

FESTIVAL PROCEEDS TO BE USED BY SCHOOL

A total of \$80.44 was taken in at the Halloween festival held here on last Thursday night in the Community building by Marion high school students. The proceeds will go to the junior and senior classes of the high school and into the general school fund, to be used for first aid equipment and school materials.

Terry Morrison and Louise Ramsey were crowned king and queen of the festival by Mayor Zeno Martin, who, in performing the coronation ceremonies proclaimed: "Long may the festivities reign."

About 400 students and adults thronged the building to see the art gallery, freaks, spooks, and house of wonders, witness five boxing bouts, compete in the cake walk, enjoy refreshments and cast their votes for king and queen.

In the boxing events, L. D. Davis and Ernest Poole battled to a draw, as did Von Ray Harris and Zeb Wall. Theodore Baker won a technical knockout over Allen Rhinehart and Bob Gibson scored a similar victory over Herman Moore. Hugh Miller was awarded the referee's decision in his clash with Roy Hendley. Each bout was scheduled for three two-minute rounds.

The festival was sponsored by the students under the direction of Miss Alice Moretz, senior advisor.

The first railway bridge across the Mississippi River was the Rock Island bridge at Davenport, Iowa. It was opened in 1855.

Want Ads

Want Ads are one cent a word for each insertion, cash in advance. No ad is taken for less than 25c.

VISIT—Belk's boys' department for school needs.

FOR RENT OR SALE—Five-room house at 630 Fleming Ave. See D. E. Trinks, Lake Tahoma Road. 2tp

FOR SALE—Large coal heater in good condition, 1/2 price. Ed Taylor, 234 Park Av. or at Progress office.

FOR SALE—One Hereford bull, three springing heifers and 500 bushels of corn in the shuck. B. F. Pollard, Marion, N. C. 1tp

FOR SALE—Majestic Range in good condition. For information apply to Progress office.

WANTED—Dogwood. For information write or see Blackwell Bros., Old Flour Mill, Meeting Street, Morganton, N. C. 4tp

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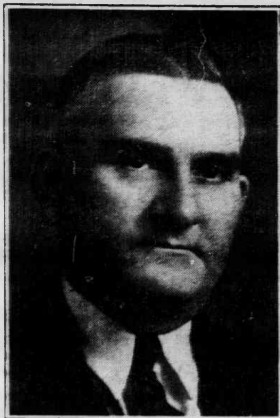
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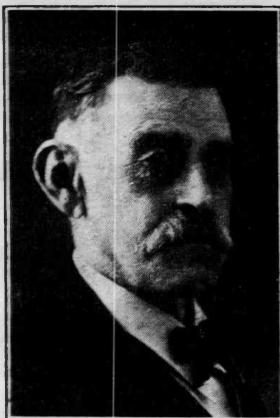


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NEGRO BEING HELD HERE ON CHARGE OF MURDER

Morris Brown, 19-year-old McDowell county negro, has confessed to the slaying of Allen Forney, 22, negro, in the Morehead Ridge section of McDowell county last Thursday night, according to Sheriff Grady Nichols. Brown is being held in the county jail here without bail on a charge of murder.

A fight between Brown and Forney was said to have started at a Halloween party in the Morehead section last Thursday night. Brown was said to have struck Forney on the head with a brick, Forney dying soon afterwards with a fractured skull.

Following the fight, police of city and county combed the Morehead section for two hours before Brown was found. He will be given a preliminary hearing in county court here November 12.

Lowrance Brown, father of Morris, died in state's prison about two months ago while serving a life sentence imposed upon his conviction of shooting a negro woman to death here seven or eight years ago.

MARION PTA MEETING IS HELD HERE MONDAY

The Marion high school Parent-Teachers' Association held its regular meeting Monday in the high school auditorium with Mrs. Homer Beaman, president, presiding.

A program under the direction of Miss Marguerite Morris was presented, the theme being centered around Book Week which will begin November 16 and last the entire week. Jean Sentelle explained the project which is being carried out this year and invited everyone to visit the exhibition in the Community building during Book Week.

