andrews High School. He served three years in the Navy before entering Western Carolina College. He has both his Bachelor of Science and Master's degrees.

Coach McConnell has been a coach of the Murphy High football team for eight years. He has been head coach for seven years.

His first coaching job was at Franklin High School where he coached for three years prior to coming to Murphy. Chuck came to Murphy in the fall of 1953, and coached here

until February, 1955, when he left to be a special agent for the Federal Alcoholic and Tobacco Tax Unit. He returned to Murphy in the fall of 1955 to assume the duties as head coach.

Coach McConnell is chairman of the Deacons of the First Baptist Church, Murphy, teaches the Intermediate Boys Sunday School Class and has won a two year perfect Sunday School attendance record.

He is married to the former Miss Barbara West of Andrews and they have one son, Chris, three and a half.

Coach McConnell is noted for his well disciplined football teams that have proved to be consistent winners. He is greatly admired and respected by players, fans, opponents, students and faculty. His most characteristic posture on the gridiron is "the double hand head rub."

## Raleigh Roundup

By Kidd Brewer  
**BIG BUSINESS** - Now that the shouting is over - at least until January when inaugurations will start it anew - how much would you guess was spent in North Carolina alone to get favorable support for all the patriotic souls jumping up and down to serve their country? Well, ours is a wild guess-

imate. But, including first and second primaries last spring and only the candidates for State offices, the Governor, Congressmen, and the U. S. Senate, I would say that a very sober, conservative figure would be \$4,000,000. Now I am not referring to the amount reported as spent - for long ago that item became sheer bunk - but the

amounts actually going to television, newspaper, billboards, handbills, car bumpers, and a thousand other what-have-you's such as haulers, heelers, and the good time Charlies.

We would divide it up roughly into \$1,500,000 in those two rough battles in May and June and \$2,500,000 by Democrats and Republicans in the fall campaign.

That, dear reader, is big business. And to think - that a large proportion of it was wasted and produced nothing of concrete nature except shadowy and formless hopes for the future.

WHY? - Sometimes, when statements and money are flying thick and fast in all directions, one feels like asking the simple question, Why?

One candidate will have \$300,000 to spend while another man of equal or perhaps superior abilities can muster only \$30,000. Why should one candidate be so much more important cash-wise than another?

Think about such things long and often enough and you can become pretty much disillusioned and jaded about our political system. But a rock-ribbed Republican will dig away down in his jeans to keep a Democrat out of office and from a money angle, there is nothing meaner than a mean Democrat. Then, of course, in our Democratic primary in North Carolina opposing Democrats shell out the funds because of deep and underlying differences of opinion within the framework of the party.

**JUST AS ROUGH** - We frequently get the definite impression that Democrats are harder on each other than they are on the opposition.

I just do not believe that there was much hate toward Robert L. Gavin, Republican candidate for Governor, among Dr. Beverly Lake supporters as toward Terry Sanford, for instance, a member of the same party - they embrace.

We hope it is a thing of the past now, but the Lake-Sanford feelings last spring were every inch as bitter as the Gavin-Sanford feelings before the election.

If they want to keep North Carolina moving along as in the past, Democrats must resolve their differences and come up with a closely united front in their future fights with the Republicans.

**WHO CUTS THE CAKE?** - The question of why the average person sometimes puts more than he can really afford into a political campaign can usually be answered with this simple statement: He wants to be with a winner.

Back in the old days we used to go to pie suppers to raise money for the PTA. That was back in the good old times when the money-raising event came once a year instead of once a week. Anyway, they were great old things, those pie suppers.

But the real contest came after the pies had been eaten. This had to do with voting on the girl to cut the cake. This was indeed a great honor. Votes usually cost ten cents each - and we have seen young swains and fond fathers practically bankrupt themselves in these battles to determine the girl to cut the cake.

There was nothing much at stake. Oh, the lady winning was declared the "prettiest girl", but this was not necessarily so. Sometimes it seemed actually the reverse was so. Nevertheless, the dimes flowed like water - particularly if there had been a good tobacco crop - in a do-or-die attempt to be on the winning side.

