



Members of the North Carolina College Sunday School are busy collecting food to be distributed to Durham needy families during the coming holiday season. Left to right at Arthur Roseman of Gordboro, and Nannie Anderson of Louisburg. Dr. C. E. Boultware is superintendent of the Sunday School which meets every Sunday at 9:30 a.m. in the Commerce Building.

WATCH THAT BOY

By HENRY W. GILLIS
District Scout Executive

SCOUT CHRISTMAS PARTY the afternoon along with the Explorer Scouts. Many of the Explorer Posts are also having Explorer Socials and Vocational Projects during the month.

Each boy attending the Christmas Party should bring a can of food for the needy of our community and country.

The Scouters and leaders attending the Roundtable meeting

ings Tuesday at the library are as follows: CUBBING...Under the leadership of E. L. Allen, Cubmaster of Pack 62 at the C. C. Spaulding School PTA, we had Lawrence Elliott, Chairman of Pack 148 at McDougald Terrace. James Womble, Cubmaster of Pack 148. Mrs. Betty Clay, Den Mother of Pack 148.

James Hackney, Cubmaster of Pack 54 at New Bethel Baptist Church. Mrs. Victoria Joyner and Mrs. Dorothy G. Allen, Den-Mothers of Pack 62 at the C. C. Spaulding School. PTA. Also Mrs. Hattie Geer, Den-Mother at C. C. Spaulding School. Mrs. Alease Watson, Den-Mother of Pack 109 Mt. Calvary Baptist Church of Bahama, N. C. John T. Tucker, Cubmaster of Pack 190, Mt. Gilead Baptist Church. Mrs. Ollie White, Den-Mother of the St. John Baptist Church.

Boy Scouting...Under the leadership of S. A. Wynn, Neighborhood Commissioner. James Robinson, Scoutmaster of Troop 144 at the Russell Memorial CME Church. R. W. Jamison, Scoutmaster of Troop 111, Union Baptist Church and his assistant Scoutmaster Charles Harden. Wallace H. Hinton, Scoutmaster of Troop 108, First Calvary Baptist Church. Joseph Burt, Scoutmaster of Troop 190, Mt. Gilead Baptist Church. McCoy Bullock, Troop 118, Red Mt. Baptist Church of Rougemont, N. C. W. S. Evans, Scoutmaster of Troop 109, Mt. Calvary Baptist Church, Bahama, N. C.; H. Thomas Tucker, Chairman of Troop Committee at the Covenant Presbyterian Church.

Lawrence Brame, assistant Scoutmaster of Troop 166 at the St. John Baptist Church; R. Kelly Bryant, Jr., Durham Divisional Chairman and Scoutmaster of Troop 187, Burton

Elementary School PTA. J. C. Hubbard, Chairman of the Durham Camping committee.

Explorer Scouting...Under the leadership of LeRoy Hopkins, Explorer Advisor at the Mt. Gilead Baptist Church Number 190. B. W. Kennedy, Sr., Vice Chairman of the Durham Divisional committee. Herbert Smith, Explorer from Troop 108, First Calvary; J. W. Carrington, Advisor at White Rock Baptist Church and chairman of the Durham Division O. and E. committee. A. C. Whisenton, New Advisor to be at the Whitfield Jr. High School.

Until next week...Do plenty of shopping. Henry W.

Man Receives Long Term In Fatal Beating

Melvin William McCollum, 45, of 305 East 8th Street, pleaded guilty to second degree murder in the fatal beating of Margie Lee Transou on Nov. 23rd. He was sentenced, last Wednesday, December 5th in Forsyth Superior Court to serve 18 to 25 years in prison for the murder. Judge Frank M. Armstrong of Troy, passed sentence after McCollum, who had been charged with first degree murder, entered a plea to the lesser offense.

Testimony revealed that McCollum and the victim struggled throughout the house while he beat her unmercifully with a metal chair. The chair, an exhibit, was twisted and broken from the force of the blows.

McCollum, who has been arrested 32 times since 1935 for

assaults with deadly weapons on women and drunkenness, said the woman hit him first with a stick of wood. This, he said, was what started the fight

Toys For Needy Collected By Chapel Hill NFA

CHAPEL HILL The local chapter of the New Farmers of America of Lincoln High School is sending out their appeal to all local citizens for toys for their toy drive for children in this community according to its President, Richard Fikes.

Each year the members of the local chapter sponsors this activity as a part of their community service activities in their annual program of work. They are requesting all parents, patrons and friends to send, bring or call the school if they have toys to contribute to this activity. The toys may be new, old, needing repairs.

All toys received are repaired, repainted and distributed each year to children in the community who might be forgotten on Christmas eve night.

Grademothers' Day Observed In Whiteville

WHITEVILLE "Grandmother Appreciation Day" was observed in this school during the day of Dec. 3, and climaxed with a program on the night of the same date.

Mrs. Ethel Powell, a member of the Mt. Olive School faculty, Whiteville, delivered the main address. She spoke on "The Little Things."

She pointed out that the little services performed by the Grademothers might seem small in scope, yet they are important "fabrics" in the weaving of a balanced child. Mrs. Powell further pointed out how the services of the Grademothers could develop a sense of belonging and security in the child. The speaker was presented by Mrs. A. S. Bennett. The Choral Club fur-

labeled music.

The Grademothers Club was first organized here in 1952, with Mrs. Maggie McClain as President. She served until October 1956 when Mrs. Rhonnie Regan succeeded her in office.

Since 1952, the Grademothers have performed the following services: purchased clothes for needy children, purchased lunches for needy children, laid a cement walk at the school, gave

the first \$200.00 on Central's Activity Bus, purchased Band Mascot Uniforms and held Banquets and receptions for teachers. Mes. Mary E. Randall and V. C. Campbell are sponsors.

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