

UPPER COUNTY NEWS

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"Family Of The Year" Will Be Selected By The Eastatoe Club

Rosman Personals

Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Burton, Jr. and son Tommy returned Friday to San Clemente, Calif., after spending two weeks with Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Burton, Sr., and Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Berkshire, parents of Mrs. Burton, Jr.

James W. Mintz, Jr., an instructor in the Navy at Oceana Beach, Va., and Mrs. Mintz and children spent last week with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Mintz, Sr. Another son of the Mintzes, Gilbert O., of Knoxville, Tenn., spent the weekend here.

Pvt. John Berkshire returned Friday to Ft. Polk, La., after spending the holidays here with his wife and parents, Mr. and Mrs. Norris Berkshire. Mrs. John Berkshire will reside with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Allen McKinney until her husband completes 35 more days of training.

Mrs. John Reardon returned Saturday to her home in La Grande, Ore., after spending two weeks with her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Hal Cartwright and her father, Zack Cartwright.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Gillespie and sons Gary and Phil returned home Sunday night after spending several days with Mr. and Mrs. Rick Gillespie in Deland, Fla. They also visited in Key West and Miami.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Hall and son Larry have returned home from Amarillo, Texas, where they spent 10 days with Mrs. Hall's uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Christoph.

Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Stophel, of Rosman, and Bill Stophel, of Bingen, Wash., spent the week-

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March of Dimes Lends a Hand, To Silence Child's Tormentors

When Lori Nelson blew out the candles on her fourth-birthday cake recently, it seemed that every youngster her age in Rosalie, Neb., turned out for her party.

Only a few months before, the remarkably pretty child had been the butt of taunts and giggles from these same children. Lori was born with a rare birthmark—a thick, unsightly covering of hair extending from her right shoulder to mid-forearm. Instead of finding playmates among the other boys and girls, all she ever encountered were finger-pointers and name-callers.

Lori found these gibes, when scarcely out of infancy and the crib, more than any sensitive child could endure. So did her parents, Marlene and Chester Nelson, an attractive farming couple, who for almost three years searched unsuccessfully for a medical answer to the problem.

Brother Also Heartsick

Also heartsick was David, 6, Lori's brother, who more than once came home with a black eye because he fought all the heartless kids in town who poked fun at his "hairy" sister. "Chester and I were almost out of our minds with this terrible affliction," the mother explained. "Lori, a frightened and confused little girl, withdrew into a shell. The present picture was painful enough, but my husband and I looked with dread into the future when our pretty child, like any young woman, would want to go to dances and have dates and fun and, in time, a husband and family.

"No one gave us any reason for hope. Then I read someplace that the March of Dimes was planning a birth defects center in Omaha. We were waiting at the door when it opened a year and a half ago."

The center, supported by March of Dimes contributions from chapters throughout Nebraska, is at Children's Memorial Hospital and is directed by Dr. Theodore R. Pfundt, chairman of the pediatrics department of Creighton University School of Medicine. It is one of 48 such centers across the nation. Dr. Pfundt consulted with Dr.

The "family of the year" will be selected at the Family night, which will be held January 16th, at 8:00 p.m. at the Eastatoe Community center.

Awards will be presented to first, second, and third place winners.

The selection will be based on a point system, including regular participation in the club meetings and activities, community improvement, better family living, added income, and youth participation.

Elmo Crowe is president of the Eastatoe club.

Galloway - Varnadore

Mrs. Salenia Galloway Butler, of Rosman, became the bride of David O. Varnadore of Great Falls, S. C., in a ceremony January 4th, in Pickens, S. C.

The bride wore a pink suit with which she wore black accessories. Mrs. Varnadore attended school in Rosman and the bridegroom attended school in Rossville, S. C.

Mrs. Varnadore is employed by the Dickson Construction Co., of Monroe.

Mrs. Varnadore is owner and operator of the Southern Grill

end visiting relatives in Elizabethton, Tenn.

Miss Elizabeth White is spending this week in Statesville with her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Hall.

Bill Tinsley of the U.S. Army and Mrs. Tinsley and son of Columbia, S. C., were guests Monday night of Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Collins.

