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EDITORIAL

BACK-TO-SCHOOL SAFETY

Consider, as back-to-school time approaches, these five facts from the National Safety Council:

1. Accidents are the leading cause of death to school-age children.

2. More than 2,500 children 5-14 years of age are killed annually in accidents involving motor vehicles.

3. More than 1,100 of these children are pedestrians.

4. A total of 150,000 children in the 5-14 age group are injured each year in motor vehicle mishaps.

5. One out of 12 students injured in a "school-jurisdiction" accident is on his way to or from school.

That's the problem — and back-to-school time is when the problem reaches its peak, according to the National Safety Council.

Solution to the problem?

"Parents," the Council said, "should teach their children to stop, look and listen before crossing streets or railroad tracks. It's not old-fashioned to be safe.

"Parents also should set a proper example. Don't expect a child to obey a rule you violate."

Some Council suggestions to motorists as the nation's schools prepare to open their doors:

1. Keep your car in good condition. Pay special attention to tires and brakes. You can't blame the garage man if your car doesn't stop quickly enough in an emergency.

2. Drive slowly near schools. And slow down where children are walking or playing.

3. Expect the unexpected from children. Most of them get hurt running from behind parked cars or crossing in the middle of an intersection.

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UNITED FUND MUSTN'T DIE

A news article on Page One of this issue announces a call meeting of directors, officials and the general public to discuss the future of United Fund in Madison County. We sincerely hope that the people of Madison County will make plans to attend this important meeting and show enough interest so that the United Fund can continue in our county.

United Fund was started a few years ago in Madison County in an effort to reduce the many individual drives which had plagued our people and to make it possible to raise sufficient funds to benefit all the Health Drives, Salvation Army, Red Cross, Girl and Boy Scouts and others. The United way seemed to be the only answer to the lagging and overlapping Health Drives and the citizens responded well the first year. The following year was also successful, although the total response was not as it should have been.

Gradually, due to key personnel moving away and the general public's apathy, it has been extremely hard for the "faithful few" to do what the entire citizenry should be doing — participating. Too, the Health agencies have insisted on operating their individual drives and have confused the public as to the intent of United Fund.

Hundreds of people believe that the United Way is the most practical way of helping all the drives but then there are thousands who don't understand its merits — or at least this seems true from their lack of participation and cooperation.

Officials of United Fund actually want to aid the Health Drives and the other recipients of UF with one vast countywide campaign. They are trying to eliminate the overlapping and constant "begging" of so many drives almost weekly.

This is the reason that the call meeting has been arranged for Thursday night, August 27, at 7:30 o'clock.

Unless more interest is shown by more people, it seems that we might be compelled to go back to the individual drives and constant visitation of all the agencies seeking donations, and abandon United Fund.

This would be a step backward, in our opinion, and would lessen the total monies donated to all the worthwhile causes enlisted in United Fund.

We urge YOU to please attend the meeting at the [illegible] on August 27 and express your opinions [illegible] concerning United Fund. Find out [illegible] before allowing apathy to destroy [illegible] to our people [illegible] Madison County.

