

# Health Posters Made At Local High School

The eighth grade boys under Mr. Ed Barrett recently participated in a poster contest which arose from a unit on health habits and practices.

Miss Mabel Brister, librarian, and Dr. J. K. Shaffer, assistant principal, judged two posters as being tied for first place. Working on the winning posters were Richard Hunt, Billy Collins, Edward Harmon, Harold Hayes, Joe Johnson, Boyd Barlow, Bobby Brendell, Earl Brookshire, James Burris and Luther Brown. These boys were guests of the Appalachian Theatre for their winning entries.

### Senior Boys

The senior boys are currently studying a unit on laws relating to marriage.

Lawyer J. E. Holshouser is to speak to this class this week on some laws relating to family life. Mr. Holshouser's talk should be extremely interesting and the boys are looking forward with much anticipation to this address.

### Intramurals

The boys of Mr. Sides and Mr. Tripp's homeroom are currently leading in the volleyball tournament and by virtue of their winning the winner's bracket in the tournament have earned the right to play the winner of the loser's bracket in the finals of the volleyball tournament.

Wade Lewis has shown sterling form in the ping pong tournament and at present is leading all entries in the activity.

### Varsity Baseball

Some 35 candidates reported to Coaches Nolan and Hooks for practice last Thursday in the local high school diamond.

A 10 game schedule has been arranged for the local diamond aggregation and all prospects point to a fairly successful season.

Those boys reporting for practice on Thursday were: Milton Barden, Harris Greene, Jimmy Idol, Robert Dotson, Conley Harrison, Vance Northern, John Jackson, Bob Gilley, Kenneth Wilcox, Howard Hayes, Harold Ragan, John Norris, Jack Hollars, Conrad Barlow, Jimmie Flick, Bill Brown, Dan Miller, Kyle Hodges, Dean Critcher, Buddy McGuire, Alton Blue, Jim Brown, Bill Talbert, Tony Winkler, Ed Kerley, Ken Miller, Gene Reed, Randy Maddux, Kenneth Jackson, Austin Moretz, Roy Miller, Odie Wellborn, Jason Cook, Gaither Barlow, Gene Honeycutt, Bobby Beach, Charles Bolick, and J. E. Cullers.

### Journalism

The Junior English classes have completed a unit on journalism which consisted of a study of different types of articles from the newspapers such as news stories, feature stories, news features, editorials, sport stories, and the like. Students discussed these types, wrote original articles, and gave special reports.

A study was made of the lives and writings of some of the major journalists who have achieved literary distinction.

Some of the special reports were: "Journalistic Personalities," "Journalism as a Career," "The History of the Newspaper," and "The Reporter," and definitions of the various types of articles studied.

Posters were made on the subject.

Jane Rivers gave a special report displaying old newspapers, kinds of type, and mats.

Others giving reports were Connie Casey, Pat Aldridge, Helen Hardin, Patsy McGuire, Jimmy Cline, Yvonne Bodenheimer, Mack Wellborn, Evelyn Hayes, Mildred Jones, Nancy Jane Norris, Bob Ray, Jimmy Idol, Jimmy Graham, Gene Honeycutt, Armfield Coffey, Clara Teague, Dick Lavender, Clara Carleton, Norma Jean Greer, Corinna Shull, Jo Ann Wellborn, Phyllis Johnson, Della Shull, Mary Lee Edmisten, Chares Winkler, and Bill Jones.

As a culmination of the study, classes took a trip to the Democrat office to observe how a newspaper is published. Reading And North Carolina History

Mr. Robert Jenkins, the reading teacher for the eighth grade has been called to active duty with the Marine Corps. The class was very sorry to see Mr. Jenkins leave, and wish him the best of luck in his new position. The reading classes will be under the direction of Mr. Harold Gentry and Mr. Melvin Griffith for the remainder of the year.

The North Carolina history classes plan to do a unit on Watauga County before long. They are now studying the development of the new state. Home Living Classes  
Everyone is busy in the 8th

grade Home Living classes during the 5th and 6th periods. The girls started a unit on clothing by studying color. This study included making a color wheel using tempera paints to make primary and secondary colors. Several of the girls were surprised to know that all colors were made from red, yellow and blue combinations. Kate Greene made the neatest color wheel of the group.

Each girl selected a picture from a magazine of a person having the same coloring as theirs. They found six colors that would be especially nice for them. From these they selected colors for skirts. Their choice of color was also influenced by other clothes, especially blouses in their wardrobe, and colors that are most popular this spring.

After a study of figure types patterns were selected. Full skirts were in high favor, however, some straight patterns were selected.

