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A THOUGHT FOR THE DAY

And at that time shall Michael stand up, the great prince which standeth for the children of thy people and there shall be a time of trouble, such as never was since there was a nation even to that same time: everyone that shall be found written in the book. Daniel 12:1

From Pearl Harbor to V J Day our newspapers have kept you the best informed people of the world because your free press performed best informed people of the world because you free press performed the greatest reportorial job in the history of mankind.

You read not only the factual news stories but the interpretations by well known columnists, experts and editorial writers—fearless interpretations of what each new step—either military or diplomatic meant to the security of the world.

Now that it is all over, we must look ahead to our peace time world and like the symbolic torch leading us on into the future will be the freest press in the world—Our newspapers continuing to present the news to us exactly as it is happening. We may well say to our newspaper men, "Well Done!" and "Lead On!"

COMMUNITY WAR FUND

Disease, hunger and want walk in the wake of war. We can help defeat these last enemies of Peace by supporting the agencies of the National War Fund. Take over where our fighting men stopped—give generously—for our own—for our Allies—to our community War Fund.

BLACK MOUNTAIN AIRPORT

The future Black Mountain of tomorrow will be a beehive of going to and fro.

People will be flying here from all parts of the South to enjoy their summers and spend their vacations here.

Thousands of people visit Black Mountain each year and since the travel restriction have been lifted many more will come from year to year.

It is surprising, how many small planes, personally owned that are now being used.

The day is here when people no farther away than Asheville, Marion, Hendersonville and Marshall, will even come to visit relatives and friends here in Black Mountain and people here will make short flights and visits and business to various places.

You will see the business man that lives 350 to 500 miles away; will come here to spend the summer possibly own his Summer home here, and make week end trips back and forth.

The manufacturers of the Small planes of today are taking advantage of the surplus money that is in circulation at the present time, and are charging enormous prices for planes where before the war were selling the same plane for \$1000.00 less than they are getting now.

These planes will be no more expensive than a medium priced car in the near future. They will be durable, beautiful and most of all practical.

How many people in Black Mountain can remember when the first sedan came out, with glass doors; what was the many remarks made about its safety.

We said, "you couldn't get me to ride in one of those," what if it were to "blow up". That glass would cut your head off. Many people today feel the same about an airplane, "What if you were to run out of gas?" Its a long way to the ground," they're dangerous. These are the things that the older generation think and believe, the younger generation have flown planes, have studied them and contributed many new ideas that manufacturers have adopted.

The City of Black Mountain will grow rapidly in the next few years, new homes, business buildings, industry of all kinds will spring up here in the very near future.

A few good level headed people of our town can speak the word and put action into their ideas and make our city one of the finest little cities in the state, we have the facilities, we have good people, we have the foundation to build it on, it is firm, tried and true. Each business man in the town can reap the benefit of more business where it is built upon so solid a foundation. Lets look forward to a better city, a more beautiful city of beautiful homes, well laid out, and enjoy the fellowship of each other as friends and neighbors.

ENJOY GOOD HEALTH THIS WINTER

To help keep form having so many colds:  
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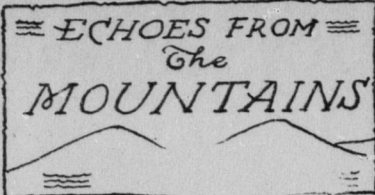
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H. Grady Hardin

One reason why life is difficult for us and for our nation is that we are not good enough to live in peace with all men, nor bad enough to kill all our enemies. Such a "half-way" position is impossible to maintain. There are those who would recommend getting so "tough" that we could live in a savage world the acknowledged masters. That is hardly possible for we would be so completely outnumbered that we would be destroyed by our own brute forces. It seems that the only choice from a practical as well as normal standpoint is to become better. In a recent book by C. S. Lewis called Beyond Personality he puts the same truth this way: "It may be hard for an egg to turn into a bird; it would be a jolly sight harder for it to learn to fly while remaining an egg. We're all like eggs at present. And you can't go on indefinitely being just an ordinary, decent egg. We must be hatched or go bad."

