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Justice Offers Sound Advice To Players At Banquet Friday

Bobby Reese Honored; Wilde, Edwards Chosen As Co-Captains

By "POP" STORY

Charlie (Choo Choo) Justice, former Asheville High gridder who became an All-American at the University of North Carolina and a star halfback for the Washington Redskins, thrilled over 100 students and guests at the annual Athletic Banquet held at the High School Cafeteria last Friday night. The modest and sincere Justice spoke of many instances where football had been the chief reason for successful careers of many boys and men. He told of the early handicaps of Art Weiner, also an All-American player, and a teammate of Justice's at UNC. "It was Weiner's determination and will to win that not only made him a great football star but also a brilliant student and successful business man." Justice explained how the athletic field was the best training for a high school boy. "If [illegible] boys were on the athletic field instead of seeking recreation in pool rooms we would be much better off," he said.

He told of instances where he and Coach Glenn Painter played together when he was just beginning to see varsity action in Junior High School and at Lee Edwards Hign. Justice lauded the ability of Painter as a high school and college player and stated that if Painter had gone to a [illegible]ger university, he would probably have been an All-American, too. The All-American praised the fine records of Painter as a coach and said that Marshall was fortunate to have such a fine coaching staff.

Justice also told of his experiences as a professional player and

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60-Gallon Still Cut Down Saturday

Sheriff E. Y. Ponder stated this week that deputies cut down a 60-gallon steamer outfit on Doe Branch last Saturday. One barrel of beer was destroyed.

No arrests were made.

MARSHALL FIRM IS HIT BY A $2,500 FIRE THURSDAY

Blaze Follows Explosion Of Gasoline Fumes; Firemen Busy For 45 Minutes

A fire following an explosion of gasoline fumes caused an estimated $2,500 damage to equipment of the Chain Saw Sales and Service Co., at the edge of Marshall's business district Thursday night.

The firm's owner, Bueford Shelton, who had just entered the building, was reported uninjured.

The Marshall Volunteer Fire Department quoted Shelton as saying he struck a match to find a light switch when the flame ignited the fumes from gasoline-powered equipment.

The damage to the building itself, which the 10 firemen saved, was not estimated immediately.

The firemen brought the blaze under control in 45 minutes and prevented it from spreading to adjoining business firms in the same cluster of buildings, despite a series of explosions of gasoline tanks in the burning structure.

An adjoining cafe's window glass, [illegible] by the nearby fire, shattered [illegible] water from a fire [illegible] damage was reported.

The [illegible] of adjoining buildings [illegible] and the P. R. Elam [illegible].

The [illegible] building and adjoining [illegible] by Emmett [illegible] Marshall.

[illegible] customer's lawn [illegible] repair, was covered [illegible] of his own [illegible].

[illegible] REPORTER—

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CIVITAN PRESIDENT

DR. H. E. BOLINGER

CIVITAN CLUB ELECTS OFFICERS HERE ON TUESDAY

Dr. H. E. Bolinger Is Chosen As President; Other Officers Listed

The Marshall Civitan Club unanimously elected a slate of officers which was read by Jim Story, chairman of the nominating committee, at the regular luncheon-meeting here of Tuesday. The slate included the following officers:

President, Dr. H. E. Bolinger; vice president, Allan Duckett; secretary-treasurer, W. F. Holland; chaplain, the Rev. D. D. Gross. The board of directors is as follows: The Rev. L. Richard Mellin, chairman; John Corbett, Joe Huff, C. L. Rudisill Jr., and A. W. Coates.

The newly-elected officers will be installed at the Ladies' Night meeting which will be observed on Tuesday evening, April 24. Mr. A. J. Hutchins, of Canton, will install the officers. An Arrangements Committee for the special occasion is headed by John Corbett and Arthur Ledford.

Following a discussion on the advantages and disadvantages of belonging to Civitan International, the members overwhelmingly voted to remain status quo.

