



**Brady's  
BLARNEY**  
By A Brady Called J. F.

Call this the dilemma of the Smoky Mountain Cloggers, if you will, for their situation certainly falls into this category.

The young dancers, who brought fame to Macon County two years ago when appearing on the Ed Sullivan show, have a once-in-a-lifetime chance to go to Hollywood, and from there possibly on

to greater things.

Only one thing stands in their way. Money. It'll take about \$350 per child to put them on the West Coast and in the office of several movie studios and TV agents who are interested in their talent.

This is not idle chit-chat. It's fact. The young talent scout, Bob Cox, who put the Cloggers on the Sullivan show, has letters from several of his West Coast contacts, indicating an interest in the dance team for maybe a movie or one-shot appearances on TV shows like Wagon Train, Have Gun-Will Travel, and Cimarron City.

The problem is getting the Cloggers to the coast just as soon as school is out.

Not one to mince words, and yet one who has shown he knows what he's talking about and can come up with the answers, Mr. Cox says he's convinced he could "sell" the Cloggers to Hollywood if he could get them there.

Personally, I believe him, because I have as much faith in the young dancers as he has. In addition, I've got a lot of faith in Bob Cox's ability.

But, there's that Big IF staring us in the face: IF we could raise the \$350 per Clogger to get them



Miss Hall



Miss Bingham

**SCHOLARSHIP WINNERS REVEALED**

Misses Anne Hall and Mildred Bingham have been announced as the winners of scholarships offered by the Elizabeth T. Kelly chapter of Future Teachers of America. The Franklin High chapter earned the \$175 for the scholarships over the past two years. Miss Hall receives \$100 and Miss Bingham \$75. Both are members of the chapter and plan to go into teaching careers.

to the coast, the publicity that Macon County would get from their adventure would be fabulous.

IF only we could raise the money—that's the dilemma of the Smoky Mountain Cloggers.

—jpb—

Without exception, Franklin's "retired" operators thought I was taking a pot-shot at them in my recent column, in which I hailed (yea verily, rejoiced) the coming of the dial system.

Furthermore, several said that I, by innuendo, left the impression that they had not been doing a good job. Down girls! I meant nothing of the sort. I've always thought the Franklin operators were the most efficient I've encountered—and I've said so many times. Moreover, I used to enjoy those little personal conversations I held with you girls. The dial system isn't very good at this; about all I get is the busy signal!

In other words, we miss you, dear operators, all 19 of you—even if you did call me all night when the dial system came in!

And I really missed you one day last week when I got a busy signal for three solid hours trying to place a long distance call. Finally, when my dial finger was on the point of bleeding tenderness, a voice came through. My first question was "Why don't you put on more operators over there. I've been twirling this instrument for three hours."

And a sweet, patient voice answered back: "We need more circuits, sir, not more operators." Such is progress.

—jpb—

Was over at the high school one day last week to take a picture of Don Ledford and Jackie Ann Cabe, winners of the Mrs. Hattie Waldrup scholarships.

Always a quick one with a quip, Jackie Ann stepped up and suggested, "Don't take a good picture. When this geometry test I'm taking now is graded I won't even be in the running for this thing."

—jpb—

For a high school of its size, Franklin High certainly turns out some exceptionally good products. Many of them go on to college and more often than not are outstanding college students.

Take, for example, Tommy Gnuse and Norman Smith. Tommy, a Duke student, has just been awarded an R.O.T.C. award in engineering—an award made on a national level, not a local one. Norman has distinguished himself on the campus at U.N.C. in a variety of ways, from running for student body president to making Phi Beta Kappa in his junior year, a feat that warrants a couple of cheers from the gallery. I personally know both; that's why I single them out. But, the fact remains that Macon County students are always making names for themselves in all fields, which proves to me that the teachers are doing an excellent job of preparing those going on to college.

**'Big Betsy' Back Again**

Franklin's well, "Big Betsy", is back at work again after a major overhaul.

She's putting out between 80 and 90 gallons per minute, a capacity that lets her keep her title as the town's top producing well.

Plagued by "red water", the well was shut down several weeks ago and the Virginia Supply and Well Company recased the shaft. The well was cut back into the town system Tuesday morning of last week.

Prelo J. Dryman, chairman of the water committee, reports the well appears to be giving pure water once again.

**MORE GYM PARKING**

An acre and a half of new parking space has been cleared near the Franklin High gym and the school bus garage at a cost of about \$100, according to Supt. H. Bueck. The money went for bulldozing.

**PUPILS PERFORM**

The piano pupils of Mrs. Willard Bell appeared in recital May 23 at Mrs. Bell's home on Baird Cove Road. Parents of the pupils were guests.

**Legal Advertising**

**Administrator's Notice**

Having qualified as administrator of the Estate of Charles Norman Dowdle, deceased, late of Macon County, N. C., this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned on or before the 7 day of May, 1960, or this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate settlement.

