

Views And Reviews

By Jean Bond McCamy

Carl Sandburg's death made me feel as if I'd lost a friend, even though I only met him once, about ten years ago.

I was flying from Greensboro to Asheville with my college roommate, and our plane was grounded in Charlotte. A handful of disgruntled passengers stood around the ticket counter wondering what to do next. One of the passengers, an old man with a shock of snow-

white hair and a silk scarf draped around his neck, looked rather lonely and lost. We went over, introduced ourselves, and asked if he were going to Asheville, too. He seemed amused and delighted, and told us his home was in Flat Rock. Then, of course, we knew who he was and why his face was familiar.

The airline arranged for a limousine to drive us to Asheville. There were six passengers: Mr. Sandburg, a middle-aged woman clutching a purse, umbrella, shopping bag, and other assorted paraphernalia; a salesman sporting a thin mustache and a shiny blue suit; another college girl, my roommate, and myself. The four hour trip seemed like minutes, with the famous poet entertaining us all with his delightful yarns and quick wit. We even sang for awhile. Mr. Sandburg's favorite song was "Sweet Violets", and he led his off-key minstrels through several rollicking choruses.

When we stopped for lunch in Forest City, he introduced the three students as a trio of singers, and an article in the local paper next day said, "He was traveling with a group, some of whom were singers from Flat Rock." Fortunately, the reporter did not include the outlandish names he had given us.

It was a thrilling experience, and I'll always remember Carl Sandburg, not only as a great poet, but as one of the warmest, wittiest, and most delightful men I've ever met.

The fact that silence is golden may explain why there's so little of it.

Child Care Nursery Open Under New Management

Shady Lawn Nursery is now under new management of Mrs. Maxine King. Located on South Main Street, next to the Wake Forest Elementary School, the nursery cares for children of all ages.

Mrs. King has been associated with Shady Lawn and with her own nursery for the past three years. The nursery specializes in personal attention for all the children. They can also arrange after school care.

Mrs. King and her husband, Millard, have four children of their own, and live on Rt. 3, Zebulon. Millard Jr. is graduate of the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill; Kelly will be a sophomore at East Carolina University; Chris is 11 and Danita is 10.

Pony League and Little League Mothers, Phil Sturchio, David Shearon, and the town of Wake Forest.

If any name has been omitted please contact Shorty Lee.

Building Contributions Almost Reach Total Cost

Local firms, clubs and individuals have contributed a total of \$2207.43 toward the expense of the new restroom-concession stand building at the Wake Forest Elementary School ball field.

The building is for use during the summer recreation program and the restroom facilities will be open during school months except during cold weather.

The well-constructed cinder block building had an actual cost of \$2282.23, but some labor and materials were donated and the paint and painting was provided by the Wake County Schools.

The project was begun and carried out by Ira D. "Shorty" Lee and C. E. Matthews.

Those who contributed money, materials or labor to the restroom facilities at the Recreation Field include Dr. W. R. Spencer, Keith's Super Market, James Bartholomew, Lee Jones, John Lyon, Mrs. Donald Gulley, Henry Richardson, Mrs. T. E. Holding Jr., Central Carolina Bank and Trust Co., Athey Products Corp., Wake Finishing-Burlington Industries, Inc., Henry Miller, Chappell Motors Inc., Carl MacMillan, R. W. Wilkinson III, Sam Sidenberg, Dr. James E. Tull, S & W Chevrolet, Young Construction Co., Dr. George C. Mackie.

Also, R. H. Forrest, Mr. and Mrs. William R. Shearon, John Wooten, Dr. Nash Underwood, Willis Funeral Service, Robert Neeb, Robert E. Olsen, Mrs. Marie Joyner, Burns Robbins, Ray Faircloth, Robert McCamy, Jake Hartsfield, Schrader Recreation Committee, Edward's Pharmacy, Cameron Lee, Dr. C. T. Wilkinson, C. P. William Fisher, Aubrey Woodlief, Mrs. Wallace Loper, Mrs. R. N. Isbell, Rev. E. E. Powers, Rev. and Mrs. Felton Cox, Dr. J. Carroll Trotter, Ellis Nassif, Ted Jones, Harvey Holding, Russell Dew, Harold Swett, Henry Swett, Jane Swett, Evans Lumber Co., Bill Easley, Athey Ball Players, The Wake Weekly, Rotary Club, Civilian Club, Wake Forest Ready Mix Concrete Co., George Macon.

Carolina Footprints

Poole's Woods
By Carolyn Ritchie

Mr. William R. Poole, a prominent Wake County citizen, once owned a 1600-acre tract of land about five miles east of Raleigh. Most of the land was covered with dense woods. A lover of nature, Mr. Poole rode a handsome white horse through his forest, personally supervising the care of the trees.

In the last terrible days of the Civil War, as Yankee troops moved through the South, destroying or taking almost anything of value, a group of blue-coated soldiers appeared one day at Mr. Poole's home. The visitors had heard that gold was buried on his property.