President Joe Eads, who presided, [a]lso named Frank Fisher, W. F. [H]olland and H. E. Bolinger as delegates to the Zone Meeting which will be held next Tuesday night at [7]:00 o'clock at the Mars Hill Community Building.

Mr. A. J. Hutchins, of Canton, was recognized and spoke briefly on the accomplishments of the Canton Civitan Club and commended the Marshall club for its stand in defense of Civitan International.

The club also voted to list its meeting dates on the Lions Calendars for the ensuing year.

Following the business, Farm Agent Harry Silver showed an interesting and informative film, entitled "Waters of Coweeta." The film showed the waste of valuable and fertile farm land washed away by uncontrolled water streams and the erosion which followed.

28 members and one visitor were present for the meeting.

PTA TO MEET HERE TUESDAY

The Marshall Parent-Teacher Association will meet next Tuesday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock at the high school cafeteria.

Officers will be elected for the ensuing year and final plans will be made for the annual dinner.

Mr. Bob Miller and Mrs. Janie Ramsey's 4-H members will have charge of the program when they will display their exhibits or arts and crafts accomplished during the past year.

All members are urged to attend.

EASTER SEAL SALE DRAWS NEAR CLOSE HERE

Contributions Still Needed; All-Night Singing Is Planned

The final week of the campaign for crippled children is here. Although many have donated generously, about 73% of the money raised comes from $1.00 donations in the form of Easter Seal purchases. Citizens who have not yet contributed are asked to do so at once before the drive officially ends. Letters have been mailed out containing seals and everyone is urged to send back a contribution.

Easter Seal Sale donations helped around 2,000 crippled children in North Carolina during 1955. Funds go to buy crutches, wheel chairs, hospitalization and other therapy for those handicapped.

A number one need in North Carolina for crippled people just out of the hospital is physical therapy program-in-the-home. The Society began a home visit program to acquaint families of crippled inmates how to assist them. Some hospitals are cooperating with the N. C. Society in physical therapy programs. N. C. Memorial Hospital at Chapel Hill helps crippled children in a summer camp venture near Chapel Hill. Physical therapists from the hospital go out regularly to Camp New Hope, sponsored by the N. C. Society for Crippled Children.

The Society has a new camp for Western Carolina, "Camp Toe River," Micaville, N. C., July 15 to August 12. Handicapping conditions on cerebral palsy, amputees, injuries, polio, etc., The camp personnel will be a camp physician, camp director, nurse, physical therapist, speech therapist and trained counselors. The Madison Chapter is hoping some Madison County children will go.

On Saturday, April 14, Mr. Ed Ball will be master of ceremonies for the Society with an all-night singing at the Marshall school building.

CANTATA TO BE PRESENTED SUNDAY NIGHT

"Our Mighty Lord," an Easter choir cantata by John E. Boalt, will be presented by the Marshall Baptist Church choir on Sunday evening at 7:45 o'clock.

The choir wil be composed of the following voices:

Sopranos: Mrs. Joe Eads, Mrs. Jim Story, Mrs. Fain Sprinkle, Miss Barbara Davis, Mrs. Guy White, Mrs. R. G. Franklin, Mrs. Kermit Cody and Mrs. Bernard Brigman.

Altos: Mrs. Wade Huey, Mrs. Coleman Worley and Mrs. D. D. Gross.

Bass: Charles Huey, D. D. Gross and Clyde M. Roberts.

Tenors: Guy White, Lyman Martin, Tommy White and Dr. H. E. Bolinger.

Soloists are John Corbett, Charles Huey, Mrs. Wade Huey, Mrs. Coleman Worley and Mrs. J. H. Fads.

John Corbett is choir director and Mrs. Corbett is the organ accompanist.

29 MARS HILL SENIORS ENJOY WASHINGTON TRIP

Tired But Happy Group Croup Returned On Sunday; Trip Exciting

Twenty-nine seniors of Mars Hill High School, three chaperones, and A. E. Huffman, tour conductor of Asheville, left in a special reserved coach of "The Asheville Special" Wednesday afternoon, March 21, for a three-day tour of Washington, D. C. The group arrived at the Washington Union Station at 8 o'clock Thursday morning where they were met by a chartered bus, the driver of which acted as guide during the entire trip.

