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Essay Winners Are Chosen

Mrs. Nina Eaton was presented the 1st place award in the Americanism essay contest sponsored by the Davie County Republican Women's Club for senior citizens. Burton Lafayette Jones of Woodleaf was judged the second place winner. Announcement of the winners was made on Tuesday night, May 30th at the covered dish supper held at the Rotary Hut at which time Bill East, City Editor of the Twin City Sentinel of Winston-Salem was the guest speaker.

Mrs. Eaton is a member of the Mocksville Golden Age Club. She received \$10 for her winning essay entitled, "What is Americanism?" Mr. Jones is a member of the Senior Citizens Club of Cooleeemee. He received an American flag.

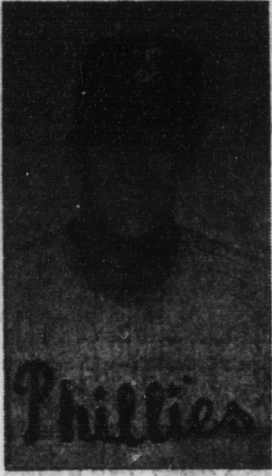
June Civic Club Meeting Held

On Tuesday evening, Mrs. George Schladensky and Mrs. J. C. Sell were hostesses to the Civic Club meeting at the former's home in Mocksville. This was the final meeting until October, 1967. The meeting was opened by the president, Mrs. Fred Pierce and the club collect was read in unison. At the close of business, the program was turned over to Mrs. Allen Snipes, Mrs. Craig Snead and Mrs. Grafton Cockrell. Mrs. Jack Pennington of Mocksville gave interesting facts and history of bottles, which is now a hobby among many people all over the country, one of them being the TV personality Jack Slatery, who has a collection of 5,000 bottles. This is an interesting and worthwhile hobby since glass is being replaced by plastic so rapidly. She brought samples of some of the rare and unusual bottles collected and the group enjoyed learning and hearing about them.

Seventeen members were present. At the close of the program, refreshments of shrimp salad, cheese bakes, sweets and coffee were served.

Mrs. Doyle Hoover is getting along nicely after undergoing major surgery at Holiday Hospital, 91 West Miller St., Orlando, Florida. She is a former Cooleeemee resident and the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Foster.

PARKER GETS LOOP HONOR AS THE BEST



JOHN PARKER

Spartanburg pitcher John Parker was informed Saturday night that he has been selected as the most outstanding player in the Western Carolina League for the month of May by a vote of league Sportswriters and league Sportscasters.

The tall righthander from Cooleeemee, North Carolina gained his eighth straight win without a loss Saturday night, 1-0 against Gastonia. The award is presented by the Topps Bubble Gum Company.

Parker had a 2-0 record with the Phillies last year before having to spend the remainder of the summer on active duty with the Army. He is unbeaten by any W. C. L. Club.

In 54 innings before Saturday night's game, he had allowed only 8 runs for an ERA of 1.33 and had notched 48 strike-outs.

Parker recorded four no-hitters in high school and was named to the ALL Star North Carolina Baseball Team his senior year when he pitched Davie County High School to the Western North Carolina Championship.

He is considered one of the most promising hurlers in the Philadelphia farm system. Philadelphia Manager Gene Mauch in fact, described him as the best-looking youngster in the minor camp this spring.

Parker will receive his award and be honored on "John Parker is Topps Night" on June 15.

Davie Hair Dressers Assoc. Meets

The Davie Hair Dressers Association met Monday evening, June 5, for a steak supper at Beattie's Restaurant in Salisbury. Following the supper, a meeting was held. Mrs. Dorothy Mason, president, presided.

Program chairman, Mrs. Dot McDaniel introduced the guest Mrs. Mary Bender, President of the N. C. Hair Dressers and Cosmetologist Association, and first vice president, Mrs. Estelle Daurity. These ladies gave an interesting program about what the NCHCA do.

The next meeting will be held August 7, at Center Community building, at 6:30 p.m. All members are urged to keep this date in mind as an interesting program is being planned.

Correction

Davie County Schools will be totally integrated this fall. The enrollment at Cooleeemee Elementary School will be a total of 809 students of which 170 or 21 per cent will be Negro.