Sophia Justice gave two readings illustrating the type of story telling to be done in the grammar grades by the high school girls during the week. The works of several outstanding North Carolinians in the field of literature were reviewed by Sue Martin, after which a scene from Thomas Wolfe's play, "The Return of Buck Gavin," was dramatized by Lois Watkins, Fred Harris and Junior Belcher.

The half holiday for having the largest percentage of parents present was won by Miss Sauls in the grammar grades and by Miss Morris' eighth grade in the high school. The prize awarded by Mrs. L. D. Atkins was drawn by Mrs. Ben Bradley.

The first Monday in December will be Fathers' Night for the PTA. At that time Paul O. Nafe of Marion will speak on "Citizens in the Making." Everyone is invited to attend.

COUPLE CELEBRATE GOLDEN WEDDING

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Suttle were honored with a dinner, at their home in West Marion, last Sunday, observing their 50th wedding anniversary. Approximately 100 relatives attended this dinner. Mr. and Mrs. Suttle received many beautiful gifts. The cake that centered the dinner table was decorated with the golden wedding bells and the miniature bride and groom.

Those present for dinner were: Mr. and Mrs. Roy Suttle of Cincinnati, Ohio; Mr. and Mrs. Lock Suttle and family of Gastonia; Mr. and Mrs. Pink Suttle of Asheville; Mr. and Mrs. Gus Suttle and family of Asheville; Mr. and Mrs. Sam Suttle, of Asheville; Mrs. Hugh Jett and family, of Asheville; Miss Carrie Henderson, of Asheville; Mr. and Mrs. June Hollifield of Spindale; Mrs. Jessie Setzer of Spindale; Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Suttle, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Suttle and family, Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Suttle and son, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Toney and family, Misses Minnie and Lala Suttle, Mrs. J. C. Holler and Marie Holler, James Suttle, Rev. and Mrs. Carl W. McMurray, all of Marion.

rites ARE HELD HERE FOR MRS. J. W. WINBORNE

Funeral services for Mrs. J. Wallace Winborne, wife of Associate Justice Winborne of the North Carolina Supreme Court, were held here yesterday afternoon at 2:00 o'clock at the home. Interment was in Oak Grove cemetery.

Mrs. Winborne died in Rox Hospital in Raleigh Monday following a cerebral hemorrhage with which she was stricken while alone in her apartment there.

The services were conducted by the Right Rev. Robert E. Gribbin, bishop of the Western North Carolina diocese of the Episcopal church, assisted by the Rev. David Peeples, rector of St. John's Episcopal church of Marion, and the Rev. James S. Cox, rector of the Holy Comforter church in Burlington.

Mrs. Winborne was the former Miss Charlie Mae Blanton, a daughter of the late William P. Blanton and Mrs. Minnie Neal Blanton of Marion.

Surviving her besides her husband and mother, are a daughter, Mrs. Charles M. Shaffer of Burlington; a son, J. Wallace Winborne, Jr., of Atlanta; three sisters, Miss Annie Laurie Blanton, Mrs. Robert J. Noyes and Mrs. Ralph Alexander, of Marion; and a brother, William N. Blanton, of Charlotte.

Active pallbearers were W. L. Morris, W. C. Smith, L. J. P. Cutlar, J. F. Snipes, Judge J. Will Pless, Jr., Robert W. Proctor, W. W. Neal, Jr., and S. Walker Blanton, all of Marion.

METHODIST SOCIETY ELECTS OFFICERS

The Young Women's Society of Christian Service of the First Methodist church met at the home of Mrs. Fred Streetman last Monday evening to elect officers for the coming year.

The scripture lesson was read by Mrs. Clyde Cannon and Mrs. Eugene Cross, Jr., made a very interesting talk on, "Sharing the Gospel With Others."

The business session began with the election of the following officers: Miss Nelle Snoddy, president; Miss Elizabeth Whitten, vice-president; Miss Elizabeth Chapman, recording secretary and Miss Frances Packard, treasurer. Miss Elizabeth Copeland was appointed chairman of the membership committee.