## Rites Held For Mrs. S. A. Choate

Funeral services for Mrs. S. A. Choate, 90, were held at the home of Dr. B. O. Choate on Monday, March 17, at 2:30 p. m. with Rev. C. B. Kilby, Rev. Edd Douglas, and Rev. Archie Ellis officiating.

Mrs. Choate died at the Alleghany Memorial Hospital on March 16, where she had been a patient since April 1951.

She is survived by six sons: Dr. B. O. Choate, Dr. P. L. Choate, and Vance Choate all of Sparta; Dr. Glenn Choate, Dr. J. Walter Choate, and Dr. E. Carr Choate, all of Salisbury; two daughters, Mrs. Russell W. Whitener, Newton, and Mrs. J. D. Whitener, Boone. Twenty-three grandchildren and twenty-three great grandchildren.

## KING STREET

(Continued from page one.) are glad to say, are still going strong and keeping in stride with the younger men of the profession... Dr. Frank Greer, Dr. H. B. Perry and Dr. J. B. Hagaman, Sr. . . all of whom did a lot of practicing when the roads were rough, the weather cold, and the patients broke . . . They have kept up with the times, and in saluting all of our fine physicians, we make our best manners to these three who labored so long and unselfishly for the people when the going was tough, and who are still taking care of their patients in the light of modern medical discoveries . . . painstakingly, scientifically, and often without the element of monetary reward.

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## Lucas To Get Rotary Post

John Paul Lucas, Jr., head of the public relations department of Duke Power Company at Charlotte, has been selected as governor of the 280th District of Rotary International as its nominee for district governor, President L. E. Tuckwiler was advised this week by Rev. Malcolm R. Williamson, of Waynesville, present district governor.

The formal election of Mr. Lucas will occur at the annual convention of Rotary International in Mexico City May 25-29, in form of ratification by the board of directors of the choice of this

**NOTICE IN THE SUPERIOR COURT STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA COUNTY OF WATAUGA**  
F & F Finance Company, Inc., Plaintiff.

vs  
Glen F. Dale, Individually, and Glen F. Dale, as Dale Kaiser-Frazier Motor Company, Defendant  
**GLEN F. DALE INDIVIDUALLY, AND GLEN F. DALE, as DALE KAISER-FRAZER MOTOR COMPANY,** the defendant above named, will take notice that an action entitled as above has been commenced in the Superior Court of Watauga County in which the plaintiff claims the sum of Three Thousand One Hundred Ninety Two and 57/100 Dollars (\$3,192.57), based upon breach of contract.

Said defendant will also take notice that he is required to appear at the office of the undersigned Clerk of the Superior Court of Watauga County on the 11th day of May 1952 and answer, demur or otherwise plead to the Complaint, or the plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief therein demanded.

Said defendant will further take notice that in said action a warrant of attachment against the property of said defendant has been issued and the following property attached:

One 1951 model Henry J. automobile—K514-02290  
One 1942 Ford 1 1/2 Ton Truck—18-6705270  
One lot office furniture  
One lot automobile repair and replacement parts  
One account receivable by Glen F. Dale in the amount of \$60.00

That said warrant of attachment is returnable before the undersigned Clerk of Superior Court in his office in said County on the 27th day of March, 1952.

This 24th day of March 1952.  
FRED M. GRAGG,  
Clerk of Superior Court of Watauga County

**EXECUTORS NOTICE**  
Having qualified as executor of the estate of Lou Dugger, late of Watauga County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against her estate to file with the undersigned executor, at Elk Park, North Carolina, duly itemized and verified, on or before the 18th day of March, 1953, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to the said estate will please make an immediate settlement.  
This 18th day of March, 1952.  
Hal Dugger, Executor,  
Estate of Lou Dugger, Deceased

district. Governor-elect Lucas will attend the International Assembly at Lake Placid, New York, which will precede the Mexico City Convention.

Mr. Tuckwiler also announced the appointment of Dr. Ray Lawrence, Boone optometrist, as On-To-Shelby chairman for the conference.

Composed of 35 clubs and a combined membership of 1722, the 280th district includes the

**NOTICE OF SERVICE OF SUMMONS BY PUBLICATION IN THE SUPERIOR COURT STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA COUNTY OF WATAUGA PAULINE COMER VS. NEWTON CROMER**

The defendant, Newton Cromer, will take notice that an action entitled as above has been commenced in the Superior Court of Watauga County, North Carolina, for the purpose of the plaintiff obtaining an absolute divorce from the said defendant on the grounds of two years separation and the said defendant will further take notice that he is required to appear at the Office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of Watauga County in the courthouse in Boone, North Carolina, within twenty days from the 25th day of April, 1952, and answer or demur to the complaint of the plaintiff in said action or the plaintiff will apply to the said court for the relief demanded in said complaint.

This 24th day of March, 1952.  
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Clerk Superior Court of Watauga County

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