Last week there was an error in the enrollment for Cooleeemee school by a transposition of figures.

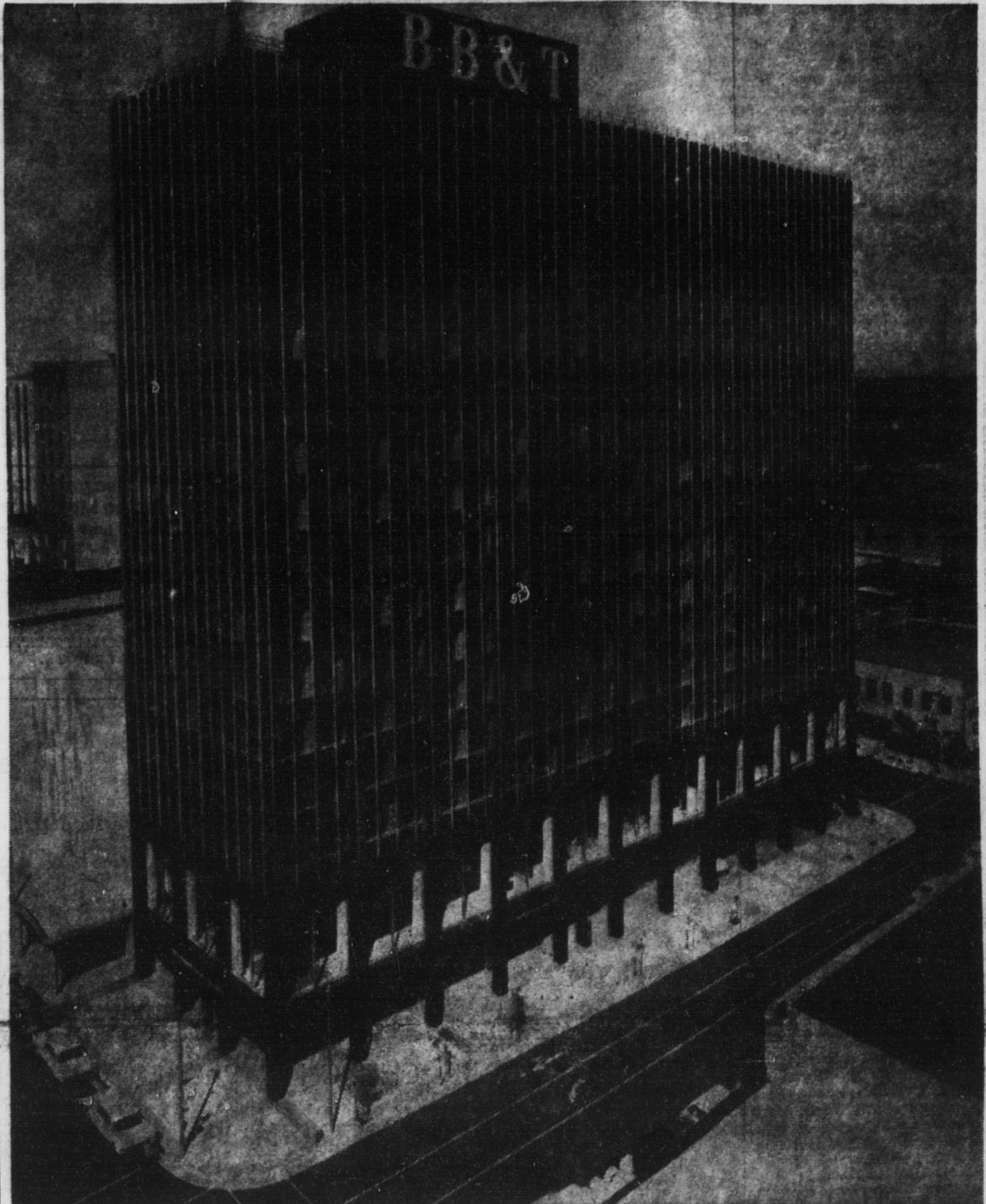
Mrs. Thomas Hendrix

MOCKSVILLE—Mrs. Blanche Allen Hendrix, 82, of North Main Street, widow of Thomas M. Hendrix, died Wednesday at Lynn Haven Nursing Home.