So the choice is before us as individuals and as a nation: either we improve enough in our moral fibre and our actions to live with all men, or we will be destroyed! We can become "new creatures" in Jesus Christ or we rot in the hell of our own folly.

DEAR MR. EDITOR:

I write this in memory of a precious jewel that has gone to heaven, David Norman Wilson, five month old son of Mr. and Mrs. James N. Wilson of Swannanoa, died in an Asheville hospital Friday morning at 1:00 o'clock.

Mr. Wilson is the assistant supt. of Christian Creek Baptist Church. Mrs. Wilson is a teacher. We want to encourage both of you to go on living Christ in your home.

James Norman came to Sunday school four or five times. When he was 3 weeks old, he was in Sunday school. His mother was saving all of his Sunday school cards so he could in later years look back and see what he had received at church.

The funeral was held October 6, at Christian Creek Baptist Church. The house was full and people stood up. Rev. Troy Luford officiated. The flowers were beautiful.

The pallbearers were: Vestal Stuckland, James Allen, Joe White and Clarence Suttles. The flower-girls were Edith Robinson, Ruby Adkins, Kate Whiteside, Jetta Edwards, Lucille Allen, Betty Allen, Martha Gibson and Verda Gibson. The family were broken up over the tragedy. But the Lord never makes mistakes, He knows best.

The burial was in the Pine cemetery.

BRIGHT CHRISTMAS IS FORECAST

A bright Christmas is forecast by electrical manufacturers, who will have florescent tree lights ready by Yuletide. The new lights in several colors, "bur cool" and should lengthen the life of the tree. A string can be added to incandescent tree blubs without auxiliary equipment.

BLACK MOUNTAIN P. T. A.

The P. T. A. meeting of Black Mountain will be held Oct. 18 at Black Mountain Grammar School. The rooms will be open for inspection. There is to be a special program.

The school put on a contest to see which room could get the largest per centage of membership.

Miss Lula Mae Lindseys' sixth grade boys and girls won. The boys and girls will be taken on a picnic.

The membership now is the largest in the history of Black Mountain. They raised \$250.00.

ALLRED SELLS INTEREST IN STORE

Mr. Allred of the Allred's Merchandise Co. of Black Mountain has sold an interest in his store.

The Store will continue to go under the same name and carry on in the same efficient manner as usual.

Mr. N. R. Crawford of Asheville is the new partner. He has served as County agent for the State for the past three years at Sylva, N. C.

Mrs. Crawford has served as County nurse for the past three years. We welcome you to Black Mountain, Mr. and Mrs. Crawford.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Davis and son visited Mrs. S. B. McMahan of Black Mountain. Sgt. Davis has just returned from overseas where he has been for the past year training for secret service.

The Davis family returned to Spartanburg unexpectedly of the illness of Mr. Davis. They were here for a week's vacation.

Later in the day more company called on the McMahan home, they were Mr. and Mrs. Robert Franklin and family from Montreat, Lee Hutchins and family visited later in the day.

We have a new band which is getting on it way. Our leader is Mr. Freemond who is head of the Black Mountain Orphanage.

It seems as if every one is wanting to beat the drum, but they have just about got that straight now.

We hope by the end of the year we will have a good band so we can play at our ball games.

By Marian Morgan

Rev. Tucker, a blind man preached at Berea Baptist Church last night. He was just visiting our church and was brought out there by Rev. Smith, our pastor. Rev. Tucker read from his raised Bible, played some soft of a musical (small like a harp) instrument and sang. Everyone was very much inspired by his efforts he is putting forth to do what he can for God.

Buster Brown, son of Mrs. Brown our English teacher, has just returned from the European Theater of war and came home yesterday from Fort Bragg. He returned today to get his discharge.

Sgt. George K. Morgan, son of Mr. and Mrs. G. K. Morgan, has finally reached Fort Bragg after serving around 41 months overseas. His parents are expecting him to come in home anytime. He is from Swannanoa and was employed b Beacons Mfc. Co., before entering the service in June, 1941.