This 29 day of April, 1959.  
M. L. DOWDLE, Administrator  
M7-6tc-J11

**Administratrix Notice**

Having qualified as administratrix of the Estate of Mrs. Ida C. Elliott, deceased, late of Macon County, N. C., this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned on or before the 7 day of May, 1960, or this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate settlement. This 5 day of May, 1959.

MRS. LEFFERTS HIGDON,  
Administratrix  
M7-6tp-Jn11

**IN THE SUPERIOR COURT BEFORE THE CLERK**

**NOTICE**  
NORTH CAROLINA  
MACON COUNTY  
Carl E. LEDFORD, Adopting Father, and LOUISE LEDFORD, Adopting Mother, Petitioners For the Adoption of GLENDA LEE LEDFORD  
To Doris Carrol Ledford Osborne: Take notice that a pleading seeking relief against you has been filed in the above entitled proceeding.

The nature of the relief being sought is as follows: Petitioners, Carl E. Ledford and Louise Ledford, are seeking to adopt Glenda Lee Ledford, the daughter of Doris Carrol Osborne.

and to have said Glenda Lee Ledford declared an abandoned child. You are required to make defense to such pleading not later than the 22nd day of June, 1959; and upon your failure to do so the party seeking service against you will apply to the Court for the relief sought.

This 8th day of May, 1959.  
KATE M. WRINN  
Clerk of Superior Court  
M14-4tcJJ-Jn4

**IN THE SUPERIOR COURT NOTICE OF SERVICE OF PROCESS BY PUBLICATION**

NORTH CAROLINA  
MACON COUNTY  
WARDEN RUSSELL vs. DOROTHY RUSSELL  
To Dorothy Russell: Take notice that a pleading seeking relief against you has been filed in the above entitled action.

The nature of the relief being sought is as follows: An action to obtain an absolute divorce on the grounds of two years separation.

You are required to make defense in such pleading not later than July 10, 1959.  
This 16 day of May, 1959.  
KATE M. WRINN  
Clerk of Superior Court  
Macon County, N. C.  
M21-4tc-Jn11

**Administrator's Notice**

Having qualified as administrator of the Estate of Darrell Talley, deceased, late of Macon County, N. C., this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned on or before the 21 day of May, 1960, or this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate settlement. This 29 day of April, 1959.

HIRAM TALLENT & ANNA LOIS TALLENT  
Administrators  
M21-6tp-Jn25

**EXECUTOR NOTICE**

Having qualified as executor of the Estate of Sallie Garland Ledbetter, deceased, late of Macon County, N. C., this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned on or before the 14 day of May, 1960, or this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate settlement. This 11 day of May, 1959.

G. L. HOUR  
Executor  
M21-6tcGLH-Jn25

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**48 Classed By County Draft Board**

Forty-eight men have been classed by the local Selective Service board.

By classes they are:  
1-C (enlisted): Guy M. Henson, William P. Gibson, Boyd D. Lee, Fred H. Talley, Kenneth E. Taylor, Fred A. Morgan, Fritz M. Vinson, Horace D. Owens, Ralph F. Vinson, Jr., James G. Reese, Charles E. Stamey, James M. Lequire, Willard H. Garland, Charles M. Garner, Gene A. Hogan, Daniel P. Stiles, Johnny E. Holland.

1-D (member of reserve component, or student taking military training): John C. Henderson, Fred M. Farmer.

1-C (inducted): Sherman R. Mason, R. D. Raby, Thad R. Roper, Frank H. Mason, Joseph B. Talley, Bruce B. Shuler.

4-A (registrant who has completed service, or sole surviving son): Eldon E. Bates, William V. Billingsley, Howard R. Cantrell, Furman C. Shook, Harold W. Ledford, William O. Dills.

4-D (minister): Thad R. Dowdle.

4-F (physically, mentally, or morally unfit for duty): Robert R. McMahan, Dewey R. Cunningham, Donald R. Kirkland, James A. Beasley, Joseph S. Shepherd, Gypsy J. Hampton, Luther B. Holbrooks, Thurman J. Sanders, Homer L. Beasley, Henry R. Beck, Fred L. Hurst, Roy H. Webb, Wallace M. Green, Robert H. Hicks, James M. Carpenter, Furman A. Bates.

**Cancer Drive Won't Close Until Quota Of \$1,500 Reached**

Macon's campaign for the American Cancer Society will not be closed until the quota of \$1,500 is reached, according to Mrs. Lester Conley, chapter president and drive chairman.

About \$1,300 is now on hand, she reported this week.

Recent contributions include Cartoogechaye School and community, \$73.65; Cullasaja School and community, \$30.70; Otto School and community, \$65.11; Union School and community, \$38.51; Franklin High School, \$16.25; Iotla School and community, \$20.10; and Holly Springs community, \$18.21.

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