She was born in Davie County to Robert and Margaret Neely Allen. She was a member of Mocksville Baptist Church.

Surviving is a daughter, Mrs. Charles C. Voger of Charlotte.

The funeral will be at 11 A. M. Friday at Eaton's Chapel. Burial will be in the Jerusalem Cemetery.



The general office building of the Branch Banking and Trust Company in Raleigh. This new building is located on Fayetteville Street in front of the Hotel Sir Walter.

Miss Burchette Receives Degree From W. F.

WINSTON-SALEM—Mary Kathryn Burchette, daughter of the Rev. and Mrs. Charles P. Burchette of Cooleeemee, was graduated from Wake Forest College June 5. She was among about 500 who received degrees.

Miss Burchette was graduated magna cum laude and received the B. S. degree. She majored in mathematics. She was recently elected to Phi Beta Kappa, national honor society. She served as vice president of Kappa Mu Epsilon, honorary mathematics society, and was a member of the Orientation Committee and the Student Government Association.

BANK OF DAVIE TO MERGE WITH BRANCH BANKING & TRUST CO.

Plans to merge the Bank of Davie into Branch Banking and Trust Co. were announced Tuesday by the Boards of Directors of both banks. The consolidation is subject to approval by the stockholders of each institution and by State and Federal authorities.

Based on April figures, the combined resources of the two banks will exceed \$170,000,000. The Bank of Davie operates two banks in the town of

Mocksville. With the opening on June 15th of an office in Beaufort and a new drive-in now under construction in Kinston, the number of offices operated by Branch Banking and Trust Company will soon total 41 in 26 towns and communities.

Plans for the merger call for Knox Johnstone, president of the Bank of Davie, to serve as senior vice president and chairman of the Mocksville Directors. Other Directors are: C. A. Blackwelder, John T. Brock, T. J. Caudell, G. L. Hammer, John Johnstone, R. B. Sanford, Jr., Dr. Francis Slate and Dr. Clyde Young. Young Johnstone will be vice president and cashier of the Mocksville Office and Mrs. Tithia Hanes will continue as assistant cashier.



PVT. DONALD JACOBS

ON LEAVE -- Pvt. Donald E. Jacobs is spending a 20 day leave at home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Jacobs, in Cooleeemee. He will return to base on June 17. He is assigned to the 34th General Support Group, Viet Nam in Radio, Teletype communications.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed McDaniel and daughter, LuAnn, have returned home after spending a year living in Middleton, Tenn.



LITTLE ROBERT BARNEY

YOUNG GARDENER

Here is a young boy who has his own garden. Already he has picked two tomatoes and some onions. He has cabbage, corn, onions and a Sweet Pea Flower in his garden. He planned and worked his own small area near his uncle's larger garden. The son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Barney of 26 Main Street, Cooleeemee, he spends a lot of time with his aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Bean on Joyner Street, who are professionals in truck patches and growing vegetables. They have the finest garden in this area and little Robert, by watching them, has also learned how to grow things himself.

Mocksville Vs. Cooleeemee

The Pony League of Mocksville will play on Saturday, June 10th, with a game between Mocksville and Cooleeemee at Rich Park.

Preliminary 1967 Commissioners Census Summary

Davie County farmers reported 154,632 acres in farm tracts through the 1967 Annual State Farm Census of which 25,021 acres were used for crop production. This is approximately the same acreage as was harvested in 1965. Other changes in the land use categories were idle cropland at 20,608--down seven percent, improved pasture at 25,432 acres--up four percent and unimproved pasture increased five percent to 8,448 acres. Changes in major crops harvested were corn for grain--up three percent to 5,100 acres, corn for silage--up 20 percent to 3,916 acres, cotton--down 31 percent to 360 acres, tobacco--up five percent to 867 acres, wheat--down five percent to 1,176 acres and soybeans--up 26 percent to 1,605 acres. The livestock inventory as of January 1, 1967, showed sows and gilts for breeding at 453 head--up 28 percent, milk cows at 4,702 head--down 2 percent, beef cattle at 4,164 head--up 11 percent and hens and pullets of laying age decreased 14 percent to 15,008 birds. The number of people living on farm tracts decreased two percent to 5,890 persons.