Plans were made for the society to meet the first Monday in each month. The next meeting will be held on December 2 at the home of Miss Nelle Snoddy.

The hostess served cakes.

HOSPITAL PATIENTS

Patients in the Marion General this week are: G. F. Washburn, baby Eugene Hawkins, Mrs. Hicks Sparks, Mrs. R. S. Clay, Mrs. James Kirby, Mrs. Ted Stewart, Mrs. Robert McPeters, Mrs. John Stegge, Ginyard W. Davis, Miss Glenna Ennis, P. J. Hollifield, Mrs. Eddie Cuthbertson, Herman Moore, Mrs. H. S. Quinn, J. A. Thomas, Mrs. E. D. Ellis and Mrs. Earl Lail, of Marion; Benny Moore and James Peek of Old Fort; baby girl Hilemon of Bee-Log; Kit Elliott of Hamrick; Mrs. Homer Young of Toecane; Mrs. Norman Young and baby girl of Daybook; Mrs. Albert Kanipe of Spruce Pine; John S. Hodges of Asheville; Carl Swafford of Nealsville and John Briggs of Ewarts.

Colored patients are Mary Sue Logan, Joe Walton and Mary Jo Glass of Marion and John Beam of East Marion.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank the many friends of our uncle, Augustus Martin, for the many expressions of sympathy and the beautiful floral offerings sent at his death.

Daisy Augusta Martin
Bobby Jane Martin

MORGAN TO HEAD RED CROSS ROLL CALL HERE

E. A. Morgan of Marion has been appointed chairman of the annual roll call of the American Red Cross in McDowell county, according to an announcement made yesterday by Mayor Zeno Martin, chairman of the Marion chapter. The call will be conducted November 11 through 30.

Mr. Morgan will appoint committees and workers throughout McDowell to assist in the annual roll call. School principals in the various communities will be asked to serve during the drive for members, as will the superintendents of county and city schools.

McDowell has been given a quota of 600 members for the 1940 roll call. Workers throughout the county will make an intensive effort to reach this quota, it was said, because of the ever increasing needs for relief.

Officials of the Red Cross have expressed their appreciation for the support of American people in contributing \$20,000,000 to European relief and have expressed the hope that roll call quotas will be reached.

SCHOOLS PREPARE EXHIBITS FOR BOOK WEEK OBSERVANCE

Preparations have been under way in schools of the Marion city unit for the last week or two for Book Week which will be observed here November 13 through 19. A comprehensive exhibit, showing the literary history and points of interest on the North and South American continents, is being prepared to be shown in the Community building here during the week.

A huge map, drawn by Lynn Harris, landscape architect for the National Park Service, with the assistance of Bryan Gibson and Vernon Rader of Marion high school, has been cut out of cardboard. Different parts of the map have been distributed among schools in the city system, Boy Scouts of Marion taking one part.

All week students have been reading about the different sections and deciding what to put on their maps. Some of the items that are being made are: Mountains made from a mixture of shredded newspaper, salt, flour and water; rivers and lakes, painted or cut out of blue paper; banana plantations in Colombia; the Enca empire in Peru and Ecuador; oil fields in Venezuela; lumber camps in Oregon and Washington; alligators in Florida; wheat fields in Kansas; mounted police in Canada, and many others. These maps will be displayed in the Community building along with student notebooks, posters, drawings and bibliographies.

The displays will be judged by Will Erwin, representing the Francis Marion club, Mrs. Jack James of the Junior Woman's club, and Mayor Zeno Martin, representing the town of Marion. A ballot box will be placed at the door and each visitor will be asked to write his name and the school which invited him or her. A prize will be given to the school having the most people attending.

During Book Week high school girls will go to each elementary school and tell stories to each class. A play by Thomas Wolf entitled "The Return of Buck Gavin" will be given by students of Marion high school. The cast will include Fred Harris, Lois Watkins and Junior Belcher.

The Hudgins school is working on a model map of North Carolina which will be displayed here in the McDowell Hardware store window.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere thanks and appreciation for the kindness and sympathy shown us during the death of our beloved son and brother.

Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Hunt and Family.