A Lino Operator's Musings

By COLEMAN CALDWELL

The preaching of the cross is to them that perish foolishness; but unto us which are saved it is the power of God. — — the extent of some people's religion is that they know the name of the church they stay away from — — and it is much easier to be critical than to be correct — — we should consider that our church is not a refrigerator for preserving perishable piety — — it is a dynamo for charging human wills with power — — the object of the church is not to tell men how to dodge difficulties, but to furnish strength and courage to meet them — — the business of the church is not to furnish hammocks for the lazy, it is rather to offer well-fitting yokes for drawing life's load — — the man who does not attend church — votes to close it — — officiated at one of the sweetest baptismal services Sunday I've been in in a long time — — a good revival is in progress at my church at Oak Hill — — splendid preaching by the Rev. Alford Taylor — — good fellowship and wonderful cooperation from neighboring churches — — went to see Alma in the hospital Tuesday and got there just in time to receive an invitation to supper, as she was engaged in that pleasant "chore" when I arrived — — she was so cheerful and came thru her operation fine — hurry home, Alma — — sorry to hear of others also from around here in the hospital — wish them all speedy recoveries — — bands drilling, baseball waning, football practice — all 'shows-to-go' you that school is in the offing — — well, Marshall finally dood it — beat Hot Springs — — Bill Whitten, manager of the Warm Water boys said it was an "I'll give it to you; then you give it back" game, and Bill lamented: "just as we were in the act (about the third or fourth time) of giving it to Marshall, the ninth and final inning caught up with us" — — oh, well, Bill, the law of averages does catch up — — Pop, our boss, has been gone to a Firemen's Convention, and since his departure (he's back) I've been reporter, ad solicitor, linotype operator, proof reader and general "Printer's Devil" around the shop — — well, usually, those who attend service on Sunday morning love their church; those who attend on Sunday evening love the pastor; and those who attend the Wednesday night prayer service love the Lord.

Cafe Changes Management

The cafe on Main Street in Marshall, which had been owned and operated by Lawrence Taylor, was purchased Saturday by Mr. Raymond Bullman, son of the Rev. and Mrs. Hobart Bullman, of Marshall RFD 3, and is now open for business under the new management.

"We would like to retain all of our present patrons and welcome new ones, and wish to assure you of courteous treatment," Mr. Bullman stated.

Football Coach: "And remember that football develops individuality, initiative, and leadership Now get in there and do exactly as I tell you."

Miss Joan Walton Is Bride Of Jacob Franklin Grigg

Ceremony Is Performed In Harrogate, Yorkshire, England

Miss Joan Walton and Mr. Jacob Franklin Grigg exchanged wedding vows Saturday, July 18, 1959 at 11:00 a. m., in St. John's Parish Church, Harrogate, Yorkshire, England. Their vows were heard by the Rev. Leonard Pearson.

The bride is the daughter of Mrs. Dorothy Elizabeth Walton and Mr. Stanley Walton of 42 Cecil St., Harrogate, England She is an employee of Imperial Chemical Industries, Limited, in Harrogate, a new branch of which has recently opened in Shelby, N. C.

Mr. Jacob Franklin Grigg is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Buria W. Grigg of Mars Hill.

He is a graduate of Mars Hill High School and has attended Western Carolina College.

He and Mrs. Grigg will live in Mars Hill on arrival in the United State from England early next summer.

Mr. Stanley Walton, father of the bride, gave her in marriage. She was wearing a white gown of chiffon with a fitted bodice and a bouffant skirt. Her veil was attached to a coronet of orange blossoms and she carried a bouquet of roses and lily of the valley.

Miss Susanne Thackray and Miss Ruth Brotherton were bridesmaids. They wore dresses of white printed nylon with matching headdresses and carried bouquets of white carnations.

Mr. Andrew A. Martin was the best man and Mr. Paul F. Johnson was the groomsman.

The reception was held at the Imperial Cafe, Harrogate, after which the bride and groom left for a trip to Scarborough on the Northeast Coast.

Recent Bride

Mrs. Jacob Franklin Grigg

Madison County Baseball League

League Standings:

	W	L
Hot Springs	12	2
Marshall	10	4
Laurel	6	6
Spring Creek	5	6
Walnut	3	8
Petersburg	1	11

(Spring Creek-Petersburg game Not Reported)
(Laurel-Walnut game Postponed)

Games Saturday
AUGUST 15
Marshall at Walnut
Laurel at Spring Creek
Petersburg at Hot Springs

Marshall Defeats Hot Springs, 10-6

Marhall won its 10th game of the season last Saturday, by defeating the league leading Hot Springs nine on the Marshall diamond. Joe King started for Hot Springs but was relieved by Roy Ammons in the fifth inning. Errors hampered his teammates throughout the game.