Mrs. Arthur Dishman returned home Saturday from Asheville, S. C., where she spent a week with her husband who is employed there.

Mr. and Mrs. Neal Loyd and children have returned home from Jackson, Tenn., where they visited Mr. Loyd's parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Loyd.

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Ferguson,

in Rosman and her husband will assist her at the Grill for the present time.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Stanley, of Rosman, accompanied the couple to Pickens for the ceremony.

Thomas - Barton

Mr. and Mrs. O'Neal Thomas, of Lake Toxaway, have announced the marriage of their daughter, Hilda Sue, to Douglas William Barton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Barton also, of Lake Toxaway.

The ceremony was performed December 21st by the Rev. Zeno Wright, pastor of the Rosman Methodist church, at the home of the bridegroom's parents in the presence of the immediate members of the families.

The bride wore a pink suit with which she wore a corsage of white carnations and black accessories.

Mrs. Barton is a senior at Rosman high school and she will continue her education.

The bridegroom graduated from Rosman high school in 1962 and is now employed at the E. I. duPont De Nemours Co. Inc.

Following a honeymoon to South Carolina, the couple is residing in Lake Toxaway.

of Brevard, were dinner guests Sunday of Mrs. Ferguson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Glazener. Mrs. Ferguson fractured her arm Saturday in a fall on ice.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Aiken, of Brevard, were dinner guests Sunday of the former's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Moore.

Mr. and Mrs. Dock Lusk spent Saturday night as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Lusk in Six Mile, S. C.

Miss Myrtle Whitmore, who fractured her arm recently due to a fall on ice, is recuperating nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Norris Powell announce the birth of a daughter, Patricia Annette, Jan. 4 in Trans-

Brevard College Complimented By "State" Magazine, Raleigh

A recent write-up in "The State" magazine rated Brevard College as one of the fine church-related colleges in North Carolina.

In discussing the college's program, the writer stated:

"Brevard College exists for the purpose of providing a two-year academic program primarily designed and administered for the qualified student who would benefit by a guided transition from high school work into college work, enabling him to continue his studies more effectively in a four-year college."

The article pointed out that, unlike many two-year "community" colleges which offer a wide variety of courses, many of which lead to almost immediate employment, the Brevard College curriculum is basically what would be found the first two years in any good four-year college of liberal arts. It is designed to meet the transfer requirements set by four-year colleges and universities, to which at least 85% of all Brevard students transfer.

To emphasize the value of the junior college program, it was noted that four-year colleges not only admit, but welcome, transfer students. Arnold L. Goren, assistant dean of admissions for New York University was quoted as saying, "It is our opinion that the transfer student is often a better academic risk than the freshman and that he brings to the university a better understanding of what college work requires."

The author was high in his praise of the beautiful "Land of Waterfalls" and the town of Brevard in which the college is located. He felt that the scenic attractions available would make attending college in this area appeal to the aesthetic senses of students.

He further noted that, in addition to the present adequate and functional physical plant, the college's building program, part

of Brevard, were dinner guests Sunday of Mrs. Ferguson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Glazener. Mrs. Ferguson fractured her arm Saturday in a fall on ice.

S/Sgt. Arville Manley and Mrs. Manley have returned to Ft. Eustis, Va., after spending ten days with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Manley and his brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Briscoe McCall. Mr. McCall returned Sunday to resume his employment in Pound, Va. after spending two weeks with his family.

Mrs. B. C. Means and child, E. West Asheville were weekend guests of the former's mother Mrs. J. H. Conner. Other recent guests at the Conner home were Mr. and Mrs. Craig Garren, of Kingsport, Tenn., Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Conner, of Etowah, and Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Mull, of Brevard.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Gantt, of Valhalla, S. C., were Sunday guests of their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Cassell, Jr. They were accompanied home by Alan and Kenneth Cassell who spent several days with them.

Miss Helen Moss, R.N., who spent the past five months with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Moss, left Friday for Ft. Howard, Md., where she will be employed at the VA hospital. She was accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Charles Moss.

M/Sgt. Allen Sisk, Jr. and Mrs. Sisk and Mr. and Mrs. Larry Brown and children have returned to Columbia, S. C., after pending several days with the former's father, A. M. Sisk, Sr., and Mrs. Sisk.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Callahan have returned home after a visit with their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Callahan in New Carlisle, Ohio.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Dillard, of Spartanburg, S. C., were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Moore and Mr. and Mrs. Craig Snipes.