The group was quartered at Hotel [illegible]

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ZONE MEETING OF LIONS IS ENJOYED HERE ON MONDAY

Calendar Campaign Extended Until April 10; 29 Attend

The District Four Zone Meeting, Lions International, was well attended here Monday night when 19 members of the Marshall Club and ten district officials were present. The dinner-meeting was held at the Marshall High School cafeteria with a delicious meal served by the Home Economics pupils. The meal was prepared by the cafeteria staff, directed by Mrs. Jack Sprinkle.

Prior to the executive meeting, the Marshall club held its regular meeting. A nominating committee, composed of Lions Page Brigman, H. E. Bolinger and Jim Story, was appointed and will select a slate of officers at the next meeting at the Rock Cafe on Monday night, April 9.

President W.B. Zink also announced that the calendar solicitation drive has been extended until April 10.

Lion Don Penley of the Candler Club, introduced the guests present and special instrumental music was furnished by the FFA String Band, featuring the singing of Bob "Ta-Ta" Reese and Bernard Reese.

FFA-FHA BANQUET TO BE HELD HERE ON FRIDAY NIGHT

Burl Smith, Of CP&L, To Be Guest Speaker; 100 Are Expected To Attend

The Future Farmers and Future Homemakers departments of Marshall High School will hold a father-son, mother-daughter banquet at the high school cafeteria on Friday night at 7:30 o'clock. This is the first banquet of the combined departments ever held in Marshall.

Lyman Martin is teacher of the FFA department and Miss Allene Hancock is teacher of the FHA and Home Economics departments.

The program will begin with the opening ceremony by members of the FFA department. The invocation will be pronounced by the Rev. D. D. Gross, pastor of the Marshall Baptist Church. Following the dinner, which will be prepared and served by the FHA mothers and the students of Miss Hancock. Miss Billie Jean Redmon, FHA President, will recognize guests present. Special instrumental music will be presented by the FHA String Band, and Howard Banks, of Marshall, will give comic monologues.

Mr. Burl Smith, public relations head of Carolina Power & Light Company, of Asheville, will be the guest speaker for the occasion. He will be introduced by Mr. Martin.

Approximately 100 students, and guests are expected to attend the banquet.

The banquet will be concluded with the FFA closing ceremony. At this time the FHA motto, purposes, and creed will be presented by the chapter members present.

TROUT SEASON TO OPEN ON APRIL 5; CREEL LIMIT IS 10

Mr. Raymond Ramsey, County Wildlife Protector, stated this week that according to the regulations adopted by the Wildlife Resources Commission, the opening date for trout season will be Thursday, April 5, 1956.

Mr. Ramsey stated that the different trout streams in Madison County had been heavily stocked with fish, 12-14 inches long, and they will average ½-pound. He also stated that no change in creel limit has been made, the limit being 10 fish per day, the same as last year. The only change in [illegible] the limit has been [illegible] pan fish—Crappie and [illegible].

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Prospects For Poultry Processing Plant In County Discussed Here

RESIGNS PASTORATE

REV. E. J. HALL

HOGAN ACCEPTS PASTORATE AT SEMINARY CHURCH

To Succeed E. J. Hall, Who Recently Resigned After 4 Years

The Rev. Ralph Hogan, pastor of the Hot Springs Baptist Church, has accepted the pastorate at the Madison Seminary Baptist Church, it was announced here this week. Mr. Hogan, who has been at the Hot Springs church for the past three years, succeeds the Rev. E. J. Hall, who has accepted a pastorate at the Macedonia Baptist Church in Buncombe County.

Mr. Hogan will begin his pastorate at the Seminary on Sunday, May 6. His successor at Hot Springs has not been named.

OES TO HOLD OPEN INSTALLATION OF OFFICERS MAR. 31

Open Installation for officers of the Marshall Eastern Star Chapter will be held Saturday evening, March 31, at 8 o'clock in the Masonic Temple.