Wilmot, an infidel, died in 1680. He laid his emaciated hand on the Bible, and exclaimed solemnly and with energy, "The only objection to this book is—a bad life."

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Black Mtn. — Swannanoa BATTLE TO TIE

The Dark horses of Black Mountain High School and the Warriors of Swannanoa High School both undefeated teams battled to a 6-6 tie on the Swannanoa field, Friday, October 5.

The game was played on wet field that held the offensive efforts of both teams somewhat in check.

Neither team made a serious threat until near the end of the third quarter when Swannanoa capitalized on some good running and passing to unleash a touchdown threat. Rainwater dashed around end for what was apparently a score only to have it called back for stepping out of bounds. Swannanoa, however, was not to be denied. When the ends of the field were changed at the beginning of the fourth quarter, Swannanoa scored on a dash by Rainwater. This score seemed to shake some life into the previously lethargic Black Mountain team that promptly marched 60 yards to tie the score. This march was featured by the line plunging of Reese, and the end runs of Wing and Turner. Swannanoa put on a determined goal line stand, but Willis finally ploughed through the line for the score. Swannanoa's attempt for the extra point was a place kick that fell short, while Black Mountain fumbled on an attempted plunge for the point.

Black Mtn. Swannanoa  
Brown .....LE..... Ballard  
Miller .....LT..... Creasman  
Padgett .....LG..... Dunlap  
Brittain (C) ...C..... McClure  
Pence .....RG..... Carroll  
Bryson .....RT..... Robinson  
Zzell .....RE..... Burgess  
Wing .....QB..... Sides  
Willis .....LH..... Rainwater  
Turner .....RH..... Straehla  
Reese .....FB..... Bailey  
Touchdowns; Swannanoa: Rainwater  
Black Mountain: Willis  
Officials: Referee; Paylor  
Hansen; Headlinesman, Northey.

Wilma Reed

Earl Fuller of Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Fuller arrived home last night from Oak Ridge Tenn., where he has been worked in the plant of the atomic bomb. He has been in the army five years and overseas four years. He has spent only one month at home in seven years. He now has a discharge and is going to work at Oteen.

Earl lives in the Riceville section of Swannanoa.

Services At St. James' Episcopal Church

Rev. James B. Sill  
SUNDAY, OCTOBER 14  
10:15 a m — Church School  
11:15 a m — Morning Prayer;  
Mr. Charles Sanborn  
SUNDAY, OCTOBER 21  
10:15 a m — Church School  
11:15 a m — Holy Eucharist;  
Rev. James B. Sill  
SUNDAY, OCTOBER 28  
10:15 a m — Holy Eucharist  
11:15 a m — Church School  
Morning Prayer: 11:15 a m

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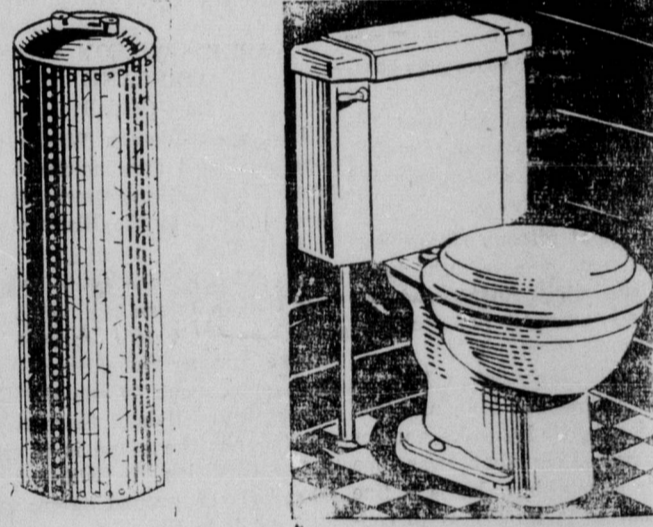
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