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of which has already been completed or is under way, will double the school's accommodations and offer the best of facilities.

In conclusion, Brevard College's plan for education was summed up thusly:

"Committed to Christian concepts, it is dedicated to a way of life that instills in the student... a greater desire to become a more responsible

and creative member of society... Any college, whatever its kind, does not have a right to exist unless it seeks to provide advanced education of superior worth and quality. Brevard, as a church-related college, is concerned with moral and spiritual values. And this is most important as higher education seems to become more and more secularized."

Carson's Creek To Hold Sing Saturday Night

The regular 2nd Saturday night singing will be held at the Carson's Creek Baptist Church on Saturday, January 11th, beginning at 7:30 p. m.

All singers and the public is cordially invited to attend, according to Rev. Tommy Goldsmith, pastor.

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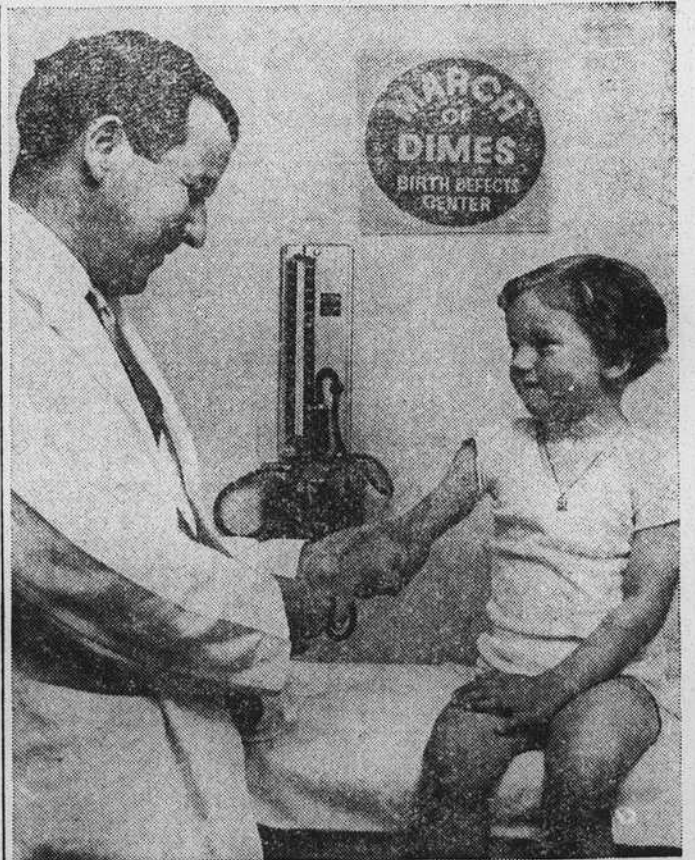
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Lori Nelson, 4, after disfiguring hairy birthmark on right arm was removed. She's visiting with her surgeon, Dr. Albert S. Black, at March of Dimes Birth Defects Center, Children's Memorial Hospital, Omaha, Neb.

Albert S. Black, a noted Omaha cosmetic surgeon, who is a "team member" of the March of Dimes-supported center and an associate professor of surgery at the University of Nebraska Medical School. He saw no reason for despair. Lori underwent four surgical procedures by Dr. Black. He removed the hairy surface of the right arm which was then replaced by grafts of skin from her right thigh.

Lori Now Carefree "Essentially what we did," Dr. Black explains, "was to excise the cause of Lori's fears and torment, and restore a whole little girl to the carefree

world of children. The arm is still rather scarred, inevitably. But later on by high-speed planing and tattooing, the arm will be normal in appearance—and by the time she is in high school Lori will have difficulty remembering which arm exhibited this perverse quirk of nature."

Mrs. Nelson was selected as the Nebraska March of Dimes Mother for 1963. She and her husband have forgotten their fears about persuading their daughter to go to kindergarten. They confide that next summer, as a reward for her pluck, Lori may be riding around the farm aboard a Shetland pony.