M'DOWELL MEN APPLY FOR VOLUNTARY SERVICE

Choosing to go into military service of their own accord instead of waiting to be drafted, several men of McDowell county have made applications at the office of the local draft board for military service. All such applicants, if approved, will head the list of draftees from this county.

Arnold Aaron Buchanan, of Marion, Route 3, registered for service at the office on October 25 and has begun his military training. Other applicants who have appeared at the office for voluntary induction include James Beau Burnette, Earl B. Silver, Jack Lee Gibbs, Joe Bird McKinney, Bill Claude McKinney, Macky Leroy Boone, Francis Howard Ellis, Charlie Patton Chapman, William Russell Mues, Thurman Lowery, all of Marion; and Edgar George Hollifield, Marion Route 3; Arlie Junior Davis, East Marion; Melvin Good, Marion Route 3; Geo. William Johnson, Marion Route 4; Frank Calvin Loftis, Marion Route 3; Paul Vincent Lee and Earl Lloyd Fox, of Clinchfield; and Charles Emmett McFalls, Raymond Randolph Johnson, Lloyd Ellen Banks, and Ernest Edwards, of Old Fort.

ORDER OF SERVICES AT SAINT JOHN'S CHURCH

Next Sunday, the twenty-fifth Sunday after Trinity, Holy Eucharist at 8 a. m., Church School at 9:45 a. m., and Morning Prayer and sermon at 11. Father Heald will officiate at these services. At 10 a. m., over the Columbia Broadcasting System, the Most Rev. H. St. George Tucker, Primate of the Church, will deliver an address in preparation for the Every Member Canvass.

Daily Mass at 7:30 a. m. except Monday and Thursday. Thursday at 8:30. Prayer Guild with intercession and instruction on Wednesday at 7:45 p. m. Confessions before the daily Masses and by appointment.

The Netherlands Indies sent nearly 150,000 ounces of quinine to the United States this year.

ANNOUNCE HONOR ROLL FOR GLENWOOD SCHOOL

The honor roll for the Glenwood school has been announced as follows

First Grade: Eleanor Silver, Lucille Greer, Shirley Lawing, Sarah Margaret Morris Patsy Setzer, Dean Swann and James Sherlin.

Second Grade: Dean Elliott and Blayne Morris.

Third Grade: Wayne Morris, Jimmie Amick, Jimmie Haney, Jean Hogan, Arthur Nelson, Eva Lawing, Aileen Wheeler, Fay Clark, Frances Clark and Dorothy Marlowe.

Fourth Grade: May Swann, Leroy Walker, Jay Gardin, Howard Gurley, Betty Jo Sprinkle, Don Silver, Ruby Holland, Helen Thompson, Jimmy Lawing, Ann Simmons and Anne Green.

5th Grade: Margaret Silver, Willie Faye Bowman, Ruth Morgan, Lola Mae Pyatt.

Sixth Grade: J. B. Morgan, Faye Lawing, Patsy Barnes, Gurthie Morgan, Lucille Lane, Charles Norwood, Sadie Anderson, Bobby Craig, Mary Justice.

Seventh Grade: Ruby Dee Morgan, Ruth Morgan, Lorene Holland, Mae Silver, Luzeal Washburn, Harrell Rice, Anna Rose Byrd, Violet Hollifield, Ethel Walker, Helen Sherlin.

Eighth Grade: Barbara Landis, Beatrice Harris, Kathryn Hunt, Evelyn Daves, Swannie Poteat, Eloise Marlowe, Edward Reel, Bill Silver.

Ninth Grade: Perry Ward, Donald Anderson, Mammie Poteat, Virginia Hensley, Viola Smawley, Virginia Ledbetter, Ruth Jarrett, Alice Lawing, Frances McCall, Geneva Romine.

Tenth Grade: Margaret Haynes, Sarah Spratt, Kathryn Deaton, Zelma Morgan, Nokomis Crawley, Jewell Harold Thompson.

Ruby Rice, Ernestine Eplee, Mary Eleventh Grade: Paul Morgan, Lee Hollifield, Wilma Byrd.

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