Most of those putting up the money got nothing in return but a nice, empty smile from the winner.

Mainly what they wanted was the deep-down satisfaction of being victorious, of showing John Doe that he was not the only pebble on the beach - and that is about all they got.

The main thing we are after is to be on the winning team.

## Liberty

Mrs. Louise Jones, who is now working in Chattanooga, visited friends and relatives this past week.

Ray Swanson, Jr. visited his parents and friends this past week.

Denise and Ricky Garrett visited Sharon Bruce over the week-end.

Dan Verner is in Atlanta at the present time.

The former Miss Judy Swanson is now Mrs. Eddie Spivia. The couple are living in an apartment in Copperhill. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Swanson of Liberty and is a 1959 graduate of Hiwassee Dam School.

J. D. Price is now working in Hartwell, Georgia.

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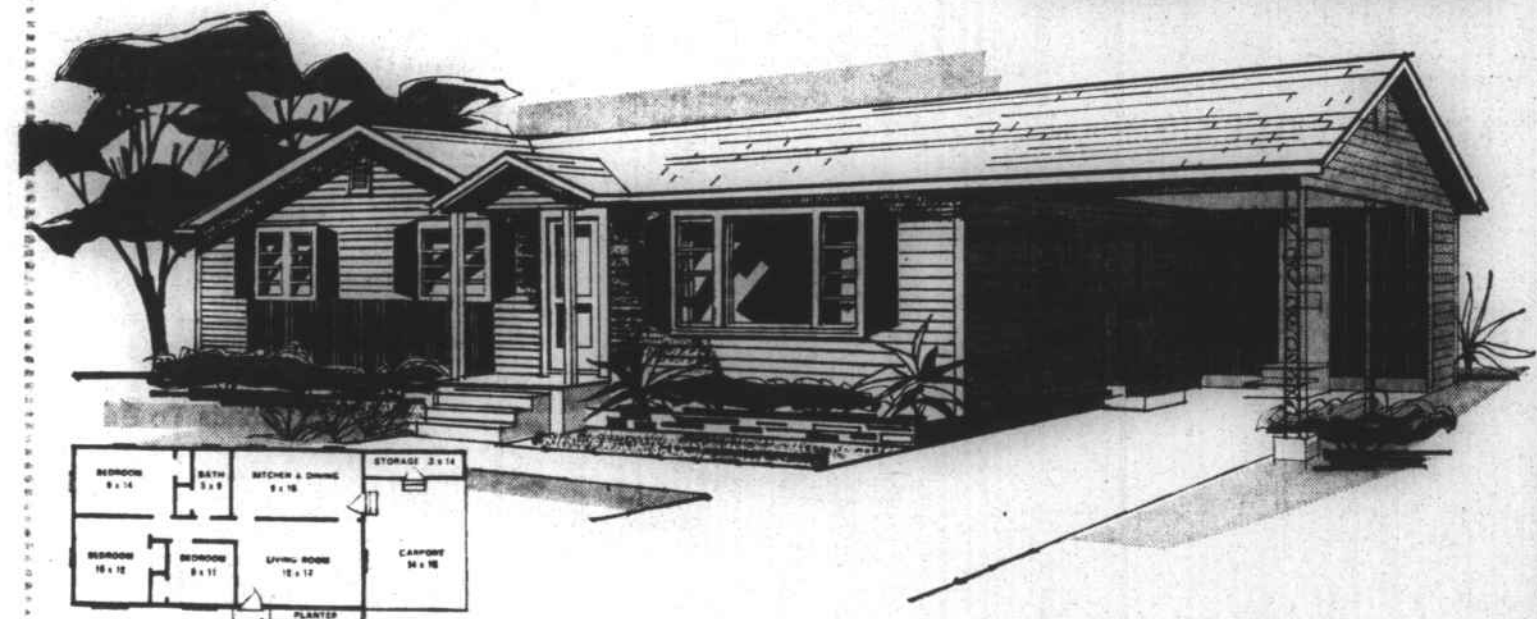
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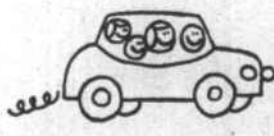
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