Dean Crum, Marshall hurler, pitched superb ball, going the nine innings, with good hitting at the right time, from his teammates.

Bennie Davis led the winners at the plate with 2 for 4. Bobby Sprinkle and Leonard Payne had 2 for 5 each, with Payne hitting a home run in the 8th inning, with nobody on.

Roy Ammons and L. Moore led the losers, Moore with 2-4 and Ammons with 2-5.

Marshall collected 11 hits and Hot Springs 8.

Marshall	004 400 020—10	11	7
Hot Springs	010 210 002— 6	8	7

Governor Hodges Expresses Thanks To Mrs. Ditmore

Mrs. H. B. Ditmore, of Marshall, received the following letter from Governor Hodges after accepting the chairmanship of the Madison County unit of North Carolina's White House Conference:

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA
Governor's Office
Raleigh
July 31, 1959

Luther H. Hodges
Governor

Mrs. Harry Ditmore
Marshall, North Carolina
Dear Mrs. Ditmore:

I was glad to learn from the North Carolina 1960 White House Conference Committee, which I appointed, that you have accepted chairmanship of the Madison County committee.

Our children are our most valuable resource and you are rendering a distinct service in this work. I also appreciate the contribution your county will make to North Carolina's White House Conference report.

Sincerely,
LUTHER H. HODGES

RULING ROOST

Marysville, Ohio — The pigeons have competition for the space atop the statue of justice on the local courthouse. Attached to the statue is an antenna for the sheriff's radio.

Laurel Defeats Del Rio, Tenn., 9-1

In a game played at Del Rio, Tenn., Sunday, the Laurel baseball team defeated the Del Rio boys, 9-1, behind the pitching of Dewey Wallin, who held the Tenness boys to four hits.

Wallin struck out 8, proving tough with men on base.

Bill Hux was the losing pitcher.

Leading the attack for the winners was E. Norton with 3 for 4; while J. Sane, with 2-4, led the losers.

Included in his total, E. Norton had a double and a home run. D. Wallin also had a double and Ray a triple.

Laurel, which has won nine of its last ten games, goes to Spring Creek Saturday for two games in the Madison County League, and then plays host to Del Rio again on Sunday. Last Saturday's game with Walnut was postponed until August 22 because of the death of Andrew Adams, father of four Laurel players.

Laurel	100 105 200—9	10	0
Del Rio	001 000 000—1	4	4

Attends State Firemen's Meet

Jim Story, assistant fire chief, of Marshall, attended the N. C. State Firemen's Convention held in Durham on Monday and Tuesday of this week.

Chief topic of the convention was the Firemen's Pension Fund.

Letters to the Editor...

U.S. MAIL

Sharpe Writes The STATE

Raleigh, N. C.
August 10, 1959

Mr. Jim Story
News-Record
Marshall, N. C.
Dear Jim:

That was a good issue of THE NEWS-RECORD. Especially liked your lead editorial.

Youse is a noise lad, Jim, and we will always be grateful to you for helping so generously on this project, and for your subsequent pat on the back.

Will see you this fall.

Regards,
BILL SHARPE

P.S.—I get a highly appreciated letter from Hiden Ramsey, who approved the Madison story and the way we handled it.

