



ANNOUNCEMENT

—FOR—

Tax Collector

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the nomination of Tax Collector for Madison County, subject to the will of the Democratic voters in the May 30, 1964 Primary Election.

If nominated and elected I will do my utmost to fill this position to the best of my ability.

I will appreciate your help on May 30.

Charlie Duck

—Political Advt.

Singing At Beech Glen To Benefit Babe Ruth Team

A singing program at Beech Glen school Friday night will benefit the Babe Ruth baseball team, it was announced this week.

Featured on the program will be the Kingmen's Quarter and the Tonemasters, both of Asheville.

The program will begin at 7:30 o'clock and the public is urged to attend.

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NEW YORK AND WASHINGTON VISITORS included the senior class of Marshall High School. Front row (L-R): Patsy Hale, Carolyn Hale, Gail Fisher, Carolyn Howell, Ronnie Buckner, Doris Henderson, Lucille Ledford, Elizabeth Ramsey, Willa Ann Plemmons, Judy Tipton, Linda Roberts, Ramona Freeman, Doris Ward, Pansy Freeman, Glenna West, Sandra Henderson, Geraldine Goforth and Rhonda Clark. Second row: Shirley Roberts, Mona Gail Gahagan, Nancy Payne, Marva Ann Hughey, Carolyn Payne, Elizabeth Payne, Mrs. Harry B. Ditmore, Mr. Robert Cook, Mr. Clyde Thompson, Miss Carol Whitt, Mr. J. C. Wallin Jr., Patsy Connor, Yvonne Wallin, Ann Tilson, Wanda Faye Edwards and Shirley Ball. Third row: Charles Davis, Eddie Henderson, Ronnie Johnson, Clarence Davis, Ralph Loving Jr., Ronnie Gladden, Mickey Tweed, Morris Green, Coy Massey, Kenneth Brown, Jackie Marler, Donald Caldwell, Bruce Buckner, Mike Ledford, Larry West and Jackie Pegg. Fourth row: Keith Buckner, Thurston Wilde, Ralph Baldwin, Luther Worley, Michael Treadway, Lloyd Wayne Slagle Jr., Jackie Ramsey, Tommy Nix, Earl Crowe, Ronnie Haynie, Ray Caldwell, Joe Lynn Metcalf and Stanley Ward.

—Cut courtesy Citizen-Times

Plastic Pays In Tomato Plant Production

Tomato plant production for early transplants requires attention and time. Farmers, who used plastic to warm the soil after seeding, had their plants come up faster and more uniform. The use of plastic on the early plants protected them from frost and the cold wind.

Farmers such as Harmon and Homer Radford, Robert Edwards and Fred Ramsey of Lower California Creek; Burgin Buckner and son of Gabriels Creek; Vance Edwards of Bull Creek; Gertha Henderson, Edd Lankford, Boyce and Carl Waldroup and others of Bluff; Hardy Plemmons, Weaver and Frank Massey and others of Baltimore Branch and a large number of other farmers of the county have demonstrated the value of plastic in producing early plants.

Hot Springs News

R. C. KIRBY, Correspondent

Mr. and Mrs. Henderson were made happy on Mother's Day by their children, all ten of them, coming to have a family reunion.

The day was spent in picnic fashion, with many cameras in evidence and in continual use. Mrs. Henderson's dinner to all the loved ones added much to the occasion.

Elsewhere in this issue will be an account of the death of Bob Dockery. This writer, who has lived just across the street from the Dockerys for many years, knew Bob as a good man and one who will be missed by many.

Rev. Harry Sellers and family

FINAL WHEAT SIGNUP MAY 22

Due to the short time originally provided for wheat producers to sign up to take part in the 1964 voluntary wheat diversion program, the USDA has extended the sign-up date through May 22, 1964, according to Emory Robinson, chairman of the Madison County ASC committee. He explained that May 15 had formerly been set as the final sign-up date but that in order to give all wheat producers ample opportunity to participate, the sign-up date had been extended one week. By signing up, a farmer will be eligible for price support, certificates, and diversion payments on his 1964 wheat crop.

Robinson said that in order to qualify for the new program benefits, a farmer must carry out certain program provisions. These provisions are: (1) staying within the 1964 acreage allotment on wheat; (2) devoting the minimum qualifying acreage for diversion to approved uses; (3) staying within all acreage allotments for the farm, and (4) staying within the wheat allotment on other farms in which the grower has an interest in wheat.

Robinson said further that any wheat farmer with questions about the effect of the program on his farm should check with his local ASCS office. The important date to remember is May 22 — a farmer must sign up by this date if he wishes to participate in the program this year.

County Is Included In Bids For Road Improvements

The State Highway Commission today announced a call for bids on projects for the May 26th highway letting. Twenty-two projects in twenty-four counties are included, involving more than 139 miles of road construction.

All bids for these projects must be received by the Highway Commission no later than 10 a. m., Tuesday, May 26.

The following project involves Madison County:

6.902 miles grading, base course, bituminous surface treatment or sand asphalt surfacing and structures on NC 212 from a point approximately 0.3 miles north of White Rock, northeasterly to a point approximately 4 miles from the Tennessee State line.

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Having filed with the County Board of Elections following many requests and assurance of many of my Democratic friends in Madison County, I hereby respectfully solicit the support of all Democrats in Madison County for renomination as Tax Collector in the Democratic Primary, May 30, 1964.

I wish to state that all past support was sincerely appreciated and all support in the future will also be appreciated very much.

If nominated and elected I will continue to serve in this capacity to the best of my ability.

Byard Ray

—Political Advt.

Early Transplanting Tomatoes Underway

Tomato transplanting got underway during the past week. Harmon and Homer Radford of Lower California Creek community got underway Tuesday, May 5, with good plants up to ten inches tall. Mr. Edd Lankford of the Bluff community has finished setting his field. Carl Waldroup of Bluff, L. B. Buckner and son of Gabriels Creek, Frank and Weaver of Baltimore Branch and others set part or all of their respective crops.

Early transplanted tomatoes produce a greater total yield, more tomatoes on the early higher priced market, and are generally easier to get to live.

Many farmers in the county will finish transplanting their tomatoes during the week of May 11.

Newly transplanted tomatoes need protection from flea beetles. One of the cheapest and best flea beetle control chemicals is DDT 50% W.P. at the rate of two pounds per 100 gallons of water sprayed over the newly set plants. Early blight treatment should start as soon as the plants straight-



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en up after transplanting. The early blight can be controlled by using two pounds of Manzate or M-22 per 100 gallons of water as a spray applied every five days.

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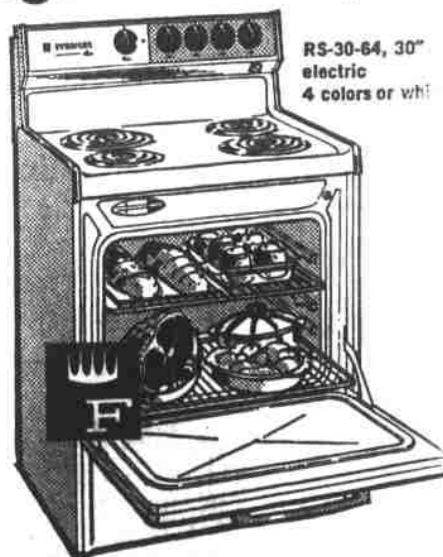
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