Mrs. Hilda S. Halliburton, of Clyde, Worthy Grand Matron of the Grand Chapter of North Caroilna, OES, will be the Installing Grand Chapter Officer.

BUCK TARLTON, VAN METCALF LOSE APPEALS

N. C. Supreme Court Upholds Judgment Of Superior Court Here

The North Carolina Supreme Court has ruled that the appeal of Buck Tarlton and Van Metcalf, has been dismissed under Rule No. 17, and judgment of the superior court affirmed. The court made this ruling on March 21.

The two defendants were convicted of second degree murder of Pritchard Shelton in the Laurel section of Madison County several years ago at the October term of court here.

Tarlton and Metcalf each received a sentence of not less than 25 years and not more than 30 years.

The two men, who have been in the Madison County jail since the trial, will be transported to Raleigh today (Thursday) by Sheriff E. Y. Ponder.

Announces Candidacy

Hilliard Teague, of Marshall, has announced his candidacy for the nomination of Register of Deeds for Madison County, subject to the will of the voters expressed in the Democratic Primary to be held on May [illegible].

To Make Further Study Of Possibilities; Interest Is Sought

Approximately 50 businessmen, poultry growers, feed dealers and interested citizens met at the courthouse here Tuesday night and discussed the possibilities of a broiler dressing plant for Madison County.

Ralph Kelley, of the State Department of Agriculture, told the group the importance of such a plant being located in Western North Carolina. He pointed out that such a plant in Madison County would mean the employment of perhaps 125 or more local persons and would also supply business for servicing groups. "A plant in Madison County would mean a steady demand for local birds and would involve feed dealers, financing, trucking, building supply dealers, and other related businesses in supplying local poultrymen," Mr. Kelley said. He reiterated that it would be a stable business and would offer the farmers a market at home.

Harry Silver, farm agent, presided at the meeting and called on C. E. Mashburn and Mr. Kelley to open the floor for discussions.

Several western North Carolina franchise dealers were present and told of the thousands of birds being shipped out of western North Carolina every week. The dealers expressed their opinions that such a plant in Madison County would be a wise investment.

The matters of available labor, power and water were discussed and D. M. Robinson, of the French Broad Electric Membership Corporation stated that abundant power could be furnished. Aldermen L. B. Ramsey and Mayor Clarence Nix told the

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BASEBALL TAKES SPOTLIGHT AT MARSHALL HIGH

Good Infield, Fair Hitting Outlook For Local Team, Coaches Say

"It looks like we're going to have a good defensive infield but our hitting is only fair," said Glenn Painter this week after watching the Marshall High School baseball team work out. Painter and Roy Reeves are having daily workouts with the Tornadoes trying to get the right combination together before traveling to Bakersville on Friday, April 6, for the first game of the season.

Both coaches stated that the pitchers "were a year away," and that the outfield, at the present, was just "fair." "They may develop faster though, when the season actually starts and the weather gets warmer," Reeves said.

The returning lettermen include Harry Baldwin, 3b; Jimmy Eads, ss; Bruce Baldwin, 2b; Leroy Allen, 1b; Buford Henderson, rf; and George Shook, lf. Eager youngsters trying to make the varsity include Wayne Clark, c; Charles Ball and Richard Baldwin, outfield, and Elsie Wilde, Clarence Edwards, Ted Tipton and Johnny Corbett, infield.

Pitchers listed include Billy Zack Bryan and Lawrence Davis, both southpaws and righthanders Bernard Reese, Johnny Henderson and Norman Payne. Coach Painter stated that the catching post was perhaps the weakest part of the team but he hoped to develop a catcher before the Bakersville game.

"We are depending on a tight defense and a fair hitting club this season," both coaches said.

ONE WAY TO DO IT

Providence, R. I. — When Radio Announcer Bruce Williamson's wife called him at the station to say their 2-year-old daughter had locked her out of the house, Williamson, knowing the radio was on in the house, directed an announcement to his daughter, [illegible]