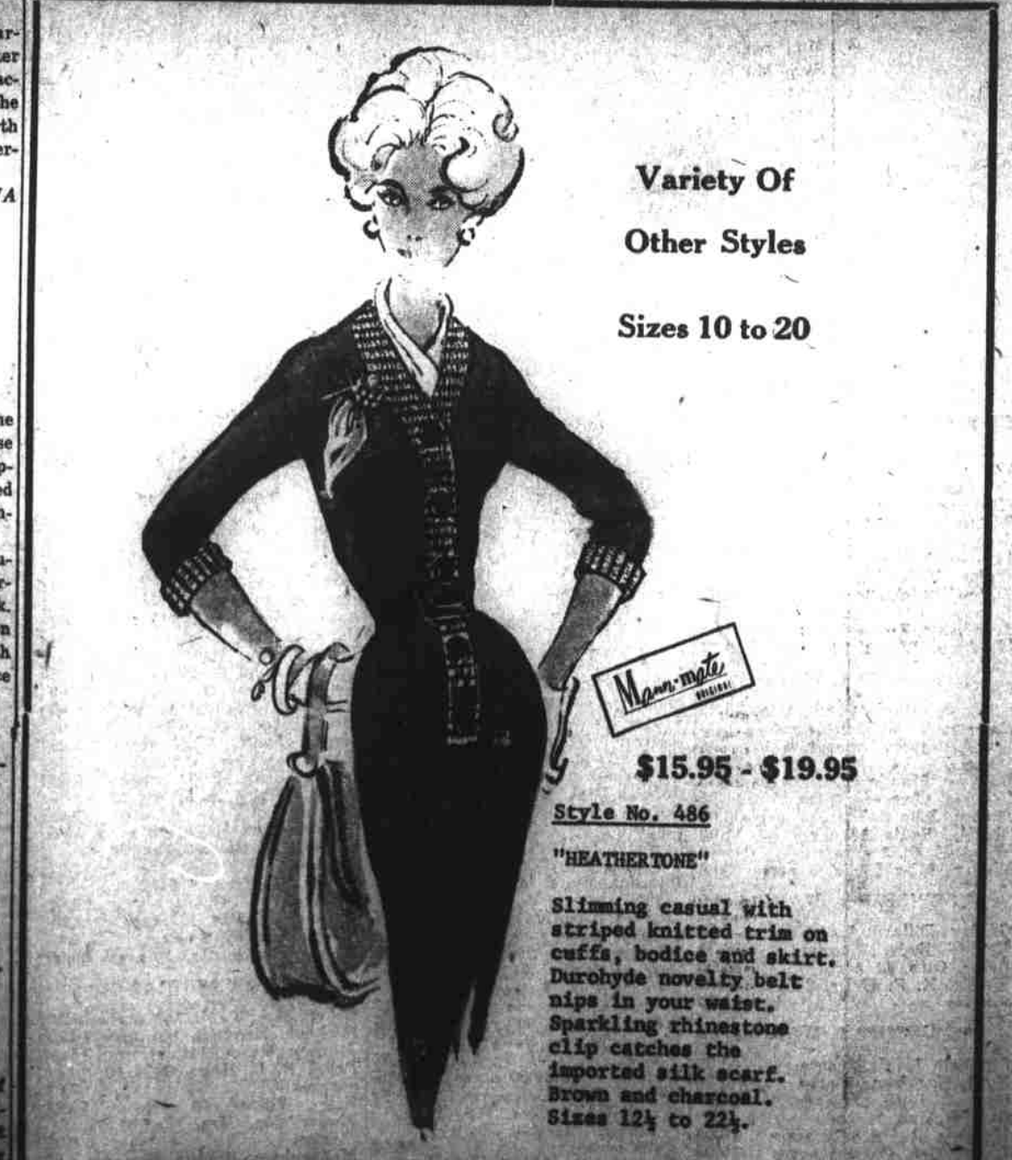
Baptist Men Enjoy Meeting Tuesday

Approximately 20 members of the Men Of The Church organization of the Marshall Baptist Church enjoyed a picnic meeting Tuesday night on the lawn of Mr. and Mrs. Kelly Davis.

Dr. H. E. Bellinger, president, presided. Following a delicious supper, the Rev. D. D. Green, pastor, played a tape recording of a session of Alcoholics Anonymous which proved informative and enjoyable.

Mr. Ernest Teague was also honored with a birthday cake which was enjoyed by the group.

Mrs. Davis and Mrs. [illegible] assisted in the cooking of the supper.



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