Mr. Poole sat calmly on his porch as his uninvited guests demanded to know the location of his gold. When he refused to discuss the subject with them, they mounted him on a fence rail and rode him down the path to his corn-mill. Mr. Poole watched as his mill went up in flames but still refused to talk. Finally, the soldiers began a random search of the woods.

The searchers found no gold.

However, Mr. Poole's favorite white horse had been tethered in a clearing of one of the deepest areas of the forest. Hearing the Yankee horses, he whinnied and disclosed his hiding place. Mr. Poole watched sadly as his beloved white horse was ridden away by a stranger in a blue coat.

Mr. Pole died in 1889 at the age of ninety-three. For many years after his death, due to certain provisions of his will, a large section of the forest which surrounded his grave remained untouched by axe or saw. Meanwhile tales grew as tall as the trees. Many of those who ventured near the area came away to tell of a ghostly white horse and rider who moved through the dark recesses of the woodland.

Foresters eventually moved into Poole's Woods, gradually chopping away most of the ancient trees and scattering the woodland creatures. The land has been sold and resold, divided and redivided. Streets and houses and power lines cover the area. About all that remains to remind one of the past are Mr. Poole's tombstone and the stories.



Hold It Boys, While We Get Your Picture



O.K., We've Got It!

What appears to be a fast sequence of pictures is a little camera trickery (hit upon by accident). When these boys (l to r) Bobby Parker, Andy Hartsfield, and Ricky Parker readily agreed to dive together for this photograph, the picture was snapped late (bottom picture). The top shot was then made actually afterwards when the boys dived again. Fools you at first glance, eh?

—(Photo by Bob Allen)

Miss Dickerson, Sgt. James Caudle Wed in Franklinton

Miss Cynthia Dickerson was married to Sgt. James A. Caudle, July 15, in the Franklinton Baptist Church at Franklinton. The Rev. Lloyd Jackson performed the ceremony.

The bride is the daughter of

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Dickerson and the bridegroom is the son of Mrs. Mary Belle Edwards all of Franklinton.

Mrs. Caudle will be at home with her parents while her husband is stationed at Camp Lejeune, N. C.

About the time you learn to make the most of life, the most of it is gone.

LEGAL NOTICE

ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING \$500,000 WATER BONDS

Be it ordained by the board of commissioners of the town of Wake Forest:

Section 1. That, pursuant to the Municipal Finance Act, 1921, as amended, the town of Wake Forest, North Carolina, is hereby authorized to contract a debt, in addition to any and all other debt which said town may now or hereafter have power of authority to contract, and in evidence thereof to issue water bonds in an aggregate principal amount not exceeding \$500,000 for the purpose of providing funds, with any other available funds, for enlarging and extending the waterworks system of said town, including the construction and enlargement of water storage, treatment and distribution facilities; and the acquisition of necessary land rights of way.

Section 2. That a tax sufficient to pay the principal of and the interest on said bonds shall be annually levied and collected.

Section 3. That a statement of the debt of the town has been filed with the clerk and is open to public inspection.

Section 4. That this ordinance shall take effect when approved by the voters of the town at an election as provided in said act.

The foregoing ordinance was passed on the 4th day of May 1967, and was first published on the 3rd day of August, 1967.

Any action or proceeding questioning the validity of said ordinance must be commenced within thirty days after its first publication.

Anna C. Holden,
Town Clerk and Treasurer
A. 3, 10

ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING \$100,000 ELECTRIC LIGHT BONDS

Be it ordained by the board of commissioners of the town of Wake Forest:

Section 1. That, pursuant to the Municipal Finance Act, 1921, as amended, the town of Wake Forest, North Carolina, is hereby authorized to contract a debt, in addition to any and all other debt which said town may now or hereafter have power or authority to contract, and in evidence thereof to issue electric light bonds in an aggregate principal amount not exceeding \$100,000 for the purpose of providing funds, with any other available funds, for enlarging and improving the electric light system of said town within and without the corporate limits of said town.

Section 2. That a tax sufficient to pay the principal of and the interest on said bonds shall be annually levied and collected.

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ROOSEVELT AVENUE

al Services Saturday for Kate Green

the Bell Green 77 of Route 1111 died Friday at the West Branch Hospital in Forest following several days illness. A native and life resident of Franklin County, she was the late William Green and Eugenia Manning. She was a member of the Baptist Church. Survivors include her sister, Mrs. Matach, of Palatka, Fla.; nieces and nephews.

Funeral services were conducted at 3:00 o'clock from the Funeral Chapel in Wake Forest by the Rev. L. Jervais, pastor officiating. Burial was in the Green Family Cemetery at the home in Franklin County.

Funeral bearers were Clarence B. P. Holden, Billy Gordon Young, M. L. Jones and Davis.

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OBITUARIES

Funeral services for (Pete) Willis were held at the Union Methodist Church by the Rev. George Johnson. Bill Newman officiated.

Funeral services for Mrs. B. House were conducted at 4 o'clock from the Methodist Church with the pastor, Gerald Fountain officiating. Burial followed in the Green Family Cemetery.

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