Local Man's Father Dies

NORTH WILKESBORO—Gordon Roscoe Prevette, 78, of Mocksville, Route 4, died Friday at his home.

He was born in Wilkes County to Abram and Sarah Jarvis Prevette. He was a retired farmer and a member of Lewis Baptist Church.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Pearl Johnson Prevette; 6 sons Dewey Prevette of Cooleeemee, K. D. Loyd, Earl and James Prevette of Mocksville; three daughters, Mrs. Charlie Souther and Mrs. Margaret Brown of Mocksville; a brother, Mansfield Prevette of North Wilkesboro; and two sisters, Miss Laura Prevette of North Wilkesboro and Miss Elizabeth Prevette of Wilkesboro.

The funeral was at 3 P.M. Sunday at Lewis Baptist Church. Burial was in the church cemetery.

Accounting To Be Offered By Rowan Tech

In the interest of those people who are in business and would like to know more about accounting principles, Rowan Technical Institute will offer a short course in Accounting I to be followed in the Fall Quarter by Accounting II for those who wish to continue in depth. Accounting I is designed to teach the basic principles, techniques, and tools of accounting for understanding of the mechanics of accounting. Collecting, summarizing, analyzing, and reporting information about services and mercantile enterprises, to include practical application of the principles learned. This class will meet on Monday and Wednesday nights from 6:30 until 9:00 P. M. beginning Monday, June 12th and will cost \$15.00 plus the cost of a textbook and practice set. The class will last for a period of eleven weeks. To enroll contact Director of Summer Programs, Rowan Technical Institute, Salisbury, North Carolina and request a summer application. This application should be returned to the institute accompanied by a \$2.00 application deposit. This deposit will be credited toward the tuition cost for the course or refunded if the class is cancelled.



LINDA DURHAM, 8



KAY CHAMP, 12



CINDY CHAMP, 7

Funeral Held Tuesday For Drowned Victims

Three girls, missing overnight after they left home to go hiking, were found drowned Sunday in turbulent Dutchman's Creek in Davie County.

Funeral services for Linda Durham, age 8, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Durham of Highway 801, were held Tuesday at 2 P. M. at the Macedonia Moravian Church. Burial was in the church graveyard.

Survivors include the parents, four brothers, Roger Lee, James, Donnie and Clinton Durham of the home, two sisters, Sue Carol and Betsy Darlene Durham of the home; and her grandparents, Mrs.

Mittie Bowles of Route 2, Mocksville, and Sam C. James of Route 1, Advance.

A double funeral was held for Patricia Kay Champ, age 12, and her sister, Cynthia, age 7, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. John Camp, also of Highway 801, on Tuesday at 4 P. M. at Eaton's Funeral Chapel. Burial was in the Dutchman Creek Baptist Church cemetery.

Survivors include the parents, two brothers, John Henry, Jr., and James Calvin Champ of the home, one sister, Peggy Jean, of the home, and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Webb of Mocksville, and Mrs. Lillie Champ of Route 4, Mocksville.

Promoted To Technical Sgt.

SEMBACH, Germany, Jacob W. Douthit, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry I. Douthit of R.R. 1, Advance, North Carolina, has been promoted to technical sergeant in the U. S. Air Force.

Sergeant Douthit is a supply inventory supervisor at Sembach AB, Germany. He is a member of the U. S. Air Forces in Europe, America's overseas air arm assigned to NATO.

The sergeant attended Farmington (N. C.) High School. He served in the European Theater of Operations during World War II and is a veteran of the Korean War.

His wife, Mary, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richmond Long of 5450 Cozy Nook Lane, Eight Mile, Ala.

Reading Programs To Begin

A reading program for elementary school students in the W. R. Davie and Farmington schools will begin Monday June 12 and continue for three weeks. Mrs. Wade Dyson will conduct the reading program for students who need reading assistance on the third fourth and fifth grade reading levels.

A reading program to serve the Cooleeemee and Mocksville areas will be announced at a later date. Parents of students not already assigned to the classes scheduled above who would like special assistance in reading for their children during the summer should contact the Davie County Board